

THE RAM REPORT

October 1st, 2023

Night In The Clouds

REYNOLDS RAP

It's Homecoming Week, and our theme is **Night In The Clouds**. This is a great time for all students to get involved in our daily dress-up days and activities. The dress-up days are listed on the chart to your right, and the main activities are as follows:

- Drive-In Movie on Monday at 6:00 pm
- Homecoming Parade on Thursday at 1:20 pm. Family members are encouraged to view the parade along the route from Greenwood Lakes Middle to LMHS.
- Football game on Friday at 7:00 pm.
- Homecoming Dance on Saturday from 7:00 - 11:00 pm. Tickets are on sale at [MySchoolBucks](#), and once purchased, should be picked up in the bookkeeping office during both lunches this week. Tickets may also be purchased for \$50.00 cash at the door.

For the Homecoming Dance, following are some important informational items:

- All students must present a physical or digital ID (Minga) upon entrance.
- Any student suspended during Homecoming Week will not be allowed to attend the dance.
- For security purposes, students will be wanded upon entrance. Only very small bags will be allowed, and those will be searched upon entrance.
- All rules of the SCPS Student Code of Conduct apply during the dance.
- Students must be dressed appropriately. Shorts and jeans are not allowed.

We are looking forward to an outstanding week, and as always, Go Rams! -Dr. Reynolds

WHAT'S NEW IN RAMNATION

Homecoming Week

DAY	THEME	EVENTS
MONDAY, OCTOBER 2ND	HEAD IN THE CLOUDS: WEAR YOUR PJS	MUSICAL CHAIRS DURING LUNCHES DRIVE-IN MOVIE @6PM IN THE PARKING LOT
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3RD	RHYME WITHOUT REASON: YOU AND A PARTNER DRESS TO RHYME	KARAOKE DURING BOTH LUNCHES
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4TH	FLOATING ON THE CLOUDS: WEAR YOUR FAVORITE POOL FLOATIES	NO EVENTS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5TH	BARBENHEIMER: DRESS LIKE A CHARACTER FROM BARBIE OR OPPENHEIMER	CHEESE BALL TOSS AT LUNCH PARADE STARTING @1:20PM
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH	SPIRIT DAY: WEAR LAKE MARY GEAR	BATTLEGROUND PLAYED AT LUNCH PEP RALLY @1:20PM HOCO FOOTBALL GAME @7PM (COURT PRESENTED AT HALF TIME)
SAURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH	NIGHT IN THE STARS	HOMECOMING DANCE: 7-11PM @ LMHS

CULINARY IS PROVIDING FOOD!
\$5-\$10 PER MEAL
\$1 WATER
CASH ONLY!

PLEASE BRING LAWN
CHAIRS OR BLANKETS!
TIME: 6:00 PM

DATE:
10/2!

DRIVE IN MOVIE

NOW SHOWING: UP

LOCATION: IN THE PARKING LOT
STUDENTS MUST EXIT THEIR CARS



Athletics Update

Events for October 2-7

Football

Monday: Freshman Home vs. Winter Park. 5:30pm.

Monday: JV Home vs. Oviedo. 7:00pm.

Wednesday: Freshman Home vs. Lake Brantley. 5:30pm.

Wednesday: JV Home vs. Lake Brantley. 7:00pm.

Friday: Varsity Home vs. North Miami Beach. 7:00pm.

Girls Golf

Friday: Qdoba Invitational @ Providence Country Club. TBA

Boys Golf

Tuesday: 2023 Winter Park Invitational @ Rio Pindar. 7:00am.

Saturday: Vero Beach Invitational @ Sandridge Golf Club. 8:00am.

Cross Country

Saturday: Hoka flrunner.com Invitational @ Lakeland. 7:00am.

Girls Volleyball

Wednesday: Away vs. Winter Springs. Freshman @ 4:30pm, JV @ 5:30pm, @ 7:00pm.

Thursday: Home vs. Lake Howell (Senior Night). Freshman @ 4:30pm, JV @ 5:30pm, Varsity @ 7:00pm.

Bowling

Monday: Match vs. Crooms @ Airport Lanes. 3:30pm

Wednesday: Match vs. Winter Springs @ Airport Lanes. 3:00pm

Swimming

Wednesday: Meet @ Oviedo Aquatic Center. 3:00pm.

Announcements

Tickets to all sporting events hosted by Seminole County Public School are only offered through GoFan. Cash is not accepted. Ticket prices for the 23-24 school year are as follows:

Varsity Football: \$9 (This is the only ticket option offered to Varsity Football)

Adult Ticket to non-varsity football: \$8

Student Ticket to non-varsity football: \$5

Clubs & Activities

Homecoming Info: This year's Homecoming theme is "Night in the Clouds" and will be in the Ref Room/Cafeteria on October 7, from 7-11 PM. Tickets are on sale on [MySchoolBucks.com](https://myschoolbucks.com) for \$50 Pickup will be in Bookkeeping through the end of the week during both lunches, Students who don't purchase a ticket by the end of the week can pay \$50 cash at the door. For those attending Homecoming, please plan to eat beforehand, as only snacks will be served.

