



Community Communicator

Mrs. Mack's Musings. . .

We are at the end of another wonderful school year at Community R-VI. I am constantly amazed by our students and their many accomplishments. They are an inspiration and I am so grateful to be a part of this chapter in their lives.

Once again we are working diligently on MAP and EOC testing while juggling the many end-of-the-year activities. The recent weather has been a challenge to our calendar as we try to reschedule events rained out, but the dreary days have not affected the cheerful attitude of our students and staff.

I am not certain how a school year can pass so quickly, but it seems to speed up each and every year. These are the days I am reminded of how precious and few our years with our students really are. How did our seniors grow from 7th grade students to young ladies and gentlemen in such a short time? I am truly in awe of the character and talents of those students who will walk across our stage in a few weeks, close this chapter of their lives, and begin a new and exciting chapter.

We have much to be proud of here at Community R-VI! It is a wonderful time to be a Community R-VI Trojan! Thank you for all your support!

Summer Fun and Learning Your local library is a great resource for summer activities for children and adults of all ages. Get involved with a program or camp near you!

- [Missouri River Regional Library](#)
- [St. Louis County Library](#)
- [Missouri History Museum](#)
- [St. Louis Public Library](#)
- [Kansas City Public Library](#)

Or, visit the Missouri Secretary of State's website to [find a library near you!](#)

*Community R-VI
School District*

SUMMER

2017 Edition

**Attention:
Summer School
June 1-29**



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Choir News:

Missouri Choral Director's Association All State Honor Choirs will perform this Summer on July 19th at the Capital Plaza with concerts for the 4/5/6 Grade Honor Choir at 5:30 pm, the 7/8 Honor Choir at 6:15 pm, and the 9/10 Honor Choir at 7 pm. Concerts are free and open to the public. Selected members have not been released at this time. Check the Community R-VI Choirs page for the announcement of selected members!

May 11th MS/HS Choir Concert & Talent Show beginning at 7:30 pm in the Old Gym.

Congratulations to Megan Kuda & Bethany Schmidt for receiving an Excellent II Rating for their solos at State Music Festival on April 27th on the University of Missouri campus in Columbia.

The Summer Food Service Program

Good nutrition is essential for learning in school. The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), with support from the USDA, ensures that children continue to receive nutritious meals when the regular school year is not in session.

This summer Community R-VI School District, an SFSP site, plans to service free meals (breakfast and lunch) to children 18 years and under June 1 through June 29 (Tuesday thru Friday). The Community R-VI School District is an equal opportunity provider.

Parents As Teachers

Parents as Teachers will have a group connections meeting June 10, 2017 at the Martinsburg Park from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. We will have activities for the children, free play time, and lunch. If you are expecting or have children through the age of three, you are welcome to attend. Please contact Mary Thomas at thomas@cr6.net or 855-708-7567 to register or for more information.

Parents as Teachers will have openings for the 2017-18 school year. Learn the latest information about the importance of parenting. Parents remain the most influential teacher in a child's life. Contact Mary Thomas for more information or check out the Community R-VI Parents as Teachers Facebook page.

Wellness Committee

The Wellness Policy 2750 can be found on school website along with previous Wellness committee meeting minutes.

Anyone is more than welcome to join the Wellness Committee; we will meet 4 times a year (the 2nd Wednesday of September, November, January and March) and look forward to new faces around the table. If you are interested please contact Lee Ann at [800\) 708-7567 ext 123](tel:8007087567).

Incoming Kindergartners!

Dear Parents of incoming kindergartners and students that will be in the 8th and 12th grades please follow the 2017-2018 Missouri School immunization requires. Please take advantage of getting those immunizations over the summer when they go for their sports physicals or other appointments, they can also visit the health department for those needed immunizations. I will be mailing out several reminders over the summer please have verification faxed to the school at [573-492-6268](tel:5734926268) once they have received the proper immunizations.

All around our school, our teachers have been working hard to help prepare our students to become “Community R-VI Testing Warriors”. You can also help prepare your student by making attendance a priority, especially on the days when your student is testing. You can see what days your student is testing on our calendar, which is listed below

2017 District Testing Calendar

Elementary MAP Testing Schedule:

English Language Arts

Grades 3-4: May 2- May 4

Grades 5: May 2- May 5

Mathematics

Grades 3-5: May 9- May 11

Science

Grades 5: May 16- May 18

Middle School MAP Testing Schedule:

Mathematics

Grades 6-8: May 2- May 3

English Language Arts

Grade 6-7: May 10- May 11

Grade 8: May 9- May 11

Science

Grade8: May 16- May 17

High School EOC Testing Schedule

Government EOC: April 25

American History EOC: April 26- 27

Algebra I EOC: May 2- May 3

Geometry EOC: May 4

Algebra II EOC: May 5

English II EOC: May 9- May 10

English I EOC: May 11- May 12

Biology EOC: May 16- May 17

Words from our Elementary Principal:

Spring is such a welcome sight! Students have already been telling me about their first baseball or softball practices, the big fish they caught over the weekend, the first bbq of the season and all of their other outdoor escapades!

Of course, spring also brings us state assessment. Although it is a stressful time for both teachers and students, it is also an exciting time for us. We are confident that our students will do well on the test because they have worked diligently all year long. Our testing theme this year is "Community R-VI Testing Warriors"! Just as warriors prepare for battle, our kids are ready to battle the MAP test! We will be taking daily pictures of our testing warriors so be watching the elementary website for those. On Thursday, May 25, all elementary testing warriors will be able to go through the inflatable obstacle course that will be located out front. We can't wait to battle the test and complete the course!

We have some other fun events coming up in May for the elementary students. Fifth grade will take their field trip to Big Joel's Safari on Friday, May 19 while 3rd and 4th grade will travel to the capitol in Jefferson City on Tuesday, May 23. Track and Field Day is scheduled for Wednesday, May 24. Grades K-2 will have activities in the morning and grades 3-5 in the afternoon. You are welcome to come watch! The elementary awards assembly will be held on the last day of school. Kindergarten-second grade will be from 8:30-9:30, 3-5 from 9:30-11:00 and 5th grade promotion from 11:00-11:30. Dismissal on May 26 will be at 12:30.

It has been a fast, fun, and learning filled school year. I look forward to seeing the students at summer school, at the ball field or just out riding a bike! Have a fun-filled safe summer.

ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

As the school year comes to a close just a few reminders for the summer and fall.

Our summer dead week is **July 22-July 30**. There are no practices, open gyms, weight room, etc during this time.

Practices for high school fall sports start **July 31**.

Practices for junior high sports start **August 14**.

Please remember that every participant needs a physical **before they start practice!** This year we will be using a system called **Privit** for our physicals.

More details to come on it.

Summer camps will be in full swing. Information will be out shortly on dates and times.

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