

## **RIVER DELL MIDDLE SCHOOL**

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Dear Students and Parents/Guardians:

Greetings, Hawk Families! I want to take the time to wish everyone celebrating a very Happy Thanksgiving! On a personal note, thank you for being part of such an outstanding and supportive community. I appreciate having the opportunity to serve you and look forward to many years in my role working with current and future River Dell Hawks!

A reminder that tomorrow is a one-session day with dismissal at 12:05. There will be no lunch periods. Classes will resume after the extended weekend on Monday, November 27<sup>th</sup>.

Basketball tryouts will start on Monday afternoon for the boys at 3:00 and for the girls at 5:00. Each session is expected to last two hours. Best of luck to all those who have signed up.

Please encourage your student to apply for a position as a River Dell PTSO Student Representative. I have emailed all students with information about how they can apply for this brand-new position. It is a great opportunity to represent the students in the River Dell Community. Two students in each grade, seven through twelve, will be selected to participate. Applications are due November 27<sup>th</sup>.

Attached, you will find information about our annual 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade winter coat drive. New and gently used winter coats can be dropped off outside of room 102 from now until January 16<sup>th</sup>. Please consider helping others keep warm this winter.

Finally, a reminder to all community members who can vote, please come out and vote in the Special Election held on December 12<sup>th</sup>. Official Mail-In Ballots have been mailed out to those with active *vote by mail* requests. For more information about the Referendum and Special Election Vote by Mail Ballots, please see the River Dell Regional School District website at <u>www.riverdell.org</u>.

Regardless of your plans for the next few days, I hope everyone has a wonderful extended weekend!

Best Regards,

Robert Urbanovich Principal, River Dell Middle School

