



GREETINGS RAIDER NATION



Greetings Raiders!

I hope you had an awesome summer break. We are so excited to get the year started and we are really looking forward to everybody returning. Great things are in store for us this coming school year! The 2018-2019 school year was a great academic year and so much was

accomplished. We had an amazing amount of scholarships awarded to our seniors and they are now beginning their collegiate and professional careers with a great deal of success to build on.

Students, for the new school year, please remember that we will continue focusing on our ABC's – Attendance, Behavior, and Classroom Success. Please make certain you become aware of the attendance policy and the student dress code as outlined in the Student Code of Conduct. We will continue to work hard to provide the best learning environment possible for our students and teachers.

We definitely have much to be proud of and we are excited to see what great things we accomplish this 2019-2020 school year.

I look forward to seeing you all and as always...
It's A Great Time To Be A Raider!

RIVERDALE HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

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MISSION:

Will adapt to the changing face of the community while preparing to meet the needs of a global society

VISION:

Our students set goals and learn the skills they each need to achieve them. Students then apply their learned abilities to their goals in order to best prepare

BELIEF STATEMENT:

Public education is imperative to support and sustain a diverse democratic society. To this end, we believe, student learning is the chief priority for our school. Challenging expectations increase student performance. Students learn in different ways and should be provided with a variety of instructional approaches to support their learning. The home, school and community must serve and support one another. Teaching and learning require a healthy, safe and orderly environment. Resources and services are essential for effective instruction. All staff must continue to learn and all schools must continue to improve.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

Please see your Focus Parent Portal for important documents that need to be filled out ASAP.

Please see this video to assist in how to fill out the forms:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gL3YjZj7kWM&feature=youtu.be>

If you do not have a Focus Parent Portal please see this website to help guide you in registering:

<https://www.leeschools.net/cms/one.aspx?portalId=676305&pageId=6495535>

GUIDANCE

Knowing who to call for help can put students on the path to success quickly! The following information will let you know who your student's counselor is. If you have questions concerning your child's academic progress, please contact us so we can help.

COUNSELORS

ACT			SAT		
Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Fee Required	Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Fee Required
September 14, 2019	August 16, 2019	September 1, 2019	October 5, 2019	September 6, 2019	September 24, 2019
Oct 26, 2019	Sept 27, 2019	Oct 13, 2019	November 2, 2019	October 3, 2019	October 22, 2019
Dec 14, 2019	Nov 8, 2019	Nov 25, 2019	December 7, 2019	November 8, 2019	November 26, 2019
February 8, 2020	January 10, 2020	January 17, 2020	March 14, 2020	February 14, 2020	March 3, 2020
April 4, 2020	February 28, 2020	March 13, 2020	May 2, 2020	April 3, 2020	April 21, 2020

