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September 12, 2022

COMING UP!

FALL PICTURE DAY - This Week!

Students will have their picture taken during their PE class on either **Thursday or Friday, September 15 or 16.**

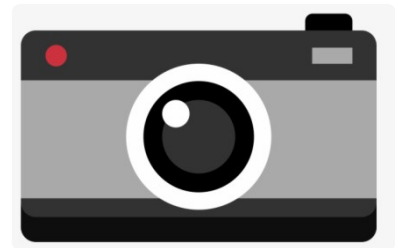
Pictures will be available approximately two weeks following our school's photo day.

You can save time and PRE-ORDER here:

<https://vando.imagequix.com/g1000940686>

For questions about ordering school pictures, please email underclass@vosphoto.com

Make sure your student brings their SMILE!



ATHLETIC EVENTS

FIELD HOCKEY & VOLLEYBALL

12 September - 5:15pm at RTMS

Field Hockey & Volleyball versus Dixon Smith MS

16 September - 5:15pm at Drew MS

Field Hockey & Volleyball

19 September - 5:15pm at RTMS

Field Hockey & Volleyball versus HHPoole MS

23 September - 5:15 at RTMS

Field Hockey & Volleyball versus AGWright

26 September - 5:15 at Gayle MS

Field Hockey ONLY

FOOTBALL

13 September - 5:15 at RTMS

Football versus HHPoole MS

21 September - 5:15 at RTMS

Football versus Shirley Heim MS

28 September - 5:15 at AGWright

4 October - 5:15 at Dixon Smith MS

11 October - 5:15 at Gayle MS

18 October - 5:15 at RTMS

Football versus Drew MS

Intramural Cross Country

For those students interested in our Cross Country club, please sign up outside of room 227. The club **begins this Wednesday, 14 September**. Runners meet on **Wednesdays from 4:15 - 5:15pm**.

Students should bring water and running sneakers.

For more information, email Ms. Tersigni or Ms. Douglas:

tersignijm@staffordschools.net

douglascl@staffordschools.net

SCPS CAREER & COLLEGE PATHWAYS NIGHT!



The poster features a student with a backpack walking on a path towards a sunset. The text on the poster includes:

- SAVE THE DATE!**
- 2022 CAREER & COLLEGE PATHWAYS EVENT**
- LEARN MORE ABOUT HIGH SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES BEFORE REGISTERING FOR CLASSES IN JANUARY!
- September 22, 2022**
- Join us at **Brooke Point High School** from **6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** to learn more about **High School Courses & Opportunities**
- International Baccalaureate Programme (IB)
- Career & Technical Education (CTE)
- Commonwealth Governor's School (CGS)
- Dual Enrollment (DE) Teachers for Tomorrow & Cybersecurity
- Stafford Academy for Technology (STAT) Biomedical, Engineering, Informational Technology
- Advanced Placement
- POINTS OF CONTACT**
- Stephanie Fellingner, Ed.D - fellingnersl@staffordschools.net
- Deea Green - greenwc@staffordschools.net
- 540-658-6689

All students/families are invited to attend this event at Brooke Point High School on September 22 from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. This event is an opportunity for ALL students and families to learn about high school opportunities. It's also the best time for our 8th grade students to investigate the various courses they will have available to them for their high school registration in January. It's never too early to plan for your future! If you have any questions, please reach out to our Lead Counselor, Ms. Smithey:

smitheydk@staffordschools.net

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2022 - 2023 RTMS Student Council Association

There was much campaigning in our building the past few week! Elections were held for our

President - Cole C.

8th grade Representatives - Eric B. & Seniyah H.

7th grade representatives - Isaac M. & Leila D.

6th grade representatives - Auri C., Shea D. & Sarah I.



Mental Health Awareness



In recognition of the social and emotional needs of our staff and students, the RTMS members of the Specialized Instructional Support team (counselors, nurse, social worker, psychologist, and diagnostician) will offer valuable resources throughout this month

for our staff and student to enhance the mental health wellness, awareness and prevention programs. **The theme for the month of September is "Together For Mental Health."** Together we can create positive change. We want to spread awareness, facts and educate others on how to help those who may be struggling and share steps to provide support. Here is a [link for ways you can help your student with coping strategies](#).

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

10 October - Parent/Student Conference Day

Hold this date!

More information to come in regards to scheduling a time on this day to meet with your student and teachers and chat about your student's academic progress.

