

DECEMBER 2017

Huskie Happenings

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Don't Call It A Dream, Call It A Plan!

Calendar

- 12/1 Black Ivory Event
- 12/1 Hat Day Fundraiser for CLS class
- 12/1-12/15 Angel Tree gifts
- 12/11 Booster Club Meeting 7pm in Library
- 12/15 Ugly Sweater Dress up day
- 1/22 to 1/26 Winterfest
- 1/27 Winterfest Dance 8pm-11pm
- 12/18-12/21 Semester Finals

RENO HIGH SCHOOL FALL FINALS SCHEDULE

MONDAY, DEC. 18, 2017
1st Period 7:40 – 8:20
2nd Period 8:25 – 9:05
3rd Period 9:10 – 9:50
4th Period 9:55 – 10:35
5th Period 10:40 – 11:20
LUNCH 11:20 – 11:55
6th Period 12:00 – 12:40

7th PERIOD FINAL 12:45 – 2:30

TUESDAY, DEC. 19, 2017

7:40 – 9:25 **1st period Final**
9:35 – 11:20 **2nd period Final**

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20, 2017

7:40 – 9:25 **3rd period Final**
9:35 – 11:20 **4th period Final**

THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 2017

7:40 – 9:25 **5th period Final**
9:35 – 11:20 **6th period Final**

- No lunch served, Dec. 19-21
- Regular bus service in the morning each day.
- Bus pick after finals on Dec. 19, 20 and 21st will be at 11:30 am.

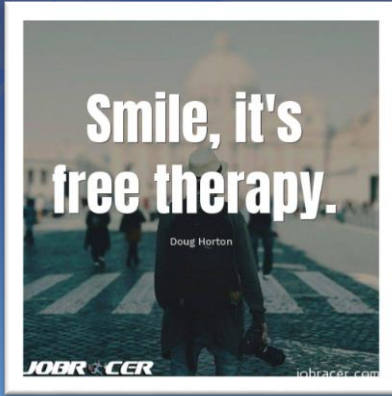
All students are expected to be in school for final exams. Please schedule any appointments after final exam times – not during.

WCSD policy forbids early finals

Happy Holidays! We have made it to the end of the first semester. We have been a very busy school community so far this year. We raised over \$40,000 with our Huskie Harvest fundraiser—so thank you to everyone who participated and supported this event. We are looking forward to using these funds to enhance the student experience on campus with technology, flexible study areas and much, much more. If you haven't seen our Library renovation yet, please come by and see how we spent last year's funds! Our fall sports teams had amazing seasons! Everyone's effort, skill and teamwork was so fun to watch all season! Thank you to our coaches and parents too!

We have had many events around campus as well. We collected cans for the Canned Food Drive, we donated over 25 turkey dinners over Thanksgiving and we had a Hat Day event that fundraised for our CLS program. We also had a wonderful theater production from our Booth Street Players! This is only a snapshot of all the wonderful things happening at Reno High.

In December we have many of our staff members involved in new professional development. The first is Stetson training for inclusive practices/co-teaching strategies and we are also creating a GT Magnet teacher cohort training for GT certifications as well. A 93% graduation rate is great BUT we are dedicated to continuous improvement building-wide. I am serving as a Nevada Leads Mentor where I will mentor 3 aspiring administrators the next 2 years in partnership with UNR and WCSD. Good luck on semester finals to all our students and Happy Holidays to all!



Attendance Information

Thank you for keeping in touch with us regarding your students' attendance, we really appreciate your calls. If it is more convenient for you, you can also email us:

Attendance Emails Phone Extension
Kim Borders 9th grade

KBorders@washoeschool.net 34005

Humma Oster 10th grade

Humma.Oster@washoeschools.net 35003

Yecenia Ramos Munoz 11th grade Staring in October 35007

Lesley Means 12 grade

LMeans@washoeschools.net 34009

When calling in your student if you would like to leave a message on the attendance hotline, please call 333-5050 option #9, attendance secretary option #1.