Mrs. Carol Hauger -
carolah@leeschools.net

A - F Seniors

A - E Underclassmen

All IA / IS and Life Skill
students

Teacher Academy

Department Head

Ms. Lorri Mercer -
lorriam@leeschools.net

G - R Seniors

F - O Underclassmen

Student Aides

Mr. Otto Hampel -
ottofh@leeschools.net

S - Z Seniors

P - Z Underclassmen

All Dual Enrollment Students

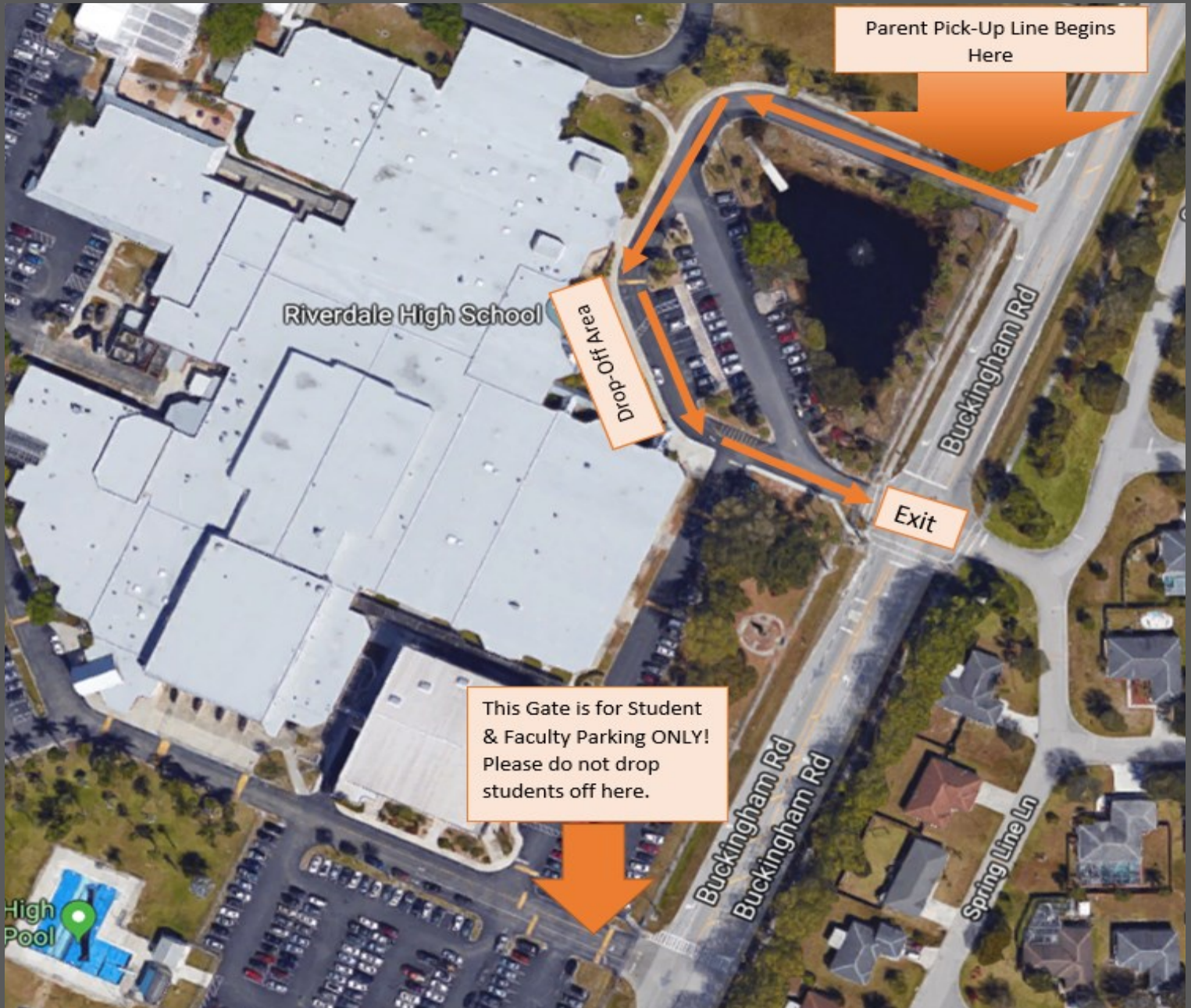
Mrs. Ashley Sexton -
ashleys@leeschools.net

All current and former IB students

Student Aides

STUDENT SAFETY

Safety is our top priority at Riverdale. For student and staff safety please ensure that you drop your children off at the designated parent pick-up location.



SUCCESS IS A CHOICE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION



CLASSROOM CODES

Freshmen: 0bcq0qa

Sophomores: fr9i5iv

Juniors: 7ire7u

Seniors: fgrxkj

2019 RHS Homecoming - b2qi5ae

Blood Drive Online Sign Ups - tz139zh

STATE TESTING

All testing information can be found on this live document:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1sdLcyl75t2ongJhW0_wNz6-kQsf9VvMMSgvrp9HXCvE/edit#gid=0

HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS

Transcript forms are located at the front counter in the Guidance Office.

Fill out one form for each college or university to where you are applying.

If you are under 18 years of age, a parent signature is required for the Guidance Office to release your transcripts.

At the end of your senior year, you will need to request a final transcript to be sent to the college or university you will be attending in the fall. Final transcripts are proof of graduation and final standing in the class.

BRIGHT FUTURES REMINDER

STEP 1: Go to www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org/SSFAD/bf to find out how to qualify for a Bright Futures Scholarship.

