



## RNN - Reed Network News

### 2016-2017, Week of October 24 - SPIRIT Dress Up Wk

## Principal's Letter

Greetings Walter Reed Families!

On Friday the 21st I announced on the PA morning announcements that our school would lose our librarian, the Title 1/SLC Coordinator, bi-lingual aides in the classroom, field trips, school materials and teacher professional development for next year because we are short of meeting our 50% school-wide eligibility goal of Title 1 status. Perhaps you are one of the 30 families that need to fill out a meal application! It is confidential and can be done online or we can assist with a paper application in our parent center or our Title 1 office. Your family size, household, income, and Social Security number information will remain confidential and will not be shared for any purpose. Our school deadline was Friday but the District cut-off is Monday the 24th. If we do not meet the 50% or more Title 1 eligibility, then we will lose close to \$400,000.00 dollars in Federal funding, which pays for our librarian, coordinator, and the many other resources I mentioned.

**Please help us with this urgent request by going to [www.myschoolapps.com](http://www.myschoolapps.com) and complete an meal application online or call us at 818-487-7600 and ask for the Title 1 office.** We will drive any received paper applications to the District Central office downtown at Beaudry at 2:00 pm tomorrow. Please share this important and urgent message with your friends and families of Walter Reed and I thank you in advance for your support of our school.

Speaking of school support, thank you to the families and students who came out this morning for our campus beautification. Ms. Sofio and members of the National Junior Honors Society helped with other student and family volunteers to rake, sweep, plant, and give a face lift to our school campus. All students will be reminded to participate in keeping our campus a clean and safe environment. Every bit of effort helps! We look forward to scheduling some future school beautification dates that will include some painting and murals!

We look forward to seeing you soon, and remember, I never fail; I either succeed or I learn.

Jeanne Gamba  
Principal, Walter Reed Middle School  
O: 818-487-7600, F: 818-766-9069

[Centro de Padres - Rm 106 10-24-16](#)

Esperamos verle pronto, y recordemos, Yo nunca fallo; Yo tengo éxito o Yo aprendo.

October is College Awareness Month  
Every Friday in October is College T-Shirt/Sweatshirt Day (with uniform bottoms.)

**Spirit Week is October 24 - 31 and we have theme dress up each day:**

[Flyer List: List for Halloween Spirit Week Dress Up](#)

**10/24 - Monday - Onesie/Flannel Pajama Day:**

Onesies - MUST wear school appropriate shoes - Sweatpants are ok with T-Shirts/Sweatshirts - Flannel pants and/or shirts okay - No short shorts or spaghetti strap tops permitted - No slippers! No Blankets!

**10/25 - Tuesday - Twin Dress-up Day:**

Dress-up with a friend(s) in identical outfits - You Must receive a wristband with your Twin(s) at 7:45 AM before school in the C-Arcade or from your Period 1/Homeroom Teacher, if you share the same class.

**10/26 - Wednesday - Super Hero/ Villain Dress-up Day:**

**10/27 - Thursday - Favorite Decade Day** - Choose your looks, i.e. 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's . . .

Dress-up as your favorite Super Hero or Villain from a Cartoon and/or Comic Book, Capes are ok,

No masks of any kind, No replica/plastic weapons, School appropriate shoes, Headbands are ok

**10/28 - Friday - Career Dress up** - Your dream career i.e. doctor, lawyer, police officer, banker, musician,

professional athlete, etc or your favorite College/University attire. MUST BE SCHOOL APPROPRIATE!!!!

**10/31/16 - Monday - Halloween - Costume Dress up Day**

- No masks of any kind - No Clown Costumes and/or Make-Up - No Weapons or Replica Weapons of any kind

- All Costumes must be appropriate and safe for school. -

(Must follow District Guidelines for Halloween Bulletin 5298.2)



## REED'S GOT TALENT SHOW

**Students & Teachers**

**- We need your ART ! -**

The Art Show Exhibition before the Talent Show is in need of your visual art to be on display before, during and after the Show.

It can be any piece of art that you created that you are proud of:

painting, drawing, collage, clay, poetry, photography, woodworking, and more!

**ARTWORK DUE October 25th**

Please bring your artwork to Ms. Szymanski's room #217 ([with the Art Submission Form](#))

Questions? Email Ms. Szymanski at [skiluna@aol.com](mailto:skiluna@aol.com)

WE INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THE ART SHOW EXHIBIT AND TALENT SHOW ON

**OCTOBER 28, 2016**

5:00pm: Art Show and great Food | Talent Show Curtain: 7:00 pm  
Bring your friends and family! See you there!

