

# Roberts School

## 2022 October/November Newsletter



### Student Happenings

Volleyball, football, and cross country are off to a rolling start. Our HS and JH vb teams both have 14 players out. When you add in coaches and managers, it is fun to see our kids filling a bus for away activities. Also our Cross Country has some of its best numbers and our first high school female participant, since its reinstatement. Both VB and XC have had a successful fall and are looking forward to the post season. District volleyball starts in Bridger on October 27th, while state cross country is in Missoula on October 22nd. For football we have again sent a handful of athletes down to Red Lodge for our cooperative and they are also having a strong season.

Business Professionals of America, FFA, and Rocket Leadership this fall have been very busy setting up their seasons. Some highlights were helping out with homecoming, a district leadership conference, and a state officer training. All of these activities, whether athletic or academic expose our students to opportunities that support their development into successful young men and women.

### Substitute Teachers and Help Needed

One area worth noting is that substitute teachers have been really hard to find. If you are interested in this opportunity to help our students please reach out to Mr. Ator via email at [ator@roberts.k12.mt.us](mailto:ator@roberts.k12.mt.us) or call the school office at 406-445-2421.

### Reading at Home

For years researchers have stated that the most important thing we can do is read to our children. This is still the case, whether it toddlers and a bedtime story or a family book club reading a novel together this is still the case. If you are needs of reading materials there are great opportunities in the area. Below are some examples:

The Red Lodge Area Community Foundation sponsors this program that sends books to kids from birth to age 5. Follow the link below for more information.

<https://www.rlacf.org/programs/youth/early-childhood/imagination-library/>

The school has book bags and books for students of preschool age and lower elementary age, contact Mrs. Ronning if you want them, [Ronning@roberts.k12.mt.us](mailto:Ronning@roberts.k12.mt.us)

Also our local school library and the Carnegie Library in Red Lodge have reading materials and access to other opportunities. Here is the link to the Carnegie Library and their programs, <https://www.cityofredlodge.net/library/page/services-and-programs>

As always, thank you for reading,

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## **Updates from Mrs. Ronning**

K-6 students are learning a variety of things in **Character Ed** this year.

Kindergarten is working on the following ideas: **Watch, Listen and Think/ Why we Pay Attention/ Mistakes are Okay/ Practice makes Better**

First and Second Grades are working on: **How to Get Good at Something/ What Mistakes Tell us/ Helpful and Unhelpful Thoughts/ Healthy Self- Talk**

Third and Fourth Grades are discovering how to **Set a Goal/ Make a Plan/ Check your Progress**

Fifth Grade worked on **Goal Setting** but have since moved on to discovering their **Balanced Brain** and **Managing Strong Emotions**

Sixth Graders are exploring **Growth Mindset** and **How to grow their Brain**

With my "objective guidance", sixth grade is also taking part in a **Music Exploration** class this year. We are having some lengthy and animated discussions about music genres and we have some ideas brewing about how to show off what we are learning. Stay tuned!

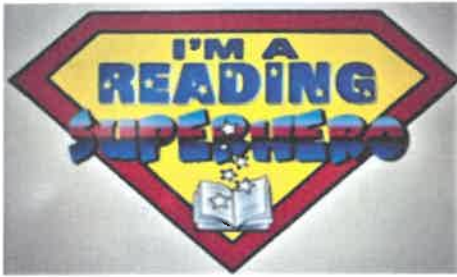
**Student Council** and **Rocket Leadership** kicked off the year with elections. We have 18 students in executive and representative roles. Some of these are filled by Junior High students giving us a broad representation of the student body. We are excited to send some representatives to the State SC Leadership Conference in Great Falls this November.

The initiatives we are working on through the **Montana Comprehensive Literacy State Development Project** are going strong. Every day we learn more about how to strengthen our instruction to build more efficient literacy skills in our students from kindergarten through twelfth grade.

**Pre-School** is set to begin October 3. We are excited to see these kids learn and grow. A HUGE THANK YOU to the **Roberts United Methodist Church** for sharing their space for this important community service.

