



2022-2023



RUSH-HENRIETTA CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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## 2022-2023 CALENDAR-AT-A-GLANCE

### September

6 Schools Open - First Day of Classes

### October

10 Columbus Day/Indigenous Peoples' Day (Schools closed)

### November

11 Veterans Day (Schools closed)

21-22 Superintendent's Conference Days (Schools closed)

23-25 Thanksgiving Recess (Schools closed)

### December

24-31 December Recess (Schools closed)

### January

2 December Recess (Schools closed)

3 Schools Reopen

16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Schools closed)

24-27 Regents and Midterm Exams

27 First Semester Ends

27 Grading Day (Schools closed)

30 Second Semester Begins

### February

20-24 February Recess (Schools closed)

### April

3-7 Spring Recess (Schools closed)

### May

29 Memorial Day (Schools closed)

### June

13 Last Day of Classes for Grades 8-12

14-16 Regents and Final Exams (Students in grades 8-12 attend school by exam schedule only)

19 Juneteenth (Schools Closed)

20-22 Regents and Final Exams (Students in grades 8-12 attend school by exam schedule only)

22 Last Day of School for Grades K-7

23 Graduation

## CALENDAR ACRONYMS

<b>ACT</b>	American College Test
<b>AIS</b>	Academic Intervention Services
<b>AP</b>	Advanced Placement
<b>AUD</b>	Auditorium
<b>BAC</b>	Budget Advisory Council
<b>BJH</b>	Burger Junior High
<b>BOE</b>	Board Of Education
<b>CAF</b>	Cafeteria/Cafetorium
<b>CSE</b>	Committee on Special Education
<b>DPAC</b>	District Parent Advisory Council
<b>ELA</b>	English Language Arts
<b>ELL</b>	English Language Learners
<b>ENL</b>	English as a New Language
<b>HS</b>	High School
<b>JHS</b>	Junior High School
<b>LOTE</b>	Languages Other Than English
<b>MCSMA</b>	Monroe County School Music Association
<b>MPAC</b>	Multicultural Parent Advisory Council
<b>NHS</b>	National Honor Society
<b>NJHS</b>	National Junior Honor Society
<b>NMSQT</b>	National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test
<b>NYSSMA</b>	New York State School Music Association
<b>PARP</b>	Parents As Reading Partners
<b>PLC</b>	Professional Learning Community
<b>PSAT</b>	Preliminary Scholastic Assessment Test
<b>PTO</b>	Parent Teacher Organization
<b>RHAC</b>	Rush-Henrietta Alumni Council
<b>RHMPA</b>	Rush-Henrietta Music Parents Association
<b>RJH</b>	Roth Junior High
<b>SAT</b>	Scholastic Assessment Test
<b>SHS</b>	Senior High School
<b>SIT</b>	School Improvement Team
<b>SNT</b>	School Nurse-Teacher
<b>TBD</b>	To Be Determined
<b>TOC</b>	Transportation & Operations Center
<b>TOSA</b>	Teacher On Special Assignment
<b>UPK</b>	Universal Prekindergarten
<b>WEB</b>	Where Everybody Belongs
<b>WHEB</b>	West Henrietta Education Building

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# Superintendent's Message



Dear Rush-Henrietta Community:

Change is never easy, but change we must.

Many of you have heard that Bo Wright departed to become superintendent of the Geneva City School District. I know you join me in wishing him well. Our school community is grateful for the terrific leadership he demonstrated, especially during such unexpected and challenging times.

As we turn the page and begin a new school year, it is my pleasure and privilege to serve as Rush-Henrietta's interim superintendent. I know the importance of this role and have a strong understanding of the responsibilities that accompany it. Since my retirement as superintendent of Churchville-Chili I have remained active in education and served in leadership roles in other Monroe County schools, including the Rochester City School District.

Most recently, I was interim superintendent of the Spencerport Central School District. That was in the midst of the pandemic, so I have a strong understanding of the new issues schools have had to deal with during the past few years. Even so, there are many important aspects of school leadership that never change and I am ready to help Rush-Henrietta during this critical time.

As interim superintendent, I will use my four decades of teaching and administrative experience to provide stability to our employees, students, and families until a permanent superintendent is chosen. I expect to be here for at least nine months and am happy to serve in this way.

Based on my experience in education, I'm quite familiar with Rush-Henrietta's strong reputation here and throughout the broader community. Remember

when the USA Today Network ranked R-H number one in Monroe County? Believe me when I say that honor caught the attention of people in many other communities. They know about the great work being done here, and so do I.

I look forward to meeting many of you this year and doing everything I can to help ensure a successful transition to a permanent superintendent. Here's to a great school year!

Sincerely,

Dr. Pamela Kissel  
Interim Superintendent

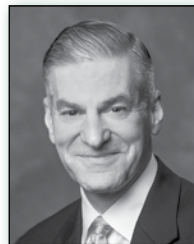


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# 2022-2023 Board of Education



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The school district is governed by a seven-member Board of Education elected by eligible voters of the district. Members are volunteer public officials who serve, without pay, for three-year terms. As elected representatives of district residents and as officers of the state of New York, board members must carry out duties required by the state Legislature, the Board of Regents, and the state Commissioner of Education. The board establishes policies for the operation of the district and the superintendent of schools carries out these policies.

Board meeting dates are indicated on the monthly calendar pages and on page 3 or by accessing the online calendar on the district website, [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org). Meetings begin at 7 p.m. and are held in the Dee Strickland Conference Room at the Parker Administration Building, 2034 Lehigh Station Road, unless otherwise noted. The board transacts business only at scheduled meetings. Special meetings may be called at

the discretion of the board president. District residents are invited to participate at a designated time in all regular board meetings. All board meeting information is available in BoardDocs, located under the Board of Education tab on the district website, [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org).

Letters to and questions about the Board of Education can be addressed to Karen Flanigan, school district clerk, at 2034 Lehigh Station Road, Henrietta, NY 14467. She also can be reached by phone at 359-5010.

### District Policies

District policies are available in BoardDocs, accessible from the district website at [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies). The online database is searchable, allowing visitors to identify key words within board policies.





# BOE Meeting Schedule & Voter Information



## 2022-2023 Board of Education Meetings

Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Parker Administration Building\*

\* Unless otherwise noted

Parker Administration Building, 2034 Lehigh Station Road, Henrietta, NY 14467

TOC - Transportation & Operations Center, 1133 Lehigh Station Road, Henrietta, NY 14467

July 12, 2022	76th Annual Reorganizational/Regular Meeting, 6 p.m.
August 9, 2022	Regular Meeting, 6 p.m.
September 13, 2022	Regular Meeting
September 27, 2022	Regular Meeting
October 11, 2022	Regular Meeting
October 25, 2022	Regular Meeting
November 1, 2022	Regular Meeting
November 15, 2022	Regular Meeting
December 6, 2022	Program & Service Review, 6 p.m.
December 13, 2022	Regular Meeting
January 10, 2023	Regular Meeting
January 24, 2023	Regular Meeting
February 14, 2023	Regular Meeting
February 28, 2023	Regular Meeting
March 14, 2023	Regular Meeting
March 28, 2023	Regular Meeting and First Public Hearing on the Proposed 2023-2024 Budget
April 11, 2023	Regular Meeting and Board Adoption of the Proposed 2023-2024 Budget
April 25, 2023	Regular Meeting
May 2, 2023	Regular Meeting and Final Public Hearing on the Proposed 2023-2024 Budget
May 16, 2023	Board of Education Election Results, 9 p.m., TOC (Meeting preceded by the Annual Retirement Dinner)
May 23, 2023	Regular Meeting
June 13, 2023	Regular Meeting (preceded by the Board Tenure Recognition Ceremony at 5 p.m.)
June 27, 2023	Regular Meeting

### Special Dates

March 29, 2023	Community Budget Forum, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
April 27, 2023	DPAC Meet the Candidates Night, 6:30 p.m.
May 16, 2023	Budget Vote & Board of Education Election, 6 a.m.-9 p.m., TOC

All meetings and events are subject to change.

## Voter Information

**Budget Vote and Board Election  
Tuesday, May 16, 2023**

Each May, eligible voters have the opportunity to vote on the school budget proposed by the Board of Education. In the weeks before the vote, residents will receive the budget newsletter, providing relevant voting information. Election of members to the Board of Education is held in conjunction with the annual vote on the school district budget. Members are volunteers elected at-large for three-year terms. This year, the vote will be held Tuesday, May 16, 2023, at the Transportation and Operations Center, 1133 Lehigh Station Road.

A person shall be entitled to vote in any district election for the selection of members of the Board of Education and in all other matters which may be brought before the voters and placed upon the official ballot, if such person is a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age, a resident within the school district for a period of 30 days prior to the election, and qualified to register or is registered to vote in accordance with section 5-106 of the Election Law. You do not have to own property in the district. Challenges to voters believed unqualified to vote may be undertaken pursuant to Education Law provisions and in accordance with regulations accompanying Policy 2120.2. The school district requires all persons voting to provide their printed name, address, and signature.





## Administrative Directory

### GENERAL INFORMATION ..... 359-5000

24/7 Safe School Helpline ..... 800-4-1-VOICE ext. 359

### INTERIM SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Dr. Pamela Kissel..... 359-5012

### COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Travis Anderson, Senior Information Specialist..... 359-5065

Heather Campo, Communications Specialist..... 359-5017

### CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION

Dina Wilson, Assistant Superintendent..... 359-5013

Athletics/PE.....Dr. Tom Stewart, Director ..... 359-7809

English Language Arts .....Jeanette Cannioto, Director ..... 359-5052

Mathematics/Business .....Lisa Clar, Director..... 359-5050

Music/Art/Library Media.....Donna Watts, Director ..... 359-5058

Science/Technology/Health .....Eric Windover, Director..... 359-5054

Social Studies/World Languages....Mark MacMillan, Director..... 359-5056

Information & Communication

Technology .....Brad Malone, Director... ..... 359-7876

### HUMAN RESOURCES & SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY

Dr. Casey van Harsel, Assistant Superintendent..... 359-5044

Human Resources .....Kristin Dioguardi, Director..... 359-5043

Information Systems.....Keena Smith, Director ..... 359-7901

Professional Learning &

Program Evaluation .....Dominic Piacentini, Director..... 359-5019

### SCHOOL FINANCE & OPERATIONS

Andrew Whitmore, Assistant Superintendent..... 359-5037

Business Office.....Mary Ann Exler, Budget Technician ..... 359-5033

Facilities .....Ken Nelson, Director ..... 359-5385

Food Service .....Geraldo Torres, Director ..... 359-5390

Transportation... .....Shirley Smith-Gravanda, Director ..... 359-5380

### STUDENT & FAMILY SERVICES

Nerlande Anselme, Assistant Superintendent ..... 359-5018

Alternative Education.....Michael Sweeney, Administrator ..... 359-5528

Adult Literacy, UPK .....Kimberly Klubek, Specialist ..... 359-7914

Continuing Ed, Driver's Ed, Aquatics...Bonnie Coddington, Coordinator..... 359-7806

Cub Care Zone.....Bonnie Coddington, Coordinator..... 359-7911

Pearl Tokar, Specialist ..... 359-7912

English as a New Language .....Jamie Scripps,

Teacher on Special Assignment..... 359-5049

Registration .....Laurise Beckelhymer, Registrar ..... 359-7957

Special Education .....TBD, Director ..... 359-7933

Jennifer Cardinale, PreK-6 Coordinator..... 359-7925

David Patt, 7-12 Coordinator..... 359-7932

Student Health & Safety.....Sharon Harris, Nurse Practitioner..... 359-5028

Michael Paladino, District Safety Officer ..... 359-7813

Student Management .....Chris Barker, Director ..... 359-5048

Wellness & Equity .....Dr. Diane Wynne, Director ..... 359-5086

**SCHOOLS and SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS** Please Refer to Page 5

The area code for all telephone numbers in this calendar is 585. To email staff, use first initial and last name, followed by "@rhnet.org" (e.g. Andrew Whitmore, awhitmore@rhnet.org). For further staff contact information, please refer to the "Staff Directory" in the Quick Links menu on the district website, www.rhnet.org.



