



# STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS

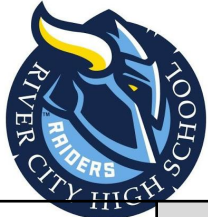
October 4th, 2023

## **RCHS BELL SCHEDULE 2023-2024 MON/TUES/THURS/FRI**

<b>PERIOD 1</b>	8:35 – 10:05
<b>PERIOD 2</b>	10:15 – 11:47
<b>EARLY LUNCH (B, C, &amp; H)</b>	11:47 – 12:17
<b>PERIOD 3A</b>	11:57 – 1:27
<b>PERIOD 3B</b>	12:27 – 1:57
<b>LATE LUNCH (F, G, &amp; PE)</b>	1:27 – 1:57
<b>PERIOD 4</b>	2:07 – 3:37


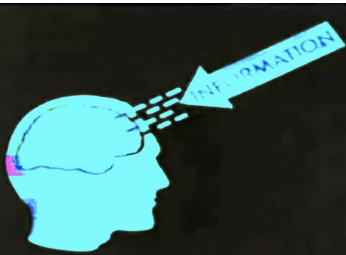
## **RCHS BELL SCHEDULE 2023-2024 WEDNESDAY EARLY RELEASE**

<b>PERIOD 1</b>	8:35 – 9:41
<b>PERIOD 2</b>	9:51 – 10:58
<b>PERIOD 3</b>	11:08 – 12:14
<b>PERIOD 4</b>	12:24 – 1:30
<b>LUNCH</b>	1:30 – 2:00
<b>TEACHER COLLABORATION</b>	2:00 – 3:00

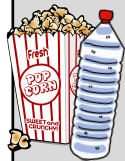


# Academic Outreach

## Every Mon/Tues/Thurs in the Raider Cafe!

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>AM</b> 7:45 - 8:25 AM	Mornings by Appointment Only.				
<b>PM</b> 3:45-4:45 PM	Voss - Science, Math 1, and English  Antos - Math (1,2,3 and Precalculus)  Hudson - Math (all levels)  Sahar - Math, Science  Tapia - All Subjects	Tan - Math (all levels)  Hudson - Math (all levels)  Spencer - French, Spanish, English, ESL  Puliz - All Subjects  Tapia - All Subjects	<b>FREE TUTORING!!!</b>  <b>LEVEL UP YOUR LEARNING</b> 	Mann - English  Tapia - All Subjects  Burton - Math (all levels)  Tan - Math (all levels)  Mendoza Salgado - Spanish All Levels	<b>Snacks &amp; drinks provided!</b>  

Late Buses Available after Tutoring M/T/Th!





# RIVER CITY HS

## RISE Matrix

# R

### Respectful

- Communicate with adults & peers respectfully
- Use appropriate language
- Do your part to keep River City Clean

# I

### Inclusive

- Be kind and understanding
- Collaborate with classmates and teachers
- Listen with an open mind
- Share, encourage, and value other ideas.
- Check in on friends and others

# S

### Safe

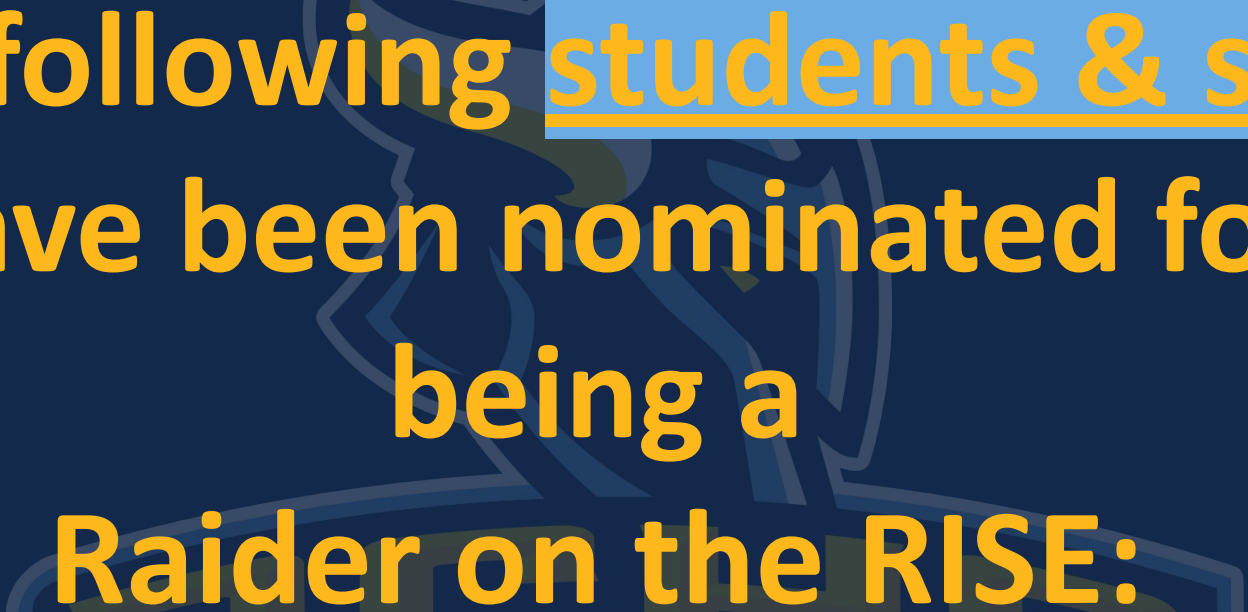
- Follow current health protocols
- Implement a healthy schedule
- Use school equipment appropriately
- Be mindful of your personal needs & seek support
- Honor the confidentiality & privacy of others

