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## June

- 1 - Gr. 4s to C.W. Perry
- 6 - 1FR/1H to Kamp Kiwanis
- 7 - Walk & Wheelie Wednesday  
1S/1F/1M to Kamp Kiwanis  
Gr. 2s to Pioneer Acres  
7:00pm-Parent Council
- 8 - Patroller's Picnic @ Heritage Park
- 14 - Walk & Wheelie Wednesday  
9:00 - Talent Show
- 15 - Kindergartens to Zoo
- 20 - Gr. 3s to Zoo
- 21 - Walk & Wheelie Wednesday
- 22 - Last day of AM Kindergarten  
9:00-1M/3H/Gr. 2/4E/4S to  
Roxy Theatre
- 23 - Last day of PM Kindergarten
- 28 - Walk & Wheelie Wednesday  
12:30-2:30 - Activity Day  
Last day of school

**Please call us if your child will be late or absent from school. Dial 403-948-7030 and press '2' to leave a message, or email us at [mccall@rockyview.ab.ca](mailto:mccall@rockyview.ab.ca)**

### **WELCOME BACK PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Join us for our annual pancake breakfast on Friday, September 1st from 8:30-10:00. Meet the teacher and see your classroom from 9:00-11:00! **First day of school is Tuesday, September 5th.**



### **WE CAN'T BELIEVE IT'S JUNE!**

The countdown is on until summer holidays are here! We can't believe that it is the end of the year already, and that we are planning for next school year. We are getting ready for new students to start at Ralph McCall, and also saying good-bye to our grade 4 students as they begin their middle school years. Please note the slight change in bell times for **Kindergarten students only** next year.

Kindergarten AM classes - Monday-Thursday 8:00-11:20 - no class on Friday  
Kindergarten PM classes - Monday-Thursday 12:05-2:45 and Friday 8:00-11:20  
Grade 1-4 - Monday-Thursday - 8:05-2:45 and Friday 8:05-1:15

We are excited for new adventures for some of our staff members.....Mrs. Goodall (Learning Support), Mrs. Liverpool (Gr. 3), and Mrs. Milner (Music) are moving to the new Windsong School in Airdrie. Mrs. Grant (Gr. 3) is going back to school to complete her Masters in Technology, Mrs. Peterson is due to have a baby very soon, and Mrs. Alyman and Mr. Rintoul (Caretaking) are retiring. We want to thank them all for their contributions at Ralph McCall and wish them all the best of luck!

**ARE YOU MOVING?** - Whether you are changing schools or simply changing your address, we need to know! Please notify us of any demographic changes so we can update our records.

**PARENT PORTAL** - By now you should have received a letter in the mail with information on how to sign up for Parent Portal. This is an online platform where both you and your child will be able to gain access to current information via the internet. All parents will have to create an account.....we requested that this be done by May 31st. If you are having trouble, please contact the school office where we will be happy to help you!

**PARENT COUNCIL** - *The winners of our trip of the month draws are posted on our website. Good luck to everyone on the remaining 7 draws!*

Thank you for your support for the recent **Read-A-Thon!** Together we were able to raise \$12,448.60. The **Spring Dance** was a huge success as well and a cheque for \$1437.79 was presented to help fill shelves at the Airdrie Food Bank.

Our Annual General Meeting was held and the following positions were filled for the upcoming school year.

#### **Parent Council**

Chair - Denny Popoff  
Vice-Chair - Christy Olson  
Secretary - Tabitha Caron  
Volunteer Coordinator - Amanda Thompson  
Community Liaisons - Donna McKeown, Tamara Williamson, Susan Helderweirt  
Staff Representative - Andrea Craigie  
Members at Large - Sarah Haylock-Jacobs, Devon Blower, Lisa Solie

#### **Friends of Ralph McCall Society**

President - Sarah Haylock-Jacobs  
Vice-President - Devon Blower  
Treasurer - Susan Helderweirt  
Secretary - Tabitha Caron  
Directors - Denny Popoff, Christy Olson, Amanda Thompson, Tamara Williamson, Lisa Solie, Andrea Craigie, Elizabeth Kane, Donna McKeown

We encourage you to get involved and get first-hand information on what is being planned for the students at Ralph McCall!

## Talent Show June 14th @ 9:00 AM

Classroom auditions were held this week and final auditions are as follows:

Gr. 1 & 4 - Monday, June 5th @ noon

Kindergarten - KAM @ recess and KPM last period

Gr. 2 & 3 - Tuesday, June 6th @ noon

## Activity Day

**Wednesday, June 28 - 12:30-2:30**

**Dunk Tank, Bouncy Houses, Tattoo Station, Rhino Ring Toss, Monster Basketball, Penguin Fish Fly, Feed the Bears Game, Playground, Tarmac Games, Relays and Racing, Candy Store!**

**PARENT VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP RUN THE STATIONS!**

**Please email your child's teacher if you are able to volunteer for this event! Please ensure you have a criminal record check on file with the school.**

### **CANDY STORE**

**Students will be allowed to spend a maximum of \$4.00.**

**Please make sure your child is prepared appropriately for the day!  
Hats, sunscreen, water bottles etc.**

## *Thank You Volunteers!*

*There are truly not enough words to say to express our gratitude to the excellent volunteers at Ralph McCall. Field trips, literacy, learning commons, patrols, parent council, activity days, class projects, school displays...the list goes on and on. You are amazing, and we are grateful for all you do! Thank you for sharing your time with our students and staff!*

*Thank you to the entire Ralph McCall Community for the very successful Scholastic Happy Camper Book Fair held in March in the Learning Commons. Congratulations to the following students who won a free book from the book fair: Aarisha, KPPM, Alivia 3B, Margarette 2Ch, Daphne 4H and Madison 3GR. Miss Hogan one of our Student Teachers won a free book and the winners from the Guessing Contest: Jenna 3P, Alysa 4D, Helen 4E. Our grand prize winners of \$25.00 of books from the book fair for the student and the classroom teacher is Sara 3GR and Mrs. Grant/Ms. Robert. Congratulations to all of our winners.*

**LOST AND FOUND** - Please label all jackets and hoodies, backpacks, water bottles, lunch kits etc. Students are encouraged to check the lost and found to claim their belongings. All unclaimed items will be donated to charity before each long weekend or break. Our next "pack up" day is **Wednesday, June 28th**.

**FOLLOW US!** - Stay in the loop about what's happening by following us on Twitter@Ralph\_McCall, our Facebook page or online at <http://mccall.rockyview.ab.ca>

**RVS REPLAY** - Rocky View has a weekly newsletter which shares information about Rocky View Schools and education. Replay is designed to appeal to staff, parents, school councils, and members of the community.

**LIKE BREAD?** - Our school is registered with COBS on Main Street and will donate 5% from applicable yearly purchase back to us! Simply tell COBS you are associated with Ralph McCall and they will record the value of your purchase. Thank you for your support.

