

ROSSVIEW HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

September 17, 2021

Important dates:

Mon, Sept 20th

- Golf District Tournament @ Swan Lake (all day)
- Volleyball vs Christian Community School @ Rossview (5:00pm)
- JV Football vs West Creek @ West Creek (6:00pm)

Tues, Sept 21st

- Girls Soccer vs Clarksville @ Rossview (5:30pm)

Wed, Sept 22nd

- Volleyball vs Merrol Hyde Magnet @ Rossview (4:30pm)

Thurs, Sept 23rd

- Parent-Teacher Conferences @ Rossview (In-person & Virtual)
 4:30pm-7:30pm
- Volleyball vs Northeast @ Rossview, 4:30pm
- Girls Soccer vs Dickson County @ Rossview, 5:30pm

Fri, Sept 24th

- Football vs Springfield @ Rossview, 7:00pm

Senior Information

- The Class of 2022 <u>UT Promise scholarship application</u> is now open! UT Promise is a last-dollar scholarship for students accepted into undergraduate programs at UT Knoxville, Chattanooga, Martin, Memphis and Southern. In order to become eligible for UT Promise, students must apply no later than December 15, 2021.
- For UT Promise eligibility, students must complete the following steps: <u>Apply for TN Promise</u> by November 1, 2021.
- Submit a <u>UT Promise application</u> by December 15, 2021.
- Submit an admissions application their University of Tennessee institution of choice by December 15, 2021.
- <u>Complete the 2022-2023 FAFSA</u> by February 1, 2022 using 2020 tax information. Students can begin completing the 2022-2023 FAFSA on October 1, 2021.
- Meet the TN Promise mandatory meeting requirement.
- <u>Submit 8 hours of community service</u> to TN Achieves by July 1, 2022. Students can begin accruing hours on November 2, 2021.
- In addition to meeting TN Promise and UT Promise eligibility requirements, students must also be eligible for the Hope scholarship and have a household income of less than \$50,000.

- UT Promise functions separately from TN Promise and can only be used for universities in the UT system. Students must meet all TN Promise requirements, in addition to the college admissions and UT Promise application, prior to enrollment at a UT institution in the fall. Final eligibility will be determined by the University of Tennessee after the July 1, 2022 community service deadline.

Sports/Organizations Announcements and Meetings

- Football Tickets: https://gofan.co/app/events/358300
- Here is your link for 2021 Rossview Home Football Schedule.
- If we reduce capacity, (see covid last year), season ticket holders are the first people in the stadium. Please be aware we cannot control weather and covid in regards to a cancellation. Once again these are regular season tickets only. Any playoff or bowl game will be an additional fee. This season ticket does not apply to Jr. Pro or Middle School when these games take place at RHS.
- <u>Key Club</u> Key Club is hosting a donation drive for Waverly. Bring in items to donate like cases of water, paper towels, toilet paper, and canned goods. Drop off in front office.
- There will be <u>a tennis interest meeting</u> after school on Monday 9/20 from 2:45 3:15. This meeting is for boys and girls tennis players. Any players that have completed and turned in their physical and PRIVIT paperwork will be allowed to participate in off season practices. Practices will be every Monday afternoon from 2:45-4:15 starting on 9/20 through the end of the first semester. Please see Coach Hester with any questions.
- **The Green Team**'s past focus has been on recycling. Unfortunately, due to county cutbacks we can no longer recycle at Rossview High School. Our focus now will be on horticulture (the art of cultivating plants in gardens to produce food and medicinal ingredients, or for comfort and ornamental purposes). We will be taking care of the plants that decorate the atrium of the school. Students will learn how to identify the plants and proper plant care techniques. We will also try to expand to identifying plants outside of the school. We may even try to grow vegetables in the spring. Green Team will have an interest meeting after school on Wednesday, September 22 in room F-145.

Visitors in the Front office

<u>If you are dropping something off for a student:</u> there is a table in the office that has a sharpie and stickers. Please put your student's name on the sticker and place item on the table. We will get the item to the student during the school day. Please do not wait in our office for the student to come.

Acceptable things to drop off:

- Lunchbox that was forgotten at home, in car.
- Laptop or computer charger
- Homework, book
- Glasses
- Note to tell your child they are a bus rider or car rider that day
- Water <u>ONLY</u>

Not acceptable:

• Outside food (fast food, restaurant food, etc.). Reminder, breakfast and lunch are free to ALL students daily.