# E

### Engaged

- Utilize communication tools & platforms to stay involved
- Come prepared with your device charged
- Be on time to classes and move quickly to your classes
- Stay focused and on task
- Actively participate and do your best

The following students & staff  
have been nominated for  
being a  
Raider on the RISE:



Liza	Ashori
Adi	Vosailagi
Ahriah	Gonzales
Aidan	Goding
Aisha	Rahman
Aleksey	Astapov
Alijah	santos
Alina	Garcia
Amanda	Salazar
Amelia	Espinoza
Andrew	Kope
Anna	Shyshlevska
Annabel	Garcia
Annalia	Betancourt
Anthony	Dominguez
ashton	baules
Ayani	Diaz
Azra	Ilhan
Brendon	Hall
Bryan	Perez

Cameron	Smith
Camille	Gomez
Cassey	Tabangcura
Citlaly	Rocha
Connor	Stanley
Corinne	Cobian
Diego	Dominguez
Dylan	Sullivan
Emily	Sparks
Emma	Ayala
Erin	Ayers
Ernesto	Ayala
Ethan	Smalley
Evelina	Klimushkin
Evelyn	Rojas
Farzana	Abed
Frank	Carlos
Gabriella	fiddler
Hope	Cherry
Insa	Khan

Isabella	Flores
Jai	Flores Diaz
Jayden	Burkett
Jazmine	Noralez
Jeimy	Vega Nope
Jimena	Ortiz
Joanna	Gutuvakaca
Johnny	Alvarez
joy	mckee
Julia "Robin"	Butler
Julio	Rodriguez
Juniyah	Wright
lana	tobia
Landon	Rennie
Laurianna	Jones
Leticia	Ramirez
leticia	ayala
Leyloni	Lagunas
Liza	Ashori
Lusenga	Mumui

Luz	Cortez
Lydia	Ingram
Madilyn	Ornelaa
Malik	Moses
Mariam	Imran
Maribel	Vera
Marlanie	Ragan
Martin	Meza
Marwa	Mozafari
meike	rothfuss
Metzli	Alcantar
Mia	Alejo
Mikayla	Kachmar
MJ	Santos
Natalia	Ramirez
Natalie	Tinetti
natalie (remi)	ayres
Nathalia	Torres
Olema	Schubert
Omar	Hernandez

Omar	Hernandez
Paige	Moyneur
Paras	Sharma
Penelope	Cooper
Phoebe	Stark
Pierce	McCune
Rafael	Martinez
Ravshanbek	Ruziev
Sara	Onate
Sebastian	Stoltz
Sienna	Virgen
Spencer	Williams
Stacy	Terrones
Tahirah	Stewart
Tahlia	Dungca
Valeria	Abrika Ortiz
Yair	Salvador
Yarl Ovid	Gavelovskyy
Yasir	Rahim
Zoariah	Smith

