



ROSEVILLE AREA HIGH SCHOOL

Family Bulletin

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News for February 27, 2017

Hello RAHS Families-

Last week, the Minnesota Department of Education released graduation rate summary information. GREAT NEWS for RAHS: Over the course of the last five years, RAHS has increased its graduation rates from 87.6% in 2012 to 93.1% in 2016! We lead the MN State average by over 9%. Also, we continue to close the race-based gap as our Black and Hispanic students experienced an average of 6% graduation rate gains in just the last school year alone!

This is the last week of Trimester Two at RAHS. Please don't hesitate to reach out to any staff member if you have questions in regards to student progress within a specific course or general academic progress towards graduation. As a reminder, there is no school for students on Friday and all of next week. The first day of Trimester Three is Monday, March 13.

Thank you for supporting all of our wonderful students at RAHS-

"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence."

-Helen Keller

Go Raiders,
Jenny

Jenny Loeck, Ed. D.
Principal
Roseville Area High School

Quick Glance Calendar

This Week:	
Thursday	Last day of Trimester 2
Friday	No School

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Looking to March:	
March 6 - 10	No School - Spring Break
Monday, March 13	School resumes

Looking to April:	
April 5	No school for grades 9 & 12
April 5	MCA Testing for grades 10 & 11. Early dismissal at 1:15 p.m.
April 14	No school
April 19	No school for grades 9, 10 & 12
April 19	ACT Testing for grade 11. Early dismissal at 1:15 p.m.
April 20	Conferences from 3:30 - 7:30 p.m.
April 22	Prom

RAHS Notes

Class of 2017

A Class of 2017 page has been created on the RAHS website to help graduating seniors and their families keep up-to-date about end-of-year events and graduation information. Visit this new site by clicking the blue button below, or directly from the RAHS website at www.isd623.org/rahs.

Class of 2017

Athletics

Spring Sports

Spring sports registration continues online using [FeePay](#). The first day of practice for spring sports varies, so please make note of the start date when registering online. Call the Activities Office with questions at 651-635-1670.

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Raider Gymnast State Champion!

Congratulations to Raider gymnast Olivia Rosenow, grade 12, who is the 2017 State Champion in the uneven bars with a score of 9.75. She also placed 8th in the All-Around. This was Olivia's fourth consecutive appearance at the state meet which was held this past weekend at the U of MN Sports Pavilion.

Junior Allison Weiker was 24th on floor, Senior Kayla Soplata was 25th on vault and 29th on beam, while fellow senior Jessica Strecker placed 12th on bars, 21st in the all-around and 25th on beam. Congratulations to all of you for another successful Raider gymnastics season!

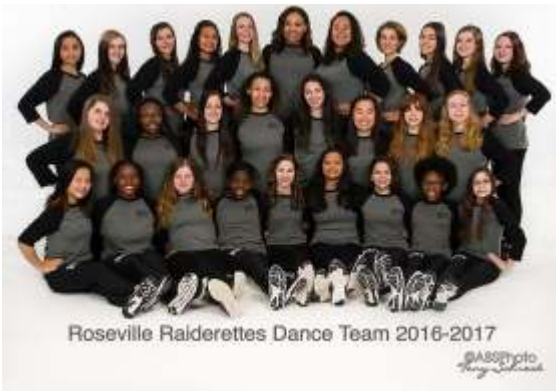
Raider Swimmer on to State!

Congratulations to Raider swim team member Remi Bougie, grade 11, who will be competing this weekend in the Boys State Swim Meet at the U of MN Aquatic Center. Remi will be competing in the 200 IM (individual medley) and the 100 yard breast stroke. Just missing the state meet by 1.5 seconds was the Raider 200 free relay of Remi, Lukas Klarqvist, Ming Yu Chan and Mason Seibert. Good Luck Remi!



Raiderettes Dance Team

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The Roseville Raiderettes had their best season to date placing 5th in Kick and 7th in Jazz at Sections. Congratulations to April Moua and Amanda John for making the All-State Team in Jazz!

[Click here](#) to view the RAHS sports and activity schedules.
Go Raiders!

College & Career News

Upcoming College Visits to the Career Center		
Tuesday, Feb. 28	University of Kansas	2 p.m.
Tuesday, March 15	DePaul University	10 a.m.
Wednesday, March 16	University of Minnesota Duluth	1 p.m.

Parents, if your student took the Practice ACT on Wednesday, February 15, you are invited to attend a Results/Review session on Tuesday, February 28 from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Media Center.

