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Official Newsletter for the River Rouge School District

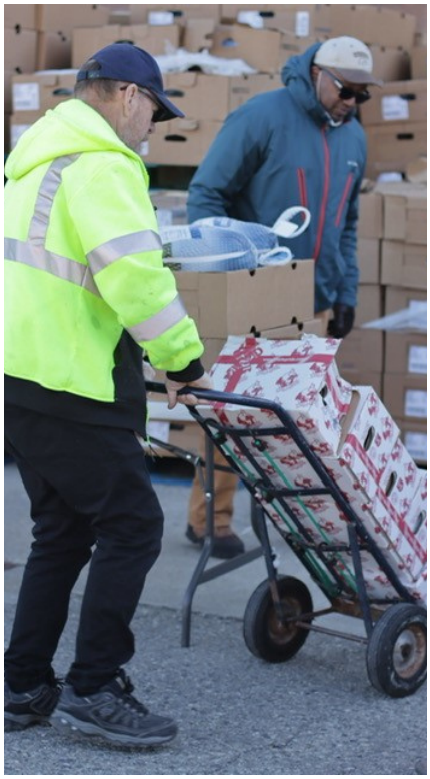
District Happenings

The Annual Fall Festival and Trunk or Treat was held together on October 27th at Ann Visger Preparatory Academy. Our students and the community enjoyed the animals at the Exotic Zoo, Halloween Treats & a Halloween Costume Contest.

On October 28th, world renowned trick dog, Leonard along with his trainer, Theresa, set a new Guinness Book World Record for the most dunks made by a dog. Students from RRHS, Stem, and AV participated in this exciting event.

District Happenings

River Rouge administrators and community partners passed out over 2500 turkeys with all the trimmings to our families and the community at the annual All-Star Giveback Turkey Drive held on November 23rd.



District Happenings

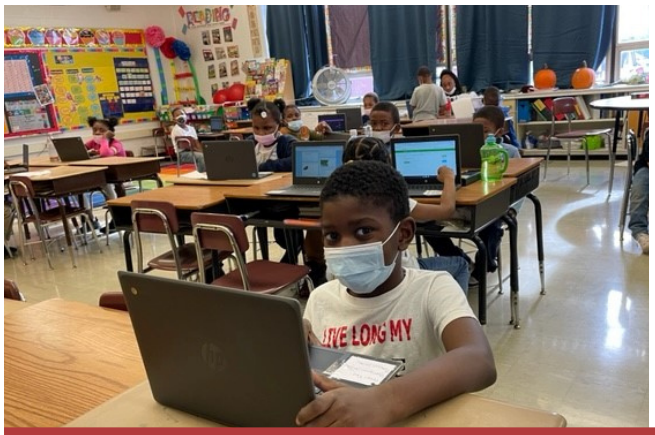
Thank you to Governor Gretchen Whitmer for participating in the All-Star Giveback Turkey Drive.

Ann Visger Preparatory Academy

Principal German and The Steele Family at Parent Teacher Conference on 10/13/21.

Staff Members welcoming Parents at Parent Teacher Conference on 10/13/21.

Mrs. Flynn's kindergarten class heading to recess.



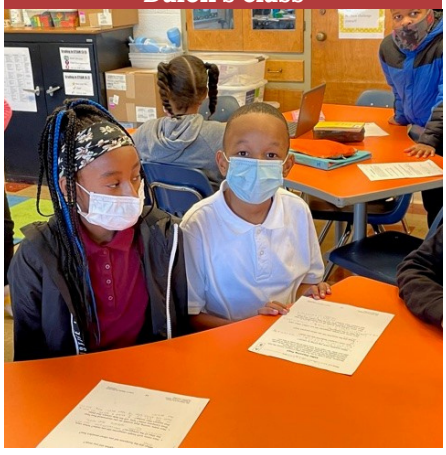
Mrs. Brown's 2nd Grade Students are eager, attentive and ready to learn.

STEM ACADEMY AT DUNN

STEM Students enjoyed a wonderful field trip to Wiard's Orchards & Country Fair on October 8th.

Students practicing for the Academic Games, which challenge students to use a higher order thinking skills in mathematics, language arts and social studies.

Students working on assignment in Ms. Dalen's class



Sabbath Middle School

River Rouge's Middle School Football and Cheer Teams

The Lara Family being greeted by Principal Thomas at Parent Conference.

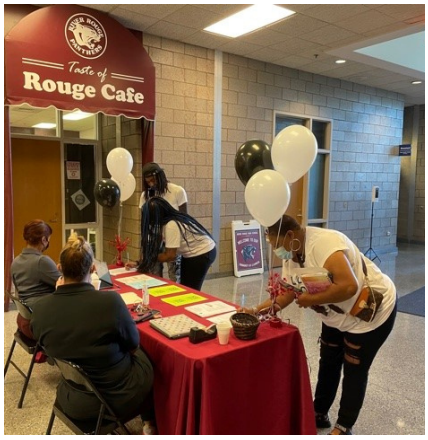
Ms. Luie and the Smith Family at Parent Teacher Conference.

Ms. Bowling meeting with the Jet Family during Parent Conference held on 10/13/21.

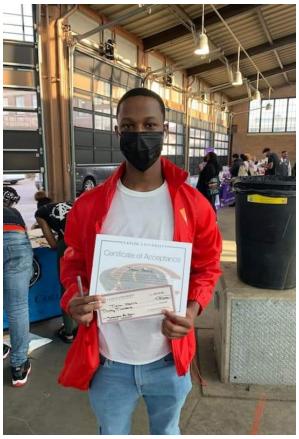
The Burns Family at Parent Teacher Conference.

RIVER ROUGE HIGH SCHOOL

Parents and Teachers discussing students' academic performance and progress at Parent Teacher Conferences on October 13th.



RRHS students attended the Infinite Scholars Program Fair on October 14th. This program provides access to the resources, guidance, and funding necessary to successfully further their education.



Art work from Mr. Jordan's Emerging Artists Class

**RRHS Homecoming Parade was held on 10/22/21.
Our annual Homecoming parade brings our
community together to
showcase our school spirit each fall.**

Mayor of River Rouge
Mike Bowdler

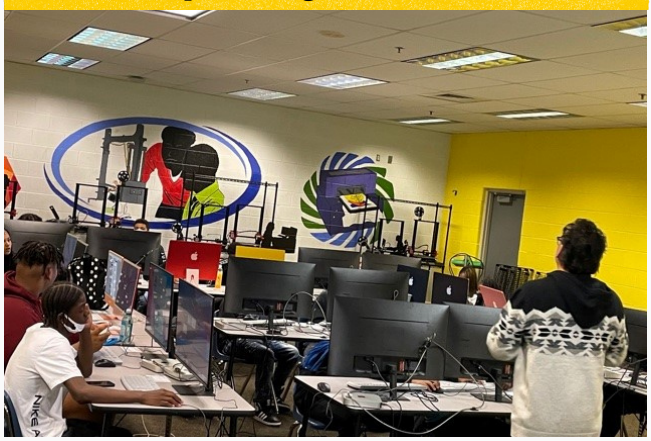
META
Make-Enterprise-Teach-Achieve

21st Century Learning Labs where students not only learn essential skills, but where they also proactively prepare for successful futures.

Students learning how to edit videos from Mr. Wright at STEM Academy.

Mr. White teaching a Graphic Design Class at RRHS

Ms. Thomas interacting with her students in the Broadcast Media Computer Lab at Ann Visger



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