



Friday, September 11, 2026

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Tomorrow we will be on a half-day schedule with student dismissal at 11:40 am.

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Happy birthday today to Chloe M. and Karly P.!



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Congratulations to the Girls' Swim team on their win last night. Kenya improved an impressive 27 seconds between her two races.

Stars is a local suicide prevention and awareness organization here in Jacksonville, Illinois. People of all ages are welcome to join and help spread awareness on how to help prevent suicide in our community. The organization meets at Central Christian Church every fourth Thursday of the month at 4:30 p.m. STARS hosts their annual "Walk Out of the Darkness" event during National Suicide Prevention Week. This year's walk will take place on Sunday, September 13th at 5:00 p.m. at the Central Christian Church. Please join us and walk in loving memory of someone who lost their life to suicide. Service hours are available by helping with this event. Sign up on the sign-up sheet outside of Student Services Office. Get involved. Try to help prevent suicide. Seek, Trust, Ask, Respond, Save – Be a STAR!

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There will be no school next Monday, September 7 in observance of Labor Day.

Happy birthday on Monday to Kaden N.!



Thursday, September 3, 2026

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Bullying and cyber-bullying, harassment, and school violence are often leading factors for suicide. Telling someone to harm oneself or take one's life could lead to criminal charges if that act is completed. Be a friend in all situations. Keep the golden rule and treat others the way you would want to be treated. Vow to be kind and respectful. Never keep suicidal plans a secret. Stay with the person at risk and seek help from a trusted adult. Stand up to bullying and **NEVER** join in the act of bullying others. Remember: **Everyone matters. Respond positively to those in need.**

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Individuals facing depression and suicidal thoughts may find it difficult to ask for help. They could be embarrassed or afraid. If you are having suicidal thoughts or ideation, reach out and ask for help. You might believe or think that the world doesn't need or want you, but it does. Speak up because you are uniquely made by God. No one from before or after you will ever be like you. No one else can play your part. Being part of your school, church, and community helps to build connections and memories. Routt offers several clubs, sports, and organizations to join. Ask any staff member and we can get you information on how to join. Together we are stronger. **Ask and we will assist you.**

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Routt will administer the PSAT/NMSQT to any interested junior on **Wednesday, October 14** in the Media Center. The deadline to register for the exam is Monday, September 28th. The cost for the exam is \$18. See Mrs. McLaughlin for a registration form.

Detention will be held in Mr. Miller's classroom today at 2:50 pm.



Friday, August 28, 2026 ANNOUNCEMENTS

The boys golf team placed 3rd in a match at Jacksonville Country Club with Wyatt Jumper shooting low for the team.

The family fun festival needs students to help run the games in the games tent on Sunday, September 6. A signup sheet has been sent to your email or see Mrs. Dawson if you need it resent to you. This is a fun way to earn toward your required 15 student service hours due April 30!

Homecoming Dress Up Days are as follows: **Monday's theme** is "Sleeping Beauty" - dress in pajamas. **Tuesday's theme** is Jungle Book. **Wednesday's theme** is Monsters University - dress in college apparel. **Thursday's theme** is class color. **Friday's theme** is "Royalty" - dress in Routt spirit wear. No yoga pants or spandex. Boots are not allowed on any day. All clothing must be dress code appropriate. Hoodies are not allowed on any day. All students not dressing the daily theme must be in school uniform. These are not "free-dress" days.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for next **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

All students will attend a student assembly at the Chapel on **Friday, October 9**. Field Trip Permission forms must be completed with parent signature and returned to Mrs. McLaughlin by **Thursday, October 1**.

Routt will host a Financial Aid and Scholarship Information Night for all interested juniors, seniors and their parents on **Thursday, September 10** in the Media Center - Financial Aid information starting at 6:30 pm and scholarship information starting at 7:30 pm.

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Detention will be held in Ms. May's classroom today at 2:50 pm.

Happy birthday on Sunday to Brooklyn M.!



Thursday, August 27, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to the girls' swim team on their win last night. Phoebe D. had a first place finish in the 200 free.

The family fun festival needs students to help run the games in the games tent on Sunday, September 6. A signup sheet has been sent to your email or see Mrs. Dawson if you need it resent to you. This is a fun way to earn toward your required 15 student service hours due April 30!

