



Principal's Point of View Mr. Ed Robinson

We have finished our first grading period at Ribault Middle School and I am so excited on how well some of the students have done on their report cards. The majority of the students did extremely well in all of their core classes. The students that made all "A"s will enjoy a special luncheon with the me, as an incentive for a job well done.

I am also very proud on how well our students did on the county Benchmark Test. This assessment tells how Ribault Middle School compares to other middle schools in Duval County and we are right up there with the best of them. Great Job Colts!!

It is a great pleasure being the principal of Ribault Middle School, and I am delighted to say I am a true "Mighty Colt". It is the pride and commitment from the community, parents, and students have made to make this one of the best schools in Duval County.

Students remember the three guiding principles that all "Mighty Colts" should follow: **Be on Time Everyday, Do your Best Everyday, and Follow Directions Everyday.**

Be Blessed and stay safe this Thanksgiving.

Ed Robinson, Principal



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Mr. Robinson

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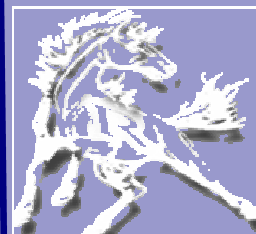
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Colts Homecoming 2010

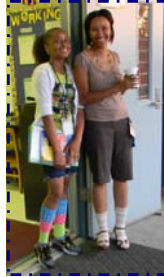
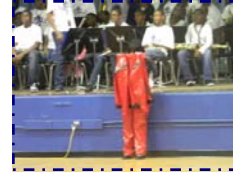
Homecoming Week was off to a great start. We had crazy Socks Day, Tacky Day and Nerd Day. RMS hasn't had a Pep Rally in a long time. We had a blast. It was great to see our principal, teachers and administrators all having an awesome time. The band really showed out with their skills. We even saw Michael Jackson on the dance floor. Well, not really Michael Jackson, but Ms. Scott was in costume and dance like the great Moonwalker. Congratulations to all the of The Homecoming Court: Jayden Walker/ Shaina Flynn; Traquan Hartsfield/Deja Holmes; and Maurice Channell/Shandra Robinson. The game was great; although Ribault Colts didn't win. They tried and the effort is all that counts. The football teamwork worked hard in the blazing sun. We lost 0 to 30 against Paxon Middle School. The cheerleaders did an excellent job keeping the team and crowd in great spirits. No matter how many times the Colts got tackled, the cheerleaders was there to support them. By: ICYS



Baking Bread with Ms. Wells



Colts Homecoming Pictures



New Teacher's Spotlight of The Month

Welcome Ms. Flow 8th ELA

Written by: Jahlayne Daniels

This Virgo is a UNF graduate with an English Degree. Ms Flow enjoys spending time with her two beautiful children Lydia and Alex. She also enjoys reading, doing crossword puzzles and watching tv. This is her first year teaching and she loves it. Her favorite actor is Brad Pitts because he is socially conscious and spends his free time helping others. She wants her students to know that education is very important and she is here to help you.



Welcome Ms. Lu Chinese Teacher

Written by: Moesha Sims

Ms. Lu attended Huanan Normal University in China and is currently working her master's degree in Education at UNF. She has been teaching Chinese in China for 12 years and 2 years in Duval County. She enjoys cooking and reading. Ms. Lu admires people who work very hard to become successful. Her favorite quote- Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without learning is perilous- Confucius.

Poetry From Your Peers

EDUCATION

By: Kayshawna Vitlz

EDUCATION Ain't No Game
Hustlin Money Ain't the Same
No Diploma, Now That's Lame
Not Getting a Job is Gonna' Cause Pain
No Mission!! No Goals!! No **EDUCATION!!**
I'm Trying To Warn my Peers
Stay In School

Tears

By Icys Fallubeluah

I laid there as a tear slowly migrated from my eyes to my pillow. I was thinking about the sadness of this world. People dying, stealing, being dishonest, fighting and even deceiving. Tears slowly started to run down more and landing on my pillow faster than I imagined. Creating a puddle of salt water. These tears told a story that even I couldn't really understand. I tried to demolished

the tears that told a story of fear. To change these tears into tears of happiness. To think about the goodness of this world and to wipe out the bad. But the tears that I cried only made me acknowledge only the bad. Now I know that these tears can't allow me to be a stumbling block, but change!



Student Fun Page

Comedy Central By: Tyler Wooten

Why did the child eat his homework? *Because his teacher said it was a piece of cake.*



Teacher: I hope I didn't see you looking at Fred's test paper.

Pupil: I hope you didn't see me either!

Teacher: You copied from Fred's exam paper didn't you?

Pupil: How did you know?

Teacher: Fred's paper says "I don't know" and you have put "Me, neither"!



Horoscope: Oct 23- Nov 21

Friends : Whether it's a personal project or a



school project, you're in serious get-organized mode this week, Scorpio! Which is good as long as you don't turn into a giant bossing meanie! Focus on helping your team do the best job and you'll be fine!

Courtesy : Yahoo Kids horoscope

Student Spotlight

Raediance Jones

This 6th grader enjoys singing and cheering. After graduating from high school, she wants to attend Julliard or FSU. Her goals are to graduate from college and become a professional singer. Her favorite music is Hip Hop, R&B and Pop. Raediance prefers Coke over Pepsi. She loves Chinese food. We look forward to seeing Raediance performing in concert in the future.



What's Happening Around Campus

Health Tips

From Ms. Mitchell RN, RMS Nurse

You may noticed that you feel hungry a lot. This is natural, a person's body demand more nutrients to grow. Snacks are a terrific way to satisfy that hunger and get all the vitamins and nutrients your body needs. Make a habit to stash some fruit or whole-grain crackers in your backpack, so you will always have some healthy food nearby. Healthy snacking doesn't have to be boring as long as you give yourself a variety of choices. Moderation is the key to smart snacking.

Team-UP

Mr. M. Brown

Mr. Brown is new to the RMS team. Team-Up is an after school program that provides academic and recreational activities for our students. He is the Team-Up Program Director. He wants to positively glue the community back together through education. He was born on September 15 and graduated from FSU. He enjoys spending quality time with his family, playing sports and going fishing. His favorite musical artist is Kenny G.

Interview By: Kyannia Bronner

Student's Success

- ◆ **Charlie Corbitt** is competing in an Oratorical Competition at Mt Calvary Baptist Church on October 27th at 7pm.
- ◆ **Cookie Dough Fundraiser Winners**
1st Place—Charlie Corbitt (404.00)
2nd Place—Jacoria Jones (365.00)
3rd Place—Darien Crockett (339.00)

Book Review Movie Review Music Review

Book Review By: Johnathan Ellison

Dear Mr. Henshaw By Beverly Clary

This book is about a boy writing letters to a man named Mr. Henshaw. The boy is seeking advice on how to actually start and end a story. Leigh entered a writing contest for a club called Young Writers. The winner will have lunch with a famous author. I enjoyed this because it has a lot of dialogue and details about writing.

Movie Review By: Moesha Sims

Takers was a great movie. It is very entertaining that includes a lot of well-known actors; such as TI, Chris Brown, Idris Elba and others. This movie involves money, migration plans and a little bit of romance. This movie was also action packed with explosives. It grabs your attention from the very beginning.

Music Review By: Icys Fahnbulleh

Whip My Hair was created by Willow Smith. It came out last week and her video was enjoyable. This song spread like wildfire. She is only 9 years old and was born on October 31, 2000. Her parents Will and Jada Smith are always supporting her. The world can not stop talking about Whip My Hair.

Sports Wrap-Up

Chatting with the Players



How they feel about this football season?

Demetris Brown: Our team was strong willing this season. Everybody worked hard together and special thanks to the Team mom.

Benjamin Lee: I think our team worked hard. We made some mistakes, but we learned from them.

The Mighty Colts record this year is 4-3. The last game of the season is Monday November 1st. Good Luck Team



Lady Colts

Volleyball Team Captains:
Jessica Lucas
Ebonee' Maxey



Story by: Kyannia Bronner

De'Auja Smith's goal in life is to become the first female in the NFL. Her favorite sports are basketball, football and of course volleyball. She makes

A/Bs and sometimes Cs, but she is working really hard on making that A/B Honor Roll.

She enjoys talking with her friends and wants everyone to know that she is a hard worker.

This is her first year playing volleyball.

Ribault Middle School Trivia

The first 5 students to answer the following questions correctly will receive a special treat from Ms. Curry.

1. Explain who Jean Ribault is and why our school is named after him?
2. What year was Ribault Middle School established?
3. Explain the purpose of having gender-based classes. What year did it start and who started it?
4. What teacher has been teaching at Ribault Middle School the longest?
5. What is Mr. Robinson's favorite hobby?
6. "Time is of the Essence" is a favorite quote by what teacher?
7. Which teacher was born on October 16 and has a Pomeranian dog named Ike?

RMS CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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Home Of The Mighty Colts



Upcoming Events

Nov 2nd Volleyball Colts vs. Butler @ Highlands 5:00pm

Nov 3rd Picture Day

Nov 4th Volleyball Colts @ HOME 5:00pm

Nov 9th Volleyball Colts @ HOME 5:00pm

Nov 16th Volleyball Colts @ HOME 5:00pm

Nov 23rd School Dance

Nov 24th Weather Day NO SCHOOL

Nov 25-26 Thanksgiving Celebration NO SCHOOL


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Colts City**

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Coming Next Month

- ◆ New Student of the Month
- ◆ Christmas Trivia
- ◆ Student's Christmas Dedications
- ◆ Word of the Month