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We would love to have your help on our biggest fundraiser!

**Please volunteer or donate food items to sell.**

It's simple and easy to do!

- 1) Click this Talent Show Help link: <http://signup.com/go/SoUoK6>
- 2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like - then just HIT SAVE (TOP RIGHT)
- 3) Sign up is Easy - you will receive reminder emails but you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on SignUp.com

**SEE YOU FRIDAY for REED's GOT TALENT!**

**CARE Mondays are back at REED!**

Collect recyclables and bring them on Monday

HELP REED BY RECYCLING BEVERAGE CONTAINERS EVERY MONDAY!

**CARE** Every  
**MONDAY**  
7:00 - 8:00 am  
Drop Off All Year Long

**Walter Reed CARE Monday**

On Monday mornings, drop off your recyclables in our drop off gate on Sarah Street

**PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:**

- Nothing to purchase and nothing to sell
- No need to separate or sort
- No need to go to recycling facility
- Quick and simple way to raise money for our school
- Easy way to save the Environment

**ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:**

- Clear Plastic Bottles (water, clear cold starbuck drink cups, windes, soda, handsoap, gatorade, etc.)
- Aluminum Cans (soda, energy drinks, etc.)
- Clear Produce Containers (strawberry, lettuce, raspberry, grapes, etc.)

Any clear plastic with this logo.

**YES**

**NO**

**Prohibited Materials:**

- Plastic cups of any kind (coffee, soda, cold beverage etc.)
- LDPE Film (trash bags, grocery store bags, Newspaper, etc.)
- Styrofoam, food Plastic containers and food waste
- HDPE bottles (milk or juice containers)
- **NO GLASS CONTAINERS**

If you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer, contact:  
LIDIA DELMA AYERONICA GONZALEZ.  
caremonday@gmail.com

mornings to Sarah gate.  
Help us raise money for our school. The bin holds 400 kitchen garbage bags which equals \$400 dollars for our school, if every student brings in a bag every Monday we could potentially raise over \$6,000 dollars or more - WOW . . .

So stand up REED families and start the recycle movement to help the environment and your child's school at the same time!



## Reed After School Enrichment

- Session 2 Classes will be available soon!  
FREE MATH TUTORING will be Wednesdays

- Session 2 Classes begin October 31st, Pick-up at Colfax Gate after class.
- New classes: Animal Invasion, Chess, more Robotics and Coding
- Tuesdays continue with Gourmet Cooking & also Speech & Debate
- Return Applications to RASE BOX in the Main Office.
- TIME STAMP your application in the Attendance Office.
- Class Planning - If you have a class idea or request, please send us a message.
- Vendors require minimum number of students to operate a class
- Families will receive email confirmation for your class.
- Updates and INFO can be found in Parent Center, Rm 106, or email questions: [RASE@reedms.com](mailto:RASE@reedms.com)

[Calendar- Session 2 Update Link to follow](#) - [Descriptions for Session 2 to follow](#) - [Application](#)



## REED Spelling Bee Club

is Thursdays after school 3:15pm to 4:15pm

Come to Rm 133 in the C-Arcade

All Grades Welcome!!!

See our Coordinator, Ms. Krivda, for questions.



Mathcounts is HERE!!!

EVERY FRIDAY 3:10 - 4:10 Room 114

COME MEET CAL TECH COACHES.... JALEX and BELLA

FUN!! GAMES!!! SNACKS!!! CHALLENGE!!! NEW FRIENDS!

Support Friends Of REED General Fund with an Annual Giving Donation!



We need 100% participation and our goal is to raise  
\$100 or more per student for support & enrichment activities

[Donation Form Here](#) - [DONATE Online Here](#)

- Where Our Funding Goes



# ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN

Friends of Reed  
Supporting Walter Reed Middle School

## Create Possibilities

Campus Technology - Capital Projects - Educational Enrichment - Staff Support



**100% PARTICIPATION NEEDED - GIVE NOW!**  
Our Goal is to raise \$100 per student for support and enrichment this year

**DONATE**

1. Return donation to your Period 1 class in September OR Annual Giving Box in the Main Office all year
2. Donate Online: [www.reedms.com](http://www.reedms.com)
3. Find businesses to match our fundraising dollars

Annual Giving Contributions are 100% Tax Deductible

Email: [Donate@FriendsOfReed.com](mailto:Donate@FriendsOfReed.com) or Visit us: [www.ReedMS.com](http://www.ReedMS.com)  
425 Irvine Avenue - North Hollywood - CA - 91602 / (818) 421-7900 - NON-PROFIT 501-C-3