We are proud of our Jaguars and can't wait to show you what they've been up to!

12 October - 8th Grade PSAT Testing

On Wednesday, 12 October, our 8th grade students will be participating in the PSAT tests provided by CollegeBoard. This test will only affect our 8th grade students on that day and will take approximately 3 hours. All other students will run a regular bell schedule on that day. If you would like more information, check out this [link to CollegeBoard](#).

If you have questions, please email our Testing Coordinator, Rose Averett averettjr@staffordschools.net

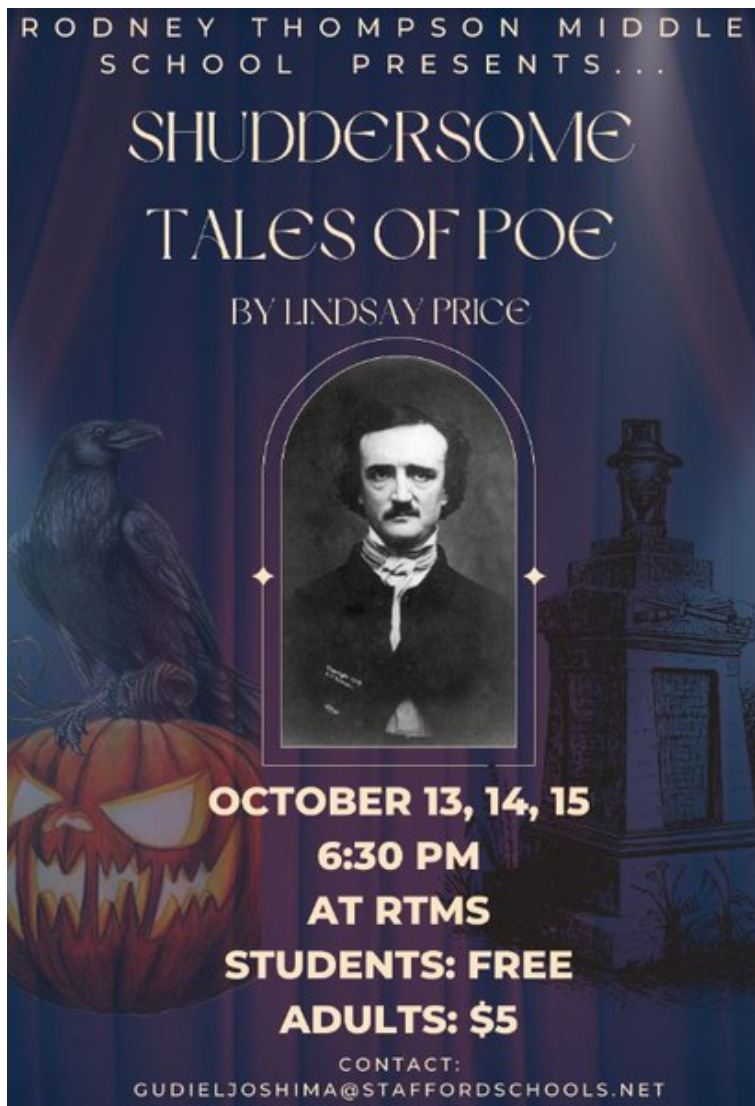
13, 14, 15 October - RTMS Drama Presents SHUDDERSOME TALES OF POE

Join us at 6:30 on one of the days listed for our first Drama play of the year!

Cost is free for students and \$5.00 for adults.

For more information, contact our Drama Teacher, Mrs. Gudiel-Joshi at gudieljoshima@staffordschools.net

We hope to see you at one of the showings!



3 December - SCPS Model UN

On December 3, SCPS will run a division led Model United Nations. This event will take place **at Dixon Smith Middle School** and will incur a fee of \$45 for participants. This event will be set up to provide students an opportunity to see what it is like to be a delegate of another country while taking part in discussion of world policy as applied to a specific committee and topic within world politics. Students participating will take part in a three-hour training session at RTMS to be followed by the event on December 3. More information and all details will come out later. Please [fill out the form here](#) if you wish to learn more about this information and to receive further communications when the application becomes available.

This event will prepare students for our annual Model UN Conference later this year in March and will serve as a prerequisite opportunity for those students that would like to attend the conference in March and who have not participated in MUN or a prerequisite course during the first FLEX session.

For more information, please contact Mr. Trotta:

trottajs@staffordschools.net



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