

THE RICHTER REPORT

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

It has been a wonderful fourth year at Richter Intermediate School and we sincerely appreciate all you have done to help your student(s) transition to the middle level. Our successes with this year's sixth grade class would not have been possible without your support. You will receive a welcome letter and schedule pick up information from Sherman in mid-August.

On Monday, June 9, 2008 the entire sixth grade class will be taking an end of the year field trip to Groveland Beach. Students will be transported to and from the beach on school buses, which will pick up students at Richter at 9:45 a.m. and return them to the school at approximately 2:00 p.m. Students who are going to attend should bring a bag with beach items such as a swimsuit, sunscreen, towel, and a dry change of clothes. **Every student is asked to return the attached permission slip noting whether or not they will attend the beach. Those who choose not to attend should return their permission slip noting this in order to have their absence excused for the day.**

For the safety of our students who are interested in swimming, lifeguards will be on duty in the swimming area. There is also a large slide that goes into the water adjacent to the swimming area. Students who are interested in using the slide will need to bring money with them to cover the cost: either \$1.00 per ride or \$8.00 for unlimited rides.

Groveland also has a skateboard park available to students at no cost. Students may choose to bring inline skates and/or skateboards, provided they have a required safety pads (knee, wrist, elbow, and helmet) to help prevent injury. Students should not plan on bringing a bike to the park. **Please also remember that students cannot bring skates, skateboards and other large items on the bus to and from school; therefore, parents will need to transport these items to and from school on the day of the trip.** A staff member will transport all large items in a vehicle to and from the beach.

Because our students did such an outstanding job with this year's fundraiser, there is no charge for the beach trip. Additionally, the Richter Parent Connection will be providing students with a bagged lunch consisting of a hotdog, chips, bottled water, and a snack. If you student has specific dietary needs, please send them with a bagged lunch labeled with his or her name (we will have a cooler available). For students choosing to bring additional funds to the park, there also is a concession area that sells hot items, soda, chips, and various snacks.

If the weather fails to cooperate, we will have alternative activities scheduled at Richter on June 9th. We simply ask that everyone bring their beach items with them to school rain or shine. **It is extremely important that all students return the attached permission slip to his or her third hour teacher by Friday, June 6th.** If you have specific questions about the beach trip, please contact the RIS office at 248-328-3030.

Thank you again for all of your support this year!

Mr Fenchel, Mr Tobe, and Mr Cox

Permission Slip for Groveland Beach Trip

I hereby give permission for my son/daughter, _____ to attend the sixth grade end of the year field trip to Groveland Beach on June 9, 2008.

I understand that the trip will be under the supervision of adult staff members.

I hereby relieve the Holly Area School District of all responsibility beyond that of normal supervision.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____

Date: _____

OR

_____ My son/daughter _____ will not be attending school on Monday, June 9, 2008

This permission slip must be returned to your child's third hour teacher by THURSDAY – June 5th.

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CONGRATULATIONS!
MAY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH
Damia Simpson
Casey Chmura
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LOST AND FOUND

Be sure to check the lost and found table in the lobby for any clothing and other items you may be missing. Glasses, jewelry, and valuable items can be claimed in the office. All unclaimed items will be donated to charity.

HELP!!!

At schedule pickup or when your student was enrolled, they received a take home science, math and language arts textbook. These books will be collected before school starting Monday, June 2nd. Books should be brought the lobby by the office to be checked in.

Unpaid book fines will preclude students from getting a schedule at Sherman Middle School in August. Please take time to discuss this issue with your student and locate any items that need to be returned to the school. Fine information will be mailed home in June.

REPORT CARDS

Report cards will be mailed the week of June 16th. If your address has recently changed, please be sure the office has the new address.

SMS SCHEDULE PICKUP

Watch your mailbox in August for information regarding schedule pickup and picture day at Sherman Middle School. Dates and times will be announced.

DRESS CODE

Seventh grade dress code is comparable to Richter Intermediate. When you are doing your "back to school shopping", please keep in mind: no shirts with inappropriate slogans/logos, sleeveless or shirts that bare the midriff or cleavage and flannel sleep pants not allowed. Refer to the RIS Student Agenda Dress Code section for complete information. This dress code is very similar to what is used at Sherman Middle School.

SPORTS PHYSICALS FOR 2008-2009

On June 14th, beginning at 9:30 am, physicals will be offered at Holly High School for \$5.00 for students interested in participating in sports. Cash is best, but a check made *payable to Dr. Zielinski* is acceptable. **Tickets for a physical will go on sale beginning June 2nd in the HS athletic office.** When you purchase a ticket, you will be assigned a time. The plan is to schedule eight athletes every 10 minutes to reduce your wait. Please stop by the HS Athletic Office to purchase a ticket. You may want to pick up a physical form in advance, as the athlete may turn the completed physical form in to the athletic office at the time of the physical if the parent/guardian has filled out the portion that they need to fill out. If you are unable to purchase a ticket in advance, contact the athletic office on Friday, June 13th. At the time, we can tell you the approximate time that we will begin taking walk-ins. Contact the HS Athletic Office at 248-328-3242.

MEDICATION PICKUP

If your child has medication in the clinic for use during school hours, please be sure to pick it up by June 13th. All medication that is left in the office clinic will be disposed of after that date.

FUN RUN

The Fun Run was a huge success, with over \$3000 in profits thanks to everyone's generous donations. We hope to continue this activity each year. A very special thank you to all the parents who helped the afternoon of the Fun Run!

REMINDERS

All Beach Permission Slips MUST be turned in to third hour teachers by Thursday, June 5th.

TAKE HOME TEXTBOOKS ARE DUE IN THE OFFICE BEFORE JUNE 11th.

WE WISH YOU WELL!
Good luck Class of 2014