

Ryan Park Elementary School

Rhino News



Upcoming Events:

- **Oct. 3:** PTO Meeting 6:30pm
- **Oct. 4-6:** Fall Book Fair
- **Oct. 6:** Goodies with Grandparents 1:30-2:30pm
- **Oct. 16 & 18:** Parent-Teacher Conferences
- **Oct. 20:** End of 1st Quarter
- **Oct. 23-27:** Fall Break!
- **Oct. 30:** 2nd Quarter Begins
- **Nov. 3:** 1st Quarter Report Cards Sent Home

Reminder!

No School October 23rd-27th!

Enjoy Fall 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

October is an eventful month, learning is in full swing, and fall is in the air. We are thrilled to be a part of your child's education during this exciting time.

Ryan Park Rhinos are excited for Rocky's Math Blast! We are continuing this wonderful math program, spending time each day to focus on math facts, setting and reaching our goals! Students are already meeting their goals and earning stickers on their Math Blast lanyard card! Way to reach for the stars!

My door is open, and I welcome comments, concerns,

and questions.

Thank you for all you do for our students.

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

Lunch

If you are bringing your child's lunch to school, please **ONLY** bring food for your child. Sharing food during lunch is **strongly** discouraged.
Thank you!

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.



Goodies with Grandparents

Friday, October 6th
1:30-2:30pm



Rhino Grandparents are cordially invited to our Grandparent Open House, featuring treats and classroom visits.

Students may give grandparents a tour of the building including their classroom, showing their recent work and projects in class! The Scholastic Book Fair will be open during this time.

Hope to you see our grandparents there!

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PTO Officers

President - Abby Mathiak
 V. President - Melissa Zeeb
 Secretary - Laurie Kuster
 Treasurer - Ashley Brown
 Events Coordinators -
 Teresa Stuckey & Katrina
 Buchanan

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!

Parent Survey

In an effort to improve our practices, please take a moment to complete this survey.

<http://www.advanc-ed.org/survey/public/8474775>

All responses are anonymous.

Thank you!!!

PTO Book Fair!

The Scholastic Book Fair is Here!

When: October 4th-6th

Where: Ryan Park Gym

Times:

Wed. Oct 4th – 7:45-3:30

Thurs. Oct. 5th – 7:45-3:30

Fri. Oct. 6th: 7:45-3:30



Counselor's Corner

We have a very busy month coming up.

College Go Week

This will take place next week. I will be teaching a lesson to all classes about college. We will be celebrating all week. Our schedule is as follows:

Monday 9/25: Check out where your teacher and other staff members attended college.

Tuesday 9/26: Photo opportunity for students. When I grow up I want to be a...

Wednesday 9/27: Wear College Gear Day

Thursday 9/28: Walk Into My Future at Trine Grades 1-3
 It's never too early to start

thinking about and planning for college!

Student Council will be Trick-or-treating for canned goods.

October 1-17

All items collected will be donated to Project Help. This is an activity we will be doing with the High School FIST organization and the Steuben County Community Foundations. Send in those non perishable items!

October 16-20 is Red Ribbon Week

Monday, October 16: Red Ribbon Day

Tuesday, October 17: Wear Red Day

Wednesday October 18: Smarties don't do drugs

Thursday, October 19: Pledge Day: Pledge to be Drug Free

Friday, October 20: Orange you glad to be Drug Free! Wear Orange Day



Parent-Teacher Conferences & Report Cards

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled after school on Monday, October 16 and Wednesday, October 18. Please contact your child's teacher to set up a time to meet if you haven't already done so. Teachers will be sending reminders out soon.

Report cards will be sent home with every child on **Friday, November 3rd.**

If you have any questions regarding your child's grades, please contact his/her teacher.



Congratulations!

Ryan Park Student Council 1st Semester

3rd Grade

Jackson Steury, Mason Smith, Kenzie Barron

4th Grade

Madeline Buck, Daniel Koch, Haven Stockamp

5th Grade

Jacob Carter, Brady Warren, Jaymasen Delancey

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.mssteuben.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 @ryanpa to 81010