



RAMAPO HIGH SCHOOL WEEKLY BULLETIN



OCTOBER 19 – OCTOBER 23, 2020

Monday, October 19	Tuesday, October 20	Wednesday, October 21	Thursday, October 22	Friday, October 23
A2 Day	B2 Day	A1 Day	B1 Day	A2 Day

Thought for the week from S.A.D.D.: Alcohol use remains extremely widespread among today’s teenagers. Nearly three quarters of students (72%) have consumed alcohol (more than just a few sips) by the end of high school, and more than a third (37%) have done so by eighth grade.

SHARE THE KEYS 2020

Attention

All Ramapo H.S. and Indian Hills H.S. Sophomore Parents and Guardians

Did you know?

- * Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of **death** and disability to teens in New Jersey?
- * Seat belt use among teens is the lowest for any age group?
- * Teen crashes are most often the result of inexperience, distraction, following too closely, failure to yield to other vehicles or pedestrians and speeding.
- * More male drivers than female drivers are involved in teen crashes?

These facts are alarming. The Ramapo-Indian Hills Health and Physical Education Departments want to be proactive in reducing these statistics and helping our students to be safe, defensive drivers in our community.

We are bringing *Share the Keys* to both Ramapo High School and Indian Hills High School Via Zoom!

Share the Keys is a research-based, data-driven orientation designed to reduce teen driver crash risks by increasing parental involvement.

We are providing the opportunity for ALL of our Sophomores to virtually come to this presentation with at least ONE of their parents or guardians.

Click the Date you Prefer to sign into the Zoom Presentation.



[Wednesday, October 21 – 7pm](#)

OR

[Thursday, October 22 – 7pm](#)


The program will begin with the *Share the Keys* presentation, facilitated by Pat McCormick. Please mark your calendar and join us virtually for this special presentation. We look forward to seeing you on Zoom at this acclaimed program and hope that the knowledge that you and your child gain will be significant in helping them to become safe, defensive drivers and will offer you a series of practices to help them in this quest.

SENIOR SHIRTS – This year our Senior Shirt sale is completely virtual! Click the link below to purchase your Senior shirt, and if you’d like a Ramapo mask, go for it! Proceeds go to benefit the class of 2021. The store will be open till November 1st.
<https://pateamstores.com/collections/ramapo-seniors>

	<p>WINTER SPORTS FORMS Winter Sports Forms are DUE by Monday, November 9th to the Nurses’ Office! All forms should be placed in a sealed envelope with your name and the name of the sport.</p> <p>Adherence to the Due Date ensures you are cleared by our District Doctor in time to participate. Please note ALL athletes must be cleared by our District Doctor, <u>NO EXCEPTIONS.</u></p>	
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BOWLING – The Ramapo Boys and Girls Bowling teams will be having an interest meeting on Tuesday, October 20th at 2:40 pm. Coach Jaeger and Coach Laner look forward to seeing you there.
Meeting ID: 944 5639 3960. Passcode: 867540
<https://zoom.us/j/94456393960?pwd=S012Q0Z4ODB3K29PSVpRVDMxRG51UT09>



	<p>GIRLS FENCING TEAM – Interested in Fencing? Come to a Zoom meeting to find out all about it on Wednesday, October 21st at 8:00 pm. Interested students should send an email to ram.girls.fencing@rih.org including their name, grade and rih email address.</p>
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CLASS OF 2021 - INSTANT DECISION DAYS – The Guidance Department is excited to announce that we will be hosting Virtual **Instant Decision Days** this fall for students in our senior class.

The following schools will be participating:

- Michigan State – November 2nd
- William Paterson University – November 9th
- Ramapo College – November 10th
- Rider University – November 11th
- Montclair State University – November 12th
- Fairleigh Dickinson University – November 17th
- Bergen Community College – December 2nd
- New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT) – December 4th
- Roger Williams University – Date Pending
- Seton Hall University – Date Pending
- Sacred Heart University – Interviews Only

Please indicate your interest in participating in Instant Decision Day here: <https://forms.gle/WT2LGcy51dxHs18N8>
You must be logged into your student school email to submit the form.

Your counselor will reach out to you following submission of this form to discuss the details of what documentation will be needed by the respective college and/or academic requirements for students to be eligible to participate.

COLLEGE VISITATION FORMS: College visitation forms can be found in the Guidance section of our website. These are for Juniors and Seniors only.

https://ramapo.rih.org/UserFiles/Servers/Server_238319/File/District/Guidance/16-17/College%20Visit%20Form%20district.pdf

The **Cultural Diversity Awareness Club** is celebrating **Hispanic Heritage Month!**



As part of the celebration and recognition of how important food is to ANY culture, please consider ordering some delicious food from Blue Moon in Wyckoff on Monday, October 19th. This local restaurant will be donating **20%** of the cost of the meal(s) to CDA as a fundraising endeavor. Please show or reference the attached flyer.

Feed your mind, feed your bellies and support local business!

[Why Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month?](#)

<https://sites.ed.gov/hispanic-initiative/2019/09/top-8-reasons-why-and-how-we-celebrate-hispanic-heritage-month/>

[What is Hispanic Heritage Month?](#)

<https://time.com/4943371/what-is-hispanic-heritage-month/>

[The Library of Congress](#)

<https://www.hispanicheritagemonth.gov/about/>

NHS TUTORING CENTER – Having trouble in one of your classes? Need additional help? The NHS Tutoring Center is now open! Feel free to send an email to a.belov21@student.rih.org or ramaponhs2021@gmail.com to schedule extra help and be matched with one of our many excellent NHS tutors.

FRENCH CLUB MEETING – Join us for our first French Club membership meeting on Thursday, October 22nd at 2:40 pm via Zoom. The Zoom link and access code to the French Club site are posted on Schoology (Access Code is: 46TB-5Q5F-BZZ8X). We will also have a French Culture Quiz Bowl. Zoom in for some fun – all are welcome. Bring a friend! Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/92051301262?pwd=NUtWNTdlZXI4TXB1Vkplc3RSeXZsQT09>
Meeting ID: 920 5130 1262. Passcode: 123675 À plus, Madame Tombalakian French Teacher & Club Advisor

Video Game Club – We will be hosting a session of the very new **Jackbox Party Pack 7** on Wednesday, October 21st at 2:45 pm. Come up with quirky answers to the prompts in **Quiplash 3**; work together doing daily life tasks to score big in **The Devils and the Details**; draw up your fighter to enter the ring in **Champ'd Up**; deliver a comical presentation with no practice in **Talking Points**; guess the topic with only visual clues in **Blather Round!** If you want to check out these new games added to the Jackbox Collection, make sure to come and join the Schoology group for more information. New members are always welcome! [8537B-XHNR7](#)