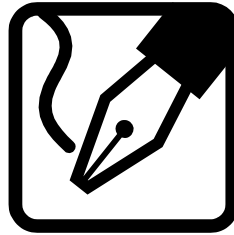


RIVERWOOD REPORTER



The mission of Riverwood Elementary School is to accomplish the following:

- “To nurture the development of the total child;
- To foster a love of learning;
- To provide instruction in the basic skills required for active, involved, and responsible citizenship in our school, community, and country;
- And to maintain an environment that promotes the safety, well-being, intellectual stimulation, mutual respect, and enthusiasm of all students, staff, and families, alike.”

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“TOGETHER we make our school a SUCCESS!”

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DATES TO REMEMBER...

Mon., March 22-Thurs., March 25	Kindergarten Screening and Registration
Tuesday, March 23	Board of Education Meeting at Valley View at 7:30 P.M.
Thursday, March 25	Spring Picture Day
Sat., March 27-Mon., April 5	Spring Recess
Tuesday, April 6	Classes Resume
Wed., April 7 and Thurs., April 8	Mobile Dentists at Riverwood
Friday, April 9	Red & Blue Day-Show your school spirit by wearing our school colors.

ANNOUNCING EARLY REGISTRATION...Registration packets will be going home with your student today for the 2010-2011 school year. Student registration packets will be due back to your child's school by April 29, 2010.

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE...The Mobile Dentists will be coming to Riverwood School on April 7th and 8th, 2010. Please return permission slips as soon as possible, if you are interested in participating in the program. **All second grade students** need to have a dental exam on file in the Health Office by May 15, 2010. **Parents of Fifth Graders** – Medical forms for Sixth Grade went home last week. If you did not receive them, please check with your student or the Health Office. It is the time of year when we may have some mud and puddles on our playground. It may be helpful for students to have an extra set of clothes in their lockers to stay clean and dry.

KINDERGARTEN SCREENING AND REGISTRATION...District 15 will hold kindergarten screening and registration March 22nd - March 25th at Landmark School. Please call Michele Karmel at District 15 Central Office, at (815) 385-7210 to schedule an appointment. Children who are five years old on or before September 1, 2010 are eligible to attend kindergarten next year.

SPRING PICTURE DAY...Mark your calendars. Our spring pictures are scheduled for Thursday, March 25. Picture packages do not have to be prepaid. A proof will be sent home with an order form, so you can preview the pose(s) before you purchase.

SPRING BREAK...Spring Break is from Saturday, March 27, through Monday, April 5, 2010. Classes resume Tuesday, April 6, 2010. Have a safe and fun break!

McHENRY TOWNSHIP JUNIOR WARRIORS FOOTBALL...Registration for the McHenry Township Junior Warriors will be held on Saturday, March 20th, from 10:00 A.M. – 2:00 P.M. at the McHenry Township Senior Center, 3519 North Richmond Road. The registration fee is \$250, which includes \$75 in raffle tickets. All children, ages 7-14 and still in 8th grade, are eligible to register. For more information, contact Mike Sikula, President, at (815) 385-1043 or (815) 341-6027, or visit the Website at www.MTJW.org.

☺ The Character Counts Theme for March is Trustworthiness ☺