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Principal's Message

Greetings Raider Families!

We did it! The year is up and running and Rockledge High School is buzzing with spirit and enthusiasm! It is hard to believe that we are half way through the first semester of this school year. We are off to a great start even with challenges to all of our Raider family with our hurricane experiences, but everyone came together and demonstrated great strength and character. It is with great hope that everyone has found all of those challenges far behind them. We have so much to be proud of at the ROCK and our faculty, students, and families continue to demonstrate why our school is such a special place to be.

The beginning of this school year found our enrollment 75 students over our original projection. It is exciting to know that our programs such as AVID and Cambridge as well as our Maritime and Criminal Justice Academies and Automotive, Digital, and Patient Care Assisting CTE Programs are only part of the reason our students' experience a positive and comprehensive high school experience.

Student involvement makes so much difference for students and it isn't too late for students to find a sport, club, or activity to share with peers. Our athletic programs are strong and flourishing under dedicated coaches who care about our athletes. We are after the Cape Coast Conference All-Sports Trophy again this year! The many clubs and organizations available provide something for every student and there is something for every interest! It is important for all students to be a part of our family and our school culture.

As we visit classrooms, we are seeing students and teachers engaged in great work. Academic success for students is our great priority. At this time of year, be sure you are checking in with your student's teachers either through Edline, email or phone. Communication and parents, teachers, counselors, and administrators working together is one of the greatest factors in the success of our students. We offer multiple opportunities for tutoring and support for all students. This is the perfect time of year to ensure that students stay on a successful path or turn around their efforts and find their way to GPA improvement and classroom success.

I am honored and excited to be sharing this journey with all of you and serve our families and community. My door is always open and you can reach me hickey.victoria@brevardschools.org.

RAIDER PRIDE!

Victoria Hickey
Principal

Message From Assistant Principal Lisa Kratz

Hello Raiders!

I am Lisa Kratz and I am the new 12 month Assistant Principal. I was lucky enough to meet a lot of you during our **Back to School Night**. I have had the opportunity to work at multiple schools in the district and I am thrilled to be at The Rock! I work specifically with our ESE department and I am available to answer questions about your child's classes. My email is kratz.lisa@brevardschools.org, if you have any questions.

As we get closer to the end of the first semester, we also get closer to midterm exams. A calendar of the exams is listed in the newsletter. Exams can be a stressful time for students and it is important to do your best. Below are some study tips:

***Prep, Prep, Prep**

The studying process can be less if notes are completed ahead of time. Preparation is the most effective way to reduce a student's anxiety and the most effective way to ensure success.

***Old is Gold**

Many students throw out their tests and do not realize how much of an old tests can be. Teachers build their exams around the most important concepts of the semester and teacher are very likely to reuse important questions from their chapter tests.

***Visualize This**

Many find that the best way to learn is through visual aids.

***Rest up**

Getting enough sleep is important for the mind. Please be mindful of when exams take place & get a good night's sleep.

***On time and full**

Being on time makes exams less stressful. Take advantage of the free breakfast and fuel up before going to class.

Attendance:

With exams being so close to the holidays, it is extremely important to make sure your child is present for exams. Students who know ahead of time that they will not be present for exams will need to meet with their teacher and discuss when a make-up exam will take place. A student will receive a zero as a grade until the exam is made up. It is in the child's best interest to take the exam during the exam time while the information is still fresh.

Check out:

During exams, student may check after their last exam of the day. Students will receive a color-coded checkout form from their teachers prior to the exam. The checkout form must be signed by a parent (there is a different form for each exam day). The student will give the signed checkout form to their last exam teacher of the day. Student must remain in the exam for 1 hour. After the hour and after students have completed their exam, they may be excused if they turned the form in. Students must leave campus immediately after they are excused. We will not accept parent phone checkouts during exam days.

Good luck to all the students in the next couple of months. Please take advantage of this time to prepare and make the most of each class day!