Today we will go to the following rooms at the announcement at 2:15 pm to discuss homecoming. Please do not leave your 8th period study hall until the announcement is made.

Freshmen – Mrs. Hall's room, Sophomores – Ms. Wheeler's room, Juniors – Gym, Seniors – Room 17 downstairs in the science center.

Homecoming Dress Up Days are as follows: **Monday's theme** is "Sleeping Beauty" - dress in pajamas. **Tuesday's theme** is Jungle Book. **Wednesday's theme** is Monsters University - dress in college apparel. **Thursday's theme** is class color. **Friday's theme** is "Royalty" - dress in Routt spirit wear. No yoga pants or spandex. Boots are not allowed on any day. All clothing must be dress code appropriate. Hoodies are not allowed on any day. All students not dressing the daily theme must be in school uniform. These are not "free-dress" days.

There will be a GIRLS BASKETBALL meeting at 12:15 pm TODAY in the gym. All girls who are interested should be there.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for next **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

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Detention will be held in Mr. Rood's classroom today at 2:50 pm.



Wednesday, August 26, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The family fun festival needs students to help run the games in the games tent on Sunday, September 6. A signup sheet has been sent to your email or see Mrs. Dawson if you need it resent to you. This is a fun way to earn toward your required 15 student service hours due April 30!

Tomorrow we will go to the following rooms at the announcement at 2:15 pm to discuss homecoming. Please do not leave your 8th period study hall until the announcement is made.

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Sophomores – Ms. Wheeler's room
Juniors – Gym
Seniors – Media Center

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There will be a GIRLS BASKETBALL meeting at 12:15 pm TOMORROW in the Media Center. All girls who are interested should be there.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

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Cross Country will be dismissed by announcement today at 2:00 pm. Golf will be dismissed by announcement today at 2:10. Please do not leave class until the announcement is made.

Detention will be held in Mr. Maruna's classroom today at 2:50 pm.



Tuesday, August 25, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The family fun festival needs students to help run the games in the games tent on Sunday, September 6. A signup sheet has been sent to your email or see Mrs. Dawson if you need it resent to you. This is a fun way to earn toward your required 15 student service hours due April 30!

The student council will meet TODAY during 8TH PERIOD in Ms. May's classroom, room 6.

This Thursday, we will go to the following rooms at the announcement at 2:15 pm to discuss homecoming. Please do not leave your 8th period study hall until the announcement is made.

Freshmen – Mrs. Hall's room
Sophomores – Ms. Wheeler's room
Juniors – Gym
Seniors – Media Center

There will be a GIRLS BASKETBALL meeting at 12:15 pm this **Thursday, August 27** in the Media Center. All girls who are interested should be there.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

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Detention will be held in Mr. Rood's classroom today at 2:50 pm.

Happy birthday today to Ben M.!



Monday, August 24, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

You **MUST** carry your laptop **IN YOUR CASE**. Please do not walk around with your laptop out of your case.

Student Council - there is a meeting **TOMORROW** after school to discuss and start organizing homecoming! It will be here before you know it!

There will be a **GIRLS BASKETBALL** meeting at 12:15 pm this **Thursday, August 27** in the Media Center. All girls who are interested should be there.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

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Tomorrow is a Routt only Mass Day. We will head over to the church after the 8:07 bell and after attendance and lunch count are taken. Teachers should escort their class to mass tomorrow, and everyone should sit toward the front of the church.

Detention will be held in Mrs. Hall's classroom today at 2:50 pm.



Friday, August 21, 2026 ANNOUNCEMENTS

You MUST carry your laptop IN YOUR CASE. Please do not walk around with your laptop out of your case.

There will be a GIRLS BASKETBALL meeting at 12:15 next **Thursday, August 27** in the Media Center. All girls who are interested should be there.

Student Council - there is a meeting next **Tuesday, August 25** to discuss and start organizing homecoming! It will be here before you know it!

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

To juniors and seniors who received an invitation by mail for membership in Routt's NEHS Chapter, TODAY is the day your form is due. If you have questions, please see or email Mrs. Chipman.

Routt will host a Financial Aid and Scholarship Information Night for all interested juniors, seniors and their parents on **Thursday, September 10** in the Media Center - Financial Aid information starting at 6:30 pm and scholarship information starting at 7:30 pm.