STEP 2: Go to www.FloridaStudentFinancialAid.org and submit a completed, error free Initial Student Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) during your last year of high school, by graduation.

STEP 3: Make the grade, earn the score....and graduate! The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program is created to establish a lottery-funded scholarship program to reward any Florida high school graduate who merits recognition of high academic achievement. The graduate must enroll in a degree program, certificate program, or applied technology program at an eligible Florida public or private postsecondary education institution.

STEP 4: Know your responsibilities....apply, meet the requirements before graduation & throughout your college career. (Requirements are subject to change with each Florida Legislative session.)

FAFSA REMINDER

Remember to apply for FAFSA

<https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

HOMEcoming

Welcome to the Raider Jungle

September 9th thru September 14th

2019 Homecoming

Monday, September 9th: Huntin' for Cougars - Camo Day

- Womanless Beauty Pageant (WBP) 6:30 PM RHS Auditorium

Tuesday, September 10th: Tacky Tourist Day

- Lunchtime activities Lunch RHS Cafeteria

Wednesday, September 11th: Class Color Day

- Powder Puff Football 6:30 PM RHS Stadium
 - Freshman vs. Seniors Game #1
 - Sophomores vs. Juniors Game #2
- Powder Puff Cheerleading Competition
 - Losers play for 3rd place Game #3
 - Winners play for 1st place Game #4

Thursday, September 12th: Character Day

- Lunchtime activities Lunch RHS Cafeteria

Friday, September 13th: Garnet and Gold Friday

- Pep Rally 7:10AM/7:55AM RHS Gymnasium
- Football Game 7:30 PM RHS Stadium
- Crowning of the Homecoming Halftime RHS Stadium

King and Queen

Saturday, September 14th:

Homecoming Dance 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM RHS Gymnasium/Cafeteria

HOMECOMING

Welcome to the Raider Jungle

2019 RHS Homecoming Week

Huntin' for Cougars (Camo) Monday:

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to dress in hunting or camo attire. Hats will be permitted if appropriate for the day.

School dress code rules still apply. Masks are not permitted.

Tacky Tourist Tuesday:

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to dress up in tacky tourist attire.

School dress code rules still apply.

Class Color Wednesday:

Students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to wear clothing of a designated color to support the class of their choice.

12th – Black 11th – White 10th – Blue 9th – Red

Character Thursday:

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to dress up like any character from a Jungle themed story book. Hats will be permitted if appropriate for the day. **School dress code rules still apply.**

Garnet and Gold Friday:

Students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to dress in garnet and gold to show their school spirit.

TESTING INFORMATION



September 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
1	2	3	4
	Labor Day	Formative Assessment ELA, Alg.1, Geo, Bio, US His.	Formative Assessment ELA, Alg.1, Geo, Bio, US His.
8	9	10	11
	NGSSS Biology (38)	NGSSS US History (19)	
15	16	17	18
	FSA ELA Writing Retake (446)	FSA ELA Reading Retake (446)	FSA ELA Reading Retake (446)
22	23	24	25
	FSA Geometry (52)	FSA Geometry (52)	STAR Math & Reading
29	30	1	2
	Rosh Hashanah		

SENIORS

Senior Pictures

The second round of senior pictures will be on September 9th and 10th.

The third round of senior pictures will be on October 31st and November 1st. Appointments will be scheduled through PAS (Prestige Appointment Scheduling).

The session fee will be \$20.00.

Dear Senior and Senior Parents;

Will you be going to college or vocational school, the military? Start making plans for the ACT and SAT, cap and gown and senior pictures. Parents, please make sure your senior has met with his/her guidance counselor and is enrolled in all of the required classes for graduation. If your senior is eligible for a Florida Bright Futures Scholarship, check to see if he/she will meet the qualifications for the scholarship. An additional course or SAT/ACT test scores might be needed.

Prestige Portraits by Life Touch is proud to be the official senior photographer for Riverdale High School. They will be taking Portraits for the Class of 2020.

If you wish to place a senior ad in the yearbook, please visit rdh.leeschools.net and click on the Jostens link for Purchasing a Senior Ad. Yearbooks will be available for purchase when school starts and the cost is \$75.00 but prices will increase after December.

