



RAPID READ

DATE: FRIDAY, JANUARY 9TH 2026



EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Come down to the foyer at lunch next **Monday, January 12th** for our **Spicy Noodle Competition!** Bring your friends and see who can handle the spice! A gift card prize is up for grabs! Think you can handle the heat? Sign up with the QR codes posted arounds the school to participate.
- Rapids Dance Recital on **Tuesday Jan. 13 at 7pm** by donation; come on out to celebrate moving to music!
- Numeracy and Literacy assessments are scheduled for **Jan. 19th-21st**. If you are scheduled to complete this assessment, you received an email on Tuesday with instructions and specific dates and times. Dates, times and room locations are also posted in the counseling area. If you did not receive emailed instructions and think you should have, please see your counselor. Completion of the assessments are a requirement for graduation.
- Hey Frenchies! Our delayed PIF night has a new date! It will be taking place **on Thursday, January 22nd from 6-9PM!** Your tickets from December are still valid. If you need a refund because you can't make it or need to buy a ticket, see Tao in Room 208!
- Time is running out to get your Yearbook. Purchase your Yearbook on SchoolCash by the **end of January**.

WEEKLY CAFETERIA SPECIALS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Entrée: Riverside House Made Beef or Chicken Burger served with French Fries	Entrée: Riverside House Made Beef or Chicken Burger served with French Fries			
Pizza: Pepperoni	Pizza: Pepperoni	Pizza: Pepperoni	Pizza: Pepperoni	Pizza: Pepperoni
Soup of the day: French Onion Soup	Soup of the day: French Onion Soup			

HOUSE MADE SANDWICHES AND BAKED GOODS ARE MADE DAILY AND AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

GRADS

- Grad Portraits will be taking place this week and next afterschool from January 5th to 14th in the Library.
- Calling all grade 12 students interested in art school, or are just serious about creating art!! Come see Mr. Drysdale, Ms. Lam, or Mr. Rossington about submitting artwork into the annual SD43 Emerging Talents art exhibition before **January 14th**!

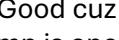
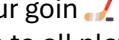
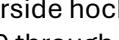
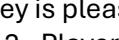
CLUBS

- Happy New Year, Rapids! Are you looking for a way to bring intention to your goals for the new year? Stop by the Wellness Wave today in Room 214 to discuss how you can work toward your New Year's resolutions
- Social Justice Club will be meeting today at Lunch in Room 118
- Pickleball – If you are interested in playing pickleball, come by Portable 4 for more information. Our next play dates are **Monday, January 12th** and **Friday, January 16th**. New players are welcome!

CAREERS

- University of Alberta is hosting grade 11 students for a weekend in May interested in attending the university after high school. **Apply before Jan. 31**. Details on the Career Website or U of AB website. All expenses paid for.

ATHLETICS

- Riverside Hockey - Are you Ready    Good cuz ur goin    Riverside hockey is pleased to announce 3 teams this year. Evaluation camp is open to all players grade 9 through 12. Players must register before Feb 1st and evaluation camp starts Feb 9th. To register see MR. Ford in Room 101 or register using QR code on posters spread around the school. Go Riverside Hockey - "Make sure they remember us"

Have a great day, Rapids!