

# The Weekly Warrior

October 14, 2022

## RMSD Update

**Dr. Bickert**  
Superintendent

This past week the New Mexico Public School Facilities Authority (PSFA) released their quality rankings of school buildings for the state. This is a list/ranking of worst (#1) to best (#652) and indicates what buildings are most in need of replacement. The Legislature usually earmarks funds for new/replacement buildings for those in the top 100. Our building rankings are: SVP (#569), WME (#379), RMS (#565) and RHS (#277).

Despite the age of WME and RHS, neither building will be replaced anytime soon and we will have to continue maintaining and upgrading systems within each on our own. I want to thank our Board of Education for recently approving a Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) project for WME. This is a very needed comprehensive systems project for our students and staff and an example of the appropriate and pledged use of local funds. If you see a Board member, share your thanks.

As we wrap up the first quarter grading period, I'd like to thank all the parents who were able to attend Parent-Teacher conferences this week. If you were unable to make an appointment, please reach out to your child's teacher or school.

Have a wonderful weekend! *Dr.B.*



## SVP

Our 2<sup>nd</sup> graders used a "bat" graphic organizer to summarize facts they learned about bats.

## WME

Students from the Lunch Bunch Club created projects using the SEL word of the month, "respectful."

## RMS

Congratulations to Lady Brave runner, Jaelyn Mars, who raced to a 1<sup>st</sup> place finish and the Boy's team who captured the Team Championship at last weekend's cross country meet!

## RHS

Kudos to singers, Alora Shaver (1+), Ana Rodriguez (1), and Gloria Jeremias (1) for outstanding performances at the ENMU-Portales Choir Solo and Ensemble Program.

## UPCOMING

- October 15 Lady Warrior Soccer @ Monte Del Sol  
Warrior Soccer vs Socorro
- October 16 Cross Country at the Albuquerque Academy Extravaganza
- October 18 Lady Warrior Volleyball at NMMI  
Warrior Soccer vs Lovington
- October 19 WME/RMS Academic Awards  
Ruidoso Convention Center 5:30 p.m.
- October 20 Lady Warrior Volleyball vs Dexter  
Lady Warrior Soccer at Socorro
- October 21 Warrior Football vs Hope Christian  
Horton Stadium 7:00 PM