– Lisa Kratz, Assistant Principal

Mr. Quinlan's Corner

Our school year has gotten off to a great start. I would like to take this opportunity to clarify a few of our policies and procedures at Rockledge High School. New this year, implemented in order to promote increased campus safety while also working to ensure students are able maximized their time within their classes, Rockledge High implemented the **10 Minute Rule**. Simply stated, this policy does not allow students to leave their classrooms during the first and last 10 minutes of the class period.

Tardies: At Rockledge High School, students are expected to be on time to each class. Students can be tardy to class twice per semester without penalty. Starting with the third tardy, students will be required to serve an afterschool detention.

Attendance: We are asking all of our parents to increase communication with us when your child will be absent from school. Additionally, when your child returns to school from being absent, please provide documentation of doctor's appointments, religious holidays, required court appearances or death in the family to our attendance clerk. These types of absences will be excused. Any unexcused absences beyond nine days, your child will be in jeopardy of failing their semester classes due to lack of regular school attendance. Furthermore, five unexcused absences in a grading period or 15 absences within a 90-day period may result in a referral for truancy, which can affect students from obtaining or keeping a driver's license. When returning from an absence, please remind your student to contact each teachers for their make-up work.

Teamwork: We want to ensure every student has the best high school experience possible. As we work towards that goal, if there are issues, questions, or concerns regarding your student or anything we are doing or not doing here at Rockledge High School, please let us know. Give us a call or stop in and see us.

A Big Welcome to Julie Reda

Hello Raiders,

My name is Julie Reda. I am new at the Rock and working in the Dean's office. I am very excited to be here and looking forward to getting to know each and every one of you.

We have a couple of exciting school policies for the 2017-18 school year that we have put in place so that our students come to school prepared, get to class on time, and ready to start their day. Our administrative team will be out in the hallways at the beginning of school and at class change each day to ensure that the students are on time thus encouraging a "No Tardy" school environment. Students are getting to class on time and the teachers have given us very positive feedback.

We have also put into effect new expectations for earbuds/earphones in the hallways as this has become a safety issue. We have asked the students to use their cell phones only before school, after school and at lunch with earbuds and **no earbuds during class change**. This policy is geared to help limit distraction upon entering a classroom as well as the ability to hear the bells during class changes also reinforcing the "No Tardy" policy. The students have been very receptive and we have only had to remind them occasionally to remove the earbuds.

I want to personally thank you for your continued support of the students, teachers and staff at Rockledge High School. Our first concern is always the students, their education, and providing a safe, structured learning environment.

Please feel free to stop by and say "hello" anytime. Together we can make it a great 2017-2018 school year.

Kindest Regards,
Julie Reda

ROCK Rookies



For the second year in a row, we held our ROCK Rookies Day for our incoming freshmen. This is a day totally focused on what it means to be a ROCKLEDGE RAIDER! The 9th graders learn our RAIDER CHANT, experience multiple sessions on a variety of topics including clubs/athletics/organizations; expectations and discipline; curriculum and instructional information; they participate in a scavenger hunt so they know where to find **ALL THINGS ROCKLEDGE!** Every student gets a T-shirt shouting out their graduation year. Special thanks to a dedicated group of teachers who make this possible each year because the students have a spectacular day. They are immersed in the family and tradition that is ROCKLEDGE High School and what it means to be a RAIDER! Our goal is to let them know they are home! They are able to set goals and learn about their interests, participate in a campus scavenger hunt so they know where **EVERYTHING** is, they learn about all of our clubs and organizations as well as high academic and behavior expectations. All of the Freshmen are assigned upper classmen as mentors so they have someone they can count on throughout the year and our mentors did an amazing job! There are so many to thank for making the day an incredible experience for these kids: Leslie Griffin Shinault, Angela Randall Beth Scarborough, Sandra Kulesa Schooley, Kelly Rose, Mike Inman, Christine Kearns, Alicia Gaines, Special thanks to the Brevard County Sheriff's Office for helping us share Internet and Social Media Safety messages, our band under the direction of Steven Johnson, Raider Graduate Jackie Mijuskovic for her inspiring message, and all of the teachers and staff for their flexibility and support, and to retired Raider Marlyn Foell for contributing her time and artistic skill to the amazing ROCK Painting Event. She is going to make a mosaic for the CLASS of 2021 from the ROCKS they painted! RAIDER PRIDE!