# Rush-Henrietta Central School District

For a map of district buildings, access the district website ([www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org)), go to 'District,' and click on 'District Information.'  
 For a comprehensive staff directory, which includes e-mail, please visit [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org) and click on the Staff Directory icon.



## Crane Elementary (K-3) 359-5400

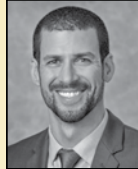


85 Shell Edge Drive  
 Rochester, NY 14623  
 Fax 359-5403

HOURS: 7:55 a.m. - 1:57 p.m.  
 SNT: Mr. Nicholas Weis 359-5413  
 Attendance 359-5411  
 Cub Care Office 359-5421  
 Cub Care Cell 353-0556

**Brian Hill**  
 Principal  
 359-5408  
[bhill@rhnet.org](mailto:bhill@rhnet.org)

## Sherman Elementary (Gr. 4-6) 359-5490



50 Authors Avenue  
 Henrietta, NY 14467  
 Fax 359-5493

HOURS: 9:20 a.m. - 3:35 p.m.  
 ASST. PRIN.: Mr. Robert Hathaway 359-5510  
 SNT: Ms. Shannon Brandes 359-5504  
 Attendance 359-5501  
 Cub Care Office 359-5506  
 Cub Care Cell 353-2897

**David Passero**  
 Principal  
 359-5498  
[dpassero@rhnet.org](mailto:dpassero@rhnet.org)

## Senior High (Gr. 10-12) 359-5200



1799 Lehigh Station Road  
 Henrietta, NY 14467  
 Fax 359-5277

HOURS: 7:35 a.m. - 2:50 p.m.  
 ASST. PRIN.: Mr. Todd Russo 359-5211  
 ASST. PRIN.: Mr. Walter Moore 359-5212  
 ASST. PRIN.: Ms. Megan Denk 359-5210  
 Athletic Office 359-7808  
 Director of Athletics:

**Dr. Tim Shafer**  
 Principal  
 359-5208  
[tshafer@rhnet.org](mailto:tshafer@rhnet.org)

Dr. Tom Stewart  
 SNT: Mrs. Jeanne Schwasman 359-5213  
 NURSE: Mrs. Peg Bartles 359-5215  
 Attendance: 359-5242 or 359-5244

## Fyle Elementary (K-3) 359-5430



133 Vollmer Parkway  
 Rochester, NY 14623  
 Fax 359-5433

HOURS: 7:55 a.m. - 1:57 p.m.  
 SNT: Mrs. Kathy Marnell 359-5443  
 Attendance 359-5441  
 Cub Care Office 359-5446  
 Cub Care Cell 353-2106

**Marcy Mooney**  
 Principal  
 359-5438  
[mmooney@rhnet.org](mailto:mmooney@rhnet.org)

## Vollmer Elementary (Gr. 4-6) 359-5550



150 Telephone Road  
 West Henrietta, NY 14586  
 Fax 359-5559

HOURS: 9:20 a.m. - 3:35 p.m.  
 ASST. PRIN.: Ms. Suzanne Maxim 359-5557  
 SNT: Mrs. Mary Gerbino 359-5560  
 Attendance 359-5588  
 Cub Care Office 359-5556  
 Cub Care Cell 353-2938

**Jennifer Tomalty**  
 Principal  
 359-5558  
[jtomalty@rhnet.org](mailto:jtomalty@rhnet.org)

## Webster Learning Center 359-5544



Alternative Education/Academic Support Center  
 2000 Lehigh Station Road  
 Henrietta, NY 14467  
 Fax 359-5523

HOURS: 7:39 a.m. - 2:44 p.m.  
 SNT: Mrs. Roberta Stephany 359-5538  
 Attendance 359-5520  
 District Registrar:  
 Ms. Laurise Beckelhymer 359-7957

**Michael Sweeney**  
 Administrator  
 359-5528  
[msweeney@rhnet.org](mailto:msweeney@rhnet.org)

## Leary Elementary (K-3) 359-5460



5509 East Henrietta Road  
 Rush, NY 14543  
 Fax 359-5463

HOURS: 7:55 a.m. - 1:57 p.m.  
 SNT: Mrs. Jacqueline Repp 359-5474  
 Attendance 359-5471  
 Cub Care Office 359-5466  
 Cub Care Cell 353-2324

**K. Dina Stathopoulos**  
 Principal  
 359-5468  
[kstathopoulos@rhnet.org](mailto:kstathopoulos@rhnet.org)

## Burger Junior High (Gr. 7-9) 359-5300



639 Erie Station Road  
 West Henrietta, NY 14586  
 Fax 359-5333

HOURS: 7:25 a.m. - 2:33 p.m.  
 ASST. PRIN.: Ms. Allison Stephens 359-5314  
 ASST. PRIN.: Mr. Peter Nowak 359-5309  
 SNT: Dr. Sonia Anselmo-Witzel 359-5312  
 Attendance 359-5301

**Greg Lane**  
 Principal  
 359-5308  
[glane@rhnet.org](mailto:glane@rhnet.org)

## Other District Resources

Community Programs .....	359-7805
Community Relations.....	359-5065
Cub Care Main Office .....	359-7911
District Clerk.....	359-5010
District Receptionist.....	359-5000
District Registrar .....	359-7957
District Safety Officer.....	359-7813
Facilities .....	359-5385
Food Service .....	359-5388
Special Education.....	359-7931
Student & Family Services.....	359-7953
Superintendent's Office.....	359-5021
Transportation.....	359-5380

## Winslow Elementary (K-3) 359-5090



755 Pinnacle Road  
 Henrietta, NY 14467  
 Fax 359-5073

HOURS: 7:55 a.m. - 1:57 p.m.  
 SNT: Ms. Katrina Kaplin 359-5093  
 Attendance 359-5081  
 Cub Care Office 359-5076  
 Cub Care Cell 353-1016

**Jeff Pollard**  
 Principal  
 359-5098  
[jpollard@rhnet.org](mailto:jpollard@rhnet.org)

## Roth Junior High (Gr. 7-9) 359-5100



4000 East Henrietta Road  
 Henrietta, NY 14467  
 Fax 359-5141

HOURS: 7:25 a.m. - 2:33 p.m.  
 ASST. PRIN.: Mrs. Qianna Reaves-Campbell 359-5137  
 ASST. PRIN.: Ms. Lindsay Titus 359-5117  
 ASST. PRIN.: Ms. Krystal Postell 359-5109  
 SNT: Mrs. Elaine Klajbor 359-5114  
 Attendance 359-5101

**Kerry Macko**  
 Principal  
 359-5108  
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## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 14 PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 19-23 Book Fair
- 28 School Pictures
- 28 Open House (Gr. 1) 5:30-6:30 p.m.
- 28 Open House (Gr. 2 & 3) 6:30-7:30 p.m.

## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 9 Welcome Back Social, 5:30 p.m.
- 14 Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 23 School Pictures
- 28 Open House, 6:30 p.m.

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 14 PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 28 Open House (Gr. 1) 5:30-6:30 p.m.
- 28 Open House (Gr. 2 & 3) 6:30-7:30 p.m.

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 14 Welcome Back Social, 6-7:30 p.m.
- 28 Open House (Gr. 1-3) 6:30-8 p.m.
- 29 School Pictures

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 6 PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 19 Fifth and Sixth Grade Ensembles & Lessons Begin
- 20 Family Information Night & Book Fair (Gr. 4-6 Gold PLC), 6 p.m.
- 27 Family Information Night & Book Fair (Gr. 4-6 Green PLC), 6 p.m.
- 29 School Pictures

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 13 PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 16 Welcome Back Social, 6 p.m.
- 19 Fifth and Sixth Grade Ensembles & Lessons Begin
- 20 Family Information Night, Gr. 4-6 (PLC Green), 6 p.m.
- 27 Family Information Night, Gr. 4-6 (PLC Gold), 6 p.m.
- 28 School Pictures

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 9 School Pictures
- 12 Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 29 Open House, 6:30 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 19 Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 22-23 School Pictures
- 26-30 Spirit Week
- 29 WEB Ice Cream Social, 2:40-3:30 p.m.
- 29 Open House (Gr. 7) 6:30 p.m.
- 29 Open House (Gr. 8-9) 7 p.m.

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 13 R-H Singers Parent Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 15 Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 22 Financial Aid Night, 6 p.m.
- 22 Open House, 6:30 p.m.
- 26-30 Homecoming Week

## Rush-Henrietta School Meal Program

### Welcome all new and returning students!

The federal government-funded program that allowed all students access to free meals during the COVID-19 pandemic has ended. This means you will need to take action in order to be sure your student is ready to get meals at school during the 2022-2023 school year.

If your student qualifies for free and reduced price meals, you will need to complete a new application each school year. The application may be downloaded from our website at [www.rhnet.org/mealapplication](http://www.rhnet.org/mealapplication), and will take 10 days to process and approve once it is received in our office. Last year's application will expire on October 7, 2022. If no decision is made on your new application by October 18, you must pay full price for your child's meal, or have your child bring a lunch from home. We do not accept faxed applications. You may submit your application to:

**Rush-Henrietta Central School District  
Food Service Office  
1133 Lehigh Station Road  
Henrietta, NY 14467**

Our prepayment option takes a load off your mind and out of your pocket. You may prepay for breakfast, lunch and snacks by giving the cashier cash or a check (\$5 minimum), or by paying with Visa or MasterCard - credit or debit - by calling 866-727-3053 or by visiting [www.mypaymentsplus.com](http://www.mypaymentsplus.com). MyPaymentsPlus charges a transaction fee for prepayments of less than \$100 per family.

