

Ryan Park Elementary School

Rhino News



Upcoming Events:

- **Nov. 1:** Report Cards Issued to Students
- **Nov. 12:** PTO Meeting 6:30pm
- **Nov. 11-15:** Science Fair
- **Nov. 18 & 25:** Science Central Comes to RP!
- **Nov. 27-29:** Thanksgiving Break – No School
- **Dec. 4**—Progress Reports Issued to Students

Reminder!

No School Nov. 27-29
Enjoy Thanksgiving Break!

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Student Absence Forms

Please be sure to fill out a student absence form **if your child will NOT be in school for a reason other than illness**. Missed work must be completed before the absence if possible. Absences will be excused, but will accumulate in your child's attendance record. Thank you.

The Principal's Desk

Amy Heavin

Our 1st nine weeks of school have gone in the books, and we continue forging ahead with the fantastic learning at the school. So many wonderful opportunities are taking place at the school, and it is because of the support and encouragement of every Rhino that it has been a success.

We greatly appreciate everyone's efforts in helping each child every day, helping ensure the safety of our students by following school procedures, and being a positive voice as we work together to improve our school. None of this could happen without your sup-

port!

Thank you to all for coming out to parent-teacher conferences. This is always a great opportunity to work together to help our children always be their best!

As always, my door is open and I welcome your feedback. Thank you for all you do for our students!

Look at upcoming events and RP news on Twitter.
@RyanParkRhinos

Purpose: *Ryan Park is a safe and innovative learning community, in which positive role models challenge all individuals to achieve their highest potential.*

Direction: *Ryan Park strives to provide purposeful instruction & motivate individuals to become independent learners & productive citizens to guide future generations.*

School Delays

It's getting to be that time of year where the weather might pose a challenge.



Be sure to listen to WLKI, 100.3 or WPTA channel 21 for school delays or closings. Ryan Park is listed under MSD of Steuben County.

**Morning meetings will be rescheduled if there is a delay or closing.

Generous Hearts

Thank you to all who donated canned foods during the F.I.S.T. canned food drive! Ryan Park donated **1,824** canned food items for Steuben County!

The winning class was:
Mrs. Davis's 5th Grade Class: 287 items

Great job to all! Thank you!



Counselor's Corner

2019-2020
PTO Officers
 President - Laurie Kuster
 V. Pres. - Abbie Mathiak
 Secretary - Jessica Fox
 Treasurer - Melissa Zeeb
 Events Coord. - Ashley Fletcher & Desiree Isa

Student Council kicked off its very first service project in October- the Canned food drive. Thank you for participating and supporting our Student Council. Our students brought in more than 1800 items in one week! Amazing! We also wrapped up Red Ribbon Week with

some fun dress-up days! This month in guidance I will be teaching students how to protect themselves from abuse. Those students that have opted out of the lessons will have alternate assignments. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Each year, the employ-

ees of Cardinal IG in Fremont raise money to purchase coats, hats, and gloves for area children in need. If you would be interested in receiving this gift, please contact Mrs. Holden by November 5th.

Jennifer Holden,
 Guidance
 Counselor



Box Tops for Education

Please send in your Box Tops to support Camp Rhino! Each month, the box tops will be collected and counted. There will be a winning class each month! Thank you for your support!

Tobacco-Free Campus

Ryan Park & ALL MSD of Steuben County Schools are Tobacco-Free Campuses. No tobacco is allowed on ANY school premise, including parking lots.



Ryan Park Science Fair

Thank you to all of the students who registered for the 2019 science fair! All projects will be due at the school on Monday, November 11, 2019. Projects will be on display that entire week for all classes to view. The judging will take place Tuesday, November 12th. All participants will earn a surprise

and a pizza party! Work hard on your projects and displays! If you need a board, see Mrs. Davis!

If you have any questions, please ask Michele Davis - mdavis@msdsc.us



Ryan Park Reminders:

Student Absences: Call the office @ 260-668-8873 before 9:00 am.

Student Dismissal: No child may change his/her usual method of transportation home from school without a written note or a phone call from a parent.

Website: Please check out our school website for continuous updates and other information. <http://rpe.msdsteuben.k12.in.us/>

"Peanut Restricted": We are a peanut-free school. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Remind: Sign up for Ryan Park's Remind. Text @ryanparkp to 81010

Picture Retakes

Picture retakes are scheduled for **Tuesday, November 5th**. If your child was absent on picture day, or would like a different picture taken, please bring the packet on that day!

Daylight Saving Time Ends Soon!

Sunday, November 3rd!

Turn clocks **BACK** 1 hour!



Sign Up for Mrs. Heavin's Remind Text Messages!

Ryan Park has a NEW Remind class for all-school announcements, including weather delays and cancellations! Be sure to sign up if you haven't already!

Text @ryanparkp to 81010

Thank you!