In preparation for the ACT being given to Juniors at RAHS on April 19, consider signing your student up for **ACT Boot Camp**. The session will take place March 15 and 16 from 3:15-5:15 p.m. at RAHS. Please register through [Roseville Community Ed](#). The cost of the session is \$99. Limited scholarships available.

Century College is sponsoring a [Law Enforcement Education and Employment Fair](#) Wednesday, March 8 from 3:00-6:00 p.m., on Lincoln Mall on the school's East Campus. Peace Officers and Law Enforcement will be on hand sharing information.

[Genesys Works](#) is looking for juniors in high school who want to have a successful future, are motivated, and are interested in learning more about technology. Juniors will earn high school credit and a paycheck, while developing their professional skills! Applications are [online](#) and the deadline is March 2.

On Monday, March 13, a representative from **Army ROTC** will be tabling in the cafeteria during lunches.

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St. Paul College will be administering the **Accuplacer** at RAHS on Thursday, March 16 from 8:15-11:15 a.m. Sign up in the Career Center.

The **ASVAB** will be given on Tuesday, March 21 from 8:15-11:15 a.m. Students interested in investigating careers or students interested in being a part of the Armed Services should consider taking this assessment. Sign up in the Career Center.

Students looking for a job should check out the [@RAHSJobs](#) twitter page or stop in the Career Center and take a look at the job board.

In this week's StudyForth segment, recent RAHS grad Gabe Cederberg, shares his experience with the importance of reading instructions in his article, [Always Read Instructions!](#)

The deadline for American Legion **Minnesota Boys State** is quickly approaching. Boys State will take place at St. John's University, June 11-17. Boys State is a week-long experience of learning about Minnesota government at the local, county and state levels by "doing." Juniors interested in participating should come to the Career Center for more information. Application deadline is March 20 for Boys State.

The Minnesota Office of Higher Education (OHE) is pleased to announce the upcoming **Summer Academic Enrichment Program for 2017**. The Summer Academic Enrichment Program provides stipends, for students completing grades 3 to 11, to cover all or a portion of the fee for attending approved summer academic enrichment programs if students meet income and academic requirements. Click [here](#) for a listing of eligible programs.

Fundraisers & Donation Drives

Silent Auction of Prom related items

Tuesday during boys varsity basketball
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This Tuesday, during the varsity boys basketball game, the Senior Party Committee will be holding a silent auction with Prom related items; tuxedo rentals, gift cards towards prom dresses, hairstyles & flowers. Special thanks to donations by Mens Wearhouse, Repeat after Me Bridal, Salon 27, Lexington Floral & Fantastic Sams. Come check it out as more items and businesses continue to be added.

Parent Meetings

Naviance Training

During Conferences on April 20

4:30 & 5:30 p.m.

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District News

Facilities Options Meeting - Public Invited

The district is hosting a March 15 community meeting (6:30 p.m. at the Roseville Area High School auditorium) to give community members the chance to provide input on the Options Committee's recommendations for district facilities before the recommendations are finalized. [Click here](#) for additional information.

Roseville Hockey

The RAHS boys hockey program consists of a JV and a Varsity team. The participants are usually students in grades 10 - 12 and they practice together on the ice at the Roseville Arena. Younger athletes play in the Roseville Raider Bantam program. The Roseville A Bantams hockey team just earned the title of District D2 Champions after winning Saturday night over St. Paul 4-2! Three of the teammates are 9th graders at RAHS, Joey Grant, Louie Johnson & Ryan Robillard.



Summer 2017

WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD BE DOING?

Plan now to have him/her attend a summer academic enrichment program!

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summer academic enrichment program!

If your child is eligible for free or reduced price lunches and is in grades 3-11, apply for a stipend for their attendance at a summer academic enrichment program. A stipend for up to a \$1,000 will be **paid directly to the summer academic enrichment program** that he/she attends. If your child is in grades 7-11, he/she must have either an overall "C" average or its equivalent for the most recently recorded academic term in the subject area applicable to the summer program he/she wishes to attend. Awards will be made on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Humanities • Language Arts

Communication

Social Studies • Science

Mathematics • Fine Arts

Performing Arts

World Languages and Cultures

FIND PROGRAMS AND APPLY ONLINE AT

<http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/SummerEnrichment/>

This program is made available by financial aid funds administered by the Minnesota Office of Higher Education

**Law Enforcement Education
& Employment Fair**

 **March 8 • 3–6 pm • East Campus, Lincoln Mall**

Visit century.edu/lawenforcement

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24-hour Attendance Line: (651) 604-1465

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