

Reed School News Flash

Weekly Reed School Campus, PTA & Foundation News



Oct 11

Picture Make Up Day

Oct 12

Run for Reed
4:30-8:00pm

Oct 22

No School

Oct 23

1st Grade
Parent Talk

Oct 24

Kindergarten
Parent Talk

Oct 25

2nd Grade
Parent Talk

Reed News

Halloween Fun at Reed

With Halloween just around the corner, we wanted to make sure that you all have the most up-to-date information regarding Halloween festivities at Reed. We have contingencies in place rain or shine!

General Guidelines:

- Costumes are optional.
- Students wear their costumes to school. Please be sure to select an appropriately themed costume for your child. Costumes may not include weapons, masks or be overtly scary (this includes parents). Be mindful that our students are young and scary images can be overwhelming.
- After the parade students will change into their regular clothing. Costumes will be placed into backpacks.
- Classroom parties are scheduled at the discretion of the classroom teacher. All guests ***must*** sign in at the office before proceedings to the classrooms.

No Rain:

- School-wide parade is scheduled to be from 8:45 to 9:30ish on the blacktop.
- Parents, caregivers, and non school-age siblings are welcome. Parents ***must*** wait on the blacktop before the parade, please ***do not*** escort your child to his/her classroom either before or after the parade.
- Teachers will bring students down to the blacktop to form a large rectangle. Parents and guests form an outer rectangle. This will allow equal opportunity picture taking!
- Parents ***may not*** stand in the center of the rectangle or in front of the sound system, as this is reserved for students only.

In the Event of Rain:

- Parade will be relocated to the MPR. Due to limited space and fire code restrictions, the parade will be a ***student-only event***. Unfortunately, parents are not

invited to attend.

- Classroom parties will continue as scheduled.

Please review [Halloween Safety Tips](#) from the American Academy of Pediatrics 2018

2018 REED SCHOOL PARENT WORKSHOPS!

Focusing on **Child Development**



Please join us for an interactive conversation to learn more about your child's development and what you can expect this year in school. Topics discussed will include your child's cognitive, physical and social emotional development, and typical challenges that your child might encounter this school year. We encourage parents to bring questions to help guide the conversation.

The talk will be facilitated by Reed school psychologist Dr. Maya Van Putten and principal Dr. Mary Niesyn, and a Reed teacher at each grade level, who will also lead the group in a special Kimochis lesson.

KINDERGARTEN TALK: Wednesday, October 24, 8:30-10:00, Room 26

1ST GRADE TALK: Tuesday, October 23, 8:30-10:00, Room 26

2ND GRADE TALK: Thursday, October 25, 8:30-10:00, Room 26

We look forward to seeing you!

Reed School PTA

Trick or Treating for UNICEF

It's a fun way to empower kids to help their peers in need around the world. You can be a superhero for millions of children in need this Halloween by supporting our students' coin collecting during Trick-or Treating this year! Boxes will be sent home on October 26th in Friday folders. Please return your boxes by Friday, November 2nd. For more information visit [UNICEF](#).

MANY WAYS TO HELP OUT AT REED

Parent Library Volunteers

Help children find books during their library time, or drop by to shelve in a quiet, calm atmosphere. Contact [Karen Ripenburg](#) to learn more.

P.E. Recess Volunteers

Come and help Mr. Kaiser with fun P.E. activities during lunch recess. [Sign up to volunteer.](#)

WEEKLY Bike Train from Blackie's Pasture Fridays at 7:45 am Sharp

We are looking for parent volunteers (& student riders) for both Blackie's Pasture and new routes planned from Downtown/Old Tiburon. Please contact [Julie Stewart](#) for more information.

RUSD PTA News

Run for Reed Schools-Friday, October 12

Our annual Run for Reed Schools event is less than two days away! The Foundation for Reed Schools is thrilled to once again host 1 mile and 5k races in downtown Tiburon, followed immediately by an evening celebration on Main Street.

Due to the downtown location and the large expected turnout we are looking for MANY, MANY volunteers. Please review this [Sign Up Sheet](#) and fill as many spots as you can.

