Update, October 30, 2020

2020-2021 School Year

Calendar Reminders

November 6: Staff In-Service (Students will not be in session)

December 18: 2 Hour Student Early Release/End of Second 9 Weeks

March 12: Staff In-Service (Students will not be in session) End of Third 9 Weeks

Ridgewood Performing Arts

Junior student Julia Grimmett was featured in the 2020 Adobe Max Conference. The conference featured more than 350 sessions exploring a global celebration of creativity and including celebrities like Conan O'Brian and Chelsea Handler. More than 23,000 people from all over the world were tuned in to watch Julia's feature. Julia is a singer, songwriter, and videographer and has several music videos on YouTube. Each video features a song that she has written, performed (often on multiple instruments), recorded, filmed, and edited herself. Congratulations, Julia!

The drama class students created videos reading children's storybooks to be featured on the Ridgewood Performing Arts social media sites. Students chose a storybook to read, edited photos of the pages, compiled the photos together into a video, directed their videos, were filmed using two cameras, edited two or more shots of themselves into the video, and performed post-production editing and animating as a creative experience in the film-making process. You can watch the videos on the Ridgewood Performing Arts YouTube channel and Facebook page.

Reporting of Positive Covid-19 Cases(s)

In the event of a positive student or staff Covid-19 test, the following notification will be applied.

- 1) Confirm positive case with Coshocton County Health Department.
- 2) Email staff to inform a positive case with a student or staff member in our district.
- 3) All Call to the building's staff and students that a student or staff member tested positive for Covid-19. Anyone identified as close contact will be notified by the Coshocton County Health Department.
- 4) Letter sent home or mailed to students/staff that someone from your child's/student's classroom tested positive for Covid-19. The Coshocton County Health Department will contact you if you need to be quarantined.
- 5) Post notification to district website.

Remote Learner's Expectations---Reminders

- Student attendance is based on completion of daily lessons/activities and/or zoom meetings.
- Students are expected to be available during normal school hours.
- Students will be graded on the accuracy of their daily lessons.
- Parents/guardians should review periodically their child's google classroom grades.
- Daily lessons/activities are expected to be completed by the end of the school day.

School Meals

Ridgewood Local School District will **NOW** offer a free breakfast and lunch to all students. **Free lunch will now be provided to all students until the end of the school year - May 26, 2021 or until funding ends.**Participating in the free breakfast and lunch program helps Ridgewood Local Schools.

Ridgewood Elementary School breakfast will be served when the students entering the building in the morning. Ridgewood Middle School and Ridgewood High School students will pick up their grab and go breakfast in the cafeteria and proceed to their 1st period class. All three school buildings will serve lunch in the cafeteria with students eating either in the cafeteria, classroom and/or gym. Due to the current health situation, we will not have a share cart or microwave/toaster for student use.

Remote Learning student may begin to pick up their meals on Friday, at Ridgewood Middle School from 1:30 to 2:00 p.m. If you have any questions, contact Michelle Stoffer at michelle.stoffer@ridgewood.k12.oh.us

Muskingum Valley Health Centers

The MVHC Clinic, located in the module behind the elementary school, is now open. View the **MVHC School-Based Health Program Video** for information on the MVHC School-Linked Health Care Program. Parents/Guardians must complete the **MVHC Electronic Docusign Forms** for their students to participate in the program. The program also provides health care to the community. An appointment can be scheduled by calling 1-888-454-5157.

Operating Hours:

Ridgewood Students: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

General Public: Monday-Friday 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Building Hours and Restrictions

We are restricting visitors to all buildings at this time. If you need anything, please call your child's school building or central office. Our buildings are open from 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Ridgewood Elementary School 740-545-5312 Ridgewood Middle School 740-545-6335 Ridgewood High School 740-545-6345 Ridgewood Local Schools 740-545-7639

Everything is subject to change. We will reassess our Reopening Guidelines weekly.