Teachers Learn All About Google!

Teachers at Rockledge High School are getting into Google! Thanks to Mrs. Alicia Gaines, RHS earned a Digital Classroom grant last year that brought 10 mobile labs to our campus. We are growing in our efforts to use technology and that includes the adults! During preplanning, all teachers spent time learning all things Google. The labs offer so many varied opportunities in the classroom, but the suite of offerings within Google includes Google Docs, Sheets, Forms, Mail, Calendar and much more! One of the most exciting components is Google Classroom. This system helps teachers and students stay organized by keeping assignments saved all in one spot, in a digital classroom. Students can rewrite and revise drafts of writing all in one document, and all changes and versions of the documents are saved. Perhaps the most valuable component of Google Classroom is the opportunity it provides for students to collaborate and interact with their teachers and their classmates. Students can share documents to work on an assignment together, students can write comments on their peers' papers to give feedback, and they can respond to questions in an online discussion forum. New opportunities to collaborate present themselves every day! The best part of Google Classroom is that it's constantly improving. Everyone is moving along at their own individual pace, but we are growing with our students!



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Parent Contact Information

It is imperative we have accurate records (new addresses, phone numbers, etc.) so we are able to contact you in the event of an emergency involving your son or daughter. In addition, there are times when teachers, and other school personnel also need to speak with parents and/or guardians. We continue to be concerned about finding incorrect contact information in our records. Please give the office a call if you need to update your information 321.636.3711 ext.114 or 101.

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Yearbooks can be purchased at jostensyearbooks.com. Take advantage of these prices while they last!!

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Raider Fine Arts!

What's Happening in Theater?

- **October 12th** - The Annual Fall Talent Showcase (R.H.S. Has Talent)
Where: R.H.S. Auditorium
When: Oct 12th 7 PM
Tickets \$5 for adults and \$3 for students
The R.H.S. students will wow you with singing, dancing, rapping and more!
- **November 29th** - The R.H.S. Theatre Department presents the One-Act play "Exposed"
The residents of an 8-unit apartment building in New York City's Hells Kitchen have been exposed to a viral agent. Tensions flare, secrets are shared and chillability is increased while the eight residents are quarantined.
Where: R.H.S. Auditorium
When: November 29th 7 PM
Tickets \$5 for adults and \$3 for students

District Events

- **November 30th, December 1st and December 2nd**
 - District One-Act Competition for District 11 Thespians
 - District Individual Events Competition for District 11 Thespians
 - District Festival will be held at Eau Gallie H.S.
 - R.H.S. Thespians will compete in the One-Act Competition as well as the District Individual Events Competition in the following categories: Solo Musical, Duet Musical, Small Group Musical, Large Group Musical, Student Choreography, Pantomime, Set Design, Publicity, Play Writing, Monologues, Duet Acting, Ensemble Acting, Improvisation, and Make - up Design

For more information call Kelly Rose 321.636.3711 ext179 or email rose.kelly@brevardschools.org.

Raider Fall and Winter Concerts

- Band & Orchestra Fall Concert - October 10, 6:30 PM
- Chorus/Piano Winter Concert - December 11, 7:00 PM
- Band & Orchestra Winter Concert - December 12, 7:00 PM

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

FCA or Fellowship for Christian Athletes members meet every Tuesday in Mrs. Gaines room for breakfast, fellowship, and weekly messages of encouragement from their peers. Please stop by and join us. ALL are invited and welcomed!



