

September 8, 2017

Good afternoon Tiger Families, this is Mrs. Weddle, Principal of your River Bend Middle School with the weekly announcements.

We've had a wonderful start to our school year and I appreciate all the support you have given our staff. Thank you so much. Please talk to your children about the differences between RBMS and their former school. Specifically ask them about our circle processes. It's a great way to build relationships. Ask them to do one with your family. In my house, it has become a family favorite.

We are still in need of extra school supplies and umbrellas. If you have extras, please send them in! We will make good use of them.

As Hurricane Irma approaches, please make sure to monitor local news sites for any school closures or delays.

Congratulations to our athletes who were selected for our Fall Sports. To all the athletes who tried out, we thank you for your participation. We strongly encourage all of you to try out for other sports. Remember, Michael Jordan didn't make the basketball team in middle school. The most important thing is to continue to have Growth Mindset now and in the future.

Parents, if your child is military connected, please complete the form given to your child in Homeroom. State law requires we identify those students with parents who are actively serving or who have retired from military service.

September 21st we will hold our first Open House from 6-8 p.m. This is a time for you to meet the teachers, learn about the curriculum and basically find out what it is like to be your child. We look forward to seeing you all there.

If you are having transportation issues, please call and report them to 9198053030. Leave a message or you can send an electronic form through our transportation department which is listed on our website.

Parents, I am seeking a parent representative to meet four times per year with our School Board Advisory group. For more information or if you are interested, please email me at: sweddle@wcpss.net.

Thank you for your attention. These messages will appear on our website, Twitter, and Facebook. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.