(Return this tear-off with your donation)

Our donation: \$25 \$50 \$75 **\$100** or more ... \$250 \$500 Other: \_\_\_\_\_ x 10 months (teq. - fund)

Our recurring monthly donation Online or enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Checks Payable to: Friends of Reed

Direct a portion of our donation to the following SLC or funding area:  
Share 10% 25% 50% 75% with \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Payments: on our website [www.reedms.com](http://www.reedms.com) or please print authorization info below and return to itm: 106:  
Donor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: / / / Period: 1 floor: \_\_\_\_\_ Card Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ AND BILLBOARD, VISA, AMEX, Expire: / / CSC #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Provide email for receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

# Friends Of Reed

Where do our fundraising dollars go?  
Here's some of our work at REED the past 7 years:

- 10 new campus tech servers
  - 100+ student computers
  - 40+ staff computers
  - Over 75 monitors & wiring
  - 20 printers & 20 projectors
  - 1,500 chairs
  - 25 folding tables
  - 12 pop-up tents
  - 5 storage cabinets
  - Stock toners and ink
  - 280 computer batteries
  - Classroom furniture
  - 2 industrial carts, 2 dollies
  - Over \$10,000 software purchase
  - 250+ internal computer RAM upgrades
  - Poster maker + Laminator w/ supplies
  - 2 large commercial copy machines
  - 2 golf carts and battery systems + repairs
  - 2 full sized refrigerators + 3 microwaves
  - 30 small/20 large trash/18 recycle cans
- CURRENT WISH LIST INCLUDES:**  
CLASSROOM & CORE ENRICHMENT  
SPEAKERS, ASSEMBLIES, & FIELDTRIPS  
TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES: AUDITORIUM, LIBRARY, COMPUTER LABS & AV  
CAMPUS REAURATION & SEATING AREAS  
MORE VOLUNTEERS!
- Enrichment Opportunities & Tutoring Support
  - Field trip buses and Substitute Teacher funds
  - Student Council & Leadership Opportunities
  - Website redesign & maintenance
  - Multiple cases of class + office product
  - Assembly Support & Behavior Incentives
  - Event and program equipment rentals
  - Storage and office supplies
  - Over \$75,000 staff funding support for MicroTech, Parent Center, SLC Office, Nurse, Dean, Librarian
  - Music Department Support
  - PE Department Support and new gym mats
  - Cadets, Art & Culinary Department Support
  - Organization, event and fieldtrip insurance
  - Over \$10,000 in water & emergency supplies
  - Bulletin & Wipe Boards, Carpets
  - Garden & Cleaning Supplies, Classroom cleaning
  - 4 @ 20ft outdoor storage containers
  - School & Event Marketing and Banners
  - \$12,000 Library Support, and MORE!!!



Unifying our community through fundraising and service!

MATCH OUR FUNDRAISING DOLLARS IN EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT FOR REED!  
Create Possibilities!!!

Friends of Reed  
ANNUAL GIVING CAMPAIGN  
Walter Reed Middle School  
425 Irvine Avenue  
North Hollywood, CA 91602

Donate Today!

HELP US RAISE \$100 PER STUDENT IN SUPPORT & ENRICHMENT THIS YEAR!



Donate \$100 or more to earn a PAW PRINT on the WALL OF GIVING in our main Building this season!

## HIGHLIGHTS:

Spirit Week - Dress up Oct 24 through Oct 31  
Clean Out your Closets and Garages for our Rummage Collection Nov 3-5

[OCT 25- PTA / PTSA PARENT EDUCATION SERIES](#) - Free Workshop- Tuesday, October 25th, at 6:30pm in the Colfax auditorium (11724 Addison St at Colfax Ave) "Setting Limits: Resolving Misbehavior through Positive Connection & Correction". Speaker: Darlynn Childress. Free childcare.

[OCT 27 - TECH ACADEMY Parent & Student MEETING](#) moved to Thursday, October 27 at 6:30pm. (This replaces a meeting no longer on Nov 3.) Parents and students are welcome for a Pizza Talk and Planning session. Hear about our Halloween Party, upcoming Fieldtrips and help Technology academy plan for the year.

TECH Families: Please RSVP # of people coming - pepperoni or cheese pizza: [RNN@reedms.com](mailto:RNN@reedms.com)

[OCT 28 - REED's GOT TALENT Show - Friday, October 28.](#)

5Pm - FOOD & The Art Show is displayed before the show, and great FOOD options.

7pm - Showtime Curtain. Come cheer for your friends and our talented Reed students. We have a special closing act from the teachers too!