Sharing GREAT News CTE, FUSE and our RHS Business Partners!

Welcome Seda MacDonald!

Mrs. MacDonald joined the ROCK as a Coordinating Teacher. She worked as a Mathematics Teacher and an Education Coordinator in Brevard County, Fairfax County-Virginia, and overseas.

She coordinates our Career Technical Education (CTE) programs, academies, Partners in Education (PIE) program, business relations, ESOL program, our new and exciting Science, Technology, Education, Mathematics (S.T.E.M) program/lab, FUSE.

Rockledge High School became one of the three high schools in Florida to offer the FUSE S.T.E.M program. It is designed by Northwestern University, Chicago, with the leadership of Office of Choice, Innovation and Equity of BPS, and funding from Northrop Grumman we are very excited to bring this unique opportunity to our students. Raiders are able to learn and apply science and technology by using computer programs and projects in our new FUSE lab. For more information, visit www.fusestudio.net.

We would like to welcome our new business partners and thank them for their support.

- Antonio C. Gagliardi, **Remax/Elite of Melbourne** is donating two computers to our Foundations of Programming course for students to learn and practice building a computer.
- **Computers Advancing Education Inc. (CAEI)** is donating computers, parts and monitors to our students. Students will have the opportunity to disassemble and reassemble computers as part of their coursework.
- **FASTSIGNS, Visual Communications Specialist** in Melbourne, is donating their printing service to our Criminal Justice Program.
- **Great Clips Hair Salon**, located in the Publix Plaza of Rockledge, is donating 10% of their proceeds earned by our students and parents.
- **Sturk Insurance Agency Horace Mann** is supporting our school and staff with all of their Insurance needs.

We are working very closely with the BPS Student Services Office to bring the best service to our English Language Learner (ELL) students. We are in the process of purchasing new technology to help students' text and speech translation needs.

Our Career Technical Education Programs are designed to bring the best education and training in the fields. Our students have the unique opportunities to learn, practice, and receive certification in our CTE programs: Architectural Drafting, Automotive Technology, Criminal Justice, Computer Programming, Digital Media, Hospitality, Fashion Production, Patient Care Assisting, and Maritime.

Please contact Seda MacDonald if you have any questions about our programs, ESOL, FUSE or if you would like to be a part of our ROCK family as a business partner.

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In accordance with School Board Policies 5420, Reporting Student Progress, and 5421, Grading, the following procedures shall be implemented in order to establish suitable uniform methods for marking and reporting progress of students to their parents. Schools utilizing alternative scheduling need to ensure that their procedures are aligned with those outlined below. For example, a semester at a typical school equals a quarter at a block school, and procedures should be implemented accordingly.

1. Grades shall be a measure of a student's progress and achievement in mastering the standards of the course based on the quality of work done and reflect a comprehensive evaluation which utilizes numerous & varied assessments.
2. Letter grades shall be issued each marking period based on the following numerical values as established by s.1003.437, F.S. (s.232.2463, F.S.):

A = 90 - 100

B = 80 - 89

C = 70 - 79

D = 60 - 69

F = 0 - 59

4. Semester Examinations

Formal, comprehensive semester examinations shall be required at the end of the first semester & for courses other than those described in the next paragraph for the second semester. The principal may approve an alternative assessment in lieu of a formal, written, comprehensive semester examination for justifiable academic reasons in a course where such an assessment might not be appropriate. A student's semester examination will be made available by the teacher/principal for at least two weeks following the examination and shall be available for parent/student perusal at the school.

Second semester examinations will be administered except in courses connected to FSA, FCAT, State EOC, AP, IB, AICE, or Industry Certification assessments. **However, teachers are to utilize the time after those assessments are administered until the last day of school (including shortened exam days) to further teach & assess performance standards of the course & include their on-going class assessments within the 4th grading period average.** The second semester average for these courses is determined by the averaging the 3rd & 4th nine-week grading periods.

