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“The successful warrior is the average man, with laser-like focus.”

Bruce Lee



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2014-2015 Yearbooks On Sale Now

Order Online by April 19th at
<http://RenaissanceAcademy.Picaboo.com>

Hard Cover \$35
 Soft Cover \$25
 Ebook \$3

IMPORTANT DATES

4/23 - Middle East Feast 7pm
 4/24 - Kindergarten Orientation
 4/24 - 80s Dance
 4/27 - RA Spirit Night at Chick-fil-A
 4/29 - Last day to order yearbooks
 4/20 - MS Orientation
 5/4 - 5/21 SAGE Testing
 5/11 La Caille (9th)
 5/13 5th grade Patriotic Program
 5/15 Lagoon Physics Day
 5/18-5/22 MS California trip

IMPORTANT UPCOMING PARENT EVENTS & INFORMATION

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2015-16 MS Orientation Evening - Thursday 4/30 7 pm

All parents and 2015-16 MS students are invited to attend and learn about their options and our plans for RA MS in 2015-16. Some of the things that will be covered include;

- Elective offerings & new subjects (Model UN, Dance, Choir)
- World Language HS Credit
- Academic acceleration opportunities
- Student Government
- 3-year MS Adventure Plan - California Science Adventure (2014-15), NYC & Washington DC (2015-16), World Language trips (2016-17)
- National Junior Honor Society (NJHS)
- MS Hope Squad
- MS sports opportunities - Soccer, Basketball, NEW Dance team
- Friday School

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Year-End Parent 'Meet & Mingle' Breakfast - Friday 5/1 8:15 am

Our 2014-15 parent volunteer thank you breakfast will be hosted by the FEC next Friday May 1st at 8:15 am in the Rousseau room. All parents both current and future (2015-16) are invited and encouraged to attend. Come socialize and get to know one another, and learn important parent and FEC information for 2015-16.

3

SAGE Testing starts Monday 5/4 - Friday 5/22

SAGE testing begins for all 3rd - 9th grade students on Monday 5/4. Students (with the exception of those opted-out) will each complete

a Math, Science and Language Arts assessment. For your information, starting today our 2014-15 SAGE testing schedule will be posted weekly in the RAPP. For more information, or if you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at smccappin@renacademy.org.

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2014-15 Yearbook Sales - Order due online by April 29

The 2014-15 RA yearbook is now available for order/purchase online. Please go to <http://RenaissanceAcademy.picaboo.com> to order your yearbook by April 29th to receive free in school delivery by May 26th (the last week of school). Yearbook prices for 2014-15 are: Hardcover \$35, Softcover \$25 and Ebook \$3.

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End of Year Events Reminder

Friday - 5/22 Dance Festival 11 - 12:15 (Parents and Friends welcome)

Monday - 5/25 Memorial Day (No School)

Tuesday - 5/26 - FEC Community Car Show

Wednesday 5/27 - Elementary Field Day

Thursday 5/28 - MS Field Day

Friday 5/29 - School finishes at 10:15 am (Please collect your students promptly)

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2015-16 School Year

'Back to School Night' is scheduled for Thursday 13th August

Students start school for 2015-16 on Wednesday 19th August

Please contact me at smccappin@renacademy.org or 801-768-4202 for more information or with any questions or concerns.

Have a great week!

SAGE Testing Schedule

Monday 5/4 - Friday 5/22

Week 1	Mon 5/4	SPED
	Tues 5/5	SPED
	Wed 5/6	SPED
	Thurs 5/7	SPED
	Fri 5/8	6th grade ELA
Week 2	Mon 5/11	MS ELA
	Tues 5/12	MS Math 6th grade Science
	Wed 5/13	MS Math (if needed) MS Science (if needed) 3rd Grade ELA
	Thurs 5/14	MS Science MS if needed
	Fri 5/15	6th Grade Math
Week 3	Mon 5/18	5th Grade Science 4th Grade ELA
	Tues 5/19	3rd Grade Math 4th Grade Science
	Wed 5/20	5th Grade ELA Make up testing Math Wu
	Thurs 5/21	4th Grade Math 5th Grade Math

2015-16 Middle School Orientation Evening

Thursday 30th April 7 pm
Invited: All MS Parents and Students



RENAISSANCE ACADEMY

F.E.C. Presents...

The Vehicles in Our Neighborhood

May 26, 2015

During School Hours

R.A. Students will be treated to an educational Car Show event
Featuring up close visits with fun and unique vehicles

If you have knowledge of a vehicle that would add to this event please contact our event organizer:
Heather Ricks --- ricksfam3@gmail.com --- (801) 654-0618

RENAISSANCE ACADEMY

Parent Year-End Meet and Mingle

Sponsored by the Renaissance Academy F.E.C.

Friday May 1st, 8:15 am
Rousseau Room

Recognition of our 2014-2015
Activities and Accomplishments

PLUS

Look forward to 2015-2016 School year:

Participation in 2015 Lehi Round Up Parade

Amazon Smiles (part of our ongoing fundraising)

Details on our 2015 Carnival

BATTLE OF THE BOOKS Details and Book Lists

A light Breakfast Will Be Served

Come Mingle, learn about the F.E.C. and

offer your input & ideas to our

2015-2016 Presidency and Committee Chairs.

