

MAY / JUNE 2018

Huskie Happenings

RESPECT-HONOR-STRENGTH
Don't Call It A Dream, Call It A Plan!

Reno Huskie Families,

Believe it or not we are writing our last newsletter of the school year! We have so many things happening in a short amount of time. Let me just say thank you for another great year. Your students are wonderful and we enjoy working in partnership with you through this journey. We have had many challenges as well as celebrations. We thank you for the continued support! Here is our parent climate survey <https://surveys.panoramaed.com/washoe/8274801966>

Here is the schedule moving forward.

Calendar

- 4/9 Booster Club Meeting 7pm and Grad Night
- We the People compete in Nationals in DC 4/27-5/1
- Spring Fling Week 4/30 to 5/4-Assembly 5/4
- 5/1 Grad Night Sign ups deadline!!!
- Pink out Dance 5/11 back quad
- Teacher Appreciation Week 4/30-5/4
- 5/7-5/12 Regionals for Golf, Baseball, Softball, Track and Swim-State competitions go week after
- AP Testing begins 5/7-5/18
- 5/10-5/12 Mock Trial
- 5/13 Mother's Day-Mom's on the Run
- 5/14 Booster Club Meeting in Library 7pm
- 5/15 JROTC Awards Night 6pm
- 5/18 & 5/19 Student Directed One Acts-Theater 6pm
- 5/22 Choir Concert in Theater 7pm
- 5/23 Scholarship Convocation at Peppermill 6pm
- 5/24 Senior Sunset back quad
- 5/24 An Evening of Comedy and Drama 6:30 in Theater-Speech and Debate Fundraiser
- 5/25 Senior Assembly and BBQ
- 5/25 Yearbook Distribution 2:45-4:30pm Cafeteria
- 5/25 Weight Comp at RHS
- 5/28 Memorial Day
- May 30 3.7 Academic Letter Party-11:20am Sm Gym
- May 30-Band Concert 6pm IA-6
- 6/4 Grad Rehearsal in RHS Gym-details tbd
- Graduation June 15 at 1pm at Lawlor

SPRING FINAL EXAM SCHEDULE - RENO HIGH SCHOOL

1-Jun	Block 1st, 2nd, 3rd	EOCs given in Alg, Geo and Eng 4. All other classes will use for review or writing portion of final if applicable (i.e. other english levels, history or govt DBQs)
4-Jun	Block 4th, 5th, 6th	
5-Jun	Compressed with extended 7th period	
6-Jun	Compressed with extended 7th period	Continuation of EOCs in Alg, Geo and Eng 4. Regular final exam in all other courses (each exam time period is 2 hours long)
7-Jun	1/2 day 1st and 2nd	
8-Jun	1/2 day 3rd and 4th	
11-Jun	1/2 day 5th and 6th	

This schedule creates 2 hour testing blocks to meet the EOC requirements for each portion of each exam. Transportation will run as normal June 1 - June 5. There will be early pick up (no lunch) June 7 -11.

BLOCK DAYS	
7:40 - 9:40	
9:50 - 11:50	
LUNCH 11:50 - 12:25	
12:30 - 2:30	
COMPRESSED WITH EXTENDED 7TH	
7:40 - 8:18	1st
8:23 - 9:01	2nd
9:06 - 9:44	3rd
9:49 - 10:27	4th
10:32 - 11:10	5th
11:15 - 11:53	6th
LUNCH 11:53 - 12:25	
12:30 - 2:30	7th (extended for testing)
1/2 DAY - EARLY RELEASE	
7:40 - 9:40	
9:50 - 11:50	

May 2018						
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June 2018						
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

Some important things to note:

- *There are no early finals given unless you have already given the final for that course in a previous period.
- *The testing time frame for June 7-11 is 2 hours (please account for this when making your final exam)
- *On June 5 and 6 the 1st through 6th periods will be about 38 minutes each
- *Only Eng. 4, Alg. 1 and Geo students will be taking EOC FINAL EXAMS on June 1, 4, 5
- *Regular final exams begin on Wed. June 6th with 7th period
- *6th period Study Hall students do not need to attend on June 11th. All other study hall students must attend.