One of the first senior activities is **ordering you caps and gowns and graduation announcements**. This will take place at the end of October. Details will follow at the beginning of the school year. The payment will be collected in November, with the final deadline for ordering announcements sometime in December. More specific dates will be announced in the fall. The price of the cap and gown increases if ordered after February, 2020. **Announcements cannot be ordered after December**. Announcements will arrive in April and will be distributed as soon as possible. Caps and gowns are distributed in May.

Another fall activity that takes place in November, is the class photo. There will be a **panoramic picture** of the senior class of 2020 taken in the gym, and another panoramic picture of them forming the "20" numbers on the football field. The pictures will be available for \$15.00 each, unless there is a price increase.

Second semester will be lots of fun. There will be a **senior class pool party and BBO (no cost), Grad Bash**, which is a special all-night function for seniors only at Universal Studios. Seniors will ride to Orlando in chartered buses and return the following morning. The estimated cost is around \$160. There will also be a **senior breakfast (no cost)** and yearbook signing party. Senior activities come to the end with **Senior Awards Night, Baccalaureate and Graduation**.

Seniors, if you will be attending High- Tech, LAMP, FSW, or FGCU, you will need to keep in contact with the senior class sponsor (Mrs. Gonzalez) to keep current on all of the specific dates of the activities. In the fall, all seniors will be receiving a **Senior Timeline** of the events and a price list of possible expenditures. The counselors at LAMP and High-Tech will have copies of all of the materials that will be distributed to the seniors. Seniors attending FSW/ and FGCU will need to stop by the school and pick up that necessary paperwork.

Parents and seniors, there will be a **Senior Timeline** distributed in the fall. **The Riverdale Community Corner Newsletter** will also contain pertinent senior information in each issue, as well as the **Riverdale High School Website**. If you have any questions, please call us in August or any time throughout the year at 694-4141 or email Mrs. Gonzalez mistidg@leeschools.net.



SENIORS TIMELINE C/O 2020

****Grad Bash Deposits of \$80.00 must be paid by December 18th. Payment in full by March 2nd of \$160.00****

August 12, 2019- Senior Portraits must be taken in order to be in the yearbook - by November 1, 2019

Photo Dates - September 9th and 10th and October 31st and November 1st - schedule through Prestige Photo

Friday, September 13, 2019 - Homecoming: Raiders vs. Cardinal Mooney

**Saturday, September 14, 2019 - Homecoming Dance
7:00pm - 11:00pm**

Tuesday, October 29, 2019 - Herff Jones meeting on Cap & Gown/Graduation Announcements 7:15 AM Auditorium

Thursday and Friday, November 7&8, 2019 - HERFF JONES ORDERS during all lunch shifts- Cap and Gown

Tuesday- November 5, 2019- Senior Parent meeting 6:30 PM Auditorium

Tuesday, November 12, 2019 - Senior Panoramic Picture and Picture on the field- 7:15 AM GYM

Thursday, December 19, 2019 - DEADLINE: Ordering Graduation Announcements from Herff Jones

****Friday, February 28, 2020 - >>>Last Chance to Order Cap and Gown<<< Prices will go up after this date!**

Monday, March 2, 2020 - Grad Bash Payment Due in Full. Permission Slips will be distributed when final payment is made.

Tuesday, March 3, 2020 - Grad Bash bus sign-ups with permission slip turned in only (Google Classroom)

Saturday, April 4, 2020- Prom- FGCU 7:00- 11:00 PM

Friday, April 9, 2020 - Senior Pool Party 10:45- Auditorium 11:00 Pool/Lunch- possible 9th

Friday, April 17, 2020 - Grad Bash- Universal Studios- 1:00- Report to auditorium YOU MUST BE IN SCHOOL TO ATTEND- At least a half day or you will not be allowed to go! 1st 2 blocks or last 2 blocks

Wednesday-Friday, April 22- 24, 2020 - Cap and Gown Distribution During All Lunch Shifts

Tuesday, April 28, 2020 - Senior Awards Night - 6:30 PM- This event is by invitation only, the invitation is your ticket in and those invited must wear Cap and Gown

