# **The Weekly Warrior**

May 7, 2021

### **RMSD Update**

#### Dr. Bickert

Superintendent

The first order of business this week is to send a "Thank you" to our entire educational team in honor of National Teacher Appreciation Week. The work that has been asked of us is different than anything we have ever experienced and the Ruidoso Municipal Schools staff has risen to the occasion!

The next "Thank you" goes out to our Calendar Committee for their work on the proposed 2021-22 District Calendar. We heard the overwhelming opinion of our staff and continued with a traditional calendar (178 instructional days) as well as maintaining optional extended learning time programming. As soon as the calendar receives Board approval, it will be shared universally.

Lincoln County earned the turquoise designation this week, meaning that we can have 75% capacity at Horton Stadium for the graduation ceremony for the Class of 2021 on Sunday, May 16, 2021! Despite the expanding opening of our county, we continue to experience positive Covid cases in our schools and community. Please be reminded that many of the health mandates schools are required to follow are more restrictive than those shared in the media. Please continue to be vigilant and follow the health and safety guidleines in our on-going battle with Covid-19.

Happy Mother's Day to all moms! Don't Stop Believin'!

Dr. B.

#### **UPCOMING**

Sat. May 8th: Cheerleading Competition @ Goddard

Mon. May 10th: RHS Academic Honors Ceremony

Tue. May 11th: Regular School Board Meeting at 5:30 p.m.

Lady Warrior Softball vs Hatch 4 & 6 p.m.

Warrior Baseball @ Tularosa Warrior Wrestling @ Carlsbad

Wed. May 12th: Lady Warrior Softball @ Tularosa (DH)

Thu. May 13th: Warrior Golf @ Roswell

Warrior Wrestling @Deming

Fri. May 14<sup>th</sup>: Cheerleading @ State Competition Warrior Track @ Goddard

## **Sharing the Good News!**

**SVP:** SVP sends a shout out to all RMSD teachers and staff in recognition of Teacher Appreciation Week. Be on the lookout for more information about our "Wild About Learning" June summer program, while registration for Pre-K and Kinder (for August) is open and on-going.

**WME:** Shout out to our WME teachers who have persevered through a journey that will forever transform education. Thank you for providing both academic and social emotional support to our students. Shout out to Ms. Jarvis' 3<sup>rd</sup> graders for reading over 800 books!



**RMS:** Thank you to RMS Student Council and Cheerleaders for recognizing and celebrating staff during Nation Teacher Appreciation Week! Check out our Facebook and webpage for pictures of students honoring their teachers.

RHS: Congratulations to the following band and choir students on earning highest judges' scores at ensemble: Dylynn Blount (sax), Connor Chase (bass and percussion), Brighton Chittenden (sax), Everett Chtteneden (oboe), Liane Perez (French horn and voice), Ezra Rabourn (French horn), and Alora Shaver (Euphonium). Great job Warriors!