Rafael	Alatorre
Johnny	Alvarez
Sandra	Arias
Sandra	Arias
Hannah	Brunette
Levi	Calkins
Frank	Carlos
Frank	Carlos
Armando	Castellanos
Corinne	Cobian
hailey	Cuevas
hailey	cuevas
Alexandria	Dolson
Anthony	Dominguez
David	Dumarce
Estrella	Garcia
Aidan	Goding
Javan	Gonzalez
Malia	Goodrich
Gianella	Guardado Meza
Ramiro	Guerra

Valentina	Guerra ceja
Brendon	Hall
Logan	Holleman
Logan	Holleman
Amira	Hudson
lydia	ingram
Edward	Jimenez
Jada	Kirkland
Sage	Lakhan

Lillian	LaPlante
Terra	Lay
Juan	Martinez
Martin	Maya
Tanner	Mayberry
Tanner	Mayberry
Joy	Mckee
Angel	Meza
Martin	Meza
Angel	Meza
Jayden	Moorer
Paula	Moreno
Jeimy	Nope
Esteban	Padilla
Rudra	Patel
Aisha	Rahman

Diego	Ramirez
Landon	Rennie
Mauricio	Rincon
Evelyn	Rojas
Amanda	Salazar
Axel	Sanchez
Jayla	Sanders
Zoariah	Smith
Eva	Snyder
Connor	Stanley
Stacy	Terrones
Nathalia	Torres
Mason	Tye
Ustinov	Ustinov
Manuel	Vasquez
Maribel	Vera
emily	volchanskiy
Angel	Zaragoza
Julian	Zavala
Cesar	Zuniga

**This week's student and staff  
Raiders on the RISE are:**



# Congratulations RC Students!!



Azra Ilhan

Sebastian Stoltz

Gabriella Fiddler

Lydia Ingram

Annabel Garcia

Julia "Robin" Butler

Penelope Cooper

Amanda Salazar

Aidan Goding

Ernesto Ayala

# Congratulations RC Staff !!

Ms. Ghag



Ms Vega



Akhahan	
Baldwin	
Burton	Leifson
Chim	Tetreault
Cruz	Ortiz
Franny	Shiroi
Ghag	Bittner
Goldman	

Heavlin Martinez	
Hernandez	
Malec	Mendoza
Mankewich	Cruz
Mann	Heavlin Martinez
McAllister	Maples
Mlakar Sapp	
Pisenti	Mejia Hays
Franny	

Puliz
Rodgers
Smith, Mrs
Sutton
Tan
Weatherly
Wu

**Thank you Staff for your support!!**

# Get Caught being Respectful, Inclusive, Safe, & Engaged.

Get entered in a drawing for RC swag, treats, front of the line passes

Scan the QR Code when a teacher sees you for prizes!

# FUN FRIDAYS

*are back!!*

## *Fun Friday Schedule:*

- |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|
| ● 10 / 6  | ● 11 / 17 |
| ● 10 / 20 | ● 12 / 1  |
| ● 11 / 3  | ● 12 / 15 |

# Feria De Educación 2023

**Saturday, October 7th, 2023 at  
CSUS - 6000 J Street, Sacramento,  
CA 95819 9am-3pm**

**FREE-Everyone welcome!**

**BUS FOR STUDENTS WILL DEPART RCHS AT  
8AM SHARP! LIMITED SPACE On BUS!**

**Permission Slips needed to ride the Bus.**

Providing students and their families with information and resources about California's educational system, **lunch provided**, **Cash for College...Transfer Information..Scholarships and more.**



**CSUS**



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at SACRAMENTO STATE UNIVERSITY  
10AM - 4PM



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- GET ACCEPTED ON THE SPOT ✓
- SCHOLARSHIPS ON THE SPOT ✓
- APPLICATION FEES WAIVED ✓
- SEMINARS ✓
- SURPRISE CELEBRITY GUESTS ✓
- WIN CA\$H & PRIZE\$ ✓

WIN A SCHOLARSHIP - DEADLINE: 10/16/23  
Info at: [NCRFoundation.org/Scholarship](https://NCRFoundation.org/Scholarship)

FREE  
ADMISSION

REGISTER TODAY AT:  
**[NCRFOUNDATION.ORG/EVENTS](https://NCRFoundation.org/Events)**

*Register your group*



**FOUND**



# University of Southern California

USC is visiting River City High School!