MANDATORY Practice Monday, April 27th at 7:15 AM in the Auditorium

Friday, May 1, 2020 - Mandatory Senior Meeting -7:10 am - Senior Breakfast/Yearbook distribution following meeting

Tues-Fri, May 5th, 6th, 7th, & 8th, 2020 - Senior Final Exams - MANDATORY

Tuesday, May 5, 2020 - Baccalaureate- Auditorium- 6:30 PM

(All Seniors are welcome - not a mandatory event - if you attend, then you must wear cap and gown)

Thursday, May 14, 2020 - Graduation Practice 9:00- 11:00 PM Mandatory for ALL -Location TBD

Graduation-TBD

COLLEGE PLANNING TIPS



SENIOR CLASS OF 2020

- You should be applying now and know each college or university's admission deadline.
- Check that your applications are complete and filled out properly.
- Keep copies of application materials and stay organized.
- Extra-curricular activities make your application stand out.
- Be sure to get feedback on your college essay from trusted mentors or teachers. Correct your grammar and use a variety of vocabulary.
- Be sure to include letters of recommendation and ask teachers or counselors well in advance of the application deadline.
- Check the class of 2020 Google Classroom for scholarships, FAFSA information and application tips.
- For questions regarding changes to Bright Futures Community Service Hours requirements and criteria, please contact Carol Hauger at the school at Ext. 217

JUNIOR CLASS OF 2021

- Begin researching post-secondary options such as college or technical schools.
- Meet with your counselor to address any questions about your potential career path so you can make a plan to meet your goals.
- Take the most rigorous courses possible and don't give up. Colleges and employers like to see hard-working individuals with resilience.
- Narrow your search for your college/post-secondary schools to 5 that you intend to submit applications to. Plan on visiting each school in the spring.
- Now is the time to be preparing to take your ACT and SAT.

SCHOLARSHIPS

BRIGHT FUTURES SCHOLARSHIP

The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program establishes lottery-funded scholarships to reward Florida high school graduates for high academic achievement.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Be a Florida resident and a U.S. citizen or eligible noncitizen, as determined by the student's postsecondary institution.
- Complete the Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA) no later than August 31 after high school graduation.
- Earn a standard Florida high school diploma or its equivalent from a Florida public high school or a registered Florida Department of Education (FDOE) private high school; or complete a home education program.
- Not have been found guilty of, or pled nolo contendere to, a felony charge, unless the student has been granted clemency by the Governor and Cabinet sitting as the Executive Office of Clemency.
- Be accepted by and enroll in a degree or certificate program at an eligible Florida public or independent postsecondary institution.
- Be enrolled for at least 6 non-remedial semester credit hours (or the equivalent in quarter or clock hours) per term.
- If not funded in the academic year immediately following high school graduation, apply within two years of high school graduation to have your award reinstated.

SCHOLARSHIPS

The website (sponsored by the Foundation for Lee County Schools) to apply is

<https://flcps.awardspring.com>. Students will create an account, complete the general application, and then as a third step, apply to the Fred & Jean Allegretti Scholarship. They may also apply to any other that they qualify for, including the Suncoast Scholarship, Jeff Sommers Memorial Scholarship, and Richard Hagy Memorial Scholarship.

- The Fred & Jean Allegretti Scholarship offers a \$1000 scholarship to 5 Riverdale High School seniors. This scholarship is made possible through the generosity of the Fred & Jean Allegretti Foundation.
- The Suncoast Credit Union Foundation has partnered with the Consortium of Florida Education Foundation to award \$116,000 in student scholarships for graduates of the Class of 2020. Suncoast will award \$2,000 scholarships to 58 high school seniors who demonstrate financial need and strong academic performance across the 21 Florida counties we serve.
- The Richard Hagy Memorial Scholarship Fund committee wishes to extend to you this opportunity to apply for the Richard Hagy Memorial Scholarship valued at \$1,000 to be awarded in the spring of 2020. Richard Hagy had a passion for educating students and served Lee County Schools for more than 30 years as teacher, coach, and principal of ALC and Mariner Middle Schools. He was named Principal of the Year and touched the lives of countless students and friends. This is a one-year scholarship, non-renewable, paid directly to the Financial Aid office of the institution the student is attending.

