



**February 10, 2012**

### **Teacher of the Year Award**

Congratulations to Dawn Goodloe for being selected as RNE Teacher of the Year! Mrs. Goodloe has taught at Roswell North for the past 18 years in grades Pre-K, Kindergarten and Second Grade. She enjoys incorporating and using innovative technology in the classroom to capture the children's full attention. RNE is very proud of Dawn for making a difference in the lives of children.

### ***Rookie Teacher of the Year***

Congratulations to Jennifer Crawford for being selected as RNE Rookie Teacher of the Year. Mrs. Crawford teaches third grade and last year taught in our PRE-K program. We are very proud to have her represent our school and the third grade team. Jennifer dedicates a lot of time to her teaching and planning, while also taking care of her 9 month old daughter, Charlotte, and her husband, Officer Brandon Crawford. She is a great addition to our school and RNE is lucky to have her. Congratulations Jennifer!!

### ***Professional of the Year***

Congratulations to Mrs. Glynda Edwards, Special Education assistant, for being selected as RNE Professional of the Year! Glynda is not a new face to RNE. Although this is Glynda's second year at RNE, she has been with FCBOE for 7 years. Glynda is an important part of RNE and we are so happy to have her!

We would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the TOTY committee: Linda Maples, TOTY 09-10, Suzie Consoer, TOTY 10-11, Martha Powell, TOTY 11-12, John Hannah, Dad's Club Representative, Julie Eck, PTA Co-President, Karen Braddy, RNEEF President, and Justin from Mathnasium, Business Partner. This committee worked diligently to observe, interview and evaluate all the candidates. It was not an easy task and we appreciate their time.

*Special thanks to our business partners and local businesses that provided fantastic gifts for all of our winners. Please support these businesses whenever you can. They truly do so much for our school! Salon de la Vie, Mathnasium, Loan South on Canton Street, Chick-Fil-A @ Roswell Town Center, Crabapple Tutoring, CiCi's Pizza, Zaxby's, Roswell Pediatric Dentistry, Carpet Depot, Barkers Red Hots, Thirty-One Gifts with Lauren Wagner, Roswell Budokan, Bruce McGehee (parent) and The Chandlery.*

### **Valentine's Day – next Tuesday, 2/14**

This is a reminder that we only have two parties per year....Winter holiday and the end of the year. We do not have Valentine's Day parties or activities. We appreciate you respecting the teachers instructional time.

## **Zaxby's Spirit Night!**

Mark your calendars now to join your RNE friends for a Spirit Night at Zaxby's on Woodstock Road on Monday, February 13th, 3 pm - 9 pm. Fifteen percent of all *inside* sales will be paid back to Roswell North to purchase supplies, etc. So have some great chicken, visit with your friends, and help the school out, all at the same time! Be sure to come inside, even if you're ordering take-out, as drive-through sales don't count. Also please sign in, as there will be a prize for the class with the highest percentage participation. Will that be your class?!

## **Dates for BOOSTERTHON events have changed!!**

Previously, the Pep Rally was scheduled for FEB 21st with the Fun Run on MARCH 1st. Those dates are cancelled. THE CORRECTED DATES ARE as follows: March 19th---PEP RALLY and March 28th---FUN RUN!

## **RNE has a very active Facebook page**

It was started almost 3 years ago and now up to 245 members and has lots of great dialogue about the school, announcements, etc.

Check out RNE's facebook page -- it is open to anyone who considers themselves a fan of RNE.

<http://www.facebook.com/#!/groups/54724697881/>

## **Keep clipping those Box Tops!**

The winter Box Top challenge ends Wednesday, February 15th. Turn in your trimmed box tops to your teacher in a baggie with your name, teacher name, and # of box tops clearly marked on the front. The winning class will be announced soon!

Also, Publix is hosting a contest to win 100,000 box tops for our school. See

details:<http://www.southernsavers.com/2012/02/publix-win-100000-boxtops-for-your-school/>

## **SHOW YOUR RNE SPIRIT!**

During the months of February, March and April there will be a spirit wear competition. Make sure to wear your RNE spirit wear every Friday. The spirit wear committee will pick one Friday each month, and the classroom with the most spirit wear worn will win a prize...even your teacher! Each month the Friday chosen will be a surprise, so make sure to wear your spirit wear every Friday! Last year, kids won a variety of spirit wear goodies and their lucky teachers won gift certificates to local restaurants and other goodies.

If you or your child need some new spirit wear we have lots of great shirts and jackets for sale. The form can be found on the school website under the PTA tab.

*submitted by Kristin Tornow [ktornow@liquifile.com]*

## **February is Salon de le Vie month!**

Looking for a new look? Need a great new cut or color? Go see the awesome staff of Salon de la Vie and they will take care of all of your beauty needs. The best part is 10% of your service will come back to RNE! Make sure you tell them you are a RNE family when you book your appointment. This is a great way to get beautiful and help out our school.

