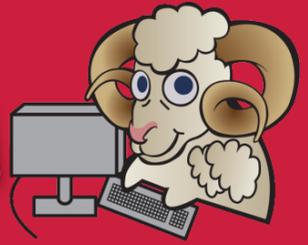


# RAMBLING ON



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## An Update from the Administration

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Greetings, RPS Community!

We hope our families and students are doing well. We'd like to take a moment to thank everyone who attended last week's Family Resource Night that successfully connected community services and educational support to our families. The night was sponsored by our Title I, Title III, Gifted & Talented, and 21st Century CLC programs, which hosted more than 40 vendors.

"Providing families with academic and community information will help them in making informed decisions about their child's educational and social-emotional needs, which will lead to greater academic outcomes," said Title I Supervisor Bill Jones. "We are thrilled with the turnout we had, and look forward to future events such as this to keep our Roselle families informed."

Now, let's see what's been happening in our schools.

In honor of Teacher Appreciation Week, the Central Office Administration toured each school to provide staff with treats to thank them for their dedication to our students.

"Dr. Fisher made his way around to all the schools to show his appreciation and to personally thank teachers for everything that they do which was amazing," said Kindergarten Success Academy Principal Sheila Williams. "The teachers are such hard workers and their passion is shown each and every day here at the KSA and throughout the district."



Washington Elementary School was provided "the gift of time" last week as they concluded a week-long celebration of the staff. Principal Marianne Tankard created a schedule that was a win for both students and staff as scholars engaged in an additional STEAM period, giving an opportunity for staff to have an additional period off.

"In my years of being a classroom teacher, I know how important time is. Often teachers have their prep time devoted to instructional tasks. They never have an opportunity to talk, laugh, and kick their feet up with each other. This year I was able to coordinate it with our staff luncheon which was sponsored by our phenomenal PTO," said Principal Tankard. "It was wonderful to watch my teachers laugh, talk, and enjoy a meal together."



Harrison Elementary School students filled the hallways last week for an encouraging and fun pep rally to cheer on 3rd and 4th grade students for the New Jersey Student Learning Assessments (NJSLA). What a great way for the school community to support our scholars.

"The intensity was electrifying as students and staff members waved pom-poms, positive thoughts hung in the hallways, and students gave encouraging affirmations to our test-takers!" said Acting Principal Wayne Bullock.



Dr. Charles C. Polk Elementary School also hosted a pep rally for NJSLA test takers that included great music and dancing to amp up excitement.



Grace Wilday Junior High School orchestra students had an opportunity to play with Abraham High School students in a special Orchestra Day field trip that concluded with a wonderful performance at our Family Resource Night.

"The Grace Wilday students really enjoyed getting to meet and work with the older students. It was a great experience for all of them being able to play in a larger group. The eighth graders are very excited to come here next year," said District Supervisor of Visual and Performing Arts Amanda L. Nagy.



Abraham Clark High School celebrated College Decision Day on May 2 as students who have declared their post-secondary destinations were celebrated. Students enjoyed a wonderful lunch that included guest speakers Dr. Aaron X. Smith, Professor of African American Studies at Temple University, and Tisha Stephens, Financial Advisor with Financial Matters.

Lastly, Dr. Fisher offered motivational and problem-solving tips to HES Lightning League Runners. The all boys runners are coached by Coaches Cutinello and Coach Worlds and they are truly future track ACHS track runners in the making.



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Stay Roselle Strong, and remember we focus on "Every Student Everyday!" because "All Students Matter!"

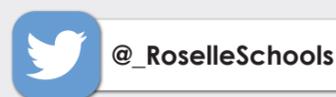
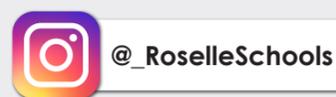


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