CLICK THE FOLLOWING LINK FOR UPDATED SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1MaUGg25Fu2j4RqicgMj2SW3Lj_vrXELGyfP76IS0GrU/edit

CLASS INFORMATION



P.E.

All PE students must purchase the PE Uniform for \$10.00 within the first two weeks of the semester.

OJT

All OJT students are required to meet in Coach Delgado's classroom to pick up paper work before they can leave campus. Once all appropriate paperwork is filled out and returned OJT students will

be given permission to leave campus during school hours for their on the job training. You must have the CORRECT permit when leaving campus for OJT. Please see Mrs. Curry in the Student Affairs office for details regarding permits. See Coach Delgado for any OJT questions.



IB SPOTLIGHT



Congratulations to the IB Class of 2019!

72 IB Diplomas received, earning them 100% tuition paid at Florida Universities.

The IB Class of 2019 was offered \$7 Million in scholarships.

100% of the IB Graduates are enrolled in college for the 2019-2020 school year.

We welcome our newest IB Students, the Class of 2023! We welcome back our IB Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors. Can't wait to see all of accomplishments and memories these students will make this year.

IB Parents please join us at our monthly Parent Meetings:

RIVERDALE HIGH SCHOOL
International Baccalaureate Program
IB PARENT MEETING DATES



2019-2020

			<small>Meeting Topics</small>
August 20	6:30pm	Media Center	Google Classroom / Managebac
September 10	6:30 pm	Media Center	Study Skills / IB Clubs
October 8	6:30 pm	Media Center	FAFSA / Application Process / CAS
November 12	6:30 pm	Media Center	Mentoring / Community Service
December 10	6:30 pm	Media Center	Scholarships
January 14	6:30 pm	Media Center	Auction Prep
February 11	6:30 p.m.	Media Center	The Big Decision
March 10	6:30 p.m.	Media Center	Overview of Courses and Acronyms
April 14	6:30 p.m.	Media Center	College Apps / Board Nominations
May 12	6:30 p.m.	Media Center	Board Elections / Year Wrap-up



Please join our Facebook Group to keep up to date with the latest news and information.

Group Address:

[riverdaleibparentgroup@groups.facebook.com](https://www.facebook.com/groups/riverdaleibparentgroup/)

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/riverdaleibparentgroup/>



Add this email address to your contacts and please make sure that we have your current email so that you can be added to email list — BHSIBPO@gmail.com

For downloadable documents and more IB information:

<http://rdh.leeschools.net/ib-student-documents>

RIVERDALE FOOTBALL



Freshman football begins on the first day of school. All students who might be interested should report to the weight room immediately after school on Monday, August 12th 2019.

Kickoff Classic at Home against Baron Collier at 7PM on August 16th 2019.

Football Parent and Recruiting Meeting on August 20th at 6PM in the auditorium.



Currently our guys are participating in the biggest and most important fundraiser for the 2019 season. Raider Cards have been distributed and our guys really need to be diligent in selling those cards and turning in money on a daily basis this week. Each card can be purchased for \$20 and there are multiple incentives for our guys doing their part in this effort. It is the expectation that every player be committed to our fundraising efforts and diligently sells these cards.

We have several needs within our program leading up to the 2019 season. **ONE MAJOR NEED THIS WEEK IS SANDWICH BREAD.** Needs for the Raider Kitchen and our program can be found in this link:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/17-XZ7ltCXsAR4JGWMOUl4fWgWOXwjLaTq7OvbWmnpVA/edit?usp=sharing>



