Dear PRA Families,

As March arrives, I hope that you all are looking forward to some normalcy. Here at PRA, we are looking ahead to many wonderful events including our Virtual Morning Assembly on March 5<sup>th</sup>, Move-a-thon Finale on March 12<sup>th</sup>, Spring Break March 15<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup>, and then state assessments as we head into April.

State testing this year presents its own challenges, especially since we are required to test 95% of our eligible students, and we are not allowed to send tests home. Students who return to campus for the fourth quarter will test in the classroom just as we always have done in the past. For those students who choose to remain in remote learning mode, we will be asking you to come on campus for two days to complete the state testing. Once we have finalized a schedule, we will send further information to you.

On behalf of my entire staff, we wish you an enjoyable week away from school; enjoy the nice weather, and return safely on March 22<sup>nd</sup>. We also encourage you to remind your children to read, play educational games, and have meaningful conversations with you throughout the week. Meaningful conversations with adults build vocabulary, encourage the development of higher-level thinking skills, and further the connection between parent and child. We very much look forward to seeing our students when they return, and we will get right back to work on our fourth quarter curriculum and completing the State Standardized Testing.

I would like to once again, thank you for choosing Reid Traditional Schools' Painted Rock Academy for your child's educational needs. We feel extremely fortunate to have students and families such as yours in our school community.

Mr. J. Bauer, M.Ed., Principal

# Painted Rock Move-A-Thon

We want to promote a healthy lifestyle to our students and the community. Please help us reach our fundraising goal by supporting our Fit-a-thon. We have teamed up with *Get Movin'®* to make this event fun and profitable with online mobile friendly technology.



Our total school goal is \$25,000.00

Event: 2/26/2021 — 3/12/2021

Build healthy habits by completing the Bingo card of activities to get raffle tickets towards Amazon® gift cards.

# **Current Events**

#### **PROP Meeting**

Thursday, March 4<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 A.M. on Zoom

**Spirit Day / Virtual Morning Assembly** Friday, March 5<sup>th</sup>

**Early Release - Staff Development** Friday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

**No School - Spring Break** Monday, March 15<sup>th</sup> - Friday, March 19<sup>th</sup>

Reports Cards Go Home Wednesday, March 24<sup>th</sup>

# **School Board Meeting**

Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 P.M. Reid Offices. Parents are welcome to attend.

#### A Note from the Nurse

I am so excited to see the students back on campus!

Please remember if your child must take medication while at school, the medication in its original container and a completed Medication Procedure Consent form will need to be given to the Health Office.

If your child has an EPI-PEN please check with the Health Office to ensure a completed Medication Procedure Consent form and a current EPI-PEN is available for their use.

If your child has an asthma inhaler, it must also have a "chamber" along with a completed Medication Procedure Consent form. SVN (Small Volume Nebulizer) treatments are not administered on campus.

Thank you for helping me take the best care of your children! Mrs. Andrews, R.N.





Nominate your outstanding teacher for the Silver Apple Award

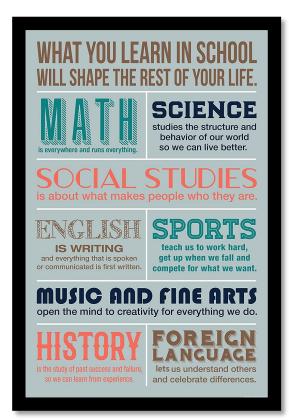
Teachers will be featured on 3TV and will receive a \$1,000 prize.

Nominations are accepted through March 12, 2021.

You can view more information on azfamily.com Have you looked at your child's uniform lately?

As the weather becomes warmer, students might be pulling out their shorts and skirts from the beginning of the year. Please ensure your child's clothing is in good repair, meets dress code length, and fits appropriately.





#### **Boulder Club**

Boulder Club will be back up and running when your children return to school on Monday, March 22nd.

Our morning session runs from 6:30 A.M. -7:30 A.M. with a flat rate of \$3.50 per student. There is no charge if your child arrives after 7:30 A.M.

Our afternoon session runs from 3:15 P.M. – 6:15 P.M. with an hourly rate of \$6.00 per student.

We will continue with our safety precautions of daily sanitizing, mask wearing, and maintaining grade-level groups. We're also asking that parents remain at the desk area when picking up their child(ren). The Boulder Club coordinator will call students up to the desk for pick-up. Please remember to pack a snack and reading book for your student(s) for quiet/homework time. We're looking forward to seeing all of their bright smiling faces!

# March 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Week 26	1	2	3	PROP Mtg. 8:30 a.m.	Spirit Day Morning Assembly 8:15 a.m.	6
<b>7</b> Week 27	8	9	10	11	Early Release Staff Development	13
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<b>21</b> Week 28	22	23	24 Report Cards On Parent Portal	25  Board Meeting 6:00 p.m.	26	27
28 Week 29	29	30	31	1	2	3