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# PARENT/GUARDIAN

## NOTICE

### PHOTO ID REQUIRED



**ABSENT, TARDY  
OR  
EARLY DISMISSAL?**



**NO  
OUTSIDE FOOD  
OR DRINKS  
ALLOWED**



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The AVID School Wide focus for the month of October is organization! The students are working very hard on being more organized so they can be successful in all of their classes. The AVID students will be participating in AVID Night at the girls basketball game on October 24th. AVID will also be starting a popcorn fundraiser in mid October! Please help support out AVID students with some delicious popcorn!



The National Junior Honor Society is in the process of looking for new members! If you have have good grades, citizenship, want to help your community, and have amazing character, please come and pick up a packet for Mrs. McDermott in room 808.

## Nurse's Notes

If your child has any special health needs or problems, this should be communicated to me. This information is kept confidential, and it can be very important to a successful experience in school.

Examples of such needs are:

1. Food Allergy
2. Bee sting allergy
3. Allergy to any other substance
4. Difficulty with vision, hearing or speech
5. Need for medication during the school day
6. Need for special aids such as crutches, walkers, or wheelchairs, either on a temporary or permanent basis.

**Gabi Ingold, RN 217-444-3408 or email**

**[ingoldg@danville118.org](mailto:ingoldg@danville118.org)**

**Also, it is not too early to get your 8th graders scheduled for their freshman physical.**



# YOU DID IT! *Congratulations*



Congratulations Red Reward  
Winners this month!  
Keep up the great work,  
Ridgerunners!

## Golden ticket incentive :

Staff are looking for students who consistently make good choices and follow the expectations in the hallways. Each staff member gets to give away one golden ticket per month for excellent hallway behavior. Those golden ticket recipients for September will have a reward this Friday! We will be celebrating with games and snacks during 8th hour



**We are still looking for additional members! Students may pick up a membership packet from Mrs. Delzell in room 707 or Mrs. Leemon in room 708.**

**Our next regular meetings**

**October 4<sup>th</sup>**

**November 1<sup>st</sup>**

**November 15<sup>th</sup>**

We volunteered at Kiwanis Pancake Day on September 28<sup>th</sup>. Our club took ten of our members to help clean tables, serve coffee, and assist in any way that we could. Volunteering at Pancake Day is always a fun and rewarding activity for our club

To view the 2023 list of Box Tops products please click on this link

<https://www.boxtops4education.com/s/box-tops-products>.

We started our school paper recycling program and have spent time talking about our upcoming activities.



This year the North Ridge Builders Club will once again be honoring our veterans who are laid to rest at our Danville National Cemetery by participating in Wreaths Across America on December 16, 2023. Please consider helping the Builders Club by donating \$17.00 for one wreath...\$34 for two and so on. The amount for a wreath has increased this year.



## WREATHS *across* AMERICA

### Wreath Sponsorship Form

**In Memory of:**

**Please include the full name and/or a middle initial of your veteran buried at the Danville National Cemetery.**

**Branch of Service:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth or Death (to help with the location search)** \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to:

**Wreaths Across America** and bring or mail to:

**North Ridge Middle School**

**Attn. Kathy Delzell**

**1619 N. Jackson**

**Danville, IL 61832**

Questions? Please call 217-444-3442

Sponsorship	Price	Quantity	Total
Individual= 1 Wreath	\$17.00		
2 Wreaths	\$34.00		
Most Popular= 5 Wreaths	\$85.00		
10 Wreaths	\$170.00		
	<b>Grand Total</b>		



DANVILLE AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# FAMILY SCIENCE NIGHT

A free community event with lots of hands-on activities for the entire family!



**DATE: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD, 2023**

**TIME: 5:30 PM TO 8:00 PM**

**LOCATION: MARY MILLER GYMNASIUM**

Science and technology are all around us. Let's explore how a career in Math, Science, and Engineering can help you build a bright future for you and your loved ones.

