



FEBRUARY RAVEN OF THE MONTH- CONGRATATIONS!



Elsa Landers (8th), Kira Mitsunga (7th), Sarah Adams (8th), Aubrey Jeffcoat (6th), and Avia Maimon (6th)

PTSA CORNER

2019-2020 Renaissance School PTSA Nomination

The Renaissance School PTSA Nominating Committee is now accepting nominations for open Board of Directors positions for next year's PTSA. Our goal is to see that every parent has a voice on our PTSA and is given the chance to become actively involved in enriching the educational opportunities at our school.

Please see attached nomination form for more details on how to nominate a candidate.

FIRST AID AND CPR TRAINING

Family / Parent Oriented
First Aid and CPR Training

Hosted at RSAR School
Wednesday, March 27th, 12:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Children age 10 and above may attend. \$40 per person. Payment accepted by cash, check or credit card the day of training. For additional information or to reserve space, please contact: Danit Erlich danit.erlich@gmail.com

DISTRICT INFORMATION

The District has declared surplus books, which need to be made available for purchase by students before being offered to other school districts or buyers. The student book sale is scheduled for 03/20/19 1:00-3:00 P.M. at the Willows Annex building located at 15130 NE 95th Street in Redmond. The direct point of contact is Ella Eibert, Warehouse Manager (eeibert@lwsd.org - 425-936-1140).

JUANITA HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE REGISTRATION INFORMATION SESSION

Wednesday March 6th at 5:45 @ Juanita High school Portable P169A

All registration materials and PowerPoint presentations are also available on the JHS website counseling page under "Course Planning and Graduation" <https://jhs.lwsd.org/counseling/course-registration>.

SKI BUS- UPDATES

The date for the make up for last week's canceled lessons (2-13) and bus will be: Wednesday, March 13, 2019

If you are also taking 2nd session, we will contact you separately to work out your makeup.

If you want to sign up for 2nd session but have not done so -- we still have room. Please call the ski school at 206-782-5641 to let us know that you will be returning.

This program is NOT run through the school so please send completed forms/checks and any questions to WEBSKI.

WRITERS IN RESIDENCE

Jourdan Keith is here on Monday/Wednesday/Friday's working with RSAR students to produce short stories.

UPCOMING EVENTS AROUND THE COMMUNITY:

- A) Girls Who Code- Summer Programs available. Please see flyer below for more information.
- B) Rainbow Teen Advisory Board and KCLS- Masquerade Dance- March 6th at K.TUB. Please see attached flyer for more information.
- C) BOOK CLUB OPPORTUNITY: THROUGH ISSAQUAH LIBRARY: 6th grade student Harloe Hockett (under her "code name" Valkyrie.) leads the book club.

EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY 2020

Mrs. Daman is planning to take a group of students on an trip through Exploria Educational in June of 2020. Last summer she took a group to Washington DC and New York City for the first with Explorica Educational Travel. It was fantastic! Please contact her if you would like additional information.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS:

- YEARBOOK: Wednesdays 12:30-1:30 PM
- QUILT BAG CLUB: Every other Tuesday 2:00-3:00 PM
- FRENCH Fridays 2:10- 3:10 PM
- SPANISH Thursdays 2:10- 3:10 PM
- JUNIOR THESPAIN CLUB- Please see Mrs. Daman for more information.
- NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY (NJHS)- Please see Ms. Bawa for more information.

We are continually looking to increase learning and experineeces for our students. We are open to a variety of activities/clubs/enrichment classes. Do you have an idea for a club, let us know!

2018/2019 School Calendar

MARCH 9	NO SCHOOL
MARCH 22	SCHOOL DANCE @ RSAR 7-9 PM (DATE CHANGE)
APRIL 8-12	SPRING BREAK
MAY 5-11	SPRING PLAY PRODUCTION WEEK
MAY 24	NO SCHOOL
MAY 27-28	NO SCHOOL
JUNE 18	8 TH GRADE PROMOTION
JUNE 19	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES:

LUNCH PROCEDURES

Students may purchase food in the Eastlake Commons cafeteria or bring their own lunches. Students can purchase lunch with cash or their student account. Adding money to student account: 1) use myschool bucks or 2) have student bring check to EHS kitchen cashier. **RSAR DOES NOT ACCEPT THE LUNCH MONEY.**

If your student brings their own lunch be sure that they pack healthy foods. Please do not allow your student to bring soda or energy drinks.