RIVERDALE FOOTBALL



RAIDERS ATHLETICS

SPORT:	VARSITY FOOTBALL	COACH:	JAMES DELGADO	YEAR:	2019
DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	HOME/AWAY	VARSITY	EVENTS
16 AUG 2019 CLASSIC	FRIDAY	CLASSIC BARRON COLLIER	HOME	7:00 P.M.	
23 AUG 2019 WEEK 1	FRIDAY	DUNBAR	AWAY	7:00 P.M.	
30 AUG 2019 WEEK 2	FRIDAY	NORTH	AWAY	7:00 P.M.	
6 SEPT 2019 WEEK 3	FRIDAY	CHARLOTTE	HOME	7:00 P.M.	
13 SEPT 2019 WEEK 4	FRIDAY	CARDINAL MOONEY	HOME	7:00 P.M.	HOMECOMING
20 SEPT 2019 WEEK 5	FRIDAY	CAPE CORAL	HOME	7:00 P.M.	
27 SEPT 2019 WEEK 6	FRIDAY	GULF COAST	AWAY	7:00 P.M.	DISTRICT
4 OCT 2019 WEEK 7	FRIDAY	GOLDEN GATE	AWAY	7:00 P.M.	
11 OCT 2019 WEEK 8	FRIDAY	LEHIGH	HOME	7:00 P.M.	DISTRICT
18 OCT 2019 WEEK 9	FRIDAY	OPEN	OPEN	7:00 P.M.	
25 OCT 2019 WEEK 10	FRIDAY	NORTH PORT	HOME	7:00 P.M.	DISTRICT
1 NOV 2019 WEEK 11	FRIDAY	FORT MYERS	AWAY	7:00 P.M.	

RIVERDALE FOOTBALL



RAIDERS ATHLETICS

SPORT:	FRESH/JV FOOTBALL	COACH:	JAMES DELGADO	YEAR:	2019
DATE	DAY	OPPONENT	HOME/AWAY	J.V.	FRESHMAN
29 AUG 2019	THURSDAY	ESTERO	AWAY	6:00 P.M.	NO FRESHMAN
4 SEPT 2019	WEDNESDAY	DUNBAR	AWAY	NO JV	6:00 P.M.
5 SEPT 2019	THURSDAY	DUNBAR	AWAY	6:00 P.M.	NO FRESHMAN
19 SEPT 2019	THURSDAY	CAPE CORAL	AWAY	7:30 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
26 SEPT 2019	THURSDAY	BONITA SPRINGS	AWAY	7:30 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
3 OCT 2019	THURSDAY	FORT MYERS	HOME	7:30 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
10 OCT 2019	THURSDAY	LEHIGH	AWAY	7:30 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
17 OCT 2019	THURSDAY	NORTH	HOME	7:30 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
24 OCT 2019	THURSDAY	NORTH PORT	AWAY	6:00 P.M.	NO FRESHMAN

RIVERDALE SPORTS



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BUY HIGH SCHOOL TICKETS NOW

RIVERDALE HIGH SCHOOL ALL SPORTS PASSES ARE
NOW AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE ONLINE



CHECK OUT
<https://gofan.co/RiverdaleRaiders>
TO PURCHASE PASSES

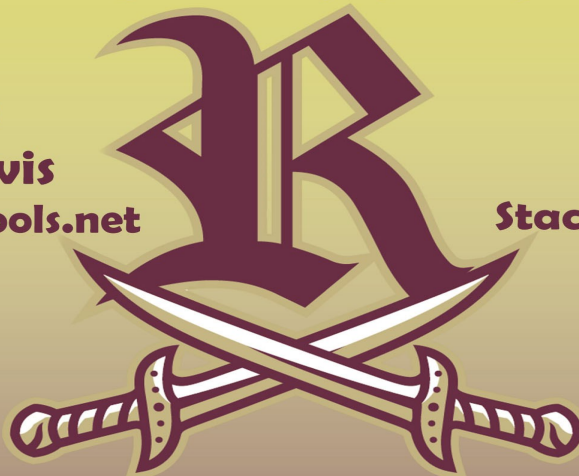
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RIVERDALE SPORTS



Raider Cross Country

Boys Coach:
Donnavan Lewis
DonnavanJL@LeeSchools.net
Portable 13



Girls Coach:
Stacey Green
StaceyLG@LeeSchools.net
Room 7-19

All Paces and Abilities are Welcome! Join Us!



**See a Coach
For More Information!**



RIVERDALE SPORTS



Girls' Lacrosse

Be a part of our exciting and growing program!

Contact Coach Muller in room 8-02 for more information.

Boys Lacrosse

Riverdale's Boys Lacrosse Team is looking forward to another great season in 2019–2020. Last year, the team racked up 14 wins and only 3 losses and went to the district championships for the first time in program history. This season, we are in a tougher division and play against some of the better teams in the state, but our boys have the talent to do well in 2020.

