

WILL L. LEE ELEMENTARY FEBRUARY

Principal, Mrs. Heidi Mangune
Dean of Students, Mr. Mike Gibson



*"Working Together=
Learning for All"*



March Is Reading Month Theme: Winter Olympics

It is a very exciting time at Lee Elementary this month. Staff and students are celebrating March is Reading month with activities, guest readers, and prizes for students. The calendar of events and theme days are included with the newsletter.

The 3rd grade students and staff are preparing for the M-STEP. The 3rd grade students are assessed in English Language Arts and Math. The test window dates will be coming soon. Please do your best to avoid scheduling appointments or vacations during the testing windows.

Let's give a warm welcome to Mrs. Robinson, our new Kindergarten. She is excited to join the Lee team.

Check out the Richmond Facebook Page for pictures and information about events at Lee Elementary.

- Mrs. Mangune

Child Feeling Ill???



Please remember the following guidelines to help keep everyone healthy...

- Children with fevers need to stay home for 24 hours once the fever breaks and there is no use of fever reducing medication
- Children who have vomited either at home or at school, must stay home for 24 hours once vomiting stops

IMPORTANT DATES

3/2: Preschool Round-Up @ 5pm

3/3: Kindergarten Round-Up @ 5pm

3/9: 1/2 Day of School (Parent Teacher Conferences)

3/10: 1/2 Day of School (Parent Teacher Conferences)

3/11: 1/2 Day of School

3/16: Geography Bee

3/17: St. Patrick's Day





Mr. Gibson's Message...

Preschool Round-up is Wednesday, March 2nd and we are very excited to see everyone!

Dinner will be served at 5:00.

Great things are happening and we are excited to see our future Blue Devils!

Will L Lee's March Focus...

- Mr. Gibson



REMINDER...

Please be mindful of parking around Lee Elementary!
Cars should **ONLY** be parked in lined parking spaces..

Not along the sidewalks or grassy areas

Handicapped parking should be used appropriately

This is for the safety of our young students & their families!



School bus
pick up zone

No parking





Lee Newsletters are housed on the **Lee Elementary** website and e-mailed to families.

Please check the school website for the most up-to-date information. www.richmond.k12.mi

Student CALENDAR

MARCH Read for the GOLD!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
6 Olympic Color Week Book Fair Shopping Week	7 BLUE DAY	8 YELLOW DAY	9 DEAR Day BLACK DAY 1/2 day PTC	10 MARIO DAY Wear red like Marial 1/2 day PTC	11 GREEN DAY 1/2 day	12 Try at Home! Play a board game. Read the directions, cards, and playing board!
13 Try at Home! Read your favorite book with your family.	14 Reading is "No Sweat" Wear sweats to school	15 Try at Home! Read a recipe and make it at home.	16 Reading "Knocks Your Socks Off" Wear crazy socks to celebrate reading today.	17 St. Patrick's Day Read about a leprechaun! Wear Green today.	18 Flashlight Friday! Bring a flashlight to read in the dark at school!	19 Try at Home! Read in one of your special places today!
20 	21 HAT DAY! Wear a hat school.	22 Class Color Day! Wear the same color as your grade level!	23 JERSEY DAY! Wear a jersey to school!	24  31 Reading minutes due Red, White & Blue Day Show your U.S.A. Pridel!	25 Try at Home! Read with a friend!	26 Try at Home! Read in one of your special places today!
27 Try at Home! Read about a pet you'd like to own. Learn all about its care.	28 PAJAMA DAY! Wear PJ's to school	29 Try at Home! Write a letter to a family member.	30 DEAR Day	31 Reading minutes due Red, White & Blue Day Show your U.S.A. Pridel!	1 Winners announced! 1/2 Day	

Reading minutes are due to your classroom teacher the following Monday. Final reading minutes are due Thursday, March 31, 2022.

Grade level colors: Pre-k - Purple, Kdg - Yellow, First - Red, Second - Green, Third - Blue, Specials - Orange, Office/Support Staff -Pink

Read for the Gold!