## **Spring Soiree**

RNEEF is in need of volunteers for the Spring Soiree that is coming up in April! If you are available to help with this fun event, please contact Angela Bryant via email at [randelab@gmail.com](mailto:randelab@gmail.com).

*submitted by Angela Bryant [randelab@gmail.com]*

## **Health & Wellness Committee**

Please follow this committee on RNE's website for tips and recipes.

## **School Bus Delays**

Occasionally there may be an incident when your child's bus may be running late. Click here to view all school bus information--- [http://www.fulton.k12.ga.us/addapage.asp?page=/dept/transport/delay\\_selectsch.asp](http://www.fulton.k12.ga.us/addapage.asp?page=/dept/transport/delay_selectsch.asp)

*submitted by Front Office staff*

## **Media Center**

The Media Center is Open Late each Thursday from 4-6 p.m. Students and families are welcome to use the computer database for homework, AR testing, find a book for a project or just for sheer reading pleasure. All students must be

accompanied by an adult.

*submitted by Martha Powell*

### **Deadline is Feb. 15 for Hardship Transfer applications**

Applications are available beginning today for parents who wish to apply for a 2012-13 hardship transfer or to renew a current hardship to another Fulton elementary, middle or high school. Parents can use an online form, available through the "Parents" section of the school system's web site, to enter their information and then print it to obtain signatures and/or supporting documentation. Although using the online form will expedite processing time, applications also can be picked up at all schools as well as at the Fulton County Schools Administrative Center.

The deadline for submitting a transfer application is Feb. 15, 2012, by 4:30 p.m., with no exceptions or extensions granted. All requests must be received or postmarked by this date and time. Applications can be sent by mail, fax or hand-delivery to:

Fulton County Schools' Student Assignment Office

c/o Meadows Operations Center

5270 Northfield Blvd.

College Park, GA 30349

404-763-5546 fax

In addition, school system employees who have children receiving an employee hardship transfer must renew their request through the Student Assignment office. Instead of employees submitting an employee verification letter from their school or location, this year the Human Resources Department will verify employment directly with the Student Assignment office.

The Feb. 15 deadline applies to students and parents seeking a hardship transfer for medical reasons, curriculum differences, and child care situations or for employees' children. Schools participating in Open Enrollment, (a separate transfer process that allows students to move to a school with available space); will be announced in early May.

Parents with questions or who need more information about hardship transfers can contact the Fulton County Schools' Student Assignment Office at 404-763-5550 or visit [www.fultonschools.org/studentassignment](http://www.fultonschools.org/studentassignment).

### **5th Grade Transition to Middle School dates**

- Friday, February 24, 2012 @ 9 am (CMS)--PTA Parent to Parent Coffee (Location CMS Café)
- Wednesday, March 7, 2012 @ 9 am (CMS)--Spring Open House – 9 am – 9:30 am (Location = CMS Café), 9:30 – 11:30 – 6th grade walk-through of CMS
- Monday, March 26 – Wednesday, March 28 @ 9 am – 12 pm (CMS)--PTA Parent Tours of CMS

### **Illustrated Poem Contest for Kids Grades K-12**

The Georgia Section of the American Chemical Society (ACS) is sponsoring an illustrated poem contest on "Rethinking Recycling" for students in Kindergarten - 12th grade. Deadline is March 16, 2012. Each age category winner will receive a \$50 prize and award certificate. Winners of the Georgia Section illustrated poem contest will advance to the ACS National Illustrated Poem Contest with prizes of \$300 (1st place) or \$150 (2nd place)!

<http://chemistry.gsu.edu/ACS/EarthDay/poem2012flyer.pdf>

### **Kohl's Cares Scholarship Program**

Kohl's honors young volunteers who have made a positive impact on their communities. This year, Kohl's will award more than 2,200 kids with over \$440,000 in scholarships and prizes. Top winners will receive \$10,000 each for postsecondary education. Learn more at: [www.Kohlskids.com](http://www.Kohlskids.com)

Upcoming Dates

February 13 <sup>th</sup>	Zaxby's Night 3-9 pm
February 13 <sup>th</sup>	Student Council meeting 2:45-4 pm
February 15 <sup>th</sup>	Oratorical Practice
February 17 <sup>th</sup> and 20 <sup>th</sup>	School Holiday – NO SCHOOL
February 21 <sup>st</sup>	Linda Schultz, FCBOE Board Member, District 1 Community Meeting – Mimosa Elementary 9:30 a.m.
February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Oratorical Contest 7 p.m. Media Center

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 Salon de la Vie  
 CiCi's Pizza  
 Mathnasium  
 Barker's Red Hots

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