**Tuesday, October 17, 1:30 - 2:00 pm**

**RCHS Library**

**Jennifer Cox**

USC Assistant Director

[coxj@usc.edu](mailto:coxj@usc.edu)

213-740-8925



# 2023 Student Leadership Summit

On behalf of [Children Now](#), a policy, research, and advocacy organization dedicated to building a better California for kids 0-26, we would like to invite all students of **River City High School** to attend the [2023 Student Leadership Summit](#), taking place virtually on **October 6th (5-8pm PT) and October 7th (10am-5pm)**.

By participating in this conference, student leaders will build their skills, connections, and knowledge to create better communities locally and beyond.

This free, 1.5-day online summit aims to support the development and engagement of well-informed student leaders and strengthen student voice's impact on policy. Attendees will hear from several speakers and participate in a diverse array of workshops promoting equity and fostering connections.

[Linked is a flyer](#) with more information as well as a registration link and QR code **To register for the 2023 Student Leadership Summit, please visit this link: [https://whova.com/portal/registration/summi2\\_202304/](https://whova.com/portal/registration/summi2_202304/)**.

We will follow up with more information as details get confirmed.

# NO GO LIST

The No-Go list for Quarter 1 will be generated the 2nd week of school. Students on the list will not be able to attend extra curricular activities like Football Games, Homecoming, etc and Athletes on the list will be benched.

Students on the list will have one or more of the following:

- 2 or more Fs
- 10 or more tardies, unexcused absences, or cuts since the beginning of school
- Any suspension

The list will be updated weekly. See your AP if you have any questions.

All Tardies Now  
Count!

Students will get  
an email if they are  
on the list or  
\*close\* to being  
on the list.

To appeal, see  
your AP

The background is a dark blue field filled with various school and sports-related items. At the top and bottom are two red backpacks with blue straps and green accents. Surrounding them are various school supplies: orange-handled scissors, a yellow pencil sharpener, a blue pencil, a pink crayon, a blue eraser, a green folder, a yellow notebook, a spiral-bound notebook with an 'A+' grade, a blue binder ring, a blue pencil case with white star patterns, a yellow lightbulb, a soccer ball, a basketball, a paint palette with blue, green, and purple dots, and a blue shoe with white socks. The central text is in a white, rounded, handwritten-style font.

# Student Clubs & Sports Information



# October Art Challenge



*Cute to Scary OR Scary to Cute*

Take something *CUTE*  
(a character - item - anything!)  
and make it *SCARY* !



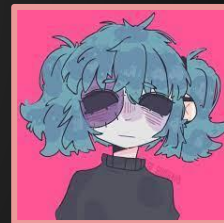
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Take something *SCARY*  
(a character - item - anything!)  
and make it *CUTE* !



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*Paint, draw, sing, write, play...  
anything creative you have up your sleeve!*

Art supplies will be awarded to winners!

Submit to  
[chanks@wusd.k12.ca.us](mailto:chanks@wusd.k12.ca.us)  
Or to room 753



## GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST

The Culinary Program at Bryte cordially invites youth groups, clubs, and organizations in West Sacramento to participate in the

### **2023 GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST.**

There is no entry fee for the contest. Participants will provide their own supplies.

**To register your group email Cheryle Sutton: [csutton@wusd.k12.ca.us](mailto:csutton@wusd.k12.ca.us)**

### **CONTEST DIVISIONS**

1st, 2nd, and 3rd Grade  
4th, 5th, and 6th Grade  
7th & 8th Grade  
High School



### **GUIDELINES FOR ALL DIVISIONS**

1. All items are secure on the house and on the board.
2. Sound Structure-Not falling apart
3. Dimensions should not exceed:  
Height: 14 in. Depth: 18 in. Width: 13 in.
4. Overall Appearance: colors, neatness, difficulty, finishing touches
5. Age appropriate designs and workmanship.

### **VIRTUAL TUTORIALS HOSTED BY CULINARY STUDENTS**

Royal Icing  
Putting the house together  
Pro-Tips  
Q & A

Dates Announced in October

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

**Make and Decorate:** Start any time

**Due to Bryte:** Dec. 4-8

(Must make an appt)