The second graders are jetting off to distant lands! They've got their passports ready and this month, we are visiting India! We will learn about ancient Indian and Chinese civilizations-formation, religions, leaders, writing, and traditions. We will travel to the Great Wall, learn about and celebrate Diwali, study the importance of the Yellow and Yangtze rivers, and much more. We're so excited for this adventure!

## 2nd Grade Happenings



Welcome to another Super year of Scholastic Book Fairs.

The first book fair will be the week of November 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> 2022.



We are all "Super Hero Readers". Students will be coming home with a preview newspaper on Monday October 31<sup>st</sup>, and Tuesday November 1<sup>st</sup>. Wednesday November 2<sup>nd</sup> and Thursday November 3<sup>rd</sup> students will be filling out a wish list. This wish list will be kept in the library for parents and family members to use if you would like to purchase books for Christmas gifts.

## All for Books

Raise money during the Fair through All for Books™, a program to purchase books for students in our school. You can "round up" purchases during the Scholastic Book Fair as donation to All for Books. During the Scholastic Book Fair there will be baked goodies for sale. **Super Hero cookies (monster cookies), KA "Chow" (puppy chow), and Cape sugar cookies.** Each item will be \$1.00. All proceeds will go towards All for Books to help purchase new books for our library.



## Sophomore Class of 2025

will be selling Martinson's of Montana Ranch Chocolates **starting October 18<sup>th</sup>** with a final deadline of November 1<sup>st</sup>. These chocolates will be ready to

deliver by November 15<sup>th</sup>. Look for the Sophomores and their brochures for your holiday ordering options.

## Upcoming Friday Field Trip Schedule:

**Friday, October 7, Pumpkin Patch**

**Friday, November 11, Centennial Ice Arena**

## **School Pictures**

**Wednesday, November 2nd,**

## 2022 Volleyball Schedule

Saturday, October 1, 2022	Roberts Tourney	Roberts	V	8:00 AM
Friday, October 7, 2022	RPR	Roberts	Elem/JH/JV/V	3:00/4:00/5:15/6:30
Saturday, October 8, 2022	Custer-Hysham	Roberts	Elem/JH/JV/V	3:00/4:00/5:15/6:30
Thursday, October 13, 2022	Park City	Roberts	JV/V	5:15/6:30
Saturday, October 15, 2022	Plenty Coups	Plenty Coups	JV/V	5:15/6:30
Thursday, October 20, 2022	Roy-Winifred	Winifred	JV/V	4:30/5:30
Saturday, October 22, 2022	Bridger	Roberts	JV/V	5:15/6:30
10/27-10/29	District Volleyball	Bridger	V	TBA
11/3-11/5	Divisional Volleyball	Lewistown	V	TBA
11/10-11/12	State Volleyball	Bozeman	V	TBA

## 2022 Elementary/Junior High Girls Basketball Schedule

Monday, October 10, 2022	First Day of Practice Elem/Jr High	Lower Gym	Elem/JH	TBA
Saturday, October 15, 2022	Custer-Hysham	Roberts	Elem/JH	10:00/11:00
Tuesday, October 18, 2022	Absarokee	Absarokee	Elem/JH	4:30/5:30
Tuesday, October 25, 2022	Bridger	Bridger	Elem/JH	4:00/5:00
Tuesday, November 1, 2022	Fromberg	Fromberg	Elem/JH	4:00/5:00
Thursday, November 10, 2022	Park City	Park City	Elem/JH	4:00/5:00
Saturday, November 12, 2022	Harlowton-Ryegate & Forsyth	Roberts	Elem/JH	10:00 Harlowton-Roberts 11:00 Harlowton-Roberts 12:00 Harlowton-Forsyth 1:00 Harlowton-Forsyth 2:00 Forsyth-Roberts 3:00 Forsyth- Roberts
Thursday, November 17, 2022	First Day of Practice High School		VG/VB	TBA
Friday, November 18, 2022	RPR	TBA	JH	3:00 PM
Saturday, November 19, 2022	Plenty Coups	Roberts	Elem/JH	10:00/11:00
Monday, November 21, 2022	St. Charles	Roberts	Elem/JH	4:30/5:30
Monday, November 28, 2022	Broadview-Lavina	Roberts	Elem/JH	4:30/5:30

