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October 21-24, 2014

#### INSPIRATIONS ART CONTEST More Details is coming! SOON!



### WE NEED YOU!

To make the Inspirations Contest a success parent volunteers are needed.

**Volunteer Opportunities with this committee include:** assisting in the planning, promoting and organizing the Inspirations Art Contest (2-3 mtgs)

If you would like to join the Inspirations Committee e-mail kristin@bkbarlow.com for more details!

\*Visual Art \*Literary CONTEST

\*Photography

\*3D Art

**CATEGORIES** Composition WILL INCLUDE

Sponsored by The Renaissance Academy F.E.C.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Halloween parade Board Meeting FEC Parent Forum

Oct 31st

Nov 5th

Nov 6th



Renaissance students had a great time at the Red Ribbon Week assembly last Friday.

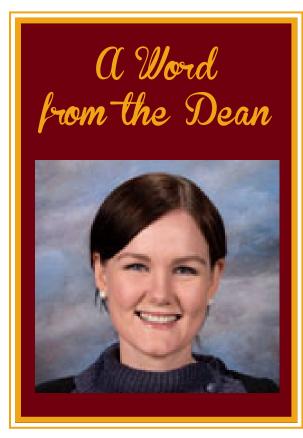
The quality of a person's life is in direct proportion to their commitment to excellence, regardless of their chosen field of endeavor.

Vince Lombardi

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### Welcome back for Term 2!

We are back into the swing of things again after a well-deserved Fall Break and a fantastic Red Ribbon Week last week. I hope you all had some fun, a relaxing break and are ready for the next stretch towards Thanksgiving and Christmas. A big thank you to all who contributed to making Red Ribbon Week such a success last week. It was a wonderful week full of educational experiences and fun helping students to really understand this year's theme 'Love Yourself... Be Drug Free!.' A big shout out and thank you must go out specifically to Janalee Goebel and Sarah Christensen for heading up the event. You did a wonderful job!

This week we get stuck into Term 2 - All students should be well and truly settled into their classrooms and grade levels. Please remind your students now is the time to start again, get organized and motivated, and refocus their efforts on their learning. We hope that all students will aim to work hard and achieve their best this term.

This week is also Halloween - as I am sure no one has forgotten. Costumes are most definitely all the rage here at RA this Friday 31st October for Halloween. We encourage costumes on Halloween, however please remember and remind your student/s to wear appropriate costumes (this mean modest attire, no masks, weapons, props, inappropriate slogans or language). Students dressed inappropriately will be asked to call home for a change of clothing. Renaissance will be holding a Halloween Parade for all classes who choose to participate this Friday 31st at 8:30 am in the gym. Unfortunately due to limited space in the gym this parade is only for students. Class parties may also be held and organized by classroom teachers and coordinators. If you have any questions or concerns about Halloween or Term 2, please feel free to contact me by phone (801) 768-4202 or email smccappin@renacademy.org

# Stephanie McCappin Dean of Students and Families



### Dear Renaissance families:

The school administration and the leadership of the Family Engagement Committee are sponsoring a parent forum to discuss the issue of teacher retention. As part of our ongoing improvement process, we've identified teacher retention as a critical success factor in the achievement of our goals for the future. We know that this issue is important to everyone who cares about the school and the quality of the education we provide.

The meeting will be held at the schoolhouse on November 6th at 7:00pm. At the meeting we would like to provide you some insight into our hiring and retention efforts, as well as hear your perspective on how we might improve those endeavors.

Thank you for your support of Renaissance and its mission. We hope you will attend the meeting and participate in the community discussion about this important issue.

Sincerely,

Family Engagement Committee leadership Mark Ursic Stephanie McCappin

# LOST AND FOUND

For questions contact Kathy Brooksby: high6@xmission.com or Kathie Michaelis: michaeliskathleen@gmail.com

