



For the Fridge!

October 27, 2017

From the Principal: Thank you to all of the parents and guardians for making **Parent-Teacher Conferences**, using the electronic scheduling, a success. As a parent, I too use the system and it can be a bit awkward at first. I hope that folks found conferences useful and are able to continue a positive relationship with your child's teachers.

I also want to stress to the children to be safe this weekend at the Halloween Parade and if they go out for Halloween. Realizing that not everyone celebrates this tradition, I still want folks to be safe on the streets. *It is important to note that at RIS students do not dress up for Halloween, nor do we do a parade at school. Costumes are best left for the Primary buildings.*

I'd like to thank Mr. Brua for his leadership around **Red Ribbon Week**. Today culminated a week long educational component on the dangers of drugs and alcohol. While some schools hand out red ribbons or have red bracelets, we want to focus our attention on the actual dangers of drugs. Every week should be red ribbon week.

Veteran's Day observance: Once every four years, RIS does a major observance around Veteran's Day. Mrs. Jessica Weber is our behind the scenes organizer and does an excellent job. For more information, please see the reverse side of this paper.

PTO News: Thank you to Yvonne Ciufo for her leadership with our **Scholastic Book Fair**. This is a large undertaking and Yvonne makes it look easy. Her commitment to the school and the book fair is unprecedented.

The RIS staff would like to thank the PTO for their help with the Staff Dinner the night of conferences.

- Movie Night: PTO movie night is November 3rd at 6:30 in the Auditorium. (Notices for the movie will be sent home next week with all of the details)
- Yankee Candle Fundraiser Due November 3rd
- Spirit Wear Orders Due November 3rd
- Yankee Candle Raffle Drawing November 6th
- Nov. PTO meeting Monday, November 13th in room 310 at 6:30pm
- Box Top Due November 28th

December Events:

- Holiday Craft store at RIS December 5th – 7th
- Dec. Movie Night December 8th

Charleston Wrap Fundraiser order will be arriving by the end of October. Thank you to all that participated.

PTO first movie night was a big hit☐☐ Thanks to all the wonderful volunteers!