English 4, English 4 Honors and English 4: Florida College Prep classes will administer the Brevard Public Schools Final Examination (BPSFE) as the 2nd semester examination. Teachers of these courses will set the scores to determine grades students earn from this examination.

4. Calculation of the Semester Average when including a semester (final) examination

The average for each of the two nine-week grading periods is weighted 40% and semester examination is weighted 20%. (i.e. 40/40/20) In performing the semester average calculations, teachers may utilize the numerical value of each grading period and the semester examination or they may use the letter grade with the following values assigned:

A = 4 points; B = 3 points; C = 2 points; D = 1 point; F = 0 points

If the numerical value for each marking period is used in calculating the semester average, no grade below a 39 shall be used as the nine-week average. The semester examination grade will be included at its earned value. Grade averaging procedures must be consistent in a given school as approved by the principal.

If letter grades are used to calculate the semester average, the average shall be at least 0.50 in order to receive a passing grade/credit, unless a passing grade is justified by a numerical average. Rounding up shall be used in mathematical calculations in accordance with the following conversion chart:

3.50 - 4.00 = **A**; 2.50 - 3.49 = **B**; 1.50 - 2.49 = **C**; 0.50 - 1.49 = **D**; 0.00 - 0.49 = **F**

If a student's performance on the semester (final) examination is higher than his/her performance throughout the semester, the teacher may issue the student one letter grade higher for the semester average than the mathematical calculations would typically provide. Such a decision should be made on actual academic performance considerations.

5. Once recorded, grades other than an "Incomplete," will not be changed without approval of the principal. A principal may change a grade for justifiable academic reason.



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Raider Athletics

Hey Raider Sports Fans!

Rockledge high School, home of the defending Cape Coast Conference All Sports Trophy Champions is hard at work trying to defend our championship. Our Fall Sports are in full swing and, in fact, are just about at their midway point as of the writing of this article. Though Hurricane Irma put a wrench in our plans, we made it through and our teams really never missed a beat. We look forward to the Fall Sport Championship season (see schedule below) and we are also looking forward to our Winter Sport tryouts (see schedule below). The Raider athletic program is also in the process of improving and updating our athletic facilities. We added new goal posts to our on-campus practice football field within the last year and we added a brand new Raider blue scoreboard at McLarty Stadium. Our championship track program is in the grass root stages of adding a new rubberized

track to our on-campus facility. We are also in the process of securing a new scoreboard for

the baseball field and will follow that up in short order with a new scoreboard for the softball field. Our gym floor will undergo resurfacing beginning on October 23rd and that project will be completed by the second week of December. While our facilities are getting a much needed facelift, our athletes look the same as ever-strong, fast, athletic and as hardworking as ever! Please come and check them out. Also, please contact me @ clayborne.kenneth@brevardschools.org if you are interested in being a sponsor of any of our sports teams or if you would like to make a donation towards and of our athletic facility projects. We welcome your support of all of our athletic programs.



- **Bowling:** District Tournament @ Shore Lanes (Merritt Island) October 24, 8:00 AM
- **Cross Country:** District Meet @ Chain of Lakes (Titusville) October 28, 8:00 AM
- **Football:** Region Quarterfinals @ TBA November 10, 7:30 PM
- **Boys' Golf:** District Tournament @ Savannahs (Merritt Island) October 16, 8:00 AM
- **Girls' Golf:** District Tournament @ Rockledge Country Club, October 16, 8:00 AM
- **Swimming:** District Meet @ IRSC (Lincoln Park) October 20, 10:00 AM
- **Volleyball:** District Tournament @ TBA on October 16th, 6:00 PM