Give A Smile Club: The Give A Smile Club will have an interest meeting this Tuesday, October 3rd, at 2:30 pm in the Group Projects Room.

Law Club will be meeting Wednesday Oct 4 in room 1-203 after school. Everyone is welcome. Permission slips are outside rooms 1-203 and 1-222.

IT Warriors: If you are interested in learning about computers, programming, or anything tech related, join the IT Warriors! We will be holding an interest meeting this Thursday, October 5th after school in Ms. Dycus' room 1-1238. Everyone is welcome, regardless of experience or skill level.

Project Princess: Young Women of Excellence is hosting Project Princess! If you are in need of a homecoming dress, please stop by Coach Lupis' room during lunch. Room 1-77 off the Ref room. Dresses are completely FREE!

Hispanic Heritage Month Spirit Week: Join us and celebrate our Hispanic Heritage Spirit week from October 9 to 13. Flyers have been posted around the school. You can also find more information through our social media and in the MINGA app. ¡Celebremos!

Art Appreciation Members who are participating in the parade, please stop by Mrs. Dershimer's room Thursday morning (sometime before lunch) to pick up wristband (which allows you to leave your class at 12:30 excused) and your club shirt, which you'll be wearing in the parade. Participants, we may also need your help during either lunch to do last minute details.

Permission Forms: If you plan on attending the Drive-In Movie (10/2), Homecoming Parade (10/5) and/or Pep Rally (10/6) and have not yet filled out the SCPS Permission Slip, please do so by clicking on this link. If you filled out the form from the previous pep rally, you don't have submit again. <https://forms.gle/z7sfwSfe1AUPq2ke7>

Student Information

Senior Quotes! Seniors, now is your opportunity to submit your Senior Quote! Please visit the Senior eCampus page for a guideline explanation and the submission link. The last day to submit your Senior Quote is October 31st.

Senior Ads: Parents of seniors can also reserve a Senior Dedication/Ad space by visiting www.yearbookordercenter.com and use the job code: 21630. This is a great way to tell that special senior in your life how proud you are of them! Senior Dedications/Ads can be reserved until November 17th. Don't delay, as space is limited.

School Picture Make-Ups: The Underclass Portrait Makeup Day will be held in the Auditorium on Wednesday, October 4th throughout the school day. Students will need to have a pass from their teacher in order to be photographed, and students will receive a pass back to class when their photo has been taken.

Yearbooks on Sale: Now is the time to reserve your student's copy of the 2024 Chrysomallus Yearbook. The price is \$75.00 but will raise as the year progresses. Act now to ensure you get your copy of this 2x sold out Yearbook! To order, visit www.yearbookordercenter.com and use the job code: 21630.

Senior Portraits: It's not too late to get your senior's portrait taken and get them into our 2024 Senior Section of this year's Chrysomallus Yearbook. CADY Studios is accepting appointments for Senior Portraits from now until November 12th. Once November 12th passes, no further senior portraits will be included in this year's book, so be sure to book your senior's appointment now. [CLICK HERE](#) to schedule.

Appointments with School Counselors

For students to make an appointment with their counselor, please go to LMHS website, select student services> Counselor and appointments. From there, you will see the student booking appointment link. For parent appointments please reach out to Mrs. Maupin at 407-320-9548. Students, if you need to speak to your School Counselor, please do not hesitate to come to the Student Services Office for assistance.

Community Service Volunteer Hours

We encourage students desiring to qualify for the Bright Futures Scholarship to complete and turn in your volunteer hours. Students can obtain SCPS Volunteer Guidelines in the student services office.

Student Services

Save the Dates

October 2- How to Lake Mary Freshman Orientation

October 5- Southern College On-Campus

October 18-Dual Enrollment Info Session @ SSC
Freshman "How to Lake Mary"

On Monday, October 2, Student Services will be presenting our annual "How to Lake Mary" to our class of 2027 students through their English classes. The presentation will review new graduation requirements, state assessment requirements, an understanding of credits, and a brief discussion of post-secondary plans with the SCPS initiative. What's your "E" ? Students will walk away with an understanding of other services our department has to offer. We look forward to seeing our freshman on Monday!

College Application and Essay Help

Seniors- if you need help with your college application or have questions, appointments are available for Wednesday, October 4, 2024, in the Ram Student Lounge. Appointments are required. Sign up in Student Services.

Virtual Courses

All SCVS/FLVS classes must be completed by the deadline provided by your online teacher. Make sure you stay on task with the modules in your course. All students enrolled in a virtual course must complete the virtual contract and return it to your school counselor.

Letters of Recommendation

Seniors as you are starting to apply to college, requests for letters will come to your school counselor. Be sure to complete the "Counselor Letter of Recommendation" form located in the Student Services Office or on our school website. You may email this directly to your counselor or give it to Mrs. Maupin in Student Services to submit to your counselor. Please allow 2 weeks before you return to pick up your letter.