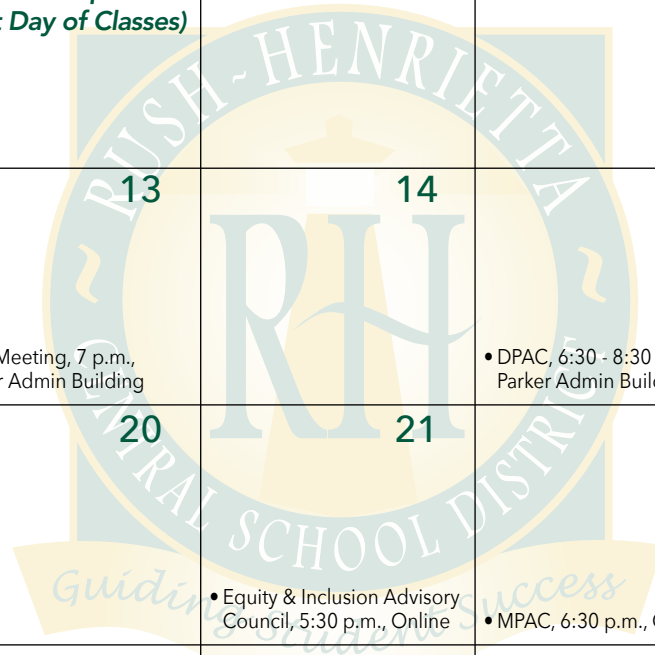
Questions? Call 359-5390.

All meetings and events are subject to change.



# September 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>AUGUST 2022</p> <p>S M T W TH F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4 5 6</p> <p>7 8 9 10 11 12 13</p> <p>14 15 16 17 18 19 20</p> <p>21 22 23 24 25 26 27</p> <p>28 29 30 31</p>	<p>OCTOBER 2022</p> <p>S M T W TH F S</p> <p>1</p> <p>2 3 4 5 6 7 8</p> <p>9 10 11 12 13 14 15</p> <p>16 17 18 19 20 21 22</p> <p>23 24 25 26 27 28 29</p> <p>30 31</p>			1	2	3
4	5 <i>Labor Day</i>	6 <i>School Opens (First Day of Classes)</i>	7	8	9	10
11 <i>Patriot Day Grandparents Day</i>	12 • Sports Booster Club, 7 p.m., SHS Conference Room A	13 • BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building	14	15 • DPAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building	16 <i>POW/MIA Recognition Day</i>	17
18	19 • RHMPA, 7 p.m., SHS Chorus Room	20	21 • Equity & Inclusion Advisory Council, 5:30 p.m., Online	22 • MPAC, 6:30 p.m., Online	23 <i>First Day of Autumn</i>	24
25 <i>Rosh Hashanah*</i>	26	27 • BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building	28	29	30	



## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 21** Trick-or-Treat (Gr. K & 1), 6-6:45 p.m.
- 21** Trick-or-Treat (Gr. 2 & 3), 7-7:45 p.m.
- 26** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 28** School Pictures (Make-up)

## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 3-7** Parent Group Book Fair
- 12** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 27** School Pictures (Make-up)
- 28** Trunk-or-Treat, 6 p.m.

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 4** SIT Meeting, 2:10 p.m.
- 6** School Pictures
- 12** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 21** Monster Bash, 6:30 - 8 p.m., Roth

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 12** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 28** Trunk-or-Treat, 6:30-8 p.m.

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 3** Fourth Grade Music Lessons Begin
- 17** Fourth Grade Ensembles Begin
- 18** SIT Meeting, 3:45 p.m.
- 18** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 28** PTO Fall Event (Gr. 4 & 5), 6 p.m.

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 3** Fourth Grade Music Lessons Begin
- 17** Fourth Grade Ensembles Begin
- 18** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 28** Trunk-or-Treat, 5:30 p.m.

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 14** Fall Celebration (Student Council), 7 p.m.
- 17** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 21** PTO Hangout, 7 p.m.
- 24** College & Career Readiness Night, 6:30 p.m.
- 25** School Pictures (Make-up)
- 28** Fall Play, 7 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 17** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 18** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 24** College and Career Readiness Night, 6:30 p.m.

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 1** Homecoming
- 11** School Pictures
- 13** School Pictures
- 13** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 20** Fall Play, 7 p.m.
- 21** Fall Play, 7 p.m.
- 22** Fall Play, 2 p.m.

## FAMILY CENTER

- Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*
- 4** Family Game Night, 6:30 p.m.
  - 18** Literacy Night, 6:30 p.m.

## Sports Clearance

Rush-Henrietta offers the convenience of online registration for sports clearance through FamilyID. You may access this portal through our website at [www.rhnet.org/familyid](http://www.rhnet.org/familyid).

FamilyID is a secure registration platform that provides an easy, user-friendly way to register for our sports programs. When you register through FamilyID, the system keeps track of your information in an online profile. You enter information only once for each family member; the information you initially enter is available for use with multiple programs.

You may begin to create your FamilyID profile at any time. Completing the FamilyID profile prior to registering your child for each season will help expedite the sign-up process.

Required forms can be uploaded using the online system during the clearance process starting 30 days prior to the start of the season. You will be able to upload current physical forms and medical orders, and complete the sports questionnaire form during this clearance process. Please be sure to have this information ready in electronic form to complete your child's file.



# October 2022

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	<p><b>Columbus Day/ Indigenous Peoples' Day (Schools Closed)</b></p> <p><i>Sukkot*</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Instructional Space Committee, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>		
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	<p><i>Halloween</i></p>					





## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 9** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 16** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 16** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 2** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 16** School Pictures (Make-Up)
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 7-9** Scholastic Book Fair
- 8** School Pictures (Make-up)
- 9** PTO Scholastic Book Fair, 6-7:30 p.m.
- 9** Family Culture Fair, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- 16** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 16** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 7** School Pictures (Make-Up)
- 8** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 18** PTO Fun Night (Gr. 6), 6 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.
- 29** Literacy Night and Book Fair, 6 p.m.

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 8** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 9** School Pictures (Make-Up)
- 14-18** Book Fair
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 21** SIT Meeting, 4 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 7-18** Spring Musical Auditions
- 14** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 8** School Pictures (Make-up)
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 22** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 10** School Pictures (Make-up)
- 16** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 21** Parent-Teacher Conferences, 1-8 p.m.
- 29** National Honor Society Induction, 7 p.m.

## FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 8** Preschool Story Time, 10 a.m.

## SchoolTool: Online Gradebook

The Rush-Henrietta Central School District uses SchoolTool for its online gradebook. SchoolTool is designed to enhance home-school communication and give parents more timely opportunities to become involved in their child's education. Students in grades K-12 and their parents can log in securely and review schedules, assignments, grades, test results, and attendance information.

Parents and students will receive information regarding their accounts in August. At that time, SchoolTool can be accessed by visiting <https://schooltool.rhnet.org/schooltool/>. You can also access the system by visiting the district website and clicking on SchoolTool in the Quick Links menu or by downloading the SchoolTool app to your phone.

If you have questions about your login information after the mailing goes out in August, please contact the main office at your child's school.

*All meetings and events are subject to change.*

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## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 12-16** Penguin Patch Gift Shop
- 12-16** Hat & Mitten Tree

## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 23** Sing-Along

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 5-16** Hat & Mitten Tree

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 5-9** Hat & Mitten Tree
- 23** Read & Relax Day

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 7** Winter Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., SHS Aud.
- 14** Winter Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 p.m., SHS Aud.
- 20** SIT Meeting, 3:45 p.m.

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 7** Winter Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., Burger Aud.
- 14** Winter Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 p.m., Burger Aud.

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 5** Concert (Chorus 9, Orch 9, Band 8/9), 7 p.m.
- 12** Concert (Chorus 8, Orch 8), 7 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 5** Concert (Chorus 9, Orch 9, Band 8/9, Dedicated Voices), 7 p.m.
- 9** Senior Citizen Breakfast/Small Ensemble Concert
- 12** Concert (Chorus 8, Orch 8, Chamber Orch, Jazz Band), 7 p.m.
- 15** WEB Winter Fest., 2:40-3:30 p.m.
- 19-23** Spirit Days

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 8** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 15** Concert, 7 p.m.

## FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 6** Preschool Story Time, 10 a.m.
- 6** Make a Holiday Ornament, 6:30 p.m.

## How We Became Royal Comets

After rapid growth in the 1960s and 1970s, Rush-Henrietta had nearly 11,000 students. Sperry High School was so jam-packed that the Board of Education agreed to open a second building, Roth High School, in 1975. The schools operated simultaneously through 1986, when declining enrollment made it obvious that only one high school was needed.

Amidst controversy, the Board decided to move all students to the former Sperry High School in 1987. This decision caused lingering resentment among students, families, and staff of both buildings. To help bring the community together, Sperry High School was renamed Rush-Henrietta Senior High School. This is why the high school is referred to by this unifying name even today.

But what would become of the dueling mascots - the Royals of Roth and the Comets of Sperry? We can thank the girls basketball team for the answer. When the schools merged, they needed a name for tournaments and decided to bump the two together as a temporary solution. "Royal Comets" worked so well it was adopted as the official mascot. We are proud of this most unique name!

For more district history, please visit [www.rhnet.org/75years](http://www.rhnet.org/75years) or search #75posts75years on Facebook!





# December 2022

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• NYSSMA Winter Conference	• Sports Booster Club, 7 p.m., SHS Conference Room A	• District Wellness Council, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building • BOE Program & Service Review, 6 p.m., Parker Admin Building	<i>Pearl Harbor Day</i>	• Instructional Space Committee, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building	• NYSSMA Winter Conference	• NYSSMA Winter Conference
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		• BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building				
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	<i>Hanukkah*</i>		<i>First Day of Winter</i>			
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<i>Christmas Day</i>	<i>Kwanzaa**</i>	<b>December Recess (Schools Closed)</b>				



### CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

**11** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.

### FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

**11** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.

### LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

**4** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

**11** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

**3** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.  
**18** Winter Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 p.m.,  
SHS Aud.

### VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

**3** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.  
**18** Winter Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 p.m.,  
Burger Aud.

### BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

**9** Concert (Gr. 7), 7 p.m.  
**20** Winter Celebration (Student  
Council), 7 p.m.  
**23** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

**9** Concert (Gr. 7), 7 p.m.  
**13** Roth Musical, 7p.m.  
**14** Roth Musical, 7 p.m.  
**23** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

**12** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.  
**30** Second Semester Begins

## Kicking Hunger School Food Pantry

The Rush-Henrietta Kicking Hunger School Food Pantry is a joint effort between the school district and many community partners, and is located in the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road. In addition to carrying food and personal care items, the pantry also has school supplies and "birthday bags" to help celebrate those special days. The pantry is open from 9:45 to 11:15 a.m. Tuesdays, and from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Thursdays. For more information, please visit [rhnet.org/foodpantry](http://rhnet.org/foodpantry) or call 359-7979. You can also email [foodpantry@rhnet.org](mailto:foodpantry@rhnet.org).

Our heartfelt thanks go out to all of those who have been working tirelessly to bring this to fruition, including the Rush-Henrietta teachers and staff who several years ago identified the need for this type of support for some of our families. This is another example of how our district is addressing one of its main priorities, which is to help ensure equity throughout our school community.



