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Happy Friday Mustangs!

**WELCOME Grades 2-5 ALL back next week!**

We are so excited that ALL of our In person students Grades 2-5 will be here EVERYDAY Tuesday - Friday starting next week ! The schedule will be as follows:

Grades TK-1 Tuesday - Friday, AM/PM (current schedule)

Grades 2 - 5 Tuesday - Friday, 8:45 a.m. - 2:25 p.m.

Please be sure to complete LumiSight screening every morning and please be patient as we DOUBLE the amount of students at drop off and pick up every day. It is SO worth it to have us in person each day!

**Boys and Girls Club Partnership Returns!**

The after school childcare through Boys and Girls Club is back! We are so excited to continue our partnership. The busses will begin picking up registered students beginning Tuesday, May 4th. For information, see t[he attached flyer.](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1N7F_CcYKAwhNMZHJl1Ztq76OvJsduRvH/view?usp=sharing)

**Richland Raises for Rady’s**

Student Council is leading the way to raise funds to support Rady’s Children’s hospital. Please see the attached student created fliers for more information or donate via FOR Club’s Venmo Account at @Richland-FOR Club. See the fun fliers that our student council created.

[Richland Raises for Rady's](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cnAUyi-7H06Q10JS7kyczBOl_4QXQ0l8/view?usp=sharing)

[Richland Raises for Rady’s 2](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1WZWFIFvqCCNV6JKSu1Pk_feSCoTNJfTL/view?usp=sharing)

[Richland Raises for Rady’s 3](https://drive.google.com/file/d/15a-2nUb4aj-3mDCiwZpxzciMFkRIf1yX/view?usp=sharing)

[Richland Rady’s Poster](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ibZiYZDormVZmfdKgH7GAELoVqLIlm86/view?usp=sharing)

**Are you returning to Richland next school year?**

We are so excited that our plan is for fulltime in person learning next school year. If you will NOT be returning to Richland next year, we will miss you but please let your child’s teacher and the office know. As we prepare our classes for next year, this information is important.

And...Spread the word that online registration has now opened new enrollment for ALL grades for the 21-22 school year!

**Sub Crossing Guards Needed**

Richland Elementary is STILL looking for people who love children, and want to earn some extra money by becoming substitute Crossing Guards.

We are in need of substitutes right now for our existing Crossing Guard positions but these positions may become more permanent. Welcome aboard our new NTS Lisa! If you’re interested, please apply on [www.edjoin.org](http://www.edjoin.org) and let us know you have applied. Come join Team Mustangs! For more information, please contact Ashley Gagnon at ashley.gagnon@smusd.org

**Next Week is Teacher Appreciation Week!**

Show your child’s teacher some love next week for Staff Appreciation. See the [linked flyer](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1REMJUaUmHaOGZCKFZgkwu-HRLguK-1b-/view?usp=sharing) for ideas on how to celebrate. A big thank you to FOR Club for honoring our staff.

**LCAP Stakeholder Feedback**

Throughout the month of March and April, Hanover Research conducted virtual LCAP stakeholder groups with staff and parents, including administrator groups, the SMUSD Parent Advisory Council, and DELAC. This month begins the LCAP draft review process. Please see below for the dates and times for the upcoming LCAP Stakeholder Meetings. Please note that all Spanish-speaking stakeholders have the option to attend the May DELAC meeting, where the draft will be presented in Spanish, and subsequent discussions will also be in Spanish.

* Tuesday, May 4th (Board Meeting): 6:30 PM: LCAP Public Hearing
* Wed, May 12th DELAC Meeting, 6:00-8:00 PM: This meeting is open to the public and will include a LCAP presentation in Spanish for all of our Spanish-speaking community members to attend & provide input/feedback.
* Tuesday, June 15th, 6:30PM: LCAP information & consent through Governing Board meeting

**FOR Club**

**\* BINGO DE MAYO**: Tuesday May 4th at 6:30PM (via Zoom). We’ll play 5 games and each card is $5. Order take-out or dine-in at Cocina del Charro, San Marcos before the bingo games begin. Visit [www.bingodemayo.givesmart.com](http://www.bingodemayo.givesmart.com/) to purchase bingo cards, register, and view/ bid on great prizes in the silent auction. You can bid on Disneyland tickets, Gift Baskets, a Handmade Quilt, and more!!

**\* TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK IS NEXT WEEK!** We'll start the week with students writing a sweet note to their teacher. Tuesday we've invited all staff to join us for our Bingo de Mayo celebration at 6:30 so we can all celebrate them together! Wednesday/Thursday you can bring your teacher a small gift or gift card and Friday students can wear their teacher's favorite color.

**\* GOLF TOURNAMENT:** The Annual Golf Tournament is scheduled for June 19th. Email forclubpresident@gmail.com for more information.

**\* SILVER GRAPHICS:**  Create keepsakes with your student's artwork or order Richland Strong face masks. We'll be releasing a new art tutorial next month that our Mustangs can follow along with. Find art tutorials and guidelines on our website: [https://www.richlandforclub.com/silver-graphics](http://track.spe.schoolmessenger.com/f/a/uNafFvtZyZLhinoBp3QHnQ~~/AAAAAQA~/RgRiEXbxP0QvaHR0cHM6Ly93d3cucmljaGxhbmRmb3JjbHViLmNvbS9zaWx2ZXItZ3JhcGhpY3NXB3NjaG9vbG1CCmAtcUMwYEjz_7VSFWxlbmFsYXVlckBob3RtYWlsLmNvbVgEAAAAAQ~~)

**\*BROWN’S FAMILY CHEM-DRY FUNDRAISER**: Call 760-452-9449 to schedule carpet cleaning, floor cleaning, upholstery cleaning, granite restoration, or MicroPro Shield Service. Mention Richland and they will donate 25% back to support our programs.

Have a great weekend, Mustangs!

Virtual hugs,

Julie Barbara

Principal

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

(Please cut off and hang on your fridge!) :)

* **Tuesday, May 4th** May the Fourth be with you! Wear your favorite Star Wars gear to school!
* **Tuesday, May 4th, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm**  Bingo de Mayo and Cocina Del Charro Dine Out . Visit [www.bingodemayo.givesmart.com](http://www.bingodemayo.givesmart.com/) to purchase bingo cards, register, and view/ bid on great prizes in the silent auction.
* **Monday, May 3rd - Friday, May 7th** Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week.

See [flyer](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1REMJUaUmHaOGZCKFZgkwu-HRLguK-1b-/view?usp=sharing) attached for fun plans to honor our staff!

* **Monday, May 24th** Menchies Dine Out. Yum!
* **Monday, June 7th** In person 5th Grade Promotion, times will be 9:00, 11:30 or 2:30 pm. Stay tuned for more information.
* **Saturday, June 19th** FOR Club Annual Golf Tournament, info to follow

**Richland Rebuild Timeline and Updates**

DEMO begins on back wing and parking lot, Interim housing (Upper wing classrooms only) and initial school site grading:

* + - Start: June 10, 2021
    - Completion: September 2021

New school buildings construction:

* + - Start: September 2021
    - Completion: August 2022

Demolition of existing school:

* + - * Start: June 2022
      * Completion: August 2022

Construction of fields and playgrounds:

* + - * Start: July/August 2022
      * Completion: January 2023 (return of school)

Construction of traffic lights:

* + - * Start: TBD
      * Completion: January 2023