Randolph High Newsletter

October 2019

It is amazing how fast the school year is going! It is already October and we are approaching the end of the 1st quarter. It seems like just yesterday that I was preparing what I was going to say in my opening assembly with students. I have enjoyed getting to know names and the personalities of our students.

We have accomplished many things already. We have settled into a schedule and completed 3 of the 8 five day weeks! Students have taken the Falls Map Tests. Fall activities are in full swing from Jr High through Varsity events. We have checked off a few of our safety drills already including bus, evacuation, tornado, and a couple of fire drills. We had our first Parent-Teacher Conference. We also had a speaker come and talk to us about the power of kindness. We have also started our weekly eligibility checks for student activities. All these things while learning and growing each day in our classrooms.

We are looking forward to Homecoming Week on September 30th - October 4th. Many events are being planned and the excitement is building. The end of the 1st quarter will be on October 16th. Many are looking forward to harvest time and fall fun. We are also anticipating the results of last year's State Testing done last Spring. Those results should be released during the first week in October. You will be receiving information on your students’ results and how our school did as a whole. We will also be sending out information on the MAPS test we just completed.

There are always questions about when students need to be in school prior to activities. As a reminder, students must be in attendance by 11:30 a.m. on the day of the event or practice in which the student is participating. If the activity occurs the morning of the next day or on a weekend, the student must be in attendance by 11:30 a.m. on the school day prior to the event. Please refer to the RHS Student Parent Handbook on page 14.

As always, good communication between the school and the community is essential to making RHS a place “Where Tomorrow is Built Today!” Go Cardinals!

Brandi Bartels
7-12 Principal/Activities Director
# October 2019

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OCTOBER ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER

HOMECOMING IS OCTOBER 4TH
The football game is with Wynot at 7:00 p.m. More information will be coming home with the students. The elementary will participate in spirit week activities and will attend the Friday afternoon Pep Rally. **Students cannot be dismissed from the Pep Rally without prior written notice from the parent/guardian, without prior written notice the students will return to the elementary for normal dismissal.**

Go Cardinals!

MAP GOALS
During the week of September 30 - October 4th we will be setting Map Goals for each student (Grades 3-6) in Guidance class. Students will be bringing the goal sheets home for you to look over. **Please sign these goal sheets so that we can continue growing throughout the school year.**

FUN NIGHT
ON OCTOBER 25 @ 6:30 P.M.
WE HAVE A FUN NIGHT PLANNED
MORE DETAILS WILL BE COMING HOME WITH YOUR CHILDREN.
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VEGGIE BAR IS OFFERED EVERYDAY. MILK IS OFFERED EVERYDAY
Greetings from First Grade!
Where did the time go? It's hard to believe that Fall weather is already
upon us. In just a few short weeks, we have achieved success in becoming familiar with the
daily routine and performing every day procedures correctly.

Reading
We are now familiar with the daily reading routine. Our focus is fluency when reading and
always trying our best. We look forward to continuing to build our confidence when reading.
We are very eager to check out our first AR book and login independently and take a quiz
successfully.

Grammar/Spelling/Writing
Our main focus has been sentence structure; remembering to put a capital letter at the
beginning of sentences, finger spaces between words, punctuation at the end, and writing our
letters correctly on the lines. We sure had fun writing about some of our summertime
adventures!

Math
We are well on our way of reviewing numbers from zero to fifty. Our doubles rap song has
proven quite effective as many of us have nearly mastered our doubles facts already! Missing
numbers and counting from zero to one hundred have been our main focus while remembering
to write the numbers correctly on the lines. We continue to work diligently to read through
story problems, underline important information, and draw pictures to show our work.

Science/Social Studies
We spent some time learning about Johnny Appleseed and his journey around the prairie
planting apple trees. Tasting the apples was our favorite part! According to our pictograph,
green apples are the first grade favorite!

We have really enjoyed getting to know each other and our families better through our “All
About Me Posters.” Here is what a few First Graders have to say:
1. When I grow up I want to be an artist. (CS)
2. My favorite color is teal. (EG)
3. My favorite foods are ribs, chicken wings, watermelon, and apples. (RL)
4. I have a bearded dragon for a pet. (MC)

We look forward to all the fun Fall has in store for us!

Mrs. Winkelbauer
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Randolph FCCLA Invites You to Attend

Pumpkin Fest!

Sunday, October 27
1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
At the Randolph Elementary School Gym

Bring the kids for an afternoon of FREE Halloween fun and games!

Kids can wear their costumes!

Games! Guessing Jars! Prizes!

Sponsored by your Randolph FCCLA Chapter!
*Be sure to head up to Colonial Manor for Trunk-or-Treat and goodies afterwards!
October News Letter by Jim Hixson

The 2019-20 school year is off and running at a wild pace. My responsibilities for this year have not changed much. I teach Accounting 1 & 2 as well as Introduction to Business for the business department and assume the Technology Coordination duties for the district. I am also fortunate enough to be able to help coach football and boys’ basketball.

I am greatly helped in my technology capacity by Mark Lech at the High School as well as Mary Miller and Jackie Loberg at the Elementary. They generously give up their free time to help out any way they can. Marlin Seevers, and ESU 8 employee, comes ½ a day each week to help us tackle the more technical problems with which I struggle. This proves to be a great savings to the district.

My major project to begin this year is to install two new programs on all our PCs. Relay is a mobile filtering application and Sopho Central is a web-based virus threat protection application.

I was told that we would be able to push out the applications to our workstations and not need to go out to each computer, but as you know if you have worked with technology, things don’t always go as planned. I am now in the process of touching and installing the applications by hand on over 100 PCs. When completed, these programs will be good for our district.