We **do not pull students** out of class to visit a parent/guardian in the front lobby. The **ONLY** time you may visit with your child is to administer medicine.

You must have an appointment with guidance and/or a principal to meet with them. Please do not come into the office asking for one of them, they must be reached out via email and schedule an appointment first.

Please reference our contact sheet above for the appropriate counselor/principal.

Dismissing Students

In order for a student to be dismissed, the following must be done:

• A student brings a hand-written parent note in the morning of the school day they need to be dismissed. The note MUST have guardian's name giving permission, phone number, and time the student is to be dismissed.

• Parent/Guardian comes into the front office with their driver's license to check the student out.

NOT acceptable for dismissal:

- Phone calls
- Emails
- Faxes
- Self-dismiss

If your student does not have a laptop, they must check with their English teacher. If their English teacher does not have it, it means that their laptop is not ready. They will be contacted when it is ready.

If your student is not contacted, their laptop is not ready, students will be notified!

<u>RHS PTO</u>

Interested in forming a RHS PTO? We are looking for parents who want to partner together to form a PTO to support our students and our school community. If you are interested, please contact Dr. Sanders at <u>meghen.sanders@cmcss.net</u>

Drivers' Permit:

- Must fill out an SF-1010 form, these can be picked up in the front office.
- After filling out the form, the front office assistants will check for the following State of Tennessee Requirements:
 - Student must be at least 15 years of age
 - Students must pass more than half of their courses during the previous semester
 - Students must have fewer than 15 non-consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester OR fewer than 10 consecutive unexcused absences and/or days of suspension during the previous semester.
- When the student's form is ready, they will be notified when to pick up in the front office.
- Please allow 24 hours to process.
- Forms are valid for 30 days from the date. When expired, students will have to complete the process again.
- **If students owe any fees (books, laptops, charger, etc). They will not receive an SF1010 form until these fees are paid. **

Free and Reduced Lunch Information

Online applications are available at schoolcafe.com, and paper applications are available in the front office of your child's school or at Central Services Gracey.

Helpful Links:	CMCSS Safety & Health Protocols:
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Calendars: <u>https://www.cmcss.net/calendars/</u>	What COVID-19 health and safety protocols are in place?
	Click on this link to learn more:
School website: https://rossviewhigh.cmcss.net/	https://www.cmcss.net/blog/2021/05/19/2021-2022-
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RHS on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/Rossview-	
High-Hawks-1209149245867625/	
Rossview Traffic Plan: https://www.cmcss.net/rossview-	
traffic-plan/	

Food Assistance

- Community Action Agency: 150 Lafayette Road Clarksville, TN (931) 648-5774. Monday Friday 8am 4pm. Commodities food program (distributed every 3 months) + more *Proof of income & names of all household members required.
- First Assembly of God: 1186 Ft. Campbell Blvd. Clarksville, TN (931)648-1324. Emergency Food Closet (Can use once per 3 month period) Wednesdays & Fridays 10am 12pm. *Requires proof of residency & photo I.D. card *Call first as they run on donations
- **Food Stamps**: Department of Human Services 350 Pageant Lane Clarksville, TN (931) 648-5500. Walk in for application. Follow-up appointment required.
- Loaves & Fishes: 215 Foster Street Clarksville, TN (931) 6645-9020. <u>www.loavesandfishestn.org</u>. Meals served Monday-Saturday 10:30am – 12pm, Blessing Bags (meals) 10am – 11:30am.
- Manna Café The Village: 605 Providence Blvd Clarksville, TN (931)802-6800. Food boxes available Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Mobile café serving in various locations 4 days per week. *ID & proof of address required.

- Salvation Army Corps Community Service: Shelter: 208 Kraft Street Clarksville, TN (931) 552-5350. Homeless shelter 7 days per week from 6pm – 8am (Sunday until 1pm) *Brief interview & possible referral to additional agencies. Services provided included food, shelter, clothing & more. Counseling & holiday assistance available.

- Urban Ministries: 217 South 3rd Street Clarksville, TN (931)648-9090. Monday-Friday 8am -12pm. Can assist with payment for utilities (with proof of income & bills), medications, food, & more. Requires picture I.D. and SS card for all household members for food assistance.

WIC for Montgomery County 300 Pageant Lane (Veterans Plaza) Clarksville, TN (931) 551-8777.

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