MARCH IS READING MONTH



Dear families,

During the month of March, please keep track of the MINUTES your child reads and/or is read to outside of school. One hour is equal to 60 minutes. Our goal is to have all students at our school read at least five days a week (of course, more is even better). Please write the minutes down next to each day of the week. Please cut and return the slip to school by the following Monday. A scoreboard will be set up to track the minutes read by grade level. Students who turn in weekly minutes will go into a grade level drawing to select a prize of their choice! Slips must be turned in on **MONDAY** to be eligible for the drawing. Virtual families please send photo evidence of your student's minutes to your classroom teacher. Once minutes are tallied, the winners will be announced and rewarded for their hard work!

Thank you for your support!



Week of March 28th: _____ M _____ T _____ W
*Due Thursday, March 31st for FINAL class totals!!

Student's Name: _____

Total Minutes: _____



Week of March 21st: _____ M _____ T _____ W _____ TH _____ F _____ Sat _____ Sun

Student's Name: _____

Total Minutes: _____



Week of March 14th: _____ M _____ T _____ W _____ TH _____ F _____ Sat _____ Sun

Student's Name: _____

Total Minutes: _____



Week of March 7th: _____ M _____ T _____ W _____ TH _____ F _____ Sat _____ Sun

Student's Name: _____

Total Minutes: _____



Week of March 1st: _____ M _____ T _____ W _____ TH _____ F _____ Sat _____ Sun

Student's Name: _____

Total Minutes: _____





March is Reading Month

MYSTERY READER

This March Will L. Lee staff would like to invite guest readers to read to their student's class for about 15-20 minutes. To celebrate "March is Reading Month," we would like to invite parents (and grandparents or other special relatives) to be our mystery guest readers. Share your favorite book (or dress up for the special occasion). If you would like to participate, please return the form below via a sealed envelope to your classroom teacher. Shhhh! Please remember, the guest readers are a mystery to the entire class until they are revealed. Guests are welcome into the building as a guest reader or teachers can schedule a meeting on MS Teams to read virtually to the class. If you are choosing the virtual option, you will need the MS Teams app on a smartphone or device to access the Teams link for your scheduled reading time.

The times available in our classroom are:

_____ or _____

Your student's teacher will confirm dates and times with you.

Thank you,

_____ 

I would love to be a Guest Reader!

These days in March are best for me:

1st Choice _____

2nd Choice _____



GUEST READER'S NAME _____

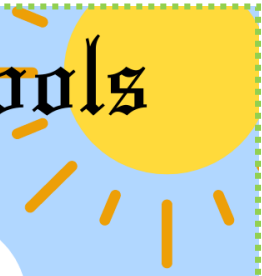
E-mail _____

CHILD'S NAME _____

Relation to child _____

Two clues about me to read to the students:

Richmond Community Schools



Preschool

Roundup

Will L. Lee Elementary School

Dinner will be served!!



March 2nd
at 5pm

Questions??
Call the front office at
586-727-2509



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Kindergarten Roundup

March 3rd at 5pm





New Online Enrollment 5 Step Process

1

Pre-Registration

Go to Richmond Community Schools' homepage and click on 'Enrolling Students' under the Quick Links feature. Click on the words 'Pre-Registration Enrollment' and fill out the form.

<https://ecollect.accelaschool.com/RichmondCS>

2

Receive Confirmation Email

- K-12 parents will receive a successful submission email.
- Preschool parents will receive a successful submission email and a link to MyProcure to make payment arrangements.

3

PowerSchool Parent Portal Account

You will receive an additional email on how to sign up or log into your PowerSchool Parent Portal Account using the provided access ID and password.

The PowerSchool Parent Portal link is <https://ps.ric.misd.net/public/>

4

Fill out Enrollment Forms

Fill out the required enrollment forms. You will be able to directly upload documents. Your progress can be saved at any time for your convenience.

5

Setup an Appointment

Upon submission of the last form, you will be directed to an online scheduler to make an appointment. This appointment is required to finalize the enrollment process or to receive any assistance.

BECOME A BLUE DEVIL BY ENROLLING TODAY!

GUARANTEED LEARNING FOR ALL STUDENTS!

Thank you PTO for our AMAZING Kindness Month & Valentines decorations!!



YOU ARE AWESOME!!!
The Lee Students & Staff



Be sure to join the PTO Facebook page for school activity updates, happenings around town & district announcements!!

Will L Lee Parent Connection



If you learn self-control, you can master absolutely ANYTHING.

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Guaranteed Learning for All Students

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