Several years ago, I started using a text-based reminder app. It allows me to send a text to the students without knowing their cell number. The students will not know my number and I will not know theirs. I will use this app to remind students of upcoming tests, assignments, etc. I would like to invite any parents interested in getting these texts to join our group. Here is how it works.

To join a class group simply text to the number 81010 with the group name as the message. The app will then text you back and have you answer if you are a Student, Parent, or Teacher.

Accounting 1 send 81010 with the message @hixsoacc1
Accounting 2 send 81010 with the message @hixsoacc2
Introduction to Business send 81010 with the message @hixsolb

My vision is that this simple use of technology may help remind students of upcoming events and keep parents informed as well. I am excited about the possibilities.

Football has started again, and we have 17 kids out. We are still working on (and would welcome) getting as many kids out as possible. The Football program is just one of the many excellent athletic programs we have at RHS. Participation by all students will continue to become more and more important, if we would like to remain independent and not Co-op with other schools. The kids we do have participating are nice group of athletes with which to work. They are a great group of kids.
I also am appreciative of the staff that I am blessed to work with, led by Head Coach Mark Lech. The other coaches are Aaron Nielsen and volunteer assistants Layne Sievers and Tom Shafer. They are very knowledgeable about the game and are a pleasure with which to work.

The kids have been working very hard thus far. I hope their hard work and dedication will show up as results on the field. I also hope the community will continue its tremendous support of the program and come out to a game or two.
Just a quick note from Mrs. Lackas at the high school...

This year I am able to offer a dual credit class to the seniors. The class is Workplace Communications and it is credited through Northeast Community College (NCC). This particular class will complete the English requirement for certain majors at NCC. I have five students that are participating in the dual credit. All other seniors are taking the same course, with just a few adjustments, in order to complete their high school English credit. So far, we are just getting adjusted to the new material. It’s a great course for any student as we study business related items, such as proper email etiquette, business letters, reports, resumes, job applications, presentations, etc. This class will be completed by the end of first semester. Next semester, we will be studying a shortened version of world literature. If all goes well, I plan to offer this course again next fall.

One act has begun! The play is called Wishful Thinking. It involves high school students that just finished reading The Monkey’s Paw. The characters are reviewing for a test on the story and they have a substitute teacher for the day. The play is a comedy and we have approximately 17 actors/actresses with close to 10 stagecrew members. The home performance will be Monday, November 18, @ 6:00 pm at the high school. The admission charge will be $2.00 per person and the students will be serving Root Beer floats for a free will donation. After the performance, we will load our props and head to Creighton for conference action on Tuesday, November 19. We are scheduled to perform at 2:45 in the afternoon. Districts have not been posted on the NSAA website yet but we’ll try to keep you posted. Hope you are able to watch a performance or two—they are very entertaining!

Peggy Lackas

I would like to add a special THANK YOU to Mrs. Steve (Barb) Rohde for donating her split-the-pot winnings to the one act organization! We truly appreciate the donation.

THANK
YOU

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Education should be directed to:

Superintendent of Schools, Randolph Public School

P.O. Box 755, Randolph, NE 68771

Telephone: 402-337-0252
October
READING FUN

Read anything that has to do with the month of
October. Suggestions: Columbus Day, Elections, Farm, Fire Safety, and
Halloween.

Fill out the sheet in the newsletter and return by Thursday, October
24, 2019 to enter the drawing for a book of your choice from Mrs.
Boehmer's book bag.

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Name of Student:___________________________________________

Grade _______________________________________________________

Book title ___________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian signature_____________________________________

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Congratulations to Dawsyn Papenhausen, for winning the Sept. Reading fun
activity.
WEDNESDAY AFTERSCHOOL
We will have the Osmos available to play with!

LOOKING for your next A/R Book
Let us help you find a book in your level. Just ask one of the librarians to help you search!

Watch for Adult Events in October:
Advanced Microsoft Excel Workshop
October 3rd from 5:30-8:30pm

Healthy Meal Prep with Tina Collison
October 9th

Yoga with Instructor Kaylie Hingst
Tuesdays, October 10, 17, 24, 31

Join us for our MIDWEEK STORY HOUR
Wednesday, October 23rd 6:30pm.
We will be celebrating HALLOWEEN this month with stories, activities, songs, games, and crafts!

Lied Randolph Public Library
109 N. Douglas Box 307
Randolph Public Library
phone: 402-337-0046
librarian@rilibrary.org
www.rilibrary.org
Hours Mon. Tues. 10-6
Wed. 10-12 & 1-7, Thurs. 10-12 $ 1-6
Sat 10-12 & 1-4
High School Library Titles Added

We love it when students come to use and request titles and authors. Here is the first order, waiting for check out.

Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to all who helped with the Scholastic book fair. Your time and support is greatly appreciated. Thank you to all of you who attended Randolph's book fair. Your support for the school library program is wonderful.

Golden Sower Nominate Titles

The Golden Sower Award is a Nebraska book award that students across the state vote. Below are the titles for each level of readers. The Randolph Public School library has all the

Golden Sower nominees for 2019

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National School Lunch Week
October 14-18, 2019

Today's school lunches meet strict nutrition standards, including limits on calories, sodium and unhealthy fats.

30 MILLION children enjoy
healthy lunches a day nationwide

3/4 cup of vegetables
with every lunch

1/2 cup serving of fruit
daily

1 cup of 1% or
fat-free milk

Entrees include whole
grains & lean protein

Read School Meal Success Stories here: TrayTalk.org
Follow us on social media: #NSLW19 • #LunchPlaylist • #SchoolLunch

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