

From the Desk of the Principal

To: RMES Parents & Guardians

Date: November 11, 2024

Re: Fundraising Updates & Reminders, Wk.5, 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter

**Thank you RMES Parents & Guardians:** Thank you for planning and executing an amazing 2024 Multicultural Food Fair and culture celebration! We greatly appreciate everything that each and every one of you did to make the day a success. Special thanks to those who volunteered to lead their culture groups and collaborated with our H&S leader to ensure planning, promotion, and coordination of the event flowed smoothly. Your generous and invaluable contribution of time, talent, money, delicious food, as well as your attendance made a HUGE difference in achieving our goal, which is raising funds for worthy students through the PFE student scholarship program.

**Thank You, Kimberly:** None of this would be possible without your dedicated leadership as Home & School leader. On behalf of RMES parents, faculty, staff, and students, THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF OUR HEARTS! Please know that we value your attention to detail and noted your tireless efforts to foster our vision for continuous quality improvement at RMES. You inspire and motivate us to not only be involved but to do our part. May God richly bless you. If you are new to our school community, we hope that this event helped affirm RMES commitment to diversity and inclusion and creating a culture where everyone experiences a sense of belonging. Hope you did!

### **Bike-a-thon / Walk-a-thon and Multicultural Fair Updates:**

#### **Bike-a-thon / Walk-a-thon**

- The report on the Bike/Walk-a-thon is in. Our students have biked/walked a combined total of 537 miles. As of Thursday (11/7/24) funds turned in for the fundraiser was \$8,221.50. Thank you to each of you and your students for the support of this event.

As promised, the class that raised the most funds per student will receive a pizza party. This year the winning class is Mrs. Horton's first grade! So far, that class has turned-in \$2,924 or an average of \$112.46 per student. We are so proud of them! Congratulations, Mrs. Horton & Grade 1 students! Thanks for all you do to support RMES!

#### **Multicultural Fair:**

- Thanks to all who donated funds and grocery items, cooked, decorated, set up, cleaned up, and purchased tickets today. You made our Multicultural Fair a huge success! God blessed with a supportive team, perfect weather, and great attendance. Look for more information from our Home & School leader regarding funds raised from Ticket sales. Thanks for your valued contribution!

**RMES Grow Group:** Our RMES/PMC Grow Group continue to meet at the school every Thursday at 8:15 am. Please consider joining the group to pray for our children. In addition, you can submit to Linda Strong or me any special prayer request for your student or yourself. You can do so in writing or in person.

**RMES Prayer Calendar:** We continue to pray for our students one child at a time, each day. **On the Prayer Calendar this week (11/10) – 11/16** are: Esther (6), -Matthew (7), -Laila (1), -Daniella (7), -Maison (4), -Bryce(6).

### Dates for Upcoming Events for November & December:

- November 27-29
- Thanksgiving Break
- November 15
- Southern Adventist University Concert at HPAC
- December 5
- Strong Tower Radio Visit
- December 11-18
- Caroling at Apple Valley (times will vary by grade)
- December 13<sup>th</sup>                      Grade Science Museum
- December 14                      RMES Choir at PMC Kids Christmas Sabbath
- December 16                      Bands & Orchestra Christmas Concerts at HPAC
- December 18                      Vocal & Bells Christmas Concert at HPAC
- December 20                      End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter
- December 23 -January 3              Christmas Break
- January 6                              School Reopens

*“For we are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus. 27 For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ. 28 There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus.” Galatians 3:26-29*

In His service,

Dr. Savory