

RIO SECO SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

MAY 2018



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May Events:

5/4/18 STAR Awards for K-3 grades

4/30-5/4 Staff Appreciation Week

5/7-18 State Testing (CAASPP) Window

5/28 Memorial Day Obs. – No School

5/31 Kindergarten Meet & Greet



State Testing for this year starts **May 7** for 3rd- 8th grade.

- ✓ Be Rested
- ✓ Be On time
- ✓ Be full of healthy food
- ✓ Be ready to Rock! ☺

Courage

To be courageous...requires no exceptional qualifications, no magic formula, and no special combination of time, place, and circumstances. It is an opportunity that sooner or later is presented to us all.

John F. Kennedy in *Profiles in Courage*

Our Character Trait focus for May is courage.

- ❖ It takes courage to try something new.
- ❖ It takes courage to follow your convictions.
- ❖ It takes courage to try again after failure.
- ❖ It takes courage to ask for help.
- ❖ It takes courage to reach out to someone new.
- ❖ It takes courage to face obstacles and challenges with determination.

What kinds of things would you like your child to have the courage to do in life? What experiences would you like them to try? Who do you know that has shown courage and could be a role model?

Some thoughts for your day,

Mrs. Simpson Principal, Rio Seco School



**I can BEE
COURAGEOUS**

**by facing difficult
situations head-on.**

FROM OUR PTSA

Welcome to Rio Seco's 2018-19 PTSA board members ~

President~ Emily McMackin

Executive VP ~ Kristen Dare

VP of Membership ~ Nora Huys

VP of Programs ~ Sonia White

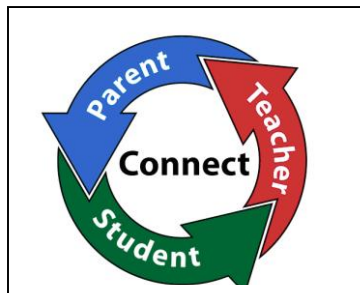
VP of Ways and Means ~ Brianna Grey

Treasurer ~ Lauren Gaines

Secretary ~ April Stuart

Auditor ~ Brittney Price

Historian ~ Tina Westergren



We've already started the planning for fun new activities and events for next year. We do have a few openings for Committee Chairs if anyone is interested in getting involved and joining the fun! Contact Emily at emcmackin@cox.net for more information.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.
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Rio Seco School Site Council

We have openings for parents and community members on our School Site Council next year. We would like you to join us! *What does the School Site Council do?*

- Share ideas regarding being the best school we can be.
- Hear about the latest student activities, facility upgrades, and staff announcements.
- Commit to one hour every other month (only 4 meetings total)
- Monitor the school's plan for school achievement and budget
- Feel good about the fact that "research shows that parents who show interest in their child's school, have children who value school and learning"

Please call the school office at 619-956-5500 or send in a note with your child if you are interested. PLEASE PRINT ☺

My name is _____

Phone# _____ Email _____

My child's name is _____. Child's Grade: _____