Family Engagement Committee

WE LOVE
OUR VOLUNTEERS

Congratulations to Mica Hauley, the Smith's Marketplace Volunteer-of-the-Week. This is Mica's first year as a parent at Renaissance and she has found a way to make a contribution that works for her and is making a significant contribution. Here is what she says:

The best thing about volunteering at Renaissance Academy is the flexibility that it gives us parents, from every walk of life, to have a chance to help out. I love to be in my child's classroom seeing the things they learn everyday and going on field trips, but I am not in the phase of life where I can do that very often. My oldest is in kindergarten. I still have babies at home. 85% of the volunteer hours I log happen at home. I babysit for someone on a committee at Renaissance Academy and I was very involved in the carnival marketing and donation calling almost all from home. I had a lot of fun working with the carnival!

I also love to stay informed of the things that go on at school. I get updated from the person I babysit for about happenings at school. Being involved helps me really see what is being done for my child and come to appreciate this school.

Mica, thank you for making a way to make a difference. As Volunteer-of-the-Week, Mica will receive a \$5 gift card donated by our neighborhood Smith's Marketplace.

Celebrate all of the wonderful Renaissance volunteers during Volunteer Appreciation Week April 27-May 1.

If you are willing to share your experiences or feelings about volunteering at Renaissance, post them on the FEC Facebook page and/or email them to NLEBEOG@yahoo.com

It's time for the 2015-16 Student Spirit Tee Shirt Design Contest!

Get your submission forms from Mrs. Trottier, from the FEC box in the front hall, or as an attachment in the RAPP. Entries must be original student artwork and reflect RA values. They will be judged for creativity and design quality. Submit your entry to the front office by May 1. Contest winner will receive a free tee shirt in their design.


Renaissance Academy 2015-16 Spirit Tee Shirt Design Contest

Submission Guidelines:

- Student of RA original artwork
 - Done by hand or digitally
- Cannot include more than one printable area
- Must include RA or Renaissance Academy in Design
- Submissions DUE in Front Office by **Friday, May 1st**

Artwork will be chosen for *Originality, *Creativity, and *How well it represents RA

Winner will get a free tee shirt



Name: _____ Teacher: _____ Grade: _____

The Food Service Department is piloting some new ideas. We are offering various items as ala carte extras. We are starting out with Capri Sun for 50 cents each. We would like feedback from parents and students-- if you do not want your student to buy extras, please tell them, as we have no way of monitoring each student. Our ala carte will only be available after the purchase of a regular meal or to accompany a home lunch. They are not meant to be a stand alone item. We will try out various items and see how they are received. Any item offered must meet the strict State nutritional regulations. We will try to keep these items between 50 cents and \$1.00.

Thank You for your participation.

Linda Maxfield
Food Service Manager
lmaxfield@renacademy.org

Buy-One-Get-One-Free Book Fair

May 6-8

Wed-Thurs 7:30am-4pm

Friday 7:30am-1pm

in the Library

Dear parents,

As we approach the end of the school year, we will be attempting to collect all late or lost books and fines from the library. Because of this, when we return from Spring break, any student with a late or lost book, or a library fine, will no longer be able to check out books from our library until all books are returned and all fines paid.

We will be sending home reminder slips with your students, so please check with them for these. We are sorry, but our email reminder system is not working at this time.

Due to our buy-one-get-one-free book fair, the last day to check out library books will be on May 4th, and the last day to return books will be on May 15th.

-RA Library



Middle School 80's Dance

for 6-9th grades

Come enjoy a fun night of music, contests, and food. Dress up in your most creative 80s attire! April 24 from 7-9 PM.

All students (and guests) must have a signed permission form to be able to attend the dance. So, get your form filled out and turned into the office with a \$5 payment for the dance. The cost will go up to \$8 at the door.



**RENAISSANCE ACADEMY SCHOOL DANCE (80s Dance April 24th)
PERMISSION FORM AND GUIDELINES**

Students and their guests are expected to obey all school and dance rules. The dance rules are as follows:

- Students are not to arrive before 6:45 p.m.
- The uniform dress code is not in effect for the dance. Students are encouraged to wear their best 80s Attire. (See costume guidelines below)
- Students are to remain in the gym during the dance.
- No outside food or drink will be allowed in the gym
- Bathrooms are to be used for their intended purposes. Students are not to spend the evening in them.
- Students are to treat all teachers and parent chaperones courteously and follow the instructions they are given.
- Students are to stay in the building until their ride is in the parking lot. They may not leave and re-enter the building.
- If a student brings an approved guest to the dance, that student is to see that the guest knows and obeys all Renaissance Academy school and dance rules. The student must complete a request form (available in the office) and obtain approval by the day prior to the dance.
- The dance ends at 9:00 p.m. Any student not picked up by 9:15 p.m. will not be allowed to attend the next dance

RULES FOR DANCING:

- Students are to dance face-to-face or side-to-side. Students are not to dance front to back.
- During slow dances, there is to be visible space between dancers.

COSTUME GUIDELINES:

- No low cut or short costumes
- No revealing costumes
- No masks
- No weapons
- No overly gruesome makeup

Students who are in violation of these rules will receive one warning from a chaperone, teacher, or administrator. Students who continue to misbehave will be taken to a teacher or an administrator and may be instructed to sit for a short time, asked to call a parent/guardian to pick them up, or told they are not allowed to attend the next dance.

Student Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Student Signature Date

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

X _____

X _____

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FILL OUT THIS PORTION ONLY IF YOU ARE BRINGING A NON-RA STUDENT

Approved Guest Signature Date

Parent/Guardian of Approved Guest Date

X _____

X _____