Winter Sport Tryout Schedule / Coaches Contact Information

- **Boys' Basketball:** Tryouts on November 6th
Coach: Logan Keith @ logankeith82@gmail.com
- **Girls' Basketball:** Tryouts on October 30th
Coach: Reuben Williams @ williamsr@cfl.rr.com
- **Boys' Soccer:** Tryouts on October 23rd
Coach: Clint Quintal @ Quintal.Clint@Brevardschools.org
- **Girls' Soccer:** Tryouts on October 16th
Coach: Rocky Margagliotti @ Margagliotti.Rocky@Brevardschools.org
- **Wrestling:** Tryouts on November 6th
Coach: Jon Reneau @ Reneau.Jon@Brevardschools.org

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Guidance Corner

A Warm RAIDER Welcome to our NEW Guidance Counselor: Theresa Grant

Originally from Canada, Mrs. Grant has lived and taught in Korea, Taiwan, Canada, and the U.S. Obviously, she loves to travel and has been fortunate to travel extensively over the years. Most recently, she was Academic Advisor at Webster University in Melbourne. She has also taught Middle School and High School English, Social Studies, Writing for ELL's, World History and Visual Arts.

She has been married (to another guidance counselor) for 17 years. She has a son in high school and a daughter in middle school. Both are in the Cambridge program. Mrs. Grant so excited to be a Raider!

Counselors, cohort assignments, and extensions

- Gail Larson, Class of '18, ext.117
- Danielle Joseph, Class of '19, ext.119
- Kathleen Lucas, Class of '20, ext.116
- Theresa Grant, Class of '21, ext.125
- Jenny Gerry ESE, 9th-12th, ext. 223

Counselors are available every day during lunch to review concerns, issues and answer questions. If students have personal issues they would like to address with their counselor, they are available in the guidance office.

Important Guidance Dates for SENIORS & PARENTS

- **Wednesday, September 26, 2017**, we will be hosting a Parent Meeting in the cafeteria from 6:00-7:30 PM. The following topics are being discussed: college admissions, transcripts, scholarships, and financial aid.
- **Monday, October 2, 2017**, 6:00 to 8:00 PM Brevard College Fair will be held at 325 East Hibiscus Blvd, Melbourne, FL. There will be many presenters & representatives for schools & programs of all types from around the state & nation. Come out & explore the possibilities.

- **Friday, October 13th, 2017**, Rockledge High School Guidance Department will be conducting a **Parent and Student Financial Aid Application Workshop in the Media Center**. There will be a morning session starting at 8:45 AM for student who have English classes during 1st-4th periods and an afternoon session starting at 12:50 PM for student with English classes during 5th -7th periods. Parents are invited to attend the session with their student. Students and parents will learn about application information and be able to apply for **Student Florida Financial Aid Application (FFAA)**, and application used to apply for State of Florida Scholarship and Grant Programs, including the **Bright Futures Scholarship** and the **Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** used to apply for federal financial aid and which must be completed annually. Eastern Florida State College will have a representative available to speak with parents and students.

Scholarship Availability to Senior students

There is a scholarship notebook available on the counter in the Guidance Office for all students to view. Scholarships are updated on a regular basis. Scholarships will soon be updated on our Class of 2018 webpage on Edline. (Found under quick-links) Please see Ed-line for important Guidance information (listed under quick links).

Scholarship links

- www.lendedu.com/blog/scholarships
- www.college-scholarships.com/
- www.guaranteed-scholarships.com/
- www.facebook.com/college.scholarships/
- www.fastweb.com/
- www.tuitionfundingsources.com/

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Test Date	Registration Deadline
December 9th	November 3rd
February 10th	January 12th

April 14th
June 9th
July 14th

March 9th
May 4th
June 15th

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October 7th
November 4th
December 2nd
March 10th
May 5th
June 2nd

Registration Deadline

September 8th
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November 2nd
February 9th
April 6th
May 3rd

Seniors:

- **Tutoring on campus** – Tuesday's 3:30 – 4:30 PM, Room 4310 All Subjects
- **Senior Fundraiser** –

Spring Car Show date TBD

We are looking for monetary donations for prizes and giveaways for door prizes. We are also accepting business related giveaways like pens, calendars, magnets, etc. It's a great way for your business to get some free publicity and help out the Class of 2018!

