

## Weekly Update - March 6, 2023

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# Richmond Community Schools

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### *Richmond High School Vision:*

*Building a community of diverse learners who thrive in an ever-changing world.*

### **UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES**

March 8/9/10 - Half Days, 11:05am Dismissal

### **PARENT/GUARDIAN-TEACHER CONFERENCES**

The Microsoft Bookings link for Parent/Guardian-Teacher Conferences is now live. Conferences are being held on **March 8 from 12:00-3:00pm** and on **March 9 from 12:00-3:00pm and 5:00-8:00pm**. Conferences will be held in person at Richmond High School with a virtual option as well. Follow the link below to reserve your ten minute spot with your students teachers.

Questions? Contact the front office at (586) 727-3565 for assistance.

<https://outlook.office365.com/owa/calendar/RichmondHighSchool@richmond.k12.mi.us/bookings/>

### **CLASS OF 2023 and 2024 FAFSA NIGHT**

The RHS Counseling Department is hosting FAFSA Night for our Junior and Senior parents/guardians and students on **Wednesday, March 8 at 7:00pm** in the **Media Center**. This is an excellent opportunity for you to get firsthand assistance and information about applying to local community colleges or four year universities and the multiple forms of financial assistance that are available - grants, work-study programs and subsidized loans. See the [attached](#) flyer for more information. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Lepak at [slepek@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:slepek@richmond.k12.mi.us) or Ms. Zito at [czito@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:czito@richmond.k12.mi.us) for more information!

## **RHS BAND FESTIVAL**

The Richmond High School Band will be performing at festival this **Thursday, March 9 at 6:55pm**. Festival is being held at Anchor Bay High School. Come out and support our musicians!

## **INTERACT WOMEN'S DRIVE**

Interact Club is collecting new or gently used purses and feminine hygiene products for Motor City Mitten and Interim House in Detroit. Donations can be dropped off in the front office of any RCS building. **Donations will be collected from March 6 through the 17.**

## **MACOMB SECONDARY ART SHOW AND CEREMONY**

Richmond High School artists will be recognized at the Anton Center in Mt. Clemens on **Saturday, March 11**. Art will be displayed from 2:00-4:00pm with awards being announced at 3:30pm. Come check out the fabulous works of our building artists!

## **CLASS OF 2023 SCHOLARSHIPS**

There are multiple scholarship opportunities available to the Class of 2023. Information is being emailed to students as it becomes available. You may also reference information on the district website using the following link; [https://www.richmond.k12.mi.us/schools/richmond\\_high\\_school/counseling/financial\\_aid\\_scholarships](https://www.richmond.k12.mi.us/schools/richmond_high_school/counseling/financial_aid_scholarships)

If you have questions, please contact Ms. Lepak at [slepak@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:slepak@richmond.k12.mi.us) or Ms. Zito at [czito@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:czito@richmond.k12.mi.us) for more information!

## **SAT WORKSHOP**

The MISD is pleased to announce the return of the Student SAT Prep Workshop! Each year we receive positive feedback from both students and parents regarding how helpful this workshop is!

The Student SAT Prep Workshop is designed for juniors who are getting ready to take the spring SAT exam. The workshop will be held in-person at the MISD, and there are multiple dates offered to accommodate busy schedules.

Workshop dates to choose from:

- March 11, 2023
- March 18, 2023

***Registration includes a copy of the College Board SAT Study Guide and lunch.***

Registration is online at [events.misd.net](https://events.misd.net) (type "Student SAT" in the search bar). Contact Ms. Szabo ([aszabo@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:aszabo@richmond.k12.mi.us)) or Ms. Lepak ([slepak@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:slepak@richmond.k12.mi.us)) for more information.

## **SUICIDE AND CRISIS LIFELINE NUMBER - 988**

The new nationwide 988 three-digit dialing code will route callers to the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline, previously known as the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (NSPL). Michigan residents in crisis or distress can connect via phone, text, or chat with suicide prevention, mental health, and substance misuse support specialists using a nationwide, easier-to-dial phone number – 988. Calls to 988 are routed to Michigan 988 Centers. Like 911 and other national 3-digit phone numbers, 988 was created to be easier to remember and make crisis care easier to access. Starting in 2023, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services is asking schools to begin the transition of shifting away from using the former NSPL number on the back of school identifications (IDs), replacing the 800 number with 988. For questions or additional information, please email [MPCIP-support@mphi.org](mailto:MPCIP-support@mphi.org) or visit the website [988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline and Michigan Crisis & Access Line](#).

## **ATHLETE ATTENDANCE & ELIGIBILITY**

Per the Student-Athlete Code of Conduct, student athletes must be in class all six hours to practice or participate in a game/competition. Regularly verified absences will not be held against a student. Attendance reports will be run during 6th hour

each day by the Athletic Department. Weekly eligibility checks will be conducted every Monday for the upcoming week. Students with eligibility issues need to first meet with their teachers prior to submitting the necessary documentation to Mr. Treend. Questions? Contact Mr. Treend at [ptreend@richmond.k12.mi.us](mailto:ptreend@richmond.k12.mi.us)

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