STUDENT LAPTOPS

Trouble Connecting at Home

If your student is having difficulty connecting to your wireless network at home, please follow the steps below:

- a. Before you leave campus – shut down your computer
 - i. This mean go to the Start Menu>Power Options>Select Shutdown
 - ii. If you do not shut down, then a restart will be needed at home before you try to connect to DirectAccess.
- b. When the student gets home, power on the laptop
- c. Connect to Home WiFi
- d. Then the student will need to wait about 1-5 minutes while the device connects to Direct Access.
 - i. If no connection is made with in 5 minutes, restart the laptop
 - ii. After the restart – connect to home WiFi and let DirectAccess connect (allow the 1-5 minutes)

Laptop Insurance Options

Families may wish to protect against liability for lost, damaged or stolen property by reviewing their insurance options. Some homeowner's policy may offer coverage and some may offer this coverage if a rider is acquired. In addition, Lake Washington School District has arranged for an insurance option for families wishing to purchase a specific additional insurance to cover their student's laptop. This insurance can be purchased from Worth Insurance Group. The premium is \$63.60 per year and covers accidental damage and theft (police report required). The deductible in this policy is \$0. This insurance can be acquired directly by going to <https://www.worthavegroup.com/portal/lakewashington>. The company also offers coverage for other personal technology devices. If you chose not to purchase the optional insurance or do not otherwise have coverage, you will be responsible for fees for damaged or lost/stolen equipment as defined above.

STUDENT ABSENT/LATE ARRIVAL/EARLY DISMISSAL:

Students that are taking math over at EHS, if they are absent/late you will need to notify both RSAR and EHS about your students' absence.

Absences- An absence may only be excused within 48 hours. Parent/Guardian communication is required for excusing an absence or late arrival. You can email sasimmons@lwsd.org or leave a voicemail at (425) 936-1544. Please spell the last name of the student clearly and provide a reason for the absence/tardy.

Late Arrival- If your student is arriving to school late they need to check in at the office **before going to class**. You do not have to sign the student in but if the student does not stop by the office the absence put in by the teacher will NOT be changed into a TARDY and you will likely receive an attendance call.

Early Dismissal – Please come into the office and sign your student out. You do not need to call or email ahead of time. Please just come into the office, sign your student out and your student will be called out of class to leave with you. You must sign your student out in order for them to leave campus

LOST AND FOUND:

Please remind your student to look in the lost and found for any items they may be missing throughout the year. Items left in the lost and found are donated twice a year.



SPEND YOUR SUMMER WITH GIRLS WHO CODE!

Girls Who Code Campus offers beginner and advanced coding programs in multiple topics, like iPhone App Development and Wearable Tech & Fashion Design. Spend the summer with girls like you, and connect with the community of 90,000 girls who code across the country!

PROGRAMS RUNNING IN SEATTLE:

CAMPUS COURSES	JULY PROGRAMS	AUGUST PROGRAMS
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #E67E22; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; margin-right: 10px; color: white; font-size: 0.8em;"> AGES 10-14 </div> <div> Introduction to Computer Science - \$1,899 </div> </div>		@Forest Ridge School of the Sacred Heart July 29-August 9
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #2ECC71; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; margin-right: 10px; color: white; font-size: 0.8em;"> AGES 11-15 </div> <div> Wearable Tech & Fashion Design - \$1,999 </div> </div>	@Eastside Catholic School July 8-July19	
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #2980B9; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; margin-right: 10px; color: white; font-size: 0.8em;"> AGES 13-18 </div> <div> Website Design & Development - \$1,899 </div> </div>	@Eastside Catholic School July 22-August 2	@Forest Ridge School of the Sacred Heart August 12-August 23

Email us at campus@girlswhocode.com for more information!

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