SSC Dual Enrollment

Do You Have Questions About Dual Enrollment or are you looking to learn more about the program? SSC will be hosting Information Sessions that will provide you with the information needed to participate. Each session will last approximately one hour and will include a time for questions and answers. The next information session is scheduled for Oct. 18. Visit the website for additional info: <https://www.seminolestate.edu/dual-enrollment>

Testing Update

Save the Date

The **ACT** will be given to all 11th grade students on Tuesday, October 31 and Tuesday, March 26 during the school day. (This will be paper based testing.)

The **SAT** will be given to all 11th grade students in March, 2024 during the school day. This will be computer based and specific testing dates will be set closer to the time.

Students will not need to register for these assessments and there will be no charge. More information will be sent out closer to each testing date.

PSAT/NMSQT

The digital PSAT/NMSQT will be given to all 9th-11th grade students in October.

All 9th grade regular testing time students will test on Thursday, October 19. Half of 10th grade regular testing students will test on Thursday, October 19 and half will test on Friday, October 20. All 11th grade regular testing time students will test on Friday, October 20. Testing will begin at 7:20am and will be completed by 11:00am.

Any students who have been approved by College Board for accommodations will test on another date within the testing window (October 17-October 27). Specific date information will be sent out soon.

For juniors, the PSAT is the only avenue to the National Merit Scholarship Program. For sophomores and freshmen, PSAT scores are used to qualify for registration in some Advanced Placement courses. PSAT Math concordant score of 430 will meet the Algebra 1 EOC math testing graduation requirement. All students will take the PSAT free of charge and students do not need to register for this.

Students should bring pencils, a calculator (can be used on all math sections), and snacks. Calculators will not be provided. Students will be tested on school computers. The PSAT Calculator Policy is attached.

To find out more about the digital PSAT and to take a practice test, go to psat.org/digital

Testing Update

SAT School Day

The SAT will be given to all 12th grade students on Wednesday, October 11 (straight 7 bell schedule) during the school day. Students can set up a College Board account at www.collegeboard.org and can link their account to Khan Academy where they have access to official SAT practice items. 12th grade students will take the SAT free of charge and there will not be any make-ups. Students do not need to register for this. This will be a paper/pencil test.

The SAT will take place during periods 1-5 and will begin at 7:20am. Students will go to lunch from 11:50-12:32pm (6th period) and will then attend their regular 7th period class.

Students should bring pencils, a calculator, and snacks. Calculators will not be provided. The SAT School Day Parent Letter and SAT Calculator Policy is attached.

Students will receive the SAT Student Guide through their English class or can get one from Media. The guide can also be found at: https://satsuite.collegeboard.org/media/pdf/sat-school-day-student-guide.pdf?SFMC_cid=EM817729-&rid=47216065

Students and parents will be sent an email with the student testing room information before the testing day.

National SAT/ACT Testing Dates

Students can register through College Board (www.collegeboard.com) and ACT (www.act.org) to take these tests on a Sat. National Testing Date.

SAT – October 7, November 4, December 2, March 9, May 4, and June 1

ACT – October 28, December 9, February 10, April 13, June 8, July 13

After School Tutoring

Face-to-Face tutoring is offered every Tuesday and Thursday in the Media Center from 2:45 - 4:15. Tutoring is available for most academic subjects, homework help, including Plato and SAT tutoring. Students must submit a registration form to participate in this program. The form is attached to this email.

Upcoming Events

Hispanic Heritage Spirit Week

Oct. 9
Como la flor | Jersey day
Wear your flower crowns like Frida Kahlo and/or your favorite soccer or baseball jersey!

Oct. 10
Crazy hispanic sock day!

Oct. 11
Chanclas vs Botas
Wear your sandals or your boots and let's see who wins!

Oct. 12
Familia Day!
Dress like twins with someone you consider family.

Oct. 13
Flag day!
Wear the colors of your flag or the colors of a Hispanic country you have visited.

Special Congratulations

Students and Staff of the Month

Congratulations to our Students and Staff of the Month for September! RamNation is proud of you!



National Merit Scholars

Special Congratulations to our National Merit Semifinalist and Commended Scholars for your exceptional performance on last year's PSAT!



FILL THE TRUCK FOOD DRIVE

Help local families in need by bringing the following items to the Varsity Football game on Friday October 13th



FRUIT CUPS
APPLESAUCE
PANCAKE MIX & SYRUP
CEREAL
OATMEAL
PROTEIN BARS
CANNED CHICKEN
CANNED TUNA
CANNED MEAT
HEARTY SOUPS
PASTA
PASTA SAUCE

MAKE A DONATION TO MY SCHOOL BUCKS



INSTANT POTATOES
MAC & CHEESE
RAMEN NOODLES
CHEF BOYARDEE
SUDDENLY SALAD
PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY
2 LB BAG OF RICE
TACO KITS
YELLOW RICE
CHICKEN HELPER
TUNA HELPER