

May 2012

It's hard to believe that it's time for the May newsletter. I would like to begin by thanking everyone for another great year. Even though we are close to the end, we have many activities scheduled. Our book fair is scheduled from April 30-May 4th. Riverview will be helping with the State track meet on the 11th and 12th. Volunteers are still needed. The band/chorus concert is at 7:00 p.m. on the 10th. May 17th is the 8th grade graduation. So as you can see, there are plenty of scheduled events in the next few weeks.

As many of you know, I will be leaving Riverview at the end of June. I want to thank you for a wonderful 5 years. I have thoroughly enjoyed working with your students. It has been fun watching them grow and learn. I also want to thank the amazing faculty and staff at Riverview. I have mixed emotions leaving RGS but I have been given an opportunity for growth in my career that will benefit my family. This school and community is a very special place.

As our current 8th grade gears-up for graduation, we have students that need to be encouraged to continue to work hard. Many times as the weather gets warmer, some students start to get in summer mode. Our 8th graders have done a nice job all year leading our students. I want to thank them for their leadership and ask that they continue to lead us to the end of the year. We want all of our students to finish strong. Any encouragement from home will certainly help. If you have any questions about upcoming events, please contact the school at 822-8550.

Yours in Education,

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