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Happy 75 Years, Riverside High School!



On Saturday, March 15 we celebrated the legacy of Riverside High School during our 75th Anniversary Celebration and Open House. Thank you to the Riverside Alumni Association, the Riverside High School Student Council and Riverside staff members for putting on this exceptional event that properly recognized, honored and celebrated the 75-year history of Riverside High School.

We also want to thank Perkins for donating the pancake batter for the breakfast as well as James Tea

for donating beverages.

We hope everyone who attended had a great time, caught up with old classmates and enjoyed taking a stroll down memory lane.



Community Conversations with Chris

Thank you to the parents and community members who attended **Community Conversations with Chris** earlier this month at Buckeye and Riverview Elementary Schools. These events are an opportunity for individuals to hear from Riverside Schools Superintendent, Dr. Chris Rateno, about the successes of our District thus far this school year. It also provides an opportunity for parents and community members to ask any questions they may have.

We are hosting two more Community Conversations with Dr. Rateno and look forward to seeing you at either of these casual, yet informative, events.

Monday, April 7 — Melridge Elementary — 7 p.m.

Monday, May 19 — Parkside Elementary — 7 p.m.

Spring Vacation

We hope everyone has a safe, fun and relaxing break.

Spring Vacation begins on Monday, March 24 and classes resume on Monday, March 31.

Enjoy this time with your family and friends.



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Bravo!



Congratulations to Riverside Theatre for four outstanding performances of *The SpongeBob Musical*.

Students and staff did an incredible job putting on this entertaining show — from the stage design, production, and costumes to the acting, singing and dancing. It was another top-notch performance from our talented theatre students and staff.

We also want to thank all the senior

citizens who attended our bi-annual Senior Citizen Appreciation Night. We hope you enjoyed the meal prepared, and served, by our Riverside High School Principles of Food class.

Make plans now to join us for next school year's fall play (to be announced) on November 20, 21 and 22, 2025 and next school year's spring musical — *Between the Lines* — on March 12, 13 and 14, 2026.

Mark your calendars!

■ NHS Spring Carnival

On Friday, April 11, the Riverside High School National Honor Society will host the third annual **Spring Carnival** from 5-8 p.m. at the LaMuth Middle School gym. This elementary-themed carnival will feature games, activities, face painting, concessions and more for a family-packed fun evening. Tickets are \$4 at the door.

■ Community Easter Egg Hunt

The annual **Riverside Community Easter Egg Hunt**, sponsored by the Riverside Parent Teacher Association, will take place on Saturday, April 12 at noon. The egg hunt, which is offered for children ages Pre-K through 5th grade, will take place in front of Riverside High School rain, snow or sunshine! This event is free of charge, but children must bring their own bag or a basket to collect eggs.



■ NHS Spring Craft Show

On Saturday, April 26, NHS will host a **Spring Craft Show** from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. inside Riverside High School. Vendors interested in renting a table for the event can contact elizabeth.goodge@riversideschools.net. Admission for the Craft Show is \$3 with proceeds benefitting Lake County Council on Aging and NHS Scholarships.

■ Riverside Alumni/Community Choir

You are invited to join the **2025 Riverside Community Choir** and perform at the Riverside Choir Concert on Wednesday, April 30 at 7:30 p.m. Rehearsal dates will be on April 3 (Thursday), April 12 (Saturday), and April 22 (Tuesday). If interested in participating, [CLICK HERE](#) for all of the details including rehearsal times, song list and contact information.

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- Visiting one of our school buildings? . . . **Pre-register online**

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