#### Lost and Found Items for the week of Oct. 13th:

Size	Item description	
8	white zip hoodie sweater	
10-12	navy zip hoodie	
16	black, blue, grey- shorts	
	"Mia M" Red Sweater	
	high performance ice pack	
6-7	navy blue cardigan	
	red with blue accents tie	
4	grey/black striped with neon and light blue zip hoodid	
5-6	yellow cardigan" Mary Grace"	
	white button cardigan with pockets	
5-6	"G" red cardigan	
	BYU zip jacket	
	yellow cardigan	
5 T	Taupe Jacket Timberland	
10-12	navy blue button cardigan	
6-7	Navy blue zip sweatshirt jacket	
_	r) George navy sweater with pockets	
nail clipper red headed girl with yellow shirt and peace necklace		
10	Gap kids red zip hooded jacket	
4-5	red pull-over hoddie zero xposure	
M	Old Navy red zip hoddie	
	white socks	
	pink coin purse	
	silver bracelet pandora horse charm	
	small hand cuffs	
	pink pok-a- ot flower clip	
	silver star necklace	
	blue pok-dot bow	
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	Meet the Mormons green stretchy wrist band	
	red sparkle head band	
	6 paint-water base- black, white brown, purple, blues	
	"Celeste Wallsen" Charlote's Web game board	
	peace multi colored sock	
40.42	triangle pattern multi colored sock	
10-12	pink BYU zip up hoodie	
"Kiyone" (	B) navy blue zip sweater hoodie	
navy blue pok a dot head band		
"Nephi Aikau"		
5	"Robison" Navy blue French Toast cardi-	
gan	#- H H	
10-12	"Jolley" Navy zip hoodie	

"Zach Silve" Navy zip hoodie

10-12

8	grey plaid/black sleeveless zip hoodie reversible
M	black, grey, neon pullover hoodie
S	Adidas zip hoodie
5	Red cardigan (French Toast)
14	Denim Old Navy jacket
5T	Cherokee flowered dress
M	Navy cardigan bp
8	white justice zip sweat shirt hoodie
<b>10-12</b> Arsena	I "Merrit 10" Red pullover sweatshirt hoodie Strikers
M	Raspberry free country zip hoodie jacket
8	Black/grey and camo pattern Teckgear

Lunch stuff:
purple & black arctic zone
black dark camo
red arctic zone "Besaw" 801-766-8421
lime neon & black igloo lunch purse
"Cluff" red & black lunch sack
Monsters lunch box
purple " Ava P"
navy blue
Skylanders w/Captain Octopus
"Lily Kocherhans" 801 369-4216

"Edward Patterson"

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#### Lost and Found List for October 21:

navy cardigan "Kocherhaus" Minnie Mouse red hoodie "Abby G." Igloo blue lunch bag Salt Lake Health Dept. lunch bag navy Arctic Zone lunch box purple fuzzy jacket navy hoodie 10-12 "Zach Silva" Billabong hoodie navy North Face gray reversible jacket navy hoodie "Sing" Columbia fleece-lined jacket navy hoodie Large- Old Navy navy girl's cardigan-large white girl's cardigan navy cardigan "Jensen" white girl's cardigan "Harper" navy hoodie- medium navv hoodie red hoodie 6/7 navy cardigan "Savannah Hutchings" Gymboree red girl's sweater- small

red hoodie- small
Tommy Hilfiger hoodie- small
yellow Under Armor hoodie
navy cardigan
navy cardigan XL
orange and black jacket "Gill"
navy fleece-lined jacket- large
navy sweater vest- small
navy girl's cardigan "Kenzy Hernandez"
red hoodie "Emily Aikau"
green Land's End jacket- medium
blue Snozu jacket medium
misc. ice packs
food containers
silver bowl

In the office: blue headphones Washington DC key chain calculator

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Board of Directors is accepting applications for new Board members. Please send a letter of interest and your resume to board@renacademy.org.

The minutes from past Board Meetings as well as agendas for upcoming meetings can be found at <a href="http://renacademy.org/board\_meetings.html">http://renacademy.org/board\_meetings.html</a>. Board Meetings are held at 7pm in the Rousseau room on the third Wednesday of each month (not including December). Any changes to meeting dates will be posted in advance.

# **Family Engagement Committee**

The F.E.C. Presidency would like to send a HUGE THANKS to our Red Ribbon Week Committee for organizing such on an amazing and creative event last week! Each day of the week was exciting, memorable and educational!

Janalee Goebel - Committee Co-Chair Sarah Christensen - Committee Co-Chair

Committee Members:
Susan Heaton
Rachelle Stokes
Veronica Rodriguez
Racheal Hutchings
Corral Webb
Candace Lierd
Kim Smith
Alison Smith