Middle and High schoolers can also fulfill service hours with their spot.

District Book Fair

JOIN RUSD AND DISTRICT PTA

THE RUSD BOOK FAIR

OPEN DURING SCHOOL HOURS

OCTOBER 23 - 26

BEL AIRE BOOK FAIR
OCTOBER 23 - 24
BEL AIRE MPR FROM 8:00 AM - 7 PM

BEL AIRE FAMILY NIGHTS
OCTOBER 23 - 24
BEL AIRE MPR FROM 5-7 PM

DEL MAR POP-UP
OCTOBER 26 - 27
DEL MAR LIBRARY
THURSDAY: 7:30 AM - 4PM
FRIDAY: 7:30 AM - 12:15 PM

PROCEEDS BENEFIT ALL RUSD SCHOOLS

Parent Education

The District PTA offers free parent education events to all members.

[Join PTA](#)

We are pleased to announce our first Parent Education event for the 2018-19 School Year

Plasticity and the Growth-Oriented Mindset

Kelly Kent, Ph.D, adaptED Consultants

Tuesday, October 16th, from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at Hall Middle School (in the gym)

The root of all learning comes from changes between neurons at the synapse. Scientists call these changes neuroplasticity. Understanding the brain's adaptability can generate motivation about learning, even in our children's most difficult subject areas. We'll discuss how we, as parents, can promote challenge and provide appropriate feedback to ensure our children have growth-oriented mindsets.

Please note the event is free however registration is required.

[RSVP](#)

RUSD PTA HAS ENDORSED MEASURE J

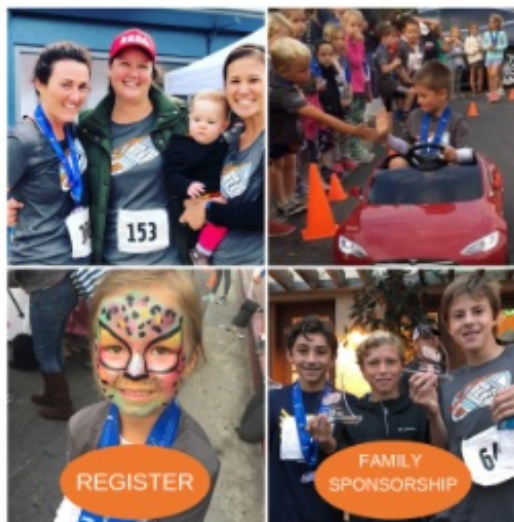
In order to address increased costs due to enrollment growth and state mandated costs, the Tamalpais Union High School District Board of Trustees has placed Measure J on the November 6, 2018 ballot. Please see the district's [Information Sheet](#) for more information about Measure J.

Foundation News



DON'T MISS THE POST RACE CELEBRATION

MINI TESLA RACE COURSE | FOOD | BAR | DJ | FACE PAINTING | AWARDS CEREMONY



LET'S START THE RACE TO \$2 MILLION!

RUN FOR REED IS HERE!

**JOIN US FRIDAY AFTERNOON IN DOWNTOWN
TIBURON!**

The 1-mile race kicks off at 4:30pm and the 5k will begin at 4:45pm. Downtown festivities will take place from 4:30-8:00pm, so come early and stay for dinner! EVERYONE is invited to the post-race celebration on Main Street! See you there!

There is still time to register and purchase a Family Sponsorship; however, Family Sponsor race bags will no longer be delivered to homes. [Visit our website](#) for information including registration and race packet pick up!

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH IS PLEDGE DAY

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

Visit or Pledge Day tent at the Run for Reed this Friday for cool swag and information on how to enter or Pledge Day Raffle!

JOIN THE PARTY!

Sign-Up Parties are a great way to meet new friends and enjoy a fun day or night out while raising essential funds for our schools! Join the party and help our kids by visiting our [catalog](#). [Tickets are available](#) for many great parties this school year!

Interested in hosting a party next year? Working on a team to organize an event? or just wish to learn more? Contact [Monica Coleman](#) or [Tina Davis](#).