

# pfc newsletter

August 19th | [riponelparents@gmail.com](mailto:riponelparents@gmail.com)



## VOLUNTEERS

We are overjoyed with the amazing response from so many wonderful parents excited to volunteer! We cannot wait to have you all on campus, supporting our school in so many ways. We are compiling and organizing all of our volunteers right now, so please be in the lookout for an email from the PFC in the coming week!

It's not too late to submit your volunteer interest form - you can find it linked at the top of the Parent Volunteer Portal. Please either email or drop it off to the office for the PFC. Thank you SO much for all the love + support!

## A LOOK AHEAD

We know life can get a little crazy but that we all still want to be there for our kids during those extra fun moments at school. This is why we created the Ripon El PFC Calendar.

This calendar is for all of us, especially the working parent who needs to know, well in advance, to request time off - so that we can be there to share in the fun!

You should have received this calendar in your welcome back packet but you can also find this on the website and at the top of our parent volunteer portal. Please take a look and pencil in those important dates, we look forward to seeing you!



### ripon elementary PFC CALENDAR 2022 - 2023

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#### IMPORTANT DATES

- AUG**
- 5 - 3PM - TK + KINDER MEET + GREET
- 9 - BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT (PARENTS ONLY)
- 10 - FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
- 9-16 - BOOK FAIR
- 12 - SCHOOL ASSEMBLY
- 24 - PFC MEETING - CHILDCARE PROVIDED
- SEP**
- 5 - NO SCHOOL - LABOR DAY
- 14 - PFC MEETING - CHILDCARE PROVIDED
- 15 - PICTURE DAY
- 16 - JOG-A-THON - BUBBLE RUN
- 23 - PLAYGROUND RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY
- OCT**
- 5 - LATE RELEASE + 2:50 PM GRADES 4-8
- 7 - EARLY RELEASE + 2PM GRADES 4-8
- 12 - PFC MEETING - CHILDCARE PROVIDED
- 21 - SCHOOL ASSEMBLY - RALLY
- 31 - HALLOWEEN PARADE
- NOV**
- 9 - PFC MEETING - CHILDCARE PROVIDED
- 11 - NO SCHOOL - VETERAN'S DAY
- 14-17 - EARLY RELEASE + 2PM GRADES 4-8
- 16 - PFC COMPANY PICK UP
- 18 - NO SCHOOL - CONFERENCES
- 21-25 - FALL BREAK - THANKSGIVING
- DEC**
- 21 - LATE RELEASE + 2:50 PM GRADES 4-8
- 22 - EARLY RELEASE + 2PM GRADES 4-8
- 23 - THROUGH 1/9 - NO SCHOOL / WINTER BREAK
- JAN**

# JOG-A-THON



Our biggest fundraiser of the year is already under way! Packets went home last Friday with all the details for Sept. 16th!

Please be sure to register your child, no money is required and the first class to reach 100% participation receives an ice cream party or \$5 gift cards to Twisted Tulip!

We are accepting Jog-A-Thon sponsorship on ALL levels through Aug. 26th! Our students wear the sponsor's logos on their tee shirts, all year long! We'd love to support your business or family while you support our children's education!

If you have any questions or need a Jog-A-Thon packet, please reach out to us by email: riponelparents@gmail.com.

## CONTRIBUTOR PROGRAM

We know families are busy and school fundraising can feel like a lot, especially if you have multiple children at Ripon El. This is why we are now offering the Contributor Program. This program allows families to make a one time donation for the school year and feel comfortable opting out of all fundraising for the year.

If you would like more info or have any questions, please email us: riponelparents@gmail.com

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**CONTRIBUTOR PROGRAM**

WELCOME TO THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR AT RIPON ELEMENTARY! Our planned fundraisers for this year include: Jog-a-thon, Pie Sales, and our T & T Dinner in May. Every year, Ripon Elementary PFC coordinates fundraisers to help pay for school activities, equipment, field trip bus expenses and more. In the past, families have inquired about donating in lieu of participating in fundraising activities. As a result, the Contributor Program was established. The Contributor Program allows families to make a one time donation to The Ripon El PFC. By participating in the Contributor Program, your student will be exempt from participating in any PFC Fundraiser activities throughout the entire school year.

Donations for the 2022-2023 school year are:  
1 student: \$200  
2 students: \$350  
3 students: \$450  
4 students or more: \$500

The additional benefits of the Contributor Program are:  
• Two tickets to T & T Dinner (May 6, 2023)  
• Free yearbook for each student  
• Inclusion in all "participation" prizes or drawings  
• Jog-a-thon T-shirt  
• Possible tax benefit (Please consult your tax-expert) Tax ID #: 260615767

\*\*\*Please understand that fundraising information will still come home with your child, however you can feel comfortable knowing you already contributed through the Contributor Program.\*\*\*  
Please make checks payable to Ripon Elementary PFC and return it with the bottom portion of this form to the school office by 8/30/22.

STUDENT NAME	GRADE	TEACHER

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Total Donation Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\*\*\*Your canceled check is your receipt





# JOIN US

AUG 24TH // 6-7PM

Our first PFC meeting of the year!

Please join us in the teacher's lounge for our first meeting of the year. Find out all the fun things in the works for Ripon El and contribute your thoughts to building a great year for everyone!

Childcare is provided in the cafeteria during this hour by our RAP program!

# THANK YOU

A huge thank you to our friends over at Garden Joy for donating 150 meal kits to our K-2nd grade families! Our kiddos were overjoyed to help make a dinner with fresh produce harvested that morning! Please email us if you would like to help volunteer at their next month's meal kit prep day.



# VOLUNTEER PORTAL

Subscribe at the bottom of our parent volunteer portal to be included in all future volunteer opportunities!

