



Reed Newsflash

September 12 - 6:00-7:30pm Back to School Night (parent & caregiver only event)

September 13 - 7:45am Reed Weekly Bike Train (every Friday, meet at Blackie's Pasture)

September 19 - 5:00- 7:00pm Reed Towntastic

September 24 - Picture Day

Dear Reed Families,
Please join us in the MPR for **Back to School Night** this Thursday, September 12th at 6:00pm. *This is an evening for parents & caregivers only (no students).*

Attendance

As you know, we are working hard to reduce chronic absenteeism. When students are absent, they miss important instruction and new material as it is taught the first time. Teachers are unable to carry out lesson plans effectively and classroom environments are disrupted. Please help your child establish good habits at a young age.

Keep in mind there are only 180 school days within the 365 days of the year, so please schedule your vacations during the non-school days. Thank you!

The Reed School Team



REED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PTA

Reed's Annual TOWNTASTIC: Thursday, September 19 from 5:00-7:00pm at Reed School

This fun event for the whole family showcases original creations by our own Reed students. Children should bring from home a child-created and decorated "box" that will become part of our Reed TOWNTASTIC. The box should be no smaller than a shoebox, and no larger than a child can carry. The box can be turned into anything that is in our town: a building, a bus, a boat, a park, etc. Have fun with it! Food will be available for purchase (cash preferred) at the event and picnics on the field are encouraged!

Contact [Camille Bosworth](#) or [Dana Berke](#) with any questions or if you would like to help at the event.

REED SCHOOL TOWNTASTIC

Thursday, Sept. 19
5-7pm at Reed School
Admission is FREE!



FOOD, FUN & MUSIC ALONGSIDE A
CARDBOARD TOWN MADE BY STUDENTS!

Pizza, hot dogs, drinks & dessert for sale.
Siblings welcome.

Picture Day: Thursday, September 24

Say cheese...Reed Picture Day is just around the corner.

Student Comfort Kits: Please Return to Classroom by Friday, September 20

Comfort Kit instructions and ZipLoc bags were sent home with your child last Friday. Comfort Kits are to be used in the event of an emergency that requires students to shelter in a place of safety for an extended period of time. The contents of the Comfort Kit serve the purpose of entertaining and reassuring your child while they await your arrival after an emergency. Refer to the Comfort Kit instructions for further details. Please remember to write, in permanent marker, your child's name, teacher's name, and room number on the outside of the baggie.

The Friday Bike Train is Back

Join us THIS Friday, September 13! Opt for GREEN transportation and bicycle with other parents & students to Reed. Meet at 7:50am at Blackie's Pasture by the Blackie horse statue. The group will leave at 7:55am from Blackie's Pasture, passing the BTC tennis courts around 8:05am heading towards Reed. We'll have buttons and pencil giveaways to all students biking to school this Friday! We also need parent volunteers to help lead the bike train from Blackie's Pasture and other locations.

Please contact [Julie Stewart](#)

Thank you...

...to all the parents for attending the Reed Volunteer Coffee and for signing up to volunteer! Parent involvement makes such a positive difference in our school community. And a special shout out to all the Room Parents for taking on this important role!

From the RUSD PTA

PLEASE SUPPORT THE PTA BY [JOINING TODAY!](#)

With your annual membership dues, the PTA helps provide assemblies, field trips, field days, parent education programs, teacher appreciation events, and so much more.

Check out the [membership page](#) to find out more about PTA programs.

CHOICELUNCH

Lighten your backpack load and order nutritious lunch for your students from [ChoiCELUNCH](#). A portion of every lunch purchased through ChoiCELUNCH is donated to the RUSD PTA. Order today at www.choicelunch.com

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RUN FOR REED

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4, Downtown



Join us for the annual **RUN FOR REED** kick off to our Family Giving Campaign and RACE TO \$2 MILLION! Run for Reed is a 1 mile and 5K race followed by a post-race celebration for all on Main Street.



PLEDGE DAY, OCTOBER 11

We have once again made a \$2m commitment to RUSD, and our goal is **100% participation** in the annual Family Giving Campaign! Join our generous community and invest in our schools! **Early donations and pledges save valuable volunteer time and reduce fundraising costs.**