Seniors should be completing college applications during this second nine weeks and sending transcripts if they have not already done so. To send a transcript, stop by the Guidance Office and fill out the transcript request form located at the front counter. If it is a college in state, it can be sent electronically. If it is out of state or private, please bring \$1.00 for the official transcript to be printed and mailed. Be sure to apply early (at least one school by Thanksgiving!). Florida colleges fill up quickly as supply is less than the demand.

Tips for Seniors & Parents from College Financial Services

- Find out about grants & scholarships that are available in your state; make sure you understand the requirements (www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org)
- Find out if the schools of your choice have their own financial aid applications that need to be filled out. Be sure to request one now if you have not done so.
- Don't assume you won't qualify for need-based financial assistance. Apply even if you think you won't qualify. Students who receive financial assistance come from a wide variety of family income levels since many factors effect eligibility.
- Make sure you know about all the deadlines. Deadlines vary from school to school and program to program, and are very rarely extended!
- Make copies or notes about all documents you send; record when and to whom.



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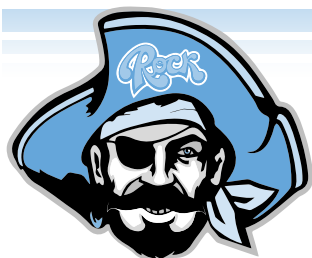
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RAIDER NATION NEWS

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Rockledge High School
220 Raider Road
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We Are Working on a New Rubber Track at the ROCK!

We have a team of teachers, coaches and community support helping us raise funds to build a new state of the art Track and Field Facility! One of our big fundraisers will be a 5K RUN! Come join us!

New Year, New You 5K

Rockledge High School Track and Cross Country Teams are hosting a 5K run to raise funds for a new track at the school. The race is on January 6, 2018. Go to this link below to register or visit Running Zone Web site and click on Race calendar.

- <http://www.runningzone.com/events/new-year-new-you-5k/>

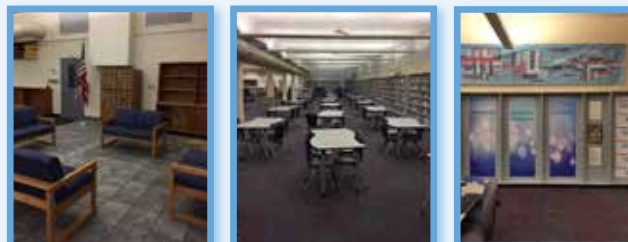


Raiders Serving the Community

Rockledge Country Club was in desperate need of help after Hurricane Irma left the golf course a mess! They called on coaches and teams to come out and assist in the cleanup and as always - **RAIDERS STEP UP!** Looked good as new when all was done! **RAIDER PRIDE!**

Our local Country Club is a valuable business partner who is a staunch supporter of our golf teams, offers a beautiful, local facility for our prom, & is always willing to help our students & teachers host their events.

We appreciate all you do for the
HOMETOWN RAIDERS!



Media Center

This summer, our Media Center underwent a total transformation. We installed new carpet and tile; the bookshelves were painted with new gray paint, and we received all new collaborative furniture. The space is now a modern, inviting space for our students to utilize!

In the spring, we received a grant to become a FUSE Studio (www.fusestudio.net). The equipment and supplies for this studio are arriving daily, and the studio will be housed in our media center, along with a new Makerspace area we are working to create.

During the first two weeks of school, every student was brought into the media center to see all the changes & learn about what the media center can offer them.

Our goal is to provide an exciting, comfortable space in which our students can learn, study, and expand their minds! We believe we are on the right track with all of our new changes!

