## **Dear Roadrunners:**

# **News from Child Nutrition:**

Milk is **no longer a free item**. Students who bring a home lunch and take a milk from the cafeteria are charged 75 cents. Milk <u>is</u> included in the price of the School Lunch.

### News from the Front Office:

No School – Thursday, October 13 and Friday, October 14<sup>th</sup> (Main Office will be closed)

### **Halloween Celebration**

On Monday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, we will have our whole school Halloween Celebration and Parade. Students should come already dressed with their costume on OVER their clothes. They need to be able to take off the costumes after the parade for the remainder of the day. Students can wear masks for the parade. Please do not send any weapons with costumes or have students wear costumes that are overly scary (ie. blood squirting, etc.) Classroom teachers or Room Parents will be sending out sign ups if you would like to volunteer for the class party that will occur before or after the parade. (Reminder, you must be a registered volunteer, be signed up for the party and have visited the office with your ID scanned prior to the party.) Families may come to view the parade outside the building at 8:30am. The parade usually lasts about 20 minutes.

### **Classroom Treats**

If it is necessary to have food in classrooms during school hours (i.e. birthday snack, holidays, special occasions, school events, etc.), only commercially prepared foods and packaged foods from retail stores should be served. Items must be commercially individually wrapped. As always, please contact your child's teacher prior to sending food or treats in.

### **Volunteering at Riffenburgh**

If you plan on Volunteering at Riffenburgh, you must register or check that your status is current with Poudre School District (PSD) thru the following portal (renewals are every 3 years) before you come to school.

# https://www.psdschools.org/community/volunteers

\*\* Please remember to bring a Government Issued Identification (Driver's License) to school when you check in in as a Visitor or Volunteer. This is a requirement for the Check In process.

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## News from the Health Office:

# No Cough Drops in School

Students are **not to carry cough drops** in their back packs for use during the school day. If cough drops are required, there is a Medication Authorization form from the Health Room that must be completed for any medication to be given at school (prescription or over the counter). This form needs to be filled out and signed by the Health Care Provider and then signed by the Parent and returned to the health room with the cough drops in their original package. Once this process is complete, the student can come to the Health Room and the Health Room Tech will give them a cough drop. Mints/candies are an alternative for dry throats that can be carried by the student so they can use as they need.

#### **Vaccines**

Vaccination Exclusion Day is Nov. 1, 2022. Your student may be excluded from school if the school does not have an up-to-date vaccine record, certificate of exemption, or in-process plan on file for your student.

Your student must be vaccinated against:

- Hepatitis B (HepB)
- Diptheria, tetanus, pertussis (DTaP, DTP, Tdap)
- Polio (IPV)
- Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)
- Varicella (chicken pox)

More information can be found on the PSD Website under Quick Links>student health>immunizations

PSD will send automatic reminders on Sept. 17 and Oct. 14, 2022.



2022 Back to School Clinic Flyer (1) (2).pd

#### **Return to School**

Please be advised when your student returns to school from an illness and had any of the following symptoms:

- fever or chills
- cough,
- shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- fatigue, muscle, or body aches
- headache
- new loss of taste or smell
- sore throat

- congestion or runny nose
- nausea or vomiting, diarrhea

a **NEGATIVE Covid test is required** (home test is accepted).

**Except**, if someone in the household had COVID-19 in the previous 10 days, a negative PCR or molecular test is required.

Please email all test results with **student name**, date and time to:

tbouchard@psdschools.org (health tech)

# News from the PTO:

#### **Fun Run Success:**

Thank you all so much for your amazing support for our Fun Run this year. It was a tremendous success – we raised just over \$50,000.00!

## 10/19 Fundraiser at Modern Market Eatery:

Take the night off from cooking and join us at Modern Market Eatery to raise money for our school. On Wednesday, October 19th, order from Modern Market Eatery at Foothills Mall (3260 S College, Unit 140) and the Riffenburgh PTO will receive 30% of your order anytime between 11:00am and 9:00pm.

When ordering in person or placing a to go order over the phone, please mention to the cashier that you are supporting the Riffenburgh PTO. If ordering online, please use the coupon code "giveback034".

Thank you for your continued support!

# **News from the Community:**



# **UPCOMING DATES:**

• October 13 and 14 NO School for Students