**Judging:** Dec. 9-10

**Winners announced:** Dec. 13

**Open House for Viewing:**

Saturday Dec. 9 10am-1pm

Sunday Dec. 10 11am-1pm

Thursday Dec. 14 5pm-7pm

Friday Dec. 15 5pm-7pm

Saturday Dec. 16 10am-1pm

Sunday Dec. 17 11am-1pm



# **JOIN MODEL UNITED NATIONS**

**First Meeting: October 10th**

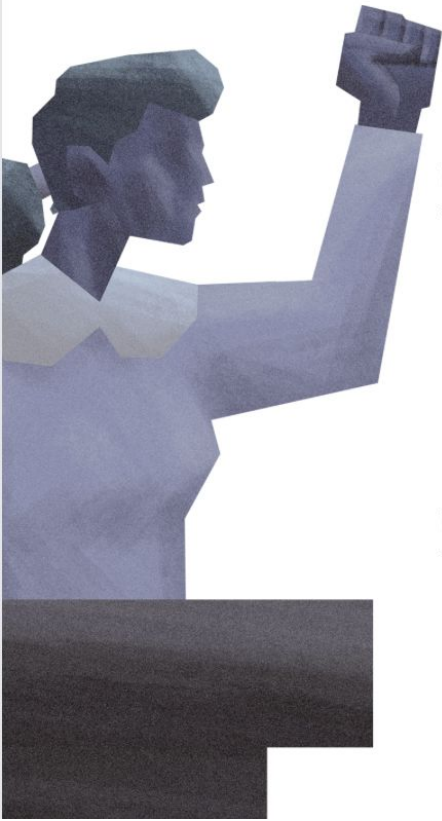
**After School 3:45 in Ms.Howald's room:858**

**What do we do?**

- **Address local & global civic issues**
- **Debate against neighboring schools at local conferences *(represent a country)***

**Who is it for?**

- **Anyone interested in staying active in our community through discussion and regional events**





# Mock Trial



A simulated court trial where students take on the roles of attorneys, witnesses, court clerks, and bailiffs.

Get an authentic court experience!  
Work with college students and attorneys!

Instagram — @rcmocktrial

Remind — text @rcmockt to 81010

First Meeting on Tuesday October 10th  
right after school!

**Room 752**



# INTERESTED IN CODING, BUT NOT SURE WHERE TO START?

JOIN GIRLS WHO CODE!



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## BEGINNER-FRIENDLY

No experience is required! Don't worry if you're not familiar with coding; we'll cover the basics.

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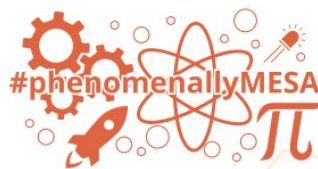
## MEETINGS ONCE A MONTH

Meetings are on the last Friday of every month in Room F601. We hope to see you there!



**Interested in**

**joining MESA?**



Complete engineering projects to compete with peers in the club. Prepare to attend regional competitions and compete at UC Davis for MESA Day. Actively meet and discuss principles of engineering in relation to club projects.

## Why Should You Join MESA?

- ★ Explore your interests in STEM
- ★ Strengthen team-building skills and creativity
- ★ Challenge yourself and utilize your problem solving skills
- ★ Attend local competitions

Meetings on  
Tuesdays from  
3:45-4:45  
Room 704G



**Remind:**  
[@rchsmesa24](#)





# OCTOBER FCA HUDDLE : THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5th AT BOTH LUNCHES

early lunch: room 805

late lunch: room 706

Remind Code: rcfca23-24

Instagram: @rivercitysfca

Everyone is welcome and encouraged  
to attend! There will be lots of pizza  
and an amazing student speaker!





# THE LEGACY PROJECT

The Legacy Project is a club that focuses on educating students & peers on mental health, spreading positive messages throughout the school.

We'd be happy to have you!

MEETINGS: MONDAY, 3:45PM-5:00PM  
ROOM 203

Snacks Are Provided

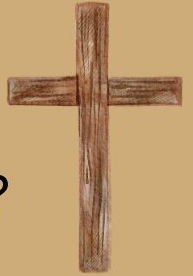
Come discuss the:

# Validity of the Bible



How do we know the Bible is accurate?

How do we know that the Bible is the Word of God?