[OCT 31 - REED HALLOWEEN DANCE](#) - Buy Tickets in Advance at Girl's Gym \$5. Costume Contest, DJ Music, Food, Games, and tons of FUN! After school on October 31st from 3:15 to 5:30pm in the 2nd floor Gym.

[NOV 1 - The HABIT - Support REED at HABIT RESTAURANT](#) Fundraiser November 1st, 3pm to 10pm. Bring our flyer and tell then at the counter when you order your food. 20% comes back to Reed for our Fieldtrip Fundraising.

[NOV 3, 4 & 5 RUMMAGE COLLECTION](#)-REED Rummage and E-Waste Collection Nov. 3, 4, & 5.

**Clean out your closets and garages.** Donate yard sale type items - We collect goods but we don't sell. On Saturday, help us load the GOODWILL Trucks. The more we collect the more money we make! Every student is asked to bring at least 2 kitchen bags of stuff they can pass along. Tell your neighbors and co-workers too.

[REED MS Calendar - 2016-2017 \(pdf\)](#) - [View Google Calendar on our Website: www.reedms.com](#)

10/24/16	<a href="#">SPIRIT WEEK 10/24-10/31</a> - Different Theme Dress Up each day!	
10/26/16 6:00pm	Prospective Students & Parents Orientation	
10/27/16 3:15pm	Talent Show - Dress Rehearsal	Auditorium
10/28/16	College Shirt Day	
10/28/16	AAA Raffle - Students/Teachers	
10/28/16 5:00pm	Talent Show: Art Show & Food	Front Lawn
10/28/16 7:00pm	Reed's Got Talent Show - Curtain	Auditorium
10/31/16 3:15pm	Halloween Dance	Gym
11/1/16 3:00pm	Shared Decision Making Council Mtg	107
11/2/16 3:00pm	Music Rehearsals begin	147, 148, 154
11/3/16 6:30pm	Technology Parent Mixer	106
11/3/16 6:30pm	STEAM Parent Meeting	107
11/3/16 6:30pm	Culinary Parent Meeting	116
11/3/16 8:00am	Rummage & E-Waste Collection	Sarah Gate
11/4/16 8:00am	Rummage & E-Waste Collection	Sarah Gate
<b>11/4/16 8:00am</b>	<b>CAREER DAY &amp; College Awareness</b>	
11/4/16 12:32pm	Ice Cream Party Lunch - Chocolate Sale Participants	PE Pavilion
11/5/16 8:00am	Rummage & E-Waste Collection	Sarah Gate
11/7/16 6:00pm	Environmental Parent Meeting	106
11/7/16 7:00pm	IHP Parent Meeting	107
<b>11/8/16</b>	<b>Election Day</b>	
11/9/16 7:00pm	COMMUNITY Mtg-FOR & PTSA, SLCs	Cafeteria
11/10/16 8:00am	Wolf Den Meeting	Library
11/10/16 12:32pm	BINGO Lunch, Period 5, Chocolate Sale Winners	Gym
11/11/16	NO SCHOOL	
11/11/16 7:00pm	Humanities /FOHA Fall Parent Mixer	TBA
11/12/16	UCLA vs UofA "I'm Going to College"	
11/14/16	15 Week Progress Report	
11/15/16 8am	ELAC Meeting	106
11/15/16	In-N-Out Picnic Fieldtrip, Lunch+Per 5 & 6, Chocolate Sale Winners	
11/15/16 3:10pm	SSC Meeting	107

11/16/16	8:10am	FriendsOfReed/PTSA -SLC Leadership Mtg	
11/18/16		AAA Raffle - Students/Teachers	
11/18/16		TURKEY BOWL	
11/18/16	3:00pm	Pie Distribution - Music Dept.	Aud. Foyer
Nov 21-25		NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Week School Holiday	
Nov 28		Classes resume	

### Upcoming Community Fundraisers

#### [EARTH CANDLE SALE - Environmental Science Academy](#)

- Order Candles for Holiday Gifts, Friends, Family, Employers. Support Environmental Science

Academy. Info: [environmentalscienceacademy@gmail.com](mailto:environmentalscienceacademy@gmail.com) [Espanole /Spanish Flyer- Candles](#)



#### [POPCORNOPOLIS SALE - SAS](#)

[Community](#) - Order November for delivery. Specialty flavored popcorn support activities for the SAS classes activity planning for the year ahead.

December bags will and



**PIE SALES - Music Department** - Marie Calendar Pies being sold in November and delivered before our Thanksgiving Break! See a student, parent or teacher in the Music program.

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