### Become a Rush-Henrietta Bus Driver or Bus Monitor!

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- Health Insurance
- Flexible Schedule
- Excellent Working Conditions

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**Immediate openings!**

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# January 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY																																																																																					
1 <i>New Year's Day</i>	2 <i>December Recess (Schools Closed)</i>	3 <i>Schools Reopen</i>	4	5 • DPAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building	6 • MCSMA Vocal Solo/Jazz Festival, Brighton HS	7 • MCSMA Vocal Solo/Jazz Festival, Brighton HS <i>Christmas Day (Orthodox)</i>																																																																																					
8	9 • Sports Booster Club, 7 p.m., SHS Conference Room A	10 • BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building	11	12	13 • MCSMA Sr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 9-12), Minerva Deland, Fairport	14 • MCSMA Sr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 9-12), Minerva Deland, Fairport																																																																																					
15	16 <i>Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Schools Closed)</i>	17	18 • MPAC, 6:30 p.m., Online	19	20 • MCSMA Jr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 7-8), Brighton Twelve Corners MS	21 • MCSMA Jr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 7-8), Brighton Twelve Corners MS																																																																																					
22	23 • BAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building	24	25 • Equity & Inclusion Advisory Council, 5:30 p.m., Online	26	27 <i>Grading Day (Schools Closed)</i> • 2nd Quarter Marking Period Ends • MCSMA Elementary Solo Festival (Gr. 4-6), Barker Road MS, Pittsford	28 • MCSMA Elementary Solo Festival (Gr. 4-6), Barker Road MS, Pittsford																																																																																					
29	30	31	<i>SHS Regents &amp; Midterm Exams</i>			<p><b>DECEMBER 2022</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>TH</td><td>F</td><td>S</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td></tr> <tr><td>11</td><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td><td>16</td><td>17</td></tr> <tr><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td></tr> <tr><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td><td>30</td><td>31</td></tr> </table>	S	M	T	W	TH	F	S				1	2	3		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	<p><b>FEBRUARY 2023</b></p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>TH</td><td>F</td><td>S</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td></tr> <tr><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td></tr> <tr><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td></tr> <tr><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> </table>	S	M	T	W	TH	F	S				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28				
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### CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 15** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 16** STEM Night, 6 p.m.

### WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 8** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 8** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 27-28** Scholastic Book Fair (2/27 - 3/1)
- 27-28** PARP Week (2/27 - 3/3)

### BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 3** PTO Hangout, 7 p.m.
- 10** Burger Musical, 7 p.m.
- 11** Burger Musical, 7 p.m.
- 13** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 8** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 8** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 27-28** PARP Week (2/27 - 3/3)
- 27-28** Parent Group Book Fair (2/27 - 3/3)

### SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 7** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 14** SIT Meeting, 3:45 p.m.

### ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 17** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.

### SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 9** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 16** Heritage Celebration, 7 p.m.

### LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 7** SIT Meeting, 2:10 p.m.

### VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 7** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 27-28** Book Fair (2/27 - 3/3)

### FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 7** Preschool Story Time, 10 a.m.
- 7** Family Arts and Crafts Night, 6:30 p.m.
- 28** Summer Camp Extravagana, 6:30 p.m.

## Parent Alerts and Notifications

Please check the district website at [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org) on a regular basis to read parent alerts and special notifications. These alerts are posted as needed to draw attention to important announcements and/or emergency notifications. Such instances may include parent alerts, event postponements, school closings, emergency trainings, and other special announcements. When active, these notifications will appear in a pop-up box as soon as our website is loaded. Once you have clicked on the alert, it will remain on the bottom right of our web page in red until it is no longer active. Thank you for staying informed!



All meetings and events are subject to change.

# February 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>JANUARY 2023</p> <p>S M T W TH F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4 5 6 7</p> <p>8 9 10 11 12 13 14</p> <p>15 16 17 18 19 20 21</p> <p>22 23 24 25 26 27 28</p> <p>29 30 31</p>			1	2	3	4
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports Booster Club, 7 p.m., SHS Conference Room A</li> <li>• RHMPA, 7 p.m., SHS Chorus Room</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• District Wellness Council, 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>				
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul> <p><i>Valentine's Day</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elementary Art Show Opening (Gr. K-3), 4 - 6 p.m., Henrietta Public Library</li> </ul>		<p><i>National PTA Founders Day</i></p>	<p><i>Maha Shivaratri</i></p>
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	<p><b>February Recess (Schools Closed)</b></p>					
	<p><i>Presidents' Day</i></p>		<p><i>Ash Wednesday</i></p>			
26	27	28				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>				<p>MARCH 2023</p> <p>S M T W TH F S</p> <p>1 2 3 4</p> <p>5 6 7 8 9 10 11</p> <p>12 13 14 15 16 17 18</p> <p>19 20 21 22 23 24 25</p> <p>26 27 28 29 30 31</p>



## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 6-10** Book Fair
- 15** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 23** Culture Fair, 6 p.m.
- 31** PTO Movie Night, 6 p.m.

## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1** Literacy & Technology Night, 6:30 p.m.
- 1-3** PARP Week (2/27 - 3/3)
- 1-3** Parent Group Book Fair (2/27 - 3/3)
- 15** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 15** STEM Night, 6:30 p.m.

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1** Scholastic Book Fair (2/27 - 3/1)
- 1** PTO Scholastic Book Fair, 6-7:30 p.m.
- 1** Literacy & Technology Night, 6:30-7:30 p.m.
- 1-3** PARP Week (2/27-3/3)
- 15** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 6-10** PARP Week
- 7** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 21** Culture Fair, 6 p.m.

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 1-3** Book Fair (2/27 - 3/3)
- 7** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 10** Movie Night, 6 p.m.

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 13** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 24** PTO Hangout, 7 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

**27-31** Spring Spirit Week

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 9** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 16** Spring Musical, 7 p.m.
- 17** Spring Musical, 7 p.m.
- 18** Spring Musical, 2 p.m.

## FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 21** Math Night, 6:30 p.m.



The Cub Care Zone is a fee-based childcare program for Rush-Henrietta students in grades K-6.

Online registration for 2023-2024 begins Wednesday, March 1, 2023, and runs through Wednesday, June 7, 2023! Simply go to [www.rhnet.org/c2z](http://www.rhnet.org/c2z) to learn more and to register your child. Before- and after-school care is available for 3, 4, or 5 days a week at the school your child attends. Care is also available non-school days, including Superintendent's Conference days, school recesses, some holidays, and the summer.

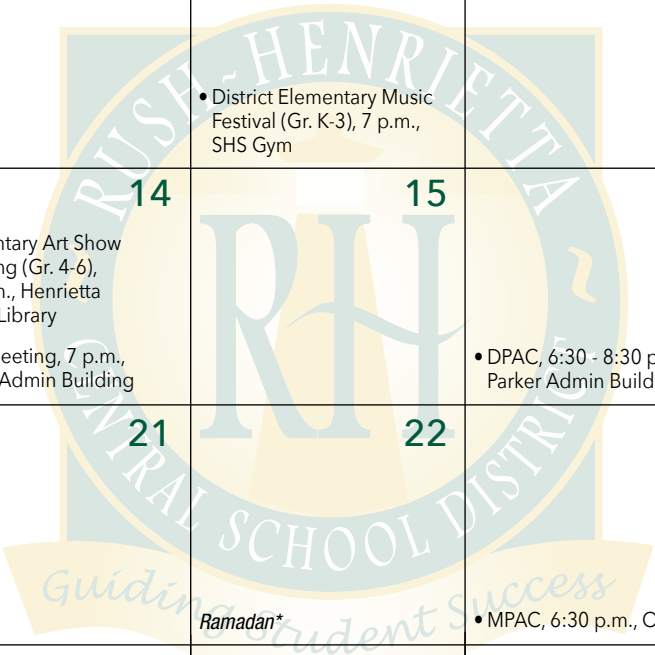
For more information on this program, please go to page 33.



All meetings and events are subject to change.

# March 2023

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<i>Daylight Saving Time Begins</i>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elementary Art Show Opening (Gr. 4-6), 4-6 p.m., Henrietta Public Library</li> <li>BOE Meeting, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DPAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCSMA Elementary All-County Music Festival, Brockport CSD</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCSMA Elementary All-County Music Festival, Brockport CSD</li> </ul>
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
<i>First Day of Spring</i>			<i>Ramadan*</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MPAC, 6:30 p.m., Online</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCSMA Jr. High All-County Music Festival, East Irondequoit CSD</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MCSMA Jr. High All-County Music Festival, East Irondequoit CSD</li> </ul>
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### CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 25** 4th Grade Orientation (Gr. 3), 5-6 p.m., Sherman

### FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 12** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 25** 4th Grade Orientation (Gr. 3), 5-6 p.m., Vollmer

### LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 25** 4th Grade Orientation (Gr. 3), 6:30-7:30 p.m., Vollmer

### WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 12** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 25** 4th Grade Orientation (Gr. 3), 6:30-7:30 p.m., Sherman

### SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 18** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 24** 7th Grade Orientation (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., Roth

### VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 12** SIT Meeting, 4 p.m.
- 18** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 24** 7th Grade Orientation (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., Burger

### BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 28** Freshman Dinner Dance (Gr. 9), 7 p.m.

### ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 10** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 13** WEB Spring Fest., 2:40-3:30 p.m.

### SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 13** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 11** Preschool Story Time, 10 a.m.
- 11** Family Bingo Night, 6:30 p.m.
- 25** Science Night, 6:30 p.m.

## Equity & Inclusion

Our community consists of people from all corners of the globe, representing an array of cultures, backgrounds, and beliefs. Recognizing the many kinds of diversity that exist within our community, we are committed to strengthening connections and welcoming the voices and perspectives of our diverse community. We know it is our obligation to make our teaching practices reflective of the many different kinds of people who call Rush-Henrietta home. As we do that, we must ensure that our programs, curriculum, and learning environments are culturally responsive, affirming, and inclusive to all in order to continue to advance equity.

That's why we are proud to have a district priority focusing exclusively on Equity and Inclusion. This priority isn't simply words written on paper. It provides guiding principles that we strive to put into action every day. We consider Equity and Inclusion to be the district's umbrella priority. If the district gets this one right and does it well, additional priorities will be easier to achieve.

As part of the Rush-Henrietta community - and, indeed, the world community - having greater empathy and compassion for others is a worthwhile goal. Coming from a place of understanding leads to greater connection and greater outcomes for all.



All meetings and events are subject to change.

# April 2023

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\* Jewish holy days begin at sunset the preceding evening .



### CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1-5** Staff Appreciation Week
- 10** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.

### FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1-5** Staff Appreciation Week
- 10** Parent Group Meeting, 6 p.m.

### LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1-5** Staff Appreciation Week
- 3** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 1-5** Staff Appreciation Week
- 10** PTO Meeting, 6:30 p.m.

### SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 9** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.
- 17** Spring Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., SHS Aud.
- 24** Spring Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 p.m., SHS Aud.
- 31** Spring Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 p.m., SHS Aud.

### VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 9** PTO Meeting & Budget Vote, 6:30 p.m.
- 17** Spring Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 p.m., Burger Aud.
- 24** Spring Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 p.m., Burger Aud.
- 31** Spring Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 p.m., Burger Aud.

### BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 1** Parent Group Meeting, 7 p.m.
- 12** Staff Appreciation Brunch
- 12** Spring Celebration (Student Council), 7 p.m.
- 15** Concert (Gr. 7), 7 p.m.
- 19** PTO Hangout, 7 p.m.
- 22** Concert (Chorus 8, Orch 8), 7 p.m.
- 30-31** Spirit Week, 5/30 - 6/2 (Student Council)

### ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 1** Parent Group Meeting, 6:30 p.m.
- 15** Concert (Gr. 7), 7 p.m.
- 22** Concert (Chorus 8, Orch 8, Jazz Band, Chamber Orch), 7 p.m.
- 24** Academic Champions Awards, 2:45 p.m.

### SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 13** Junior Prom, 7 p.m., Off-Site
- 18** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 23** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 25** Concert, 7 p.m.
- 30** LOTE Awards, 7 p.m.

### FAMILY CENTER

*Events held at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road*

- 9** Preschool Story Time, 10 a.m.
- 23** International Night, 6:30 p.m.

## Project Lead the Way Distinguished School

Once again, Rush-Henrietta Senior High School has been recognized as a Project Lead The Way Distinguished School! Only five schools in New York state received this designation for the 2021-2022 school year!

This award celebrates outstanding implementation of the PLTW Biomedical Sciences and Engineering Programs in grades 9-12. PLTW is a nonprofit organization that serves millions of students and teachers in more than 12,200 schools across the U.S.

The PLTW Distinguished School recognition honors schools committed to increasing student access, engagement, and achievement in their PLTW programs. We are frequently visited by executives from PLTW, Wards Science, and other school districts to learn more about the incredible work we are doing to implement, sustain, and improve this program.

Students develop STEM knowledge as well as in-demand, transportable skills that they may use both in school and for the rest of their lives, on any career path. Students who successfully meet the final grade and end-of-course assessment criteria are eligible to receive college credit for PLTW courses at participating colleges across the U.S.



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# May 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>APRIL 2023</p> <p>S M T W TH F S</p> <p>1</p> <p>2 3 4 5 6 7 8</p> <p>9 10 11 12 13 14 15</p> <p>16 17 18 19 20 21 22</p> <p>23 24 25 26 27 28 29</p> <p>30</p>	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports Booster Club, 7 p.m., SHS Conference Room A</li> </ul>	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BOE Music Recognition Ceremony, 5:30 p.m., SHS Aud.</li> <li>• BOE Meeting &amp; Final Public Hearing on the 2023-2024 Budget, 7 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul> <p><i>National Teacher Day</i></p>	<p>3</p>	<p>4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DPAC, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Parker Admin Building</li> </ul>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MCSMA Peak Festival, 9 a.m.</li> </ul>
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<p>14</p> <p><i>Mother's Day</i></p>	<p>15</p>	<p>16</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Budget Vote &amp; BOE Election, 6 a.m. - 9 p.m., TOC</li> <li>• BOE Retirement Dinner, 5 p.m.</li> <li>• Election Results, 9 p.m., TOC</li> </ul>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>
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## CRANE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 7** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 9** Picnic, 6 p.m.

## WINSLOW ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 7** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 8** Third Grade Musical, 6 p.m.
- 20** Fun Day (In School)
- 21** End-of-Year Picnic, 6-7:30 p.m.

## BURGER JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 1-2** Spirit Week, 5/30 - 6/2 (Student Council)
- 2** Student-Staff Kickball Game (Student Council), 6 p.m. (alt. date 6/9)
- 5** Concert (Chorus 9, Orch 9, Band 8/9), 7 p.m.
- 6** Academic Champions Ceremony, 7 p.m.
- 12** National Junior Honor Society Induction, 7 p.m.

## Safety First

As part of ongoing efforts to make our schools as safe as possible for students, the Rush-Henrietta Central School District holds safety drills throughout the year.

These drills are designed to assess how well we would respond during an emergency. Staff and students participate in evacuation drills, lockdown drills, medical emergency/hold-in-place drills. The Henrietta Fire District brings the safety trailer to our K-3 schools for mock-home evacuation practice with the students. In addition, each school conducts an AED/CPR drill to ensure that all staff members trained in the use of the automated external defibrillator are prepared to act as needed.

Rush-Henrietta works closely with the Henrietta Fire District, CHS ambulance, and the Monroe County Sheriff's Office to practice and refine its safety and emergency response practices. These activities will help us be as prepared as possible in the event of an actual emergency.



## FYLE ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 7** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 7** Third Grade Musical, 6:30 p.m.
- 16** Parent Group Farewell Celebration, 5:30-7 p.m.

## SHERMAN ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 13** SIT Meeting, 3:45 p.m.
- 16** PTO End-of-Year Picnic, 5 p.m.
- 20** PTO Meeting, 6 p.m.

## ROTH JUNIOR HIGH (Gr. 7-9)

- 2** Ninth Grade Semi-Formal, 6 p.m.
- 5** Concert (Chorus 9, Orch 9, Band 8/9, Dedicated Voices), 7 p.m.
- 6** SIT Meeting, 2:45 p.m.
- 12** National Junior Honor Society Induction, 7 p.m.
- 13** End-of-Year Celebration

## LEARY ELEMENTARY (K-3)

- 6** SIT Meeting, 2:10 p.m.
- 8** Third Grade Musical, 6:30 p.m.
- 9** Playground Party, 6-7:30 p.m.

## VOLLMER ELEMENTARY (Gr. 4-6)

- 14** SIT Meeting, 4 p.m.
- 16** Spring Social, 6 p.m.

## SENIOR HIGH (Gr. 10-12)

- 1** R-H Awards, 7 p.m.
- 6** Piano Recital, 3:30 p.m.
- 8** Theory Composition Recital, 3:30 p.m.
- 9** Senior Ball, 7 p.m., Off-Site
- 23** Graduation, 7 p.m., Off-Site

All meetings and events are subject to change.

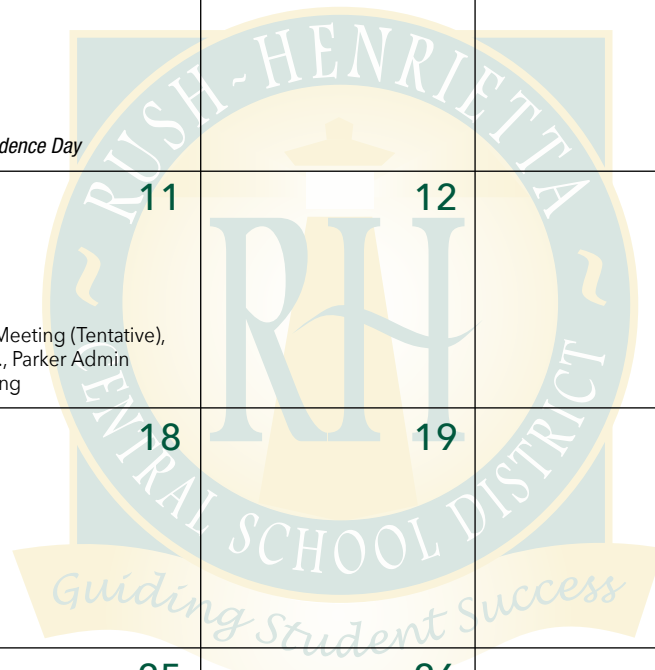
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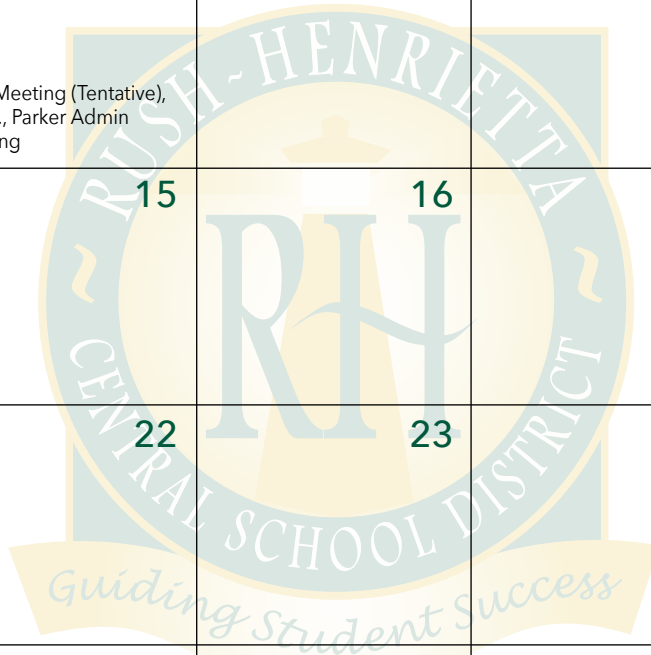
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# Student Success

## ★ Celebrating the Class of 2022 ★



# Parent Notifications



## Secondary Marking Periods and Exams 2022-2023

### September

- 10 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
(1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)
- 22 Financial Aid Night, 6 p.m., SHS Aud.

### October

- 1 SAT & Subject Tests, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.
- 12 PSAT/NMSQT, 7:45-11:30 a.m., SHS
- 22 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
(1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)

### November

- 4 1st Qtr. Marking Period Ends
- 5 SAT & Subject Tests, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

### December

- 3 SAT & Subject Tests, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.
- 10 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
(1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)

### January

- 24-27 Midterm Exams
- 27 2nd Qtr. Marking Period Ends
- 27 1st Semester Ends (SHS)
- 27 Grading Day (No school K-12)
- 30 2nd Semester Begins (SHS)

### February

- 11 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
(1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)

### March

- 11 SAT Only, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

### April

- 14 3rd Quarter Marking Period Ends
- 15 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m. (1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)

### May

- 1-12 AP Exams
- 6 SAT & Subject Tests, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

### June

- 3 SAT & Subject Tests, 7:45 a.m.-1 p.m.
- 10 ACT, 8 a.m.-12:15 p.m.  
(1 p.m. if taking the ACT plus writing)
- 14-22 Regents & Final Exams (Students in grades 8-12 attend school by exam schedule only)
- 22 4th Qtr. Marking Period Ends
- 23 High School Regents Examination Rating Day

Rush-Henrietta is not a test site for the ACT or SAT.

For information on the SAT, please visit [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com), and for information on the ACT, please visit [www.act.org](http://www.act.org).



## Access to Student Records

The Board of Education recognizes the legal requirements to maintain the confidentiality of student records. To that end, the district notifies students, parents, and guardians of their rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) with an annual notification in school and district publications, in a letter mailed home to parents/guardians in the fall, and in the packet of information given to each parent/guardian upon registering a child during the school year.

District Policy 5500 (Student Records) and its regulation govern these district practices and clearly outline the rights of parents and students. District policies are available to parents at the office of the district clerk or online at the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies).

## Email Communication with Parents

In its effort to facilitate regular communication between parents and schools, the Rush-Henrietta Central School District encourages the use of email by school personnel to contact parents about their students. If you would prefer that teachers or administrators not use email in their communication with you, please contact the main office of your child's school to request a copy of District Exhibit 4714-E.1. This document also may be accessed via the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies), or by going to the Board of Education tab and clicking District Policies. Parents can do a search for Policy 4714 Communication with Parents/Guardians, and then open the policy and print the related file, Communication w/Parents/Guardians Exhibit 4714-E.1 - Parent/Guardian Refusal Letter. Parents should fill out the form and send it to the principal of their child's school.

## Directory Information

While most student records and information are not released without parental permission, "directory information," in certain cases, may be. Directory information includes a student's name, parents' name, address, telephone number, date and place of birth, e-mail address, photograph, grade, participation in school activities or sports, weight and height if a member of an athletic team, dates of attendance, degrees and awards received, and most recent previous school attended. It is the practice of the district to release such information to colleges, other post-secondary education institutions, military recruiters, and school-related vendors, e.g., school photographers and yearbook publishers. The release of directory information to the media shall be for the sole purpose of reporting upon or promoting a district activity and shall not include addresses and telephone numbers. If parents do not want the district to release directory information to such groups, they should notify their child's school principal, in writing. A complete explanation of these policies and practices is found in District Policy 5500, its regulation, and exhibits. These are available at the office of the district clerk, or on the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies).

## Student Privacy and Parental Rights

The privacy of students and the authority of parents are carefully protected by the district. Parents may inspect, upon request, any instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum for students. Additionally, parental permission will be obtained prior to the administration of any student survey, funded in part or in whole by the U.S. Department of Education, which reveals specific personal information about the child or his or her family. A complete explanation of these rights and protections is found in District Policy 4510 and its regulation. These documents are available to parents at the office of the district clerk or online at the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies).

## Student Code of Conduct

The Board of Education is committed to providing a safe, inclusive, equitable, and orderly school environment where students may receive, and district personnel may deliver, quality educational services without disruption. The district is committed to ensuring that each student is safe, engaged, supported, and challenged; helping students develop self-discipline and social and emotional growth; and guiding students in improvement and correction of inappropriate behaviors. Responsible behavior by students, employees, parents/guardians, and visitors is expected, as it is essential to achieving this goal.

The Board recognizes the need to clearly define these expectations for acceptable behavior; identify the appropriate, graduated consequences of unacceptable behavior; and ensure that consequences, when necessary, are administered promptly and fairly. The goal is not to penalize, but to teach students there are reasonable consequences to actions and choices. To this end, the Board adopts a Code of Conduct based upon education laws, regulations, and Board policies. A summary of the Code of Conduct is mailed to homes prior to the start of school. For a complete copy of the Code of Conduct, please go to the district website at [www.rhnet.org/codeofconduct](http://www.rhnet.org/codeofconduct).

## Attendance and Promotion Policies

Consistent school attendance, academic success, and school completion have a positive correlation, therefore, the Board of Education has established student attendance and promotion guidelines and regulations. District Policy 5100 outlines the attendance policy, which is also explained in the Rush-Henrietta comprehensive attendance policy document. These documents are available on the district website and in the office of student and family services. District Policy 4750 explains processes related to student grade-level promotion and retention. The Board of Education annually reviews and adopts these policies, which are available on the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies).



## Emergency Closings

When schools are closed unexpectedly, Rush-Henrietta will attempt to contact the homes of district students using Blackboard, our mass-messaging telephone system. Families also are encouraged to tune to radio and television stations in Rochester. Information regarding closings, delays, or early dismissals also will be posted on the district website, [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org). The media is notified about closings by 6 a.m. The Cub Care Program is closed on the days when school is closed due to weather. Please do not call the schools or transportation office.

## Searches in Schools - Board of Education Policy 5330-R.1 Section 7

The Rush-Henrietta Central School District has reserved control of all student lockers, desks, and other school spaces. Students, accordingly, should have no reasonable expectation of privacy therein as to school officials. Students, parents, and those in parental relationships are advised that such spaces are subject to search by school officials, at any time, without notice.

## Committee on Special Education (CSE)

CSE meetings are held throughout the school year when school is in session, with a limited number of meetings held in July and August. Parents are sent confidential notices inviting them to participate as members of their child's CSE meeting. For more information, please call the Office of Special Education at 359-7931.

## Herbicide Application Notification

On occasion, the district may need to apply an emergency application of herbicides on school grounds. This is typically done on long weekends when school is not in session. Please go to our website at [www.rhnet.org/herbicide](http://www.rhnet.org/herbicide) for more information and the forms needed to request a 48-hour advance notification.

## New Entrants

Parents new to the district should register their children at the district registrar's office as soon as possible. To register, please contact the district registrar at (585) 359-7957. Upon registration parents will be required to present documentation of district residency, documentation of the child's age, a record of the child's immunizations, a health certificate from a licensed medical professional, and if applicable, a copy of judicial or court-ordered guardianship. Acceptable forms of documentation for residency include mortgage/deed or lease to a house, condominium, or apartment. Acceptable forms of documentation to prove age include a birth certificate or baptismal record. If neither of these is available, other evidence may be considered if it has been in existence for at least two years. The school will make arrangements for the transfer of children's records from their former school after parents sign a release form. School personnel may test children new to the district to determine the best classroom placement and courses for them. For more information, visit the district website at [www.rhnet.org/](http://www.rhnet.org/) register.

## Kindergarten Registration

Children are eligible to enter kindergarten in September 2023 if they will be 5 years old on or before December 1, 2023. Parents are asked to register their children for 2023-2024 kindergarten classes at the district registration office in January, February, and March 2023.

Early kindergarten registration gives school officials time to plan for the screening and orientation programs for incoming kindergartners and their parents. If registering a child after March 31, please contact the registrar as soon as possible. For questions, or to make an appointment, please contact the district registrar at 359-7957. *Please note, for Universal Pre-Kindergarten (UPK) registration, please call 359-7914.*

## Notice of Equal Educational and Employment Opportunities

Pursuant to Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Dignity for All Students Act, and such other federal or state statutes and regulations as may pertain, the Rush-Henrietta Central School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability with respect to the educational opportunities it offers, including vocational educational opportunities, nor with respect to the appointment of its employees, employment pay and benefits, counseling services for students, access by students to educational programs, course offerings, textbooks, and student activities. Specifically, but without limitation, it is the policy of the Rush-Henrietta Central School District to assure that no person shall be denied employment solely on the basis of any physical, mental, or medical impairment which is unrelated to the person's ability to engage in the activities involved in the job for which application has been made. Moreover, the Rush-Henrietta Central School District will not tolerate actions by its employees or students which constitute sexual and/or disability harassment.

Persons having questions, or wishing to file a complaint, with respect to an alleged violation of such district policies against discrimination or harassment, other than disability-related claims, should contact Dr. Casey van Harsse, at 359-5044, in the Office of Human Resources.

Persons having questions, or wishing to file a complaint, with respect to an alleged violation of such district policies against discrimination or harassment on account of a disability, should contact the district's designated Section 504 coordinator at 359-7933.

Any such persons may also make inquiry directly to the United States Department of Education, office for civil rights.



## Medicine in School

School personnel are not allowed to give either prescription or non-prescription medication to children in school without written authorization from parents and a physician. If parents wish to have their children receive medicine in school, the following requirements must be met each school year:

- A written order from the primary care physician indicating frequency, dosage, duration, and purpose must be given to the school nurse-teacher.
- Written permission from the parent to give the medicine as prescribed by the primary care physician must be given to the school nurse-teacher.
- The medicine must be packaged in the original container from the pharmacy.
- Parents are responsible for delivering the medicine to the school nurse-teacher. Students may not carry or transport medication to/in school unless specifically authorized to do so.
- Medicines should be halved, as needed, so they are ready for dispensing.

Parents of children who require special attention for medical reasons should discuss this with the school nurse-teacher.

## School Physicals

New York State law requires parents or guardians to furnish a certificate of physical examination within 30 days of entrance for all new students, and for students in grades kindergarten, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11, and for those students participating in sports, requiring special education services, or seeking work permits. It is recommended that all examinations be done by your primary care physician for optimal continuity and health care of your child. If you do not have health insurance, or are in need of a physician, confidential assistance is available by contacting your school nurse-teacher. In rare instances in which a family is unable to obtain private health care, a physical examination may be conducted in the school by the district nurse practitioner.

## Dental Health Certificate

We recognize the importance of good oral hygiene for all children and recommend that your child has regular periodic complete dental examinations by a dentist every six months, but at least upon entrance to school and again in grades K, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, and 11. A dental health certificate is encouraged to be furnished for your child for inclusion in your child's record. Please submit a completed dental certificate to your school nurse-teacher. Forms are available at [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org) under Student & Family Services, Health Services, and in the main office or health office of each school.

## Too Sick for School?

A student should stay home from school if he or she:

- has a fever of 100° F or more.
- had a fever above 100° F in the last 24 hours.
- has vomited in the last 24 hours.
- has had diarrhea in the last 24 hours.
- has a runny nose that requires a great deal of management time.
- has a persistent cough that interferes with concentration.
- is too tired to engage in usual activities.
- has a significantly decreased appetite.
- has one or both eyes that are red, watery, or draining.
- has been on medication for an infection for fewer than 24 hours.
- has severe headache, especially when accompanied by fever.
- has severe sore throat accompanied by fever, malaise and/or red spots in the mouth.
- has a rash that is in various stages.
- has an unidentified rash in between the fingers.

Generally, after the above listed symptoms disappear, students require an additional 24-72 hours to recover. If you are in doubt about whether or not to send your child to school during or following an illness, please call the school nurse-teacher for advice. If your child has a persistent cough, rash, fever, bump, or other bothersome symptom, you should contact your child's pediatrician. For up-to-date guidelines related to COVID-19, please visit our website.

## Concussion Management

A collaborative approach between the student's physician, school nurse-teacher, school counselors, academic and physical education teachers and district nurse practitioner is used to transition students who experienced head trauma back into full academics and activity. Concussion management protocols are available on the district website, [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org), under Athletics.

## Sports Physicals

Sports physicals are required yearly for each athlete. It is recommended that these exams be completed by your primary care physician. An exam is valid for one year through the month given (e.g. April 1, 2022, exams are good through April 30, 2023). You may complete sports clearance online starting 30 days prior to the start of each season by visiting [www.rhnet.org/familyid](http://www.rhnet.org/familyid).

## Sports Starting Dates

### Fall 2022

August 20 - V/JV Football  
August 22 - All Other V/JV Sports  
August 29 - All Modified Sports

### Winter 2022-2023

November 14 - All V/JV Sports  
November 21 - All Modified Sports

### Spring 2023

March 13 - All V/JV Sports  
April 3 - All Modified Sports

## R-H Sports Boosters All Sports Kickoff & Food Truck Rodeo

Wednesday, August 31, 4:30 - 8 p.m., Senior High School

## Sports Schedules

[www.rhnet.org/sportsschedules](http://www.rhnet.org/sportsschedules) (for up-to-date schedules)  
Sports schedules are subject to change.

## Sports Booster Club Meetings

Information can be found on page 35.





## School Buildings

Rush-Henrietta schools are available to district-based community and non-profit groups for meetings and special events under rules established by the NYS Education Department and the Board of Education. Applications for use of school space are available at each school and online at [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org). Completed forms need to be returned to the principal of the school you wish to use. A minimum of two weeks notice is required to permit the scheduling of requests. Proof of insurance, 501(c)(3) status, and participant lists with addresses will be required

## Athletic Fields

School athletic fields are in great demand. The district works with the Rush and Henrietta recreation commissions, the Rush-Henrietta Athletic Association, and other community sports groups to schedule equitable use of fields. During the summer, town recreation commissions use school fields/facilities for playground programs and for town-sponsored recreational sports leagues.

Community members are invited to walk/run the outdoor track at the high school when it is not being used by athletic or instructional programs. The hours, weather permitting, are sunrise to dusk.

## Guidelines for Use

School buildings and grounds are off limits to unauthorized persons from 15 minutes after sunset to 15 minutes after sunrise. When on school grounds:

- No loitering.
- Obey speed limits and parking regulations.
- Park your car only in designated lots.
- Snowmobiles, motor scooters, motorbikes, dirt bikes, ATVs, model airplanes, and drones are prohibited.
- The possession of alcoholic beverages, marijuana, illegal drugs, firearms, and weapons are always prohibited. Individuals violating the rules will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
- Tobacco smoking is not permitted at any time.
- The use of e-cigarettes is not permitted at any time.

## Enforcing Parking Regulations on School Property

The district continues to experience a number of illegally parked vehicles in fire lanes and other areas immediately adjacent to and around our schools and other district buildings.

It is mandatory for all vehicles to park in appropriate and designated parking spaces on school property. The only exceptions to this are police and emergency vehicles, school transportation vehicles, school service vehicles, and school events for which special parking arrangements are directed and overseen by district and school security personnel.

In compliance with New York State Uniform Fire Codes, individuals are required to park in appropriately signed parking areas. Violations will be referred to the town code enforcement officials or police officials for issuance of a court appearance ticket.

Thank you for your compliance in this matter, which ensures the safety and security of students, staff, and community groups using district buildings and grounds.

## 24/7 SAFE SCHOOL HELPLINE

To confidentially report situations that may pose a threat to the safety or well-being of Rush-Henrietta students, staff, or school property:

**Call: 800-4-1-VOICE ext. 359**

**Text: 614-426-0240, then type TIPS**

**Go Online: [www.safeschoolhelpline.com](http://www.safeschoolhelpline.com)**

This service is open to anyone, and should be used to report concerns or seek help:

- Violence and threats of violence
- Weapon possession
- Theft and vandalism
- Drug or alcohol use and abuse
- Talk of suicide
- Bullying/mental health support
- Sexual harassment
- Anything that threatens the safety of our schools

**To report an emergency situation that poses an imminent threat, please call 911.**

## Family Services

### Adult Literacy

The Family Services Program offers ESOL classes during the day and evening hours for adults 21 years of age or older. If you need help with English as a Second Language or have questions about the district's literacy services, please call 359-7918.

### Universal Pre-K Program

Universal Pre-K (UPK) is a free, New York State-funded program for children who are 4 years of age by December 1, and are residents of the Rush-Henrietta Central School District. Full-day and half-day classes are offered at a variety of sites within the school district. For more information, please call 359-7913 or 359-7914.

## Continuing Education

The Rush-Henrietta Continuing Education Program includes offerings in personal and professional skill development, fine arts, crafts, physical fitness, and safe driving. New courses are added regularly based on interest. The program year is divided into four sessions; fall, winter, spring, and summer. A continuing education brochure describing courses, fees, and registration procedures is available each session on the district website to view or print at [www.rhnet.org/brochures](http://www.rhnet.org/brochures). You can register online at [www.rhnet.org/ceregister](http://www.rhnet.org/ceregister). If you have any questions, please call the continuing education office at 359-7805, or email [RHCE@rhnet.org](mailto:RHCE@rhnet.org).

## Driver Education

Driver Education is a joint partnership between the New York State Education Department and the Department of Motor Vehicles. This course is intended to educate students on appropriate driving skills and habits as well as playing a responsible role in the highway transportation/safety system. This fee-based program is open to any student 16 years or older who is enrolled in high school at the time of registration, and holds a valid NYS Learner's Permit. A fall, winter/spring, and two summer programs are offered each year. Please call 359-7805 for more information.

## Even Start

For more than 30 years, Rush-Henrietta has offered the Even Start program. The only program of its kind in Monroe County, this multi-cultural family literacy program offers developmentally appropriate curriculum and a quality preschool experience for children ages 3 to 5.

[rhnet.org/evenstart](http://rhnet.org/evenstart)

## Aquatics

### District Learn-to-Swim Program

Rush-Henrietta Community Programs offers the American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim program during the school year and through the summer. The swim lesson schedule and registration information can be found in the continuing education brochure that is available on the district website each session. Visit [www.rhnet.org/ceregister](http://www.rhnet.org/ceregister) or call 359-7805 for more information.

### Community Pool Use

The high school pool can be scheduled for use by Rush-Henrietta school groups and approved Rush-Henrietta community-based organizations. To be approved, your organization must provide the required paperwork [proof of 501(c)(3), appropriate liability insurance, and a list of organization members with addresses]. For a fee schedule, available dates, and appropriate paperwork, contact the continuing education office at 359-7805.

### Pool Schedule During School Year

The pool schedule changes throughout the school year. District residents may access the pool for a variety of programs. See the descriptions above for the American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim program and community use. Family Open Swims may be available, when the pool schedule allows, on weekends and during school recesses. When open swim is available, the cost is \$5 per person. For pool rules, available dates, and up-to-date information, call the continuing education office at 359-7805.

## Cub Care Zone



The Cub Care Zone is a fee-based childcare program for Rush-Henrietta students in grades K-6.

### What is Available in the Zone?

#### • Before- and after-school care:

The Cub Care Zone, or C<sup>2</sup>Z for short, provides fee-based care for children in grades Pre-K-6 at the Rush-Henrietta building the child attends. Children can attend in the morning, the afternoon, or both. Children must be registered for a minimum of three days per week. Care will be provided on all school days. The program is open 6:30 a.m. until school starts, and again from the end of the school day until 6 p.m.

#### • Non-school day care, including summer care:

When school is not in session, all-day care will be provided, for an additional cost, from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Good Shepherd building, 3288 East Henrietta Road. Visit the district website for the list of dates when non-school day care is provided. There will be no care available for districtwide emergency closings.

#### • As-needed care:

For your convenience, care will be available before and after school for occasional, unexpected personal needs. To be eligible for this fee-based, as-needed program, you must register for the Cub Care Zone and submit the enrollment forms prior to your child attending.

For more information on the Rush-Henrietta Cub Care Zone programs, or to register your child, go to [www.rhnet.org/c2z](http://www.rhnet.org/c2z) or call 359-7911.

## Transportation Procedures

The transportation department strives to promote safe, effective, and efficient transportation services for all Rush-Henrietta students. Listed below are some general guidelines that will aid in this endeavor.

### Enhanced Transportation Services

Elementary school students (K-6) who reside more than one tenth (.1) of a mile from school are eligible for district bus transportation services.

### Transportation Guidelines

The Board of Education has adopted the following guidelines for students, parents, and bus drivers. These are intended to reduce the length of delay and congestion for the general motoring public.

- Students are expected to be at their assigned bus stop **five minutes prior to their scheduled pick-up time**. Students should wait in a location on a sidewalk or safely away from the edge of the roadway. Students are to be in plain view of the bus driver as the bus approaches the bus stop. The driver will stop and open the door. **If the bus driver does not see the student(s), he/she will immediately continue on the route.**
- It is expected that students make a reasonable effort to quickly board the bus (e.g., no sauntering). If a student repeatedly delays the bus, the bus driver will give the student a warning and notify the transportation office upon return to the garage. If this behavior continues, the bus will no longer wait for the student.
- If a student misses the bus to school, the district shall not alter any bus route to pick up the pupil; it will then be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to provide transportation to school. The district may pick up the pupil on another bus route provided there is no route alteration necessary (the students may need to travel to another location for pick up).

- If a student misses the bus going home, the student may take the next scheduled bus ("late bus") if available; otherwise, it shall be the responsibility of the parent/guardian to pick up the pupil. The school will notify the parent/guardian of the student's situation and location.
- For K-3 students, if an adult or responsible sibling is not visible to the driver at drop-off, the child will be transported to our Cub Care Zone after-school program at the Good Shepherd site, 3288 East Henrietta Road. For students in grades 4-6, parents may request that their child not be dropped off without an adult present, and the same rule will apply. This service will cost \$25 each time it is used, plus an initial, one-time registration fee for "as-needed" care of \$25. This payment is due on arrival and may be paid with cash or credit card. The program closes at 6 p.m. each weekday.

This information is a summary of Board of Education Policy 8411 and 8411-R. Complete copies of these and all other board policies are available in the district clerk's office and on the district website, [www.rhnet.org/policies](http://www.rhnet.org/policies).

## Private, Parochial, and Charter School Transportation

All transportation applications for private, parochial, and charter schools must be received by **April 1**. Applications for transportation received after the April 1 deadline will be subject to existing bus routes and capacity limitations. Requests must be renewed each year by April 1. Transportation is provided pursuant to New York State law.

## Annual Request for Transportation to Babysitter or Childcare

In accordance with Board of Education Policy 8411 and Regulation 8411-R, parents or guardians of students living in the Rush-Henrietta Central School District who wish to have their child/children picked up or discharged at a childcare location must file a written request on the appropriate form annually by **April 1**. This request is to be filed at the school in which the child/children attend. **The request must be renewed each subsequent year by April 1.**

Please note, state law prohibits school districts from transporting students between home and a day care. Students can only be transported between school and home, or school and a day care.

Parents/guardians must have a consistent, five-day-a-week schedule for their child's bussing, with a maximum of two pick-up and two drop-off points during the week. For example, a child may go to day care Monday, Wednesday, and Friday and home the other two days. This form must be completed and submitted to the school office before service can be provided.

Applications for transportation received after April 1 for day care providers outside of the student's home school attendance area will be subject to existing bus routes and bus capacity limitations.

### Student Bus Stop Change Requests

Bus schedules will be printed on or before August 20. Any requests for changes to a bus stop received after August 20 will not be processed until the Monday following the first day of school. For the remainder of the school year, requests for changes to a bus stop must be submitted, in writing, to the student's school no later than the Wednesday prior to the week of the requested change.





## Budget Advisory Council (BAC)

Andy Whitmore, District Liaison, 359-5037  
6:30-8:30 PM • Parker Administration Building

Monday, January 23, 2023  
Monday, February 27, 2023  
Monday, March 27, 2023

### Community Forum on the 2023-2024 Budget

Wednesday, March 29, 2023  
6:30 PM • Parker Administration Building

## Rush-Henrietta Music Parents Association (RHMPA)

Jenny Hamson, President  
rushhenriettamusicparents@outlook.com

7 PM • SHS • Chorus Room

Monday, September 19, 2022  
Monday, November 7, 2022  
Monday, February 6, 2023  
Monday, March 6, 2023  
Monday, April 10, 2023  
Monday, June 12, 2023

## Instructional Space Committee

Dr. Casey van Harssel, Facilitator, 359-5044  
6:30-8:30 PM • Parker Administration Building

Thursday, October 13, 2022  
Thursday, November 17, 2022  
Thursday, December 8, 2022

## District Parent Advisory Council (DPAC)

Melissa Hayward, Chair  
Carrie Silva-Martin, 1st Vice Chair  
Holli Fiscus-Connon, 2nd Vice Chair

6:30-8:30 PM • Parker Administration Building

Thursday, September 15, 2022  
Thursday, October 6, 2022  
Thursday, November 3, 2022  
Thursday, January 5, 2023  
Thursday, February 2, 2023  
Thursday, March 2, 2023 (Parent Partnership Forum)  
Thursday, March 16, 2023  
Thursday, May 4, 2023

### DPAC Meet the Candidates Night

Thursday, April 27, 2023  
6:30 PM • Parker Administration Building

## Multicultural Parent Advisory Council (MPAC)

Nerlande Anselme, District Liaison, 359-5018  
William Hall, Parent Liaison, 314-0385  
williamsmhall@gmail.com

6:30 PM • Online  
Thursday, September 22, 2022  
Thursday, October 20, 2022  
Thursday, November 17, 2022  
Thursday, January 19, 2023  
Thursday, March 23, 2023  
Thursday, May 11, 2023  
June TBD - Multicultural Celebration

*All meetings and events are subject to change.*

## Sports Booster Club

Shiloh Arthmann, Co-President  
Amy Rowe, Co-President  
rhboosterclub@gmail.com

7 PM • SHS • Conference Room A

Monday, September 12, 2022  
Monday, October 3, 2022  
Monday, November 7, 2022  
Monday, December 5, 2022  
Monday, January 9, 2023  
Monday, February 6, 2023  
Monday, March 6, 2023  
Monday, April 10, 2023  
Monday, May 1, 2023  
Monday, June 5, 2023

## Equity & Inclusion Advisory Council

Diane Wynne, Facilitator, 359-5086  
5:30 - 7:30 PM • Online

Wednesday, September 21, 2022  
Wednesday, January 25, 2023  
Wednesday, May 24, 2023

### Professional Learning Series

Wednesday, October 26, 2022  
Wednesday, November 30, 2022  
Wednesday, March 29, 2023  
Wednesday, April 26, 2023

## Rush-Henrietta Alumni Council (RHAC)

For information regarding RHAC,  
please go to [www.rhnet.org/rhac](http://www.rhnet.org/rhac).



# Visual & Performing Arts Calendar

## SEPTEMBER

19 Gr. 5 & 6 Lessons and Ensembles Begin

## OCTOBER

3 Gr. 4 Lessons Begin  
 17 Gr. 4 Ensembles Begin  
 20-21 SHS Fall Play, 7 PM  
 22 SHS Fall Play, 2 PM  
 28 Burger Fall Play, 7 PM

## NOVEMBER

4-5 NYSSMA Jr. High Area All-State, Bloomfield  
 9 On My Own Time Faculty & Staff Art Show, 4-6 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library  
 16 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 18-19 NYSSMA Sr. High Area All-State, Gates Chili  
 High School

## DECEMBER

1-4 NYSSMA Winter Conference  
 5 Burger Concert (Chorus 9, Orchestra 9, Band 8/9),  
 7 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 5 Roth Concert (Chorus 9, Orchestra 9, Band 8/9),  
 7 PM, Roth JHS Aud.  
 7 Sherman Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 7 Vollmer Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 8 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 12 Burger Concert (Chorus 8, Orchestra 8), 7 PM,  
 Burger JHS Aud.  
 12 Roth Concert (Chorus 8, Orchestra 8), 7 PM,  
 Roth JHS Aud.  
 14 Sherman Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 14 Vollmer Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 15 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.

## JANUARY

6-7 MCSMA Vocal Solo Festival/Jazz, Brighton High School  
 9 Burger Concert (Gr. 7), 7 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 9 Roth Concert (Gr. 7), 7 PM, Roth JHS Aud.

13-14 Roth Musical, 7 PM, Roth Aud.  
 13-14 MCSMA Sr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 9-12),  
 Minerva Deland, Fairport  
 18 Sherman Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 PM., SHS Aud.  
 18 Vollmer Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 20-21 MCSMA Jr. High Instrumental Solo Festival (Gr. 7-8),  
 Twelve Corners MS, Brighton  
 27-28 MCSMA Elementary Solo Festival (Gr. 4-6),  
 Barker Road MS, Pittsford

## FEBRUARY

9 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 10-11 Burger Musical, 7 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 15 Elementary Art Show Opening (Gr. K-3), 4-6 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library

## MARCH

3 MCSMA Sr. High All-County Music Festival Rehearsal,  
 West Irondequoit High School  
 4 MCSMA Sr. High All-County Music Festival  
 Performance, Eastman Theater  
 8 District Elementary Music Festival (Gr. K-3), 7 PM,  
 SHS Gym  
 10-11 Jazz All-County Music Festival, Spencerport HS  
 14 Elementary Art Show Opening (Gr. 4-6), 4-6 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library  
 16-17 SHS Spring Musical, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 17-18 MCSMA Elementary All-County Music Festival,  
 Brockport  
 18 SHS Spring Musical, 2 PM, SHS Aud.  
 24-25 MCSMA Jr. High All-Country Music Festival,  
 East Irondequoit  
 24-25 NYSSMA All-State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival,  
 Victor

## APRIL

18 Secondary Art Show Opening (Gr. 7-12), 4-6 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library  
 28-29 NYSSMA All-State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival,  
 Webster

## MAY

2 BOE Music Recognition Ceremony, 5:30 PM,  
 SHS Aud.  
 6 MCSMA Peak Festival, 9 AM  
 12-13 NYSSMA All-State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival,  
 Wayne  
 15 Burger Concert (Gr. 7), 7 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 15 Roth Concert (Gr. 7), 7 PM, Roth JHS Aud.  
 17 Sherman Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 17 Vollmer Concert (Gr. 6), 6:30 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 18 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 22 Burger Concert (Chorus 8, Orchestra 8), 7 PM,  
 Burger JHS Aud.  
 22 Roth Concert (Chorus 8, Orchestra 8, Jazz Band,  
 Chamber Orch), 7 PM, Roth JHS Aud.  
 23 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 23-25 NYSSMA Major Organization Festival, Rush-Henrietta  
 24 Sherman Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 24 Vollmer Concert (Gr. 5), 6:30 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 25 SHS Concert, 7 PM, SHS Aud.  
 31 Sherman Spring Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 31 Vollmer Spring Concert (Gr. 4), 6:30 PM, Burger  
 JHS Aud.

## JUNE

2-3 NYSSMA All-State Solo and Small Ensemble Festival,  
 Gates Chili  
 5 Roth Concert (Chorus 9, Orchestra 9, Band 8/9),  
 7 PM, Roth JHS Aud.  
 5 Burger Concert (Chorus 9, Orchestra 9, Band 8/9),  
 7 PM, Burger JHS Aud.  
 6 SHS Piano Recital, 3:30-5:30 PM, SHS Aud.  
 7 K-12 District Art Show, 4-5:30 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library  
 7 Superintendent Choice Awards, 5:30 PM,  
 Henrietta Public Library  
 8 SHS Theory Composition Recital, 3:30 - 5:30 PM,  
 SHS Aud.



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As of 7/12/22

*Staying involved in your child's education can be a daunting task in today's busy world, but it doesn't have to be if you make the most of technology! Rush-Henrietta's Office of Community Relations offers the following tips on how to get the latest school and district news this year.*

## Be Informed through E-News/Phone Notifications

Rush-Henrietta uses Blackboard to get information to families quickly and effectively. This system allows us to call more than one parent or guardian per student. This means that calls regarding snow days, important reminders, or other vital information can be delivered to more than one contact per student. Also, there is no need to sign-up for E-News! Parents with email addresses on record in SchoolTool will automatically receive the E-News updates from their child's principal! Now you can be sure that you are staying up-to-speed on all key information coming from your child's school and the district. Please provide updated phone and email contacts on your child's blue card. If these change during the school year, please notify the main office of your child's school.

## Participate in ThoughtExchange

We have an interactive tool to help us gather input from the community on important topics. Called ThoughtExchange, this online forum allows participants to anonymously share their thoughts on a subject and react to thoughts shared by others. This method of gathering community input on key questions helps inform the district of the broader community's feelings and ideas, so that they may be taken into consideration. Watch for notification regarding ThoughtExchange opportunities throughout the school year and make your voice heard!

## Visit the District Website

Located at [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org), the district website is a wealth of information! You can find district-wide and school-specific information, breakfast and lunch menus, a staff directory, and more. The online calendar provides information for district events, and can be customized to fit your preferences for school-based events. News items are posted to the district and school pages regularly. In the event of an emergency or adverse weather conditions, an alert will be posted on the main page to keep you informed. To make the site as accessible to as many Rush-Henrietta residents as possible, a click of the Translate button in the upper right corner allows the visitor to view the website in their preferred language. PDFs can be automatically translated into another language or converted to other formats by clicking the **A** icon next to the document.



## Follow Us on Facebook and YouTube

Have you visited the Rush-Henrietta Central School District's official Facebook page? Launched in 2014, this popular feature can be found by visiting [www.facebook.com/rhschools](http://www.facebook.com/rhschools). More than 6,300 people like the page so far, and we encourage you to do the same! Please note that you do not need a Facebook account to view posts and see important and inspiring news from your child's school and district!

In addition, Rush-Henrietta has its own YouTube channel. You can find it at [www.rhnet.org/youtube](http://www.rhnet.org/youtube), and peruse the many parent education videos, recordings of special events, a message from the superintendent, and more! Both the district's Facebook and YouTube pages are also accessible by clicking on the appropriate links on the district website at [www.rhnet.org](http://www.rhnet.org). Thank you for checking them out throughout the year!



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[www.rhnet.org/youtube](http://www.rhnet.org/youtube)



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# Rush-Henrietta Recognized for Excellence



## Senior High School Ranked Among Nation's Best

For the past four years, Rush-Henrietta Senior High School has ranked among the top 10 percent of public high schools nationwide according to the *U.S. News and World Report* annual Best High Schools in America poll for 2022! For the rankings, schools nationwide are given a score out of 100. This year, the Senior High School scored 90.8 out of 100. Scores are based on six weighted indicators: College Readiness, College Curriculum Breadth, Math and Reading Proficiency, Math and Reading Performance, Underserved Student Performance, and Graduation Rate.



## R-H Named One of Best Communities for Music Education

For the 13th consecutive year, Rush-Henrietta was again named one of the nation's Best Communities for Music Education by The NAMM Foundation based on our steadfast commitment to music education. This is the 17th time overall R-H has received this prestigious honor! This designation is awarded to districts that demonstrate outstanding achievement in efforts to provide music access and education to all students. Rush-Henrietta continues to lead the way with learning opportunities for students, with music and the arts being viewed here as important elements of a well-rounded education.



## Senior High School Honored as PLTW Distinguished School

Rush-Henrietta Senior High School has been recognized as a Project Lead The Way Distinguished School for the third consecutive year! This award celebrates outstanding implementation of PLTW Biomedical Sciences and Engineering programs in grades 9-12. Through these programs, students develop STEM knowledge as well as in-demand, transportable skills they may use in school and for the rest of their lives, on any career path. The PLTW Distinguished School recognition honors schools committed to increasing student access, engagement, and achievement in their PLTW programs.