TO: RMES Parents & Guardians

DATE: April 28, 2024

RE: Reminders & Updates for this Week

Dear Parents & Guardians,

GREETINGS! Please take a few minutes to get caught up with the reminders and updates for this week.

Great Lakes Adventist Academy Aerokhanas Visit: We had a wonderful time with our friends from Great Lakes Adventist Academy (GLAA) Aerokhanas Gymnastics Team last Thursday. Everyone enjoyed the performance, especially those who got to participate. Check out RMES face book to see Mr. Whiting and the students who had the opportunity to be in the show. Please "like" our page when you visit.

6-8 Grade Community Art Exhibition: Hope you had a chance to go andyou're your child's Artwork on display among the Grade 6-12 exhibits. Once again, RMES was among the schools with a winner for the 2024 RESA Art Scholarship Award. **CONGRATULATIONS to Anna Myaing one of our talented 7th graders!**

RMES Honors Field Trip: Last Friday, 4/26/24 the students of NEHS & NJHS took a trip to Chicago where they visited the Museum of Science & Natural History. There were so many interesting things to see and do. Many of them would have liked more time, but overall they reported, "the trip was great!"

The Lost, The Found, The Restored: RMES Performing Arts Ministry/Drama Mini course took their play on the road this weekend. The 9-member class wrote and performed the play for Assembly at school (3/27), and again yesterday (Sabbath 4/27) at the Highland Avenue SDA Church, where Pastor White, their instructor, is the Lead Pastor. The students retold the stories of the Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin and the lost Son (Luke 15) and showed how God always has a plan to restore and save those who are lost. The play was directed by a 7th grader, Aubrey Fitting, one of the cast members, Aubrey. WELL, DONE, STUDENTS!

RMES Ministry & Missions Fair: RMES first Ministry & Missions Fair will take place on **this Wednesday, May 1, 2024**, starting from 9:00am to 2:45pm. The students will walk through by classes to listen, see displays, ask questions, and learn from each of the mission ministry presenters. Some of the booths will include Adventist Frontier Missions, ASAP, Farm Stew, AU Center for Faith Engagement for Missions & Service, to name a few of the nine. If you are available, please come and join the walk through.

Wax Museum Project: Come and See and Hear the 2nd and 6th grade students when they put on their respective Living Wax Museum Event. In this Social Studies activity, the students will demonstrate their knowledge of a famous person in history, as they use various skills that they have learned, such as research, memorization, public speaking, acting/drama, and costume, etc.,

to realistically characterize the person they represent. Grade 2 Wax Museum takes place on **May** 2^{nd} from 6:00-7:15pm, in the gym. Grade 6 Wax Museum is Friday, **May** 3^{rd} from 9:10am – 12:00noon in the 6th grade classroom.

RMES Official Registration Day--Fee Discounts for Early Birds: Take advantage of our early registration discounts for the 2024-2025 school year. Early registration has started and will be open through *May 20, RMES official Registration & STEAMS Day*. Once again, we request your partnership in sharing this information to your family, friends and neighbors who have potential students for our school.

STEAMS Showcase: RMES annual STEAMS Showcase will be held on May 21, 2024. This is our exhibition of the students' collaborative and individual creative works of excellence in the integration of STEAMS, including Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts/Agriculture, Math and Spirituality. We are inviting parents, friends, and community visitors to come and see and hear students show and talk about their best/favorite STEAMS accomplishments not only limited to the 6 STEAMS elements, but other integrated subject areas, such as Social Studies, ELA (Creative Writing) and Modern Languages (Spanish, Korean) projects, will provide a holistic view of their learning this year. More details are forthcoming.

Tuition Payment Due: Just a gentle reminder that your tuition payment is due this Thursday, April 25. Thank you for your commitment to Adventist education and for your support of RMES.

RMES Student Prayer Calendar: Please continue praying every day for RMES students, one child at a time. Here are the names to lift-up this week: (*Mon. April 28—Sab. May4*): Atlas (1), Ava (5), Micah (7), Santiago (4), Arlo S (K), Minka (5)

RMES/PMC Grow Group: Join us on Thursdays at 8:15am to pray for our school and students.

The TENT: Please join us in prayer for Our Annual TENT Evangelistic Series scheduled to begin on Sabbath evening, May 11 through May 18. Please lift up Pastor Ben, Lead Coordinator & Mentor and Mr. Whiting, Evangelism Mini course Instructor, and Student Mentor. Additionally, please send up special prayers for the student preachers and all other participants. Just letting you know in advance that due to the tent needing some repairs, the meetings will take place in the PMC Youth Chapel this year. Please pray without ceasing for this event!

Our Theme Text: "Now faith is confidence is what we hope for and the assurance about what we do not see." Micah 6:8

Please see below -- Important Dates and Upcoming Events for the 4th Quarter

- o RMES Missions Fair
- o May 1
- Wax Museum (Gr. 2)
- o May 2
- Wax Museum (Gr.6)
- o May 3
- Teacher Appreciation Week May 6
- Gr.6 Trip to CUBS Game

- May 8
 Assembly-Unveiling
 May 10
- The TENT
- May 11-18
- STEAMS Showcase & Registration Day May 20

Have a pleasant & productive week!

Dr. Savory