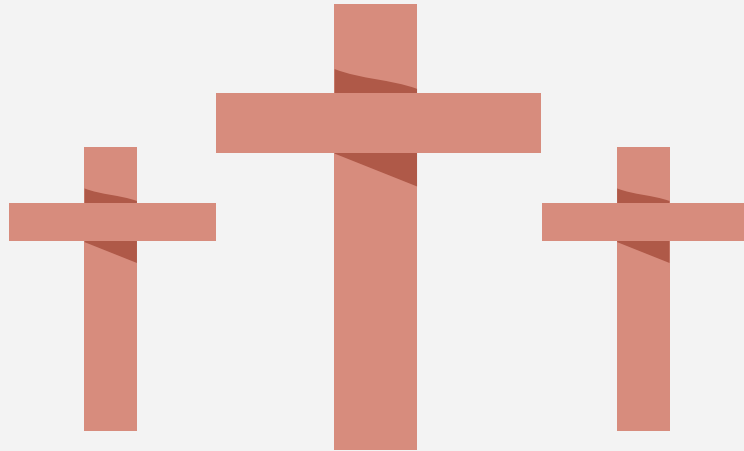
Archeaology

Bibliography

Prophecy

ROOM F601 on Thursday OCTOBER 5th after school at 3:40 PM

# Christian Bible Study Club



**We'll be reading & studying the Bible together and praying for each other and our campus.**

**Every Thursday in Room F601 (the computer lab in Mrs. Warrior's room)**

**All are welcome to attend!**

**Join our Remind with the code @rchsbible**

# COMPUTER SCIENCE IN MEDICINE CLUB

## UC DAVIS AI4GENES RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Artificial intelligence for genes (ai4genes)

Tuesdays @ 3:40 pm

Room: F601 lab @ River City High School

Starts: September 12th

Questions: Contact Mrs. Warrior

[ajohnnywarrior@wusd.k12.ca.us](mailto:ajohnnywarrior@wusd.k12.ca.us)

## WHY JOIN?

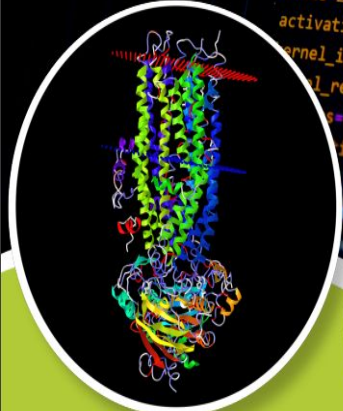
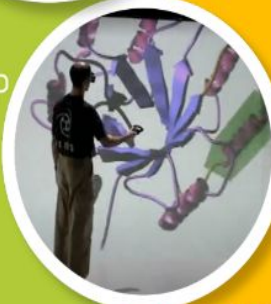
- TRY RESEARCH!
- EXPLORE A CAREER PATH
- MENTORSHIP/NETWORKING
- ENHANCE COLLEGE APPS
- BUILD RESUME

Healthy  
**TACGA**  
**TATGA**  
Alzheimer's

**Tuesdays @ 3:40 pm**  
**Mrs. Warrior's Classroom**  
**F601 Computer lab**

## AI4GENES 2023 RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- WANT HANDS-ON RESEARCH EXP?
- LIKE COMPUTERS + MEDICINE? STEM?
- WONDER HOW DEEP LEARNING CAN HELP SOLVE GENETIC DISEASES?
- HAVE 2 HOURS/WEEK TO COMMIT?
- COME FIND A GENETIC DISEASE OF INTEREST AND PREDICT HOW IT WORKS!



# Art Club

3:45-4:45  
Room 206

NO Experience  
needed

NO Supplies  
needed

Every  
Thursday



# Join the **Afghan** Students Association- ASA!



To all our fellow Afghans: Come join us after school on Tuesdays in room 707, to help educate other people about our unique culture.

خطاب به همه هموطنان افغان ما: سه شنبه ها بعد از مكتب در اتاق 707 به ما بپیوندید تا به مردم دیگر در مورد فرهنگ منحصر به فرد خود آموزش دهیم.

- Our club invites all the Afghans and non-Afghans
- We meet every other Tuesday

## Reminders

- Follow our instagram: @rchs\_ASA
- Google Classroom code: gzw7ebi
- If new, make sure to dm us on instagram with your name and school email for attendance purposes.