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Detention will be held in Mr. Hall's classroom today at 2:50 pm.

Happy birthday tomorrow to Owen S.!



Thursday, August 20, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a high school girls basketball meeting at 12:15 next Thursday, August 27 in the Media Center. All girls who are interested should be there.

Attention all students – please complete the school forms and IHSA forms that have been sent to you through Docusign. These must be completed BEFORE your first athletic competition.

If you park your car on the Routt campus, you MUST have a purple Routt ID card visible from the outside of your car where we can see it at all times. If you do not have an ID card, please see the main office. We will start checking for ID tags this week.

Student Council - there is a meeting next Tuesday, August 25 to discuss and start organizing homecoming! It will be here before you know it!

The first FFA meeting is today during 8th hour study hall. All students are welcome to attend! Please let your 8th period teacher know you will be attending and meet on the front lawn by 2:05.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

To juniors and seniors who received an invitation by mail for membership in Routt's NEHS Chapter, TOMORROW is the day your form is due. If you have questions, please see or email Mrs. Chipman.

Routt will host a Financial Aid and Scholarship Information Night for all interested juniors, seniors and their parents on Wednesday, September 10th in the Media Center - Financial Aid information starting at 6:30 pm and scholarship information starting at 7:30 pm.

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There will be no detention today due to a faculty/staff meeting at 2:50 pm.



Wednesday, August 19, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attention all students – please complete the school forms and IHSA forms that have been sent to you through DocuSign. These must be completed BEFORE your first athletic competition.

Congratulations to Jackson and Katera for winning the doubles championship in PE tennis!

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Student council - please come to the media center today right after school to check in with Miss May-- only 5-10 minutes.

Student Council - there is a meeting next Tuesday, August 25 to discuss and start organizing homecoming! It will be here before you know it!

The first FFA meeting is this Thursday during 8th hour study hall. All students are welcome to attend! Please let your 8th period teacher know you will be attending and meet on the front lawn by 2:05.

The Routt basketball cheerleading meeting for the upcoming season is scheduled for **Wednesday, September 2** at 6:00 pm in the media center.

To juniors and seniors who received an invitation by mail for membership in Routt's NEHS Chapter, this FRIDAY is the day your form is due. If you have questions, please see or email Mrs. Chipman.

Detention will be held in Mrs. Arendt's classroom at 2:50 pm today.

Happy birthday today to Madi W.!



Tuesday, August 18, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you park your car on the Routt campus, you **MUST** have a purple Routt ID card visible from the outside of your car where we can see it at all times. If you do not have an ID card, please see the main office. We will start checking for ID tags this week.

Please leave your laminated ID card in the front pocket of your case to identify your laptop case. **ALL LAPTOP COMPUTERS MUST BE KEPT IN THE CASE unless you are using them for class. If your laptop is found out of your case, it could result in a detention.** Please be careful with your laptops! The first replacement laptop is free. After that, it is a \$50 charge per new laptop.

Reminder to freshmen and new students, if you are called out of class to leave for an appointment, you must sign out in the main office before you leave school.

We ask that you please turn your cell phone **ALL THE WAY OFF** before placing it in the cell phone cabinet.

There is no football cheer practice tonight.

Detention will be held in Mr. Rood's classroom at 2:50 pm today.



Monday, August 17, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you park your car on the Routt campus, you **MUST** have a purple Routt ID card visible from the outside of your car where we can see it at all times. If you do not have an ID card, please see the main office. We will start checking for ID tags today.

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Happy birthday today to Shaurya S.!



Friday, August 14, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you park your car on the Routt campus, you **MUST** have a purple Routt ID card visible from the outside of your car where we can see it at all times. If you do not have an ID card, please see the main office. We will start checking for ID tags on Monday.

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Thursday, August 13, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Every Friday is a Routt day. Any Routt spirit wear may be worn on top along with uniform pants, socks and shoes. Hoodies are never allowed during the school day.

Reminder to freshmen and new students, if you are called out of class to leave for an appointment, you must sign out in the main office before you leave school.

We ask that you please turn your cell phone ALL THE WAY OFF before placing it in the cell phone cabinet.

We still have locker shelves and notebooks for FREE. