

January 25, 2022

Rocky Mount Elementary School

2400 Rocky Mountain Rd., Marietta, GA 30066

Dear Rocky Mount Families,

Each month we have the opportunity to recognize a R.O.C.K. Star student thanks to the generous support of Assured Comfort HVAC. They provide a certificate and a Chick-Fil-A gift card each month. Congratulations to our Sept., Oct., Nov., and Dec. winners. We look forward to recognizing more students in the coming months!

~Rocky the Roadrunner

Virtual PTA Meeting Thursday Evening at 6:00pm!

[Click here to join our Zoom meeting.](#) Meeting ID: 833 9948 2006

After School Clubs

After School Clubs have started! Please make sure you let the teacher know if your student is signed up to be in a club. It would be great to send a change of transportation form to front office too. [Click here to access the form.](#)

Last Week to Order a Yearbook!

Don't miss the chance to remember 2021-22 with a beautiful yearbook! Order your yearbook by Friday, January 28th at rockymountpta.org and click on "Order a Yearbook". Send your questions to rockymountyearbook@gmail.com. Thank you to all the families who have already ordered a yearbook.

Last Week for Fifth Grade Dedications

Fifth grade parents can order a 5th Grade Dedication online at the following link <https://www.balfour.com/georgia/marietta/rocky-mount-elementary-school> Click on "order now." and enter the 5th grade student's information. Dedication orders are due by Friday, January 28th. [Click here for more instructions.](#)

Zaxby's Spirit Night 1/31

Let Zaxby's handle dinner on 1/31 and RM benefits! Swing by 5:00-8:00pm and say you are from Rocky Mount so we get 15% back from drive-thru and inside dining. Yummy!



Upcoming Events

Jan. 24 – 28

After School Clubs Begin

Jan. 27

Virtual PTA Meeting 6:00pm

Jan. 28

Yearbook Order Deadline

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5th Grade Yearbook
Dedication Deadline

Jan. 31

Zaxby's Spirit Night 5-8pm

Feb. 4

Kickoff of the RM Foundation
Roadrunner Race Fundraiser

Feb. 4 – 17

Roadrunner Race Fundraiser
for RM Foundation

Feb. 21 – 25

Winter Break – No school

Just a reminder that students must be in the building by **7:45 a.m.** Students arriving after that time will be counted tardy. Please keep in mind that the car line tends to be a little longer on rainy or cold mornings. Please plan to leave home a few minutes earlier to allow for the increase of traffic. Thank you!

More Important News

After School Program (ASP)

Rocky Mount is pleased to share that we have selected our other Co-Director! Sherri Brasseur is already a Roadrunner because she is our part-time attendance clerk in the front office. Ms. Sherri will continue as our clerk and work with Ms. Briana in ASP. Welcome! Feel free to contact Briana.Marbury@cobbk12.org or Sherri.Brasseur@cobbk12.org if you have any questions.

Clinic Information

Thank you for your ongoing support of our health and safety guidelines. [Click here for a cute emoji chart](#) about when to keep your child at home and when he/she can return to school. Contact Nurse Merry at amy.merry@cobbk12.org with any questions. Please remember to **submit an absence note** within 3 days of your student's return to school after an absence. Absence notes can be submitted through CTLS **Parent > upper right corner question mark > contact school.**

Technology Training for Students and Families

The Cobb County School District is excited to provide students with ongoing technology training throughout the year. [Click here to read about the upcoming events.](#) Tonight the training is on Microsoft Tools!

Rocky Mount Foundation Roadrunner Race

The theme for the upcoming Roadrunner Race is the Winter Olympics! This fundraiser provides the funds for teacher grants as well as the STEM Lab and STEM Instructor. We are so fortunate to have Mrs. Swan and the students have loved being able to go to the STEM Lab every week. The Foundation would love to reach their goal so that Mrs. Fleming and Dr. Doolittle get to participate in fun activities! 🏃

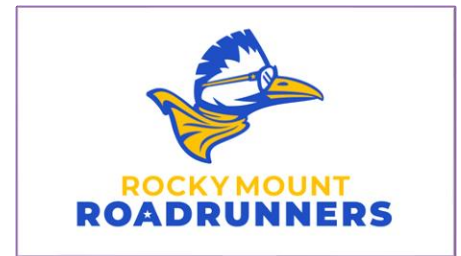
Last Week: Sibling Transfer Opportunity Now Available

Parents/Guardians of a student who has a sibling already enrolled in a District school through an approved transfer may apply for a younger sibling to attend the same school. This opportunity is designed to address siblings enrolled in different schools at the same time due to an approved transfer.

The application window for the 2022-2023 school year is open from January 5, 2022, through January 28, 2022. [Click here for more information.](#)

Updated COVID Protocols

[Click here to read the updated COVID Protocols for the Cobb County School District.](#)



In the Community

PTA Update

The PTA is planning several events for the spring including a BINGO Night and perhaps another movie night! There will be a virtual PTA meeting this Thursday, Jan. 27 to select the nominating committee for the 2022-2023 PTA Board. The link is on page 1. If you are interested in helping the PTA, please contact the PTA Presidents at president@rockymountpta.org.

Foundation Update

The Rocky Mount Foundation Board is excited about the upcoming fundraiser which begins next week! If you would like to help plan the event or help during the fundraiser, please send an email to info@RockyMountFoundation.org. Everyone working together can help make this the best fundraiser ever!

Principal's Advisory Council Update

A huge thank you to the members of the Rocky Mount Principal's Advisory Council who have agreed to serve for the 2021-2022 school year.