## **October is a busy month for 8th grade Science.**

We began the Earth Science unit where students are learning about plate tectonics, earthquakes, and volcanoes. This month we will finish Earth Science. Students must bring their chromebooks to school everyday and have them charged. **Don't forget Fall Break is October 16- October 20.** It is very important that students try to spend a little bit of time reviewing notes so that the vocabulary and concepts we are learning are not lost over break. Remember if you are gone from school for an extended period of time you need to check Google Classroom for your school work and complete what you can at home. If you have any questions please feel free to contact your students teacher:

**Dawn Brock 444-3460 [brockd@danville118.org](mailto:brockd@danville118.org)**  
**Jason Smith 444-3433 [Smithj1@danville118.org](mailto:Smithj1@danville118.org)**  
**Heidi Parker 444-3434 [Parkerh@danville118.org](mailto:Parkerh@danville118.org)**

## **October is a busy month for Biology.**

We began our African storyline unit where the students will learn about adaptation, behavioral observation, living in groups, genetics, and evolution. This month we will focus on food chains and macromolecules. In addition, the students will take their midterm prior to fall break. **Don't forget Fall Break is October 16- October 20.** It is very important that students try to spend a little bit of time reviewing notes so that the vocabulary and concepts we are learning are not lost over break. Remember if you are gone from school for an extended period of time you need to check Google Classroom for your school work and complete what you can at home. If you have any questions please feel free to contact your students teacher:

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### **Volleyball season is coming up!**

Any individuals interested in playing volleyball should register online <https://il.8to18.com/NorthRidge> for volleyball and make sure that they have a NEW sports physical (within 1 year). 6<sup>th</sup> grade physicals do not count as updated physicals. Once the athletes are registered online, they will be eligible for attending open gyms and tryouts.

### **Open Gym Dates: (optional)**

Wednesday	10/4	5:30 – 6:30
Wednesday	10/25	5:30 – 6:30
Thursday	11/9	5:30 – 6:30
Monday	11/20	5:30 – 6:30

### **Tryout Dates: (must attend both days)**

Monday	11/27	4:00-5:30
Tuesday	11/28	4:00-5:30

### **Boys Basketball Open Gym:**

Monday	10/2	5:30-7:30
Thursday	10/5	4:00-6:00
Wednesday	10/11	5:30-7:30

### **Planning to attend a home sporting event?** **Here is what you need to know!**

Everyone attending a sporting event at North Ridge will enter by the gymnasium doors. There will be weapons detectors and a police officer present to keep everyone safe. During the games, it is expected that fans behave with good sportsmanship. We understand that close games can increase intensity in both athletes as well as fans, but fans are attending to CHEER on the players. Fans should refrain from coaching players and yelling at officials/coaches. Please be good examples for the student athletes and others in attendance.

**\*All middle school students MUST have a parent/guardian in attendance with them in order to attend (unless with a staff sponsored group).\***

Admission Prices:  
Adults - \$3.00  
Students - \$2.00  
Seniors & Babies - FREE

**Want to play winter/spring sports?**

Register online <https://il.8to18.com/NorthRidge>

## Calling All Archers!

Informational meeting for all 7th and 8th graders interested in joining the North Ridge archery team. Parents and students are requested to come and learn about joining the archery team, no experience needed.



Meet the coaches and hear about the safety and practice requirements. Join us on Thursday, October 12, 2023, at 5:30 pm in the North Ridge cafetorium.

## **LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD PEOPLE TO BE A PART OF THE NORTH RIDGE NEWSPAPER STAFF:**

STORIES

INTERVIEWS

DRAWINGS

PHOTOGRAPHY

TITAN WANTS YOU!!

Please sign your name/teacher/grade

ROOM # 612 or ROOM 809A

(Outside the door)

**DEADLINE: October 6, 2023**

**MS. BROWN/MISS. ROSE**







The North Ridge Softball team had an awesome season this fall. Throughout the season there were some injuries the team had to overcome. Some team members had to learn new positions or learn new strategies behind playing the mental aspect of softball. The game is so much more than the physical ability to catch, throw, and hit. They played hard, they learned a lot on the field as well as in life, and they made lifelong memories. The team concluded their season in the 3<sup>rd</sup> game of post season with a record of 8-8. It was a very bitter sweet ended as the tears rolled because they did not want the season to end. We look forward to watching the 8<sup>th</sup> graders continue to play at DHS and for the 7<sup>th</sup> graders to step up to fill big shoes next year as they become the leaders of the team.

Coach Taryn Owens





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# SPIRIT WEEK 23'