Katie Weingartner display in N-Hall

We all miss Katie very much and one of her schoolmates, Savvy Guidas drew a picture of her from a photograph which looks amazing, showing off Savvy's unique abilities. If you visit our school this spring, please take a look at the display.

Ms. Cowell and Band Shout-Out!

N Congratulations! Our school band has been nominated to participate in the SNPAA Performing Arts High School Competition. This is the third year of the competition organized by SNAPAA.

The SNPAA Festival Competition is on **May 19, 2018 @ Damonte Ranch HS** this year. This competition is sponsored by the Sierra Nevada Performing Arts Association – SNPAA. As in the past, there are cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. Congratulation!!!

Important Message on Dress Code

Parents we are asking for your assistance with what has become a significant problem. Spring has sprung here at Reno High and we have seen a “blossoming” of inappropriate attire. We need your help in policing your student before they leave for school. So that there is no confusion, the following type of attire is completely unacceptable:

- Off the shoulder tops of any kind (this includes those with lingerie showing)
- Backless or racer-back style tops
- Spaghetti strap style tops
- Low-cut tops
- Sheer tops
- Midriff tops of any kind – we should not be seeing skin in the belly area AT ALL.
- Super short shorts
- “Bro” tanks
- Hats of any kind

*Nothing that promotes an illegal activity, including underage drinking, illegal drug use, domestic abuse, gang membership, battery, assault, or any other civil or criminal conduct which would violate state or federal law.

To be clear – students may not wear a sweater or blouse over these types of tops and meet the dress code requirement, because they simply take the top layer off at some point during the school day. Students have all received the only warnings they are going to get at this point. Students with inappropriate attire will be sent down to the office where they will be required to change into loaner clothes or clothes parents bring.

Teachers and administrators are spending a good part of each day dealing with these issues and this is not ok. Please be part of our team and help us with this situation so that teachers can spend their time teaching and we are able to reduce the number of distractions for all of our students. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

HCSA

Join the
Huskie Community Service Alliance!

The 2018/19 Program Opens 5/1/18

- ▶ Are you passionate about giving back to the community through volunteering?
- ▶ Would you like to earn a Reno High letter for your commitment and time?
- ▶ Are you interested in becoming eligible for a community service scholarship?*

If you've answered YES to any of the above questions, visit
renohcsa.com
for more information!

Don't miss this AWESOME opportunity!!

(Questions? Call or email Leslie Smith, the HCSA point person
(775) 842-8432/renohcsa@gmail.com

*Scholarships available to graduating seniors





WCSD Student Voice Conference 2018

(Left to Right, Blanca Garcia-Quiroz-Family Graduation Advocate, Emma Smallwood, Maira Gutierrez-Onate, Lizbeth Uribe Camacho, Mr. H. and Betty Zerihun-RHS Social Worker)



Reno High Baseball Mentoring the Challenger League of players with disabilities



Great picture of the National Honor Society Induction Night. Over 300 student inducted.

Join our new Cheer Coaches, Ms. Coats and Mrs. Newberry!

Cheerleading Tryouts!

***Informational Meeting: Monday, April 30th after school,
RHS library—to pick up Spirit Packets**

Reno High Cheerleading Clinic Days:

Monday, 5/21 — Wednesday, 5/23

(checkin-2:45pm, clinic starts promptly at 3pm to 5:30pm)



Tryouts: Thursday, 5/24 (starts at 3pm)

Team Announcement: Friday 5/25 (after school, R11)

Spirit Packets DUE: Thursday, May 17th—no exceptions

***If you can't make it to the meeting, you may pick up Spirit Packets in the library until May 16th.**

Huskie Spirit. Huskie Heart. Huskie Love.