# Senior Announcements

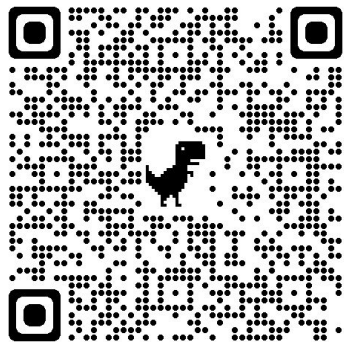


# INFORMATION FROM YOLO COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

## Upcoming Events

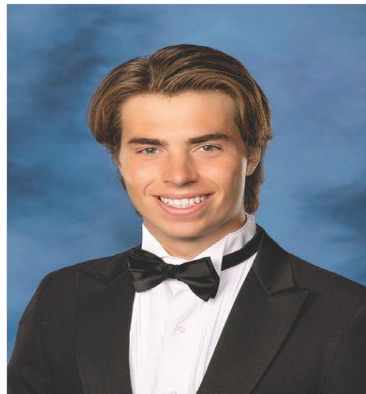
- Transition Age Youth Summit: 2023 10/27/23
- CSU College Night: 9/28/23
- The 6th Annual Youth Empowerment Summit: 9/29/23
- California Storm's Soccer for All Clinic: 10/1/23
- (Free) Fall Medical Terminology Course Sign Up: Classes begin October
- Quick Quack Manufacturing Tour: 10/4/23
- California Student Aid Commission (CSAC) Workshop: 10/6/23
- Feria De Educacion: 10/7/23
- College Information Day (Berkeley): 10/14/23
- CSU Chico Concrete Industry Management - Concrete Day: 10/20/23
- Yolo County Job Fair: 10/25/23
- CSU Sacramento Future Hornet Day: 10/27/23
- Livability Summit - 2023: 10/30/23
- Black College Expo: 10/28/23
- SACOG Youth Leadership Academy: 11/10/23
- WCC Dual Enrollment: 12/1/23
- 2024 Youth Leadership Forum for Students with Disabilities: 7/14-20/2024
- Yolo Youth Commision: opens late 2023
- And more...

*RCHS Counselors  
present:*



# Congratulations Class Of 2024!

Prestige Photography has been chosen as your official senior photographer! Senior year is full of special moments. Our professional photographers will tell your story with background, poses and creative lighting designed to let your personality shine!



## Schedule your appointment early!

To schedule your senior photography appointment, please visit our website: [prestigeportraits.com](https://prestigeportraits.com) and click on "Find A Studio Near You." For questions, please contact us at [byarea@lifetouch.com](mailto:byarea@lifetouch.com) or by phone 1-877-825-7922.

Come prepared! Get tips and ideas at:  
**[prestigeportraits.com](https://prestigeportraits.com)**

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# VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES & COMMUNITY SERVICE



# FIRST ANNUAL FENTANYL AWARENESS FESTIVAL

**FENTA NAH** website: [fentanah.org](https://fentanah.org)

**Click on the RCHS STUDENT VOLUNTEERS link at top right of their website, you will need to attach a permission slip signed by a parent/guardian**

**SEE MRS. DESMANGLES IN THE LIBRARY FOR PERMISSION FORMS.**

## EARN SERVICE LEARNING HOURS TO VOLUNTEER

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2023**

10am - 4pm

1315 10th street

Capitol Mall Camellia Grove - On L Street in front of the Hyatt Hotel



This will be a family friendly, free event, there will be a DJ, vendors, guest speakers, food and activities for children and much more.

**Event contact**

**Sheivonne@[fentanah.org](mailto:Sheivonne@fentanah.org)**

# Volunteers NEEDED!

Friday, November 3, 3-8pm

Two and four hour shifts available  
(we know some students can't make it by 3pm)

Please contact:

[ElkhornVillageBoosters@gmail.com](mailto:ElkhornVillageBoosters@gmail.com)

or see Ms. Neumann to sign up!  
(RCHS Bryte Room 3)

Service hour credit available

Elkhorn Alumni ESPECIALLY  
encouraged to serve! Come give  
back to your community!



## Learn Why Trees Matter

Are you interested in making  
the world a better place?

Are you looking for ways to  
give back to your community?

Do you have a passion for the  
environment?

This could be the internship  
for you!

## Getting Involved

Want to learn more about  
this on-campus internship?

Contact Ms. McAllister or  
Mrs. Zwerdling for more info

## Program Features

- Plant trees
- Learn technical skills for  
tree care
- Hear from guest speakers  
from the urban forestry  
field
- Gain knowledge about  
urban forestry, climate  
change, environmental  
justice, and civic  
engagement



# Urban Forestry Internship Program

### Check us out!

Instagram: @tree\_davis

Website: Scan the QR code!

