

Rose L. MacDonald School Newsletter

March 25, 2021



Important Dates and INFORMATION

March 29th – **CANCELLED** School Improvement Council Meeting 3:30pm Virtual

April 1st – Marks Close

April 2nd – Good Friday – No School

April 5th – Lifetouch Spring Picture Day

Remote students are welcome to join us for picture day. Please call the office to schedule a time.



April 12th – School Committee Meeting 6:30pm MSHS Learning Commons

April 14th – Half day of school. Dismissal at 12pm.

April 16th – Report Cards Electronically Distributed

April 14th – Student Council Meeting

Stay tuned for an update on if we will be meeting after school in person or virtually.

May 18th – ELA MCAS

May 25th – Math MCAS

The latest lunch menu is available [April Menu](#)

From the Nurse



1. Mass Covid 19 Travel order [Travel Order](#)
2. Screen your child daily prior to sending them to school using the **Daily Screening Guidelines**. This document can be found under district resources @ [Daily Screening Guidelines](#) If you have any questions as to whether or not your child should attend school please call or email me at **508-894-1240 ext. 4102** Imoniz@wbridgewater.com
3. Stop the Spread Testing Program [Stop the Spread](#)
4. [Options to Reduce Quarantine](#)
5. **PARENTS IF YOUR CHILD OR ANYONE IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD TESTS + FOR COVID, PLEASE LET THE SCHOOL NURSE KNOW!!!**

RLM Student Council

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, April 14th at 3pm

DONATIONS NEEDED: We are collecting brown paper bags in an effort to support “The Soupman.” We decorate the lunch bags for Peter, the Soupman, to use when passing meals out to those in need. If you are willing and able, please consider donating a package (or two) to our school. Thank you!

BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION: This fundraising program is moving towards an all-digital format. You can now **scan your shopping receipts** from any store (like Market Basket, Trucchi’s, Target, Walmart, CVS, etc.) to earn money for our school. [Download the app](#) today or send your receipts to school. We are happy to scan them for you! Since school has started, we have earned \$70. PLEASE keep at it! Every little bits helps.





Reading at RLM



READING CONNECTION NEWSLETTERS:

Reading Connection (Beginning Edition, recommended for Grades PreK-2) delivers simple tips and activities parents can use to help build a solid foundation for reading success. Here is the [March](#) newsletter for the Beginning Edition.

Reading Connection (Intermediate Edition, recommended for Grades 3-6) provides families with tips and activities to support children as they encounter more challenging content, characters, plots, and concepts. Here is the [March](#) newsletter for the Intermediate Edition.



Inclusion Matters supports families with children with special needs through education and advocacy. Our vision is to create inclusive schools and communities in West Bridgewater and beyond. If you are a parent or caregiver with a child with a 504 or IEP, we want to support you.

Given the ongoing stressors of the pandemic and its impact on our Board (like you, we are parents to special needs kids and doing our best to juggle our work, families, and health), Inclusion Matters will not be hosting any further workshops this academic year. We will, however, share events via Facebook and email from our favorite disability organizations, and encourage you to follow them on social media (or sign up for their newsletters) to keep yourself informed of those opportunities, too. We highly recommend the resources and webinars of the following organizations: The Arc of Massachusetts, the Federation for Children with Special Needs, and Massachusetts Families Organizing for Change.

You can stay informed about statewide events and resources for families by following our [Facebook page](#) or emailing us to join our private email list at wbsepac@wbridgewater.com



PTO CORNER

The next PTO meeting is March 30th @7pm in the RLM Cafe

2021 Paw Print Driveway Fundraiser

\$30 per print



Let's see that Wildcat school spirit by adding a large (approx 4' x 4') Wildcat paw print on your driveway!

Volunteers are at the ready to print your paw print anywhere you specify on your driveway, or paved surface, in white paint. You can also add a "WB" and/or graduation cap to your print!

Orders are due 4/9/21

Order forms should be going home with your student(s) this week but can also be found on the WBPTO Facebook page. You'll find examples of the prints there as well!

WANTED: Committee Volunteers! Please visit WBPTO.org to join.

FUNDRAISER: WHAT THE HECK? WRITE A CHECK! - This is a quick and easy way to contribute to the WBPTO without the pressure and worry of trying to sell something. There is nothing to buy and no time involved. Any donation is greatly appreciated! Make checks payable to "WBPTO" and include your phone number. Checks can be given to your child's teacher anytime during the year.