



RENAISSANCE RAVEN REVIEW

February 22, 2019

Due to the inclement weather and mid-winter break Semester 1 report cards were delayed. The report cards will be mailed out today or Monday at the latest, so you should receive them next week. If you do not receive yours and would like a copy please email me, sasimmons83@gmail.com

GUEST SPEAKER (Updated Date)

We are pleased to have Cathleen Leader, a mental health specialist with YES here on Tuesday February 26th at 9am to speak with the whole school on drug and alcohol prevention. She will be presenting on “Vaping and Other Drugs, what you need to know”. Parents are welcome to come and listen to the presentation as well. If you have any questions, please email our school counselor Paula Olson polson@lwsd.org.

PERFORMING ARTS

Please join us for our Renaissance School Talent Show on Tuesday February 26th at 7pm. This is a free event for all. We would love for everyone to come out and show support to our very talented students!

JUANITA HIGH SCHOOL 9TH GRADE REGISTRATION- WILL BE RESCHEDULED

Due to the snow the Registration and information night will be rescheduled. The new date has not been finalized. In the meantime, you can review the registration materials and presentation on the JHS website, please see below for the link.

All registration materials and PowerPoint presentations are also available on the JHS website counseling page under “Course Planning and Graduation” <https://jhs.lwsd.org/counseling/course-registration>.

SKI BUS- UPDATES

The date for the make up for last week's canceled lessons (2-13) and bus will be: Wednesday, March 13, 2019

If you are also taking 2nd session, we will contact you separately to work out your makeup.

If you want to sign up for 2nd session but have not done so -- we still have room. Please call the ski school at 206-782-5641 to let us know that you will be returning.

This program is NOT run through the school so please send completed forms/checks and any questions to WEBSKI.

WRITERS IN RESIDENCE

Jourdan Keith will return in March to work with RSAR students to produce short stories.

UPCOMING EVENTS AROUND THE COMMUNITY:

- A) Girls Who Code- Summer Programs available. Please see flyer below for more information.
- B) Rainbow Teen Advisory Board and KCLS- Masquerade Dance- March 6th at K.TUB. Please see attached flyer for more information.
- C) **BOOK CLUB OPPORTUNITY: THROUGH ISSAQUAH LIBRARY:** 6th grade student Harloe Hockett (under her "code name" Valkyrie.) leads the book club.

EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL OPPORTUNITY 2020

Mrs. Daman is planning to take a group of students on an trip through Exploria Educational in June of 2020. Last summer she took a group to Washington DC and New York City for the first with Explorica Educational Travel. It was fantastic! Please contact her if you would like additional information.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS:

- **YEARBOOK:** Wednesdays 12:30-1:30 PM
- **QUILT BAG CLUB:** Every other Tuesday 2:00-3:00 PM
- **FRENCH** Fridays 2:10- 3:10 PM
- **SPANISH** Thursdays 2:10- 3:10 PM
- **JUNIOR THESPAIN CLUB-** Please see Mrs. Daman for more information.
- **NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY (NJHS)-** Please see Ms. Bawa for more information.

We are continually looking to increase learning and experineeces for our students. We are open to a variety of activities/clubs/enrichment classes. Do you have an idea for a club, let us know!

2018/2019 School Calendar

FEBRUARY 26	TALENT SHOW @ 7PM
MARCH 1	SCHOOL DANCE @ RSAR 7-9 PM
MARCH 9	NO SCHOOL
APRIL 8-12	SPRING BREAK
MAY 5-11	SPRING PLAY PRODUCTION WEEK
MAY 24	NO SCHOOL
MAY 27-28	NO SCHOOL
JUNE 18	8 TH GRADE PROMOTION
JUNE 19	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES:

LUNCH PROCEDURES

Students may purchase food in the Eastlake Commons cafeteria or bring their own lunches. Students can purchase lunch with cash or their student account. Adding money to student account: 1) use myschool bucks or 2) have student bring check to EHS kitchen cashier. **RSAR DOES NOT ACCEPT THE LUNCH MONEY.**

If your student brings their own lunch be sure that they pack healthy foods. Please do not allow your student to bring soda or energy drinks.

STUDENT LAPTOPS

Trouble Connecting at Home

If your student is having difficulty connecting to your wireless network at home, please follow the steps below:

- a. Before you leave campus – shut down your computer
 - i. This mean go to the Start Menu>Power Options>Select Shutdown
 - ii. If you do not shut down, then a restart will be needed at home before you try to connect to DirectAccess.
- b. When the student gets home, power on the laptop
- c. Connect to Home WiFi
- d. Then the student will need to wait about 1-5 minutes while the device connects to Direct Access.
 - i. If no connection is made with in 5 minutes, restart the laptop
 - ii. After the restart – connect to home WiFi and let DirectAccess connect (allow the 1-5 minutes)

Laptop Insurance Options

Families may wish to protect against liability for lost, damaged or stolen property by reviewing their insurance options. Some homeowner's policy may offer coverage and some may offer this coverage if a rider is acquired. In addition, Lake Washington School District has arranged for an insurance option for families wishing to purchase a specific additional insurance to cover their student's laptop. This insurance can be purchased from Worth Insurance Group. The premium is \$63.60 per year and covers accidental damage and theft (police report required). The deductible in this policy is \$0. This insurance can be acquired directly by going to <https://www.worthavegroup.com/portal/lakewashington>. The company also offers coverage for other personal technology devices. If you chose not to purchase the optional insurance or do not otherwise have coverage, you will be responsible for fees for damaged or lost/stolen equipment as defined above.

STUDENT ABSENT/LATE ARRIVAL/EARLY DISMISSAL:

Students that are taking math over at EHS, if they are absent/late you will need to notify both RSAR and EHS about your students' absence.

Absences- An absence may only be excused within 48 hours. Parent/Guardian communication is required for excusing an absence or late arrival. You can email sasimmons@lwsd.org or leave a voicemail at (425) 936-1544. Please spell the last name of the student clearly and provide a reason for the absence/tardy.

Late Arrival- If your student is arriving to school late they need to check in at the office **before going to class**. You do not have to sign the student in but if the student does not stop by the office the absence put in by the teacher will NOT be changed into a TARDY and you will likely receive an attendance call.

Early Dismissal – Please come into the office and sign your student out. You do not need to call or email ahead of time. Please just come into the office, sign your student out and your student will be called out of class to leave with you. You must sign your student out in order for them to leave campus

LOST AND FOUND:

Please remind your student to look in the lost and found for any items they may be missing throughout the year. Items left in the lost and found are donated twice a year.



SPEND YOUR SUMMER WITH GIRLS WHO CODE!

Girls Who Code Campus offers beginner and advanced coding programs in multiple topics, like iPhone App Development and Wearable Tech & Fashion Design. Spend the summer with girls like you, and connect with the community of 90,000 girls who code across the country!

PROGRAMS RUNNING IN SEATTLE:

CAMPUS COURSES	JULY PROGRAMS	AUGUST PROGRAMS
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<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #A9D0C9; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; margin-right: 10px; color: white; font-size: 0.8em;"> AGES 11-15 </div> <div> Wearable Tech & Fashion Design - \$1,999 </div> </div>	@Eastside Catholic School July 8-July19	
<div style="display: flex; align-items: center;"> <div style="background-color: #007060; border-radius: 50%; padding: 5px; margin-right: 10px; color: white; font-size: 0.8em;"> AGES 13-18 </div> <div> Website Design & Development - \$1,899 </div> </div>	@Eastside Catholic School July 22-August 2	@Forest Ridge School of the Sacred Heart August 12-August 23

Email us at campus@girlswhocode.com for more information!

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