

IMPORTANT NEWS FROM YOUR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**Coming Soon**

- Oct. 19 End of 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter
- Oct. 20 **NO SCHOOL**
- Oct. 21 **NO SCHOOL**
- Oct. 24 After School Reading Class
- Oct. 25 After School Math Class
- Oct. 25 After School 4H Class
- Oct. 26 Conferences
- Oct. 27 Conferences
- Oct. 28 Fall Party Day
- Oct. 31 After School Reading Class
- Nov. 1 After School Photography Class
- Nov. 1 After School Math Class
- Nov. 3 After School Reading Class
- Nov. 7 After School Reading Class
- Nov. 7 PTSA Meeting – Elementary Library
- Nov. 8 School Board Election
- Nov. 10 After School Reading Class

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*RTR Elementary School Day  
 Begins at 8:15 & Ends at 3:30.*

**Fire Safety Week**

During Fire Safety Week the 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grades had the opportunity to visit the “smokehouse”. This is a great learning opportunity because it prepares you for what to expect in the event of a fire.

The PTSA sponsored a fire safety poster coloring contest for the full elementary school.

1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> place winners of the poster coloring contest are:

PreK: Natalie, Brooke, Brooke

K: Casey, Madison, Kylie

1<sup>st</sup> Grade: Rylie, Emilea, Brooke

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Logan, Casey, Katelynn

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Logan, Kalleigh, Skylar

4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Payton, Collin, Dalton

5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Brooke, Graham, Emily



Thank you to the PTSA, Ruthton Volunteer Fire Dept., & Tyler Volunteer Fire Dept. for helping us learn about fire safety!



**New at RTR this year is  
 The TumbleBookLibrary.**

TumbleBookLibrary is an online collection of TumbleBooks - animated, talking picture books which teach kids the joy of reading in a format they'll love. TumbleBooks are created by adding animation, sound, music and narration to existing picture books in order to produce an electronic picture book which you can read, or have read to you. Many of the teachers are using this program in their classrooms and their students love it. Students are able to use this program, for free, anywhere they have internet access by clicking the link on the RTR Elementary website.

**This program is sponsored by the RTR PTSA. Hope you have fun using it!**

**Book Fair**

*October 26<sup>th</sup> – November 2<sup>nd</sup>*

The book fair will be open during conferences & also during afternoon library hours.

Find more great books online. Go to: [scholastic.com/schoolbookfairs](http://scholastic.com/schoolbookfairs).

Online book fair is available October 24<sup>th</sup> – November 11<sup>th</sup>.

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### **Knightly Shield Winners**

Each week all students who have received a Knightly Shield for showing respectfulness, thoughtfulness, and responsibility will be placed in a drawing. Students chosen in the drawing will receive a PRO (People Respecting Others) AWARD and a gift certificate to Subway.

This week's winners are:

- Kindergarten: Ben, Alex, Tarin
- 1<sup>st</sup> Grade: Cody, Camden, Dawsen
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Maddie, Davey, Ashlynn
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Skylar, Dominique
- 4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Kalea, Rhaegyn
- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Emily, Tucker

**Good Job!**

*Respectful, Thoughtful, Responsible*

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