In other news...

- Congratulations to Mikayla Shults for being nominated a NIAA Northern Nevada Top 10 Athlete
- Senior Parents – Make sure your senior has finished their service hours. Please contact your student's government teacher if you have any questions. Thank you, Mr. Clark
- Officer Webb would like to remind students and parents about driving safely before and after school. We have had quite a few community complaints about speeding around campus and it is a safety concern. Thank you, Officer Webb.
- Shout out to Beau Oster for being selected to represent Nevada in the Global Stock Pitch Competition! Thanks, Mr. McCart, Young Investors Society.
- Reno High FBLA recently competed at the annual State Conference and the chapter did exceedingly well this year. Over all our chapter earned 32 top ten finishes, with seven teams taking first place honors, 7 teams taking second place honors, and qualifying 13 of our 17 members to the FBLA National Conference in Baltimore at the end of June.
- Also, Jakob Beach ran for and won the position of Northern Vice President and State Officer for Nevada FBLA. This is very exciting for our chapter and allows us to have a greater impact on our region as well as at the State level.
- May 1st Deadline for Grad Night Tickets is approaching! Scholarships available! Come to the main office for details or email our Booster Club at renohighboosterclub@gmail.com

Yearbook info. for Class of 2019:

Congratulations to the Reno High School Class of 2019!

We are partnering with Prestige Portraits as our Senior Portrait Photographer for the class of 2019. Prestige offers portrait sessions that can be customized in any number of ways: Select from multiple backgrounds, add personal props and do multiple poses that reflect YOU!

Watch the mail for your senior portrait packet that includes a session brochure and studio specials. Visit our website to book your appointment online at a date and time that is convenient for you.

We highly recommend scheduling your senior portrait session during the summer when you have a more flexible schedule. You can schedule your appointment at www.prestigeportraits.com. Select the studio location that is closest to you: Reno. Schedule early for best selection of times and dates.

In addition to booking online, for tips and ideas on how to best prepare your session, or if you want more information, please visit www.prestigeportraits.com.

A reminder: Only portraits and images from Prestige will be allowed in the senior section of the 2018-2019 Reno High School yearbook.

NEWS FROM THE CUBE-College and Career Center

College Bound Seniors...Congrats!:

- Are you a **MERIT BASED SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT**? If you would like to be recognized (at graduation as you walk across the stage and in the Grad Program) for receiving a MERIT BASED scholarship then please fill out a SCHOLARSHIP NOTIFICATION FORM. They are the yellow forms that have been circulating that last month and are available in The CUBE. DEADLINE IS 5/11.
- **SCHOLARSHIP CONVOCATION** is Wednesday, 5/23, 6:30 pm at The Peppermill.
 - If you received a merit based scholarship (from the university that you will be attending) and have **already** turned in your notification form to Mrs. Lerude in The CUBE then you are invited. Swing by and pick up an invite if you have not received one.
- **UNR Nevada Fit Bootcamp** for Academic Success: Space is limited...apply online at www.unr.edu/nevadafit. GREAT PROGRAM!

Cube news continued...

- **May 1 is National Decision Day.** If you were accepted to multiple colleges please notify those schools that you will **NOT** be attending (in addition to the one that you WILL be attending of course). That will free up spots for other students.
 - Check your student portal to make sure that the college that you are attending has what they need to process your enrollment
 - **Millennium Scholarship recipient?** You will be notified mid-late summer if you are a recipient. Your final transcript will be sent to the NV Treasurer's Dept. by RHS. If attending college in Nevada then you must **ACCEPT** the scholarship to be awarded those funds and let them know where you are attending college (instructions will be included in your notification).
 - **RHS Scholarship recipients:** You must provide Ms. Herman with proof of enrollment to the college/university that you will be attending. She will transfer your scholarship funds directly. It is **YOUR** responsibility to provide her with the necessary information. Questions? Ask Ms. Herman.
 - **Seniors looking for a job?** We post opportunities (both summer and full time) on our website:
www.washoeschools.net/renohsccc
 - **Juniors:**
 - Join us for **College Club** most Tuesdays at lunch. Many college application deadlines are in the fall/early winter...now is the time to develop a plan to create options (and reduce stress come next semester).
 - **Class of 2019 REMIND:** parents/students...keep up to date, receive text messages about colleges visiting The CUBE, job/volunteer opportunities, College Club, parent workshops, etc... Sign up by typing
 - **81010** in the "To" field; **@d9d827** in the "Message" field
- Check out **The CUBE** website: www.washoeschools.net/renohsccc