In the next two weeks, there will be a meeting for all boys interested in joining the team for this coming season. We encourage anyone who is athletic and willing to work hard to come out. No experience necessary. We can train you to meet our very high standards and be competitive with the best players in the area.

Pre-season conditioning will start the second week of school. We plan on two days of conditioning that will increase in intensity as the year progresses. We will host a parents informational meeting sometime in late August or early September. Indoor lacrosse and fall season options will be announced as information becomes available.

Contact Head Coach Richard Williamson at richardpw@leeschools.net for more information and to join our email list.

RIVERDALE SPORTS



Wrestling

See updated information on the RHS wrestling website:

<https://sites.google.com/site/riverdaleraiderswrestling/>

See the link provided to access the 2019-2020 Fall sports schedules:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/19diVxFXhSSBLZM4qy21kvrQwRbi6g58T?usp=sharing>

RIVERDALE SPORTS



School District Notification for Athletic Events

The School District of Lee County is restricting guests from bringing certain items into our stadiums.

In order to better protect our students and visitors, prohibited items include but are not limited to:

- Bookbags, backpacks, cinch bags, duffel bags, camera bags or purses/bags larger than 4 x 6 inches
- Any item that could be used as a missile
- Cans/bottles/outside food or drink
- Coolers
- Fireworks
- Horns/Lasers

As always, any type of weapon on school property is prohibited.

In addition, guests and the items they are carrying are subject to search.

Thank you for your patience as we strive to better protect our students and visitors.

RIVERDALE CLUBS

The Riverdale Theatre Wing is in full swing planning for a great season. President Casi Wilson and Vice President Alyssa Dahlke attended the District Thespian planning meeting on July 17. They were given the dates and themes for this year's competitions. Our Fall production, *The Dining Room* by A.R. Gurney will be presented on October 18th and 19th in the school auditorium. If you would like to participate in drama this year, please stop by on odd days to room 6-01 and speak to Mrs. Ludwig.



Presents

The Dining Room

By

A.R. Gurney, Jr.



Coming October 2019

Presented by Special Arrangement Dramatists Play Service,

RIVERDALE CLUBS

Sewing Club

Every Tuesday from 1:40-3:00 PM in Portable 3

Latin Rhythm

Every Thursday from 1:40-2:25 PM in Portable 3

STEM @ Work

If you are interested in STEM @ Work please fill out the link below. There will be 5 field trips throughout the school year to various local businesses. There are no after-school meetings.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfjBHH_7Qt0yij4eg8c6videixAmjJVCpBPauCRIZjL6a-ofA/viewform

SCHOOL MESSENGER



Dear Families,

The School District of Lee County is moving to a new platform to share important information from your child's school and the district. **SchoolMessenger Communicate** enables us to send you emergency broadcasts, attendance alerts and event reminders. In addition, a companion app allows teachers and parents to directly communicate with each other, individually or in groups.

SchoolMessenger Communicate replaces our system currently known as Parentlink, but works very much the same way.

To sign up for your free account and download the app, visit www.Go.SchoolMessenger.com. Once you have an account, you can set your communication preferences for school calls, emails, texts and more. We have also placed a detailed user guide on our website www.leeschools.net.

SchoolMessenger Communicate is an easy way for us to keep in touch with you, and provide information you need to know about your child's education

Just go to www.leeschools.net and look for SchoolMessenger Communicate to sign up.

ATTENTION PARENTS

Lee County's *Focus Parent Portal* provides parents/guardians a real-time view of their child's assignment grades, attendance information, current averages in all classes, as well as progress monitoring results. To create a FOCUS account, head to :

<https://lee.focusschoolsoftware.com/focus/> and follow the directions from there.

SCHOOL NEWS!

Be sure to keep up with your school!

Riverdale's website:

<https://rdh.leeschools.net/>

Teachers Out of Field

Florida State Board Rule 6A-1.0503(3) requires that the School Board must approve all instructional personnel who are assigned to teach out-of-field. In addition, per Florida Statutes 1012.42(2), **all parents of students being taught by a teacher who is out-of-field must be notified.** This includes teachers who are out-of-field in ESOL.

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