



## RNN - Reed Network News For the Week of May 13, 2019

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### Principal's Message

Mensaje semanal de la escuela de la Sra. Gamba- Principal

#### Greetings, Walter Reed Families!

This is our school message for the week of May 13<sup>th</sup>.

Congratulations to our students for focusing their best effort on their State tests for the last two weeks! We will return to our regular bell schedule on Monday as students make up testing as well as take the 8<sup>th</sup> grade State science test.

At this time of year, our parent volunteers are transitioning their leadership roles in their Academies for next school year. Please consider how you may help support your child's Small Learning Community and go to [friendsofreed.org](http://friendsofreed.org) to learn more. Parent involvement is key to the success of your child's education, and at Walter Reed our parent volunteers make vital contributions to the success of our school. Please contact me if you are interested in helping with the weekly Reed Network News or any other school project for next year!

Also, thank you to the parents of Friends of Reed who coordinated our first online fundraising auction, which closed the final bids last night raising over \$14,000 dollars! This was a new and exciting way to use our community resources to raise money for our school library, technology, PE equipment and much more that is needed at our school. A big 'thank you' to our many families who sponsored items or recruited businesses to generously give to our school. I am grateful for the accomplishments our volunteers have made this year in supporting our school and students. To celebrate our year together, please mark your calendar for our Annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon on Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am in the Library. RSVP to Debbie Vodhanel in the SLC office and view the invitation on our school website.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade families, please check our school website to review Culmination information and contact your counselor, Ms. Giagni, if you have any questions.

To close, I would like to thank the many parents and students who shared their special appreciation this past week to our teachers and staff during National Teacher Appreciation week! Everyone was touched by the kind words and sentiments of appreciation.

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

Haga clic aquí para ver el mensaje semanal de la Sra Gamba en español.

Jeanne Gamba, Principal, Walter Reed Middle School

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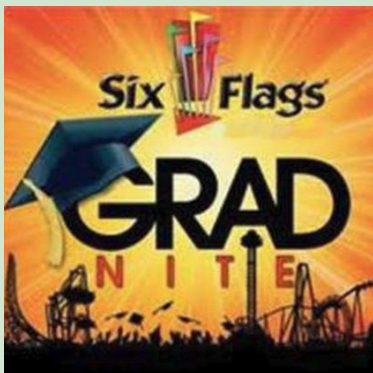


**Parent workshop**  
"Suicide Prevention "  
Parent Center  
Tuesday, May 14  
8:00 am

**Taller para padres**  
Centro de padres  
"Prevención de Suicidio"  
Martes, 14 de mayo  
8:00am

# Plan Ahead for 8th Grade Activities!

**8th Grade Activities**  
Volunteers and donations needed!  
Click below to sign up to help or donate!



**Six Flags Grad Night**  
Friday May 31, 2019  
Tickets are **on sale now online**  
(click below)

WRMS Class of 2019 qualifying students only! Check with Ms. Giagni if you are not sure if you are eligible. Ticket includes admission to Six Flags Magic Mountain, bus transportation to and from the park from Walter Reed Middle School, and dinner.



**8th Grade Fun Day**  
Thursday, June 6th During School Hours (free)

**Opportunities to Volunteer  
& Donate**

**Tickets for Dance & Six  
Flags Grad Nite**



**SIGN UP FOR THE FRIENDS OF REED  
PARENT INFORMATION!**

Click below to sign up for the Friends of Reed (FoR)  
parent communications!

**Click Here TO GET IN THE LOOP! Sign Up for  
Academy-Specific Communications**

## **RECYCLING PROGRAM!**



Friends of Reed and the Environmental Science Academy has partnered with LA Conservation Corp to help earn money through a cans and bottles recycling program at our school. Please put only cans and bottles in the designated bins on campus.

Having a party? Recycle at work? Bring those in too! Please drop off at the Troost gate or Schall Park by our garden.

Questions? Want to help?  
[ESA@friendsofreed.org](mailto:ESA@friendsofreed.org)

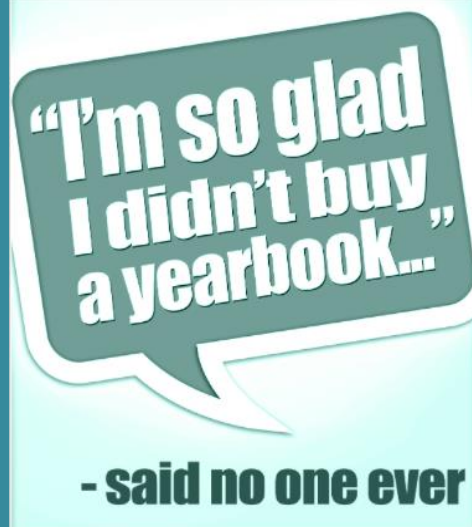
### **ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK NOW!**

**Price: \$40**

On sale through end of this school year.

Can be purchased online through May 4th; can be purchased at the Student Store all year long.

[www.yearbookordercenter.com](http://www.yearbookordercenter.com) and enter the school's order # 16479



**Order Now -- enter the school's order # 16479**

### **Amazon Smile! Purchase With a Purpose**

*Did you know your purchases can make a difference? AmazonSmile donates to Friends of Reed Inc when you do your shopping at [smile.amazon.com/ch/80-0293171](http://smile.amazon.com/ch/80-0293171).*





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## Anuncio en Español

### Click Here to View Reed's 2018-2019 Calendar

Stay up to date with school events, meetings, PTSA, FOR, SLC's and more! Sync the calendar to your phone or computer to receive updates and changes.

## SLC NEWS

Click the links below to learn more about SLC meetings, events, field trips, opportunities, programs, and more!

IHP

MAT

Environmental

STEAM

Humanities

Global Leadership

## Contacts at Friends of Reed

Need to connect with someone about something related to an academy or Friends of Reed (FOR)?  
Here's an easy directory of email addresses:

- [ESA@friendsofreed.org](mailto:ESA@friendsofreed.org)
- [GLA@friendsofreed.org](mailto:GLA@friendsofreed.org)
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