If your student needs to leave during the school day, we encourage you to send them with a note requesting a street pass. This way your student can meet you out front and you do not need to come in to the office. Please excuse your student within 3 days or it will automatically be moved to unexcused.

**Mr. Hackbusch, Ms. Zerihun, our Social Worker and Blanca Garcia-Quiroz, our Graduation Specialist-Bilingual, have been doing home visits every couple of weeks to connect with students not attending school to offer resources and support.

Reminders from Athletic Secretary Tina Rooker

Jump start on spring clearances. The first day of tryouts for spring sports is Feb. 24th and the clearance deadline is Feb. 21st. The spring sports are open in RMA (Register My Athlete) and they can go on at any time to get cleared. Thank you

YEARBOOK

Please make sure you buy your yearbook before the price increases! The current price is \$95, and it will increase to \$105 after 1/15/18. Yearbooks can be purchased through our bookkeeper or online through

https://webstores.activenetwork.com/school-software/reno_high_huskies_we/index.php?l=product_detail&p=577#.Whw7olWnHcs

If you are interested in a payment plan, please contact our bookkeeper.



News from the Cube-College, Career Center
Mrs. Stephanie Lerude

Class of 2018

- Now is the time to apply for scholarships. See The CUBE website at www.washoeschools.net/renohsccc , "Scholarships and Financial Aid/Local Scholarships" for a listing of new scholarships.
 - o The "Scholarship Grid" is updated weekly with local scholarships that RHS students have had success with in the past. Lots of great opportunities so check it out.
 - o All seniors should apply for the RHS General scholarship, due 12/20/17 by 2:30 pm. Application is on The CUBE website.
 - o Deadline for transcript or recommendation requests from your counselors for college applications or scholarships is 12/8. Please be respectful of their time and do not expect them to rush anything over break.
- UNR requires a completed application by 2/1 to be eligible for merit aid (that includes your application, ACT or SAT score report, and transcript).
- All Nevada Promise scholarship requirements must be met by the deadlines stated in your email correspondence to retain eligibility.
- FAFSA opened on 10/1/17. If you have not completed it then NOW is the time.
- ASVAB interpretation session on 12/7, 2nd period, in the RHS library computer lab.
- See the Senior Bulletin at www.washoeschools.net/renohsccc for more details

Junior Interview/Career Fair is March 15th! If you are interested in interviewing or helping out please email slerude@washoeschools.net for details.

10 STEPS 2 SUCCESS

1. Try
2. Try again
3. Try once more
4. Try it a little differently
5. Try it again tomorrow
6. Try and ask for help
7. Try to find someone who's done it
8. Try to determine what is not working
9. Try to determine what is working
10. Just keep trying



EARLY ATHLETIC SIGNINGS! Huskies, Huskies, Everywhere!

- Parker Buddy (Volleyball) – Eastern Washington University (Cheney, WA)
- Mikayla Shults (Cross Country, Track) – University of Nevada
- Alexia Young (Softball) – Humboldt State University (Arcata, CA)
- Kaden Hogan (Baseball) – Long Beach State University
- Mickey Coyne (Baseball) – University of Texas- Rio Grande Valley (Edinburg, TX)
- Adam Deyhle (Lacrosse) – Dominican University
- Dylan Robertson (Lacrosse) – University of Arizona

WINTER INTERCESSION SCHEDULE:

Office hours-Week 1-closed
Week 2 8am-noon
Week 3 8am-3pm

A+ Credit Recovery Lab/Mastery Exams-SEE
COUNSELOR TO SIGN UP!

January 2, 3, 4, 5 8-11:30am Room N11



Brandon Kaho will participate in the US Army Bowl on NBC January 6, 2018! He is considered to be a top 100 recruit nationally (4 Star recruit) and is being recruited by most major college programs. He was named Player of the Year for our Northern Region and he is taking official college visits to USC, BYU, Utah, Washington and Alabama. Brandon plans to make a decision on school in February. Way to go Brandon!



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