Message on Vaping Issues on Campus...

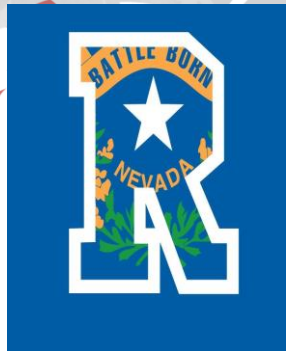
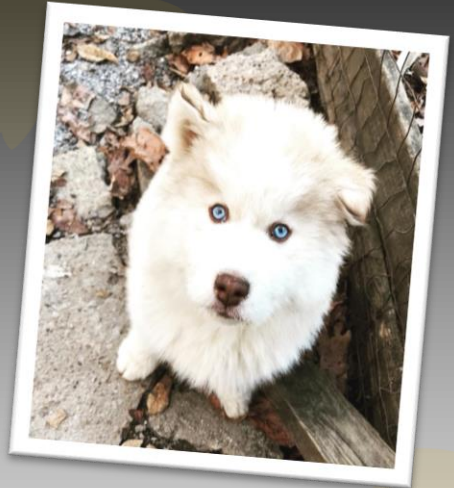
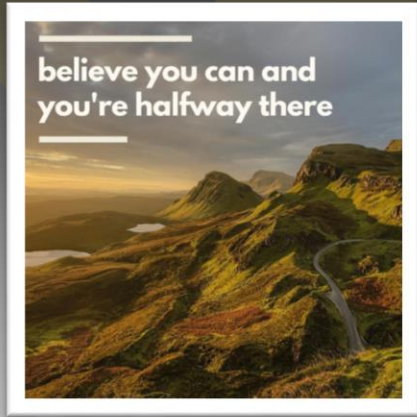
Our staff members have been dealing with an increase of vaping on campus. We have had students vaping at football games, dances, on campus, in bathrooms and actually in classrooms! We are asking for parent and student support on this issue as this year ends and next year begins. How do we deal with this issue? The language in our handbook includes vaping with smoking cigarettes (not within line of sight of the school), however there is no way for school officials to truly know what is actually being smoked and the technology is rapidly changing all the time. We will be increasing the severity of consequences for vaping on campus and during events next school year. This year we will confiscate the vaping devices and parents will have to pick them up from now on and an administrative consequence will follow. Students...be smart and respectful. We really appreciate your support and understanding.

Summer school Options

Health and Digital Thinking offered this summer. Health is 6/13 to 6/22 8-1pm in Room N5. Cost is \$100. Digital Thinking is \$100 as well and goes 6/13-6/22 9am-4:30pm in N4. Contact our Bookkeeper to sign up. Summer weights, contact Tina Rooker, our Athletics Secretary. Credit recovery will be offered and sign-ups are through your counselor. Schedule TBD.

Graduation Details-

Ms. Feroah will be sending out details on graduation practice and the ceremony itself later this month. Stay tuned for specific details soon.



We the People!!!

Congrats to WTP Unit 1 for receiving a National Unit Award! Konstantina Mason, Adam Adame, Ben Peters, Jackie Whalen & Coach Brien Karlin!!! Amazing job by the whole program!

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