

PTSA NEWSLETTER

January 2023



Word of Thanks:

We hope everyone had a wonderful Winter Break and rang in the New Year in a memorable way! We are so excited to welcome Dr. Susan Leach to our General Membership Meeting (GMM) on January 12th. We hope that many of you can attend. She will be answering pre-submitted questions at the meeting, to submit your questions please scan the QR code below! All are welcome at the GMM, but feel free to RSVP on our Facebook page so you can stay up to date on current information regarding it!



FACE Updates:

We are hosting a "Books Before Bedtime" event on January 18th, 5:30-7pm in the MPR. All families are invited to listen to stories read by teachers, staff and others! There will be crafts and treats as well. More details will be sent home in your child's Friday Folder!

Winter Reading Challenge: please remember to turn in your filled in Tiger to your teachers by January 11th for prizes!

Fundraising Update:

Have you ever wondered just where donated funds go? We have funds set aside for playground improvements with plans in the works, but also we provide grants to teachers and staff for classroom enrichment! Most recently we have awarded funds to help with the 3rd grade Market Day and a 5th grade trip to see the Nutcracker. We approved a grant to provide free books to some students during the book fair, and we also purchase toe tokens for students which are a fun way to symbolize participation in certain events and programs.

Early Release Fridays: 1/13, 1/27
Books Before Bedtime: 1/18
No School: 1/2, 1/16
General Membership Meeting: 1/12
School Board Meeting: 1/10, 1/24



Become a member!



Already a member?
Consider a volunteer opportunity!



Did you know, if you turn your IGA/Carnation Market receipts in to the PTSA they give us a percentage back as a donation? Drop your receipts into our box at the front office!



Nurse Andrea joined the CE staff this year. Through this cold and flu season, she has been managing all of the student sicknesses and injuries. We are so appreciative of her willingness to be face to face with it all each day. If you happen to see her in the office, be sure to give her an extra smile!



We are in need of committee volunteers!
In order of need they are:
Yearbook
Staff Appreciation
Advocacy (Board Position)
Fundraising for upcoming events
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School/District News:

Riverview Education Foundation Dinner and Auction

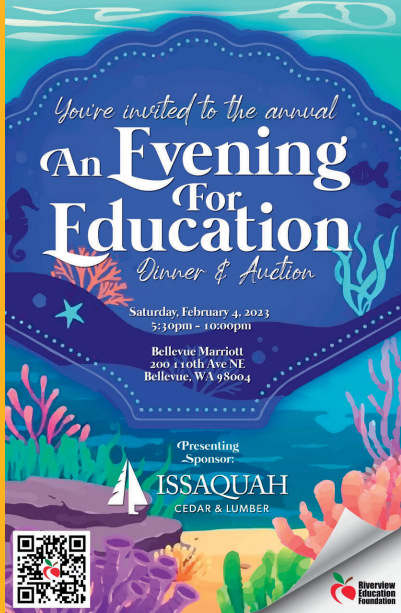
Riverview Education Foundation (REF) is known in our community as a non-profit, volunteer driven organization that promotes educational opportunities for the students of Riverview School District.

They support our students by granting funds to all of our schools for everything from books, STEM field trips, learning games, playground equipment, and other daily use items in classrooms.

We can support REF by signing up to volunteer at events, in kind donations, or attending one of their fundraising events throughout the year. Their annual "Evening for Education" dinner and auction is coming up. We would love to see tables full of Carnation Elementary parents there!

Event will take place on **February 4, 2023** at Bellevue Marriott, tickets can be purchased through the QR code below, or by following this link:

<https://event.auctria.com/bd93521c-f86c-47a2-a641-bb3e3beda152/a809178051b511ea91bae14d12592328>



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Breakfast/Lunch Menu:



District Calendar:

January 2023
 Important Information: No School - Jan. 2 (Winter Break)
 No School - Jan. 16 (MLK Day)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Winter Break (No School)	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 School Board Mtg - 6 PM	11	12	13 K-12 Early Release	14
15	16 MLK Day (No School)	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 School Board Mtg - 6 PM	25	26	27 K-12 Early Release	28
29	30 Happy New Year					