### Red Lodge Roberts Football

#### VARSIITY

10/7 FRIDAY @ SHEPHERD (A) 7:00 PM  
 10/14 FRIDAY @ ROUNDUP (A) 7:00 PM  
 10/21 FRIDAY vs. HUNTLEY PROJECT (H) 7:00 PM

#### JV

10/3 MONDAY vs. CODY 4:30 PM  
 10/10 MONDAY @ HUNTLEY PROJECT 4:30 PM

#### MIDDLE SCHOOL

10/1 SATURDAY vs. SHEPHERD (H) 10:00 AM

### PLAYOFF SCHEDULE

OCT 29 SAT ROUND 1 – CLASS B FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS NOV 5  
 SAT QUARTER FINALS – CLASS B FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS NOV 12  
 SAT SEMI FINALS – CLASS B FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS NOV 19 SAT  
 STATE B FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

### Cross Country Wrap-Up

Saturday, October 1, 2022	Crazy Mountain Run	Big Timber	10:00 AM	JH/HS
Saturday, October 8, 2022	Park City	Park City	10:00 AM	JH/HS
Thursday, October 13, 2022	Joliet	Joliet	TBA	HS
Saturday, October 15, 2022	Tri-Cities	Hobson	TBA	HS
Saturday, October 22, 2022	All Class State Cross	Missoula	TBA	HS

# OCTOBER MENU

Week of:		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
10/3	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Mini Waffles	Poptart	Pancake on a stick
	LUNCH	Chicken Parmesan	Burritos	Peanut butter or Tuna Sandwich	Italian Dunkers
10/10	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Muffin	Breakfast Burrito	Oatmeal
	LUNCH	Scalloped Potatoes & Ham	Chicken Noodle Soup & Sandwich	Chili & Cinnamon Rolls	Fajitas
10/17	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Yogurt	Cinnamon Swirl Toast	No School
	LUNCH	Popcorn Chicken	Chicken Fried Steak	Meatball Sub	No School
10/24	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Muffin	Poptart	Bagel
	LUNCH	Pork Chop Sandwich	Chili Dogs	Sweet & Sour Chicken	Tacos
10/31	BREAKFAST	Cereal			
	LUNCH	Rib Sandwich			

# NOVEMBER MENU

Week of:		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
10/31	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Cinnamon Swirl Toast	Yogurt	Egg Muffin
	LUNCH	Rib Sandwich	Chicken Alfredo	Shepherd's Pie	Chicken Sandwich
11/7	BREAKFAST	Cereal	French Toast Casserole	Oatmeal	Sausage Biscuit
	LUNCH	Goulash	Nacho's	Thanksgiving Dinner	Beanie Weanias
11/14	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Breakfast Burrito	Poptart	Muffin
	LUNCH	Chicken Pot Pie	Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup	Lasagna	Chili Frito Pie
11/21	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Yogurt	No School	No School
	LUNCH	Walking Tacos	Cheeseburger	No School	No School
11/28	BREAKFAST	Cereal	Muffin	Mini Waffles	
	LUNCH	Hot Dogs	Pork Chop Sandwich	Biscuits & Gravy	

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**Roberts School Craft Fair  
Vendors Wanted  
November 19, 2022**

*Sophomore Thanksgiving Pie Sale*

The Sophomore Class of 2025 will be selling pies and rolls again this year. Please turn in your orders no later than **Wednesday, November 16**. They will have the pies and rolls available to pick up between 4 and 6 p.m. on **Wednesday, November 23**. Make checks out to Roberts School. Thank you.

Quantity			Total
_____	Apple Pie	\$15 ea.	_____
_____	Pumpkin Pie	\$10 ea.	_____
_____	Pecan Pie	\$17 ea.	_____
_____	Rolls	\$ 5 doz.	_____
		<b><u>Amount owed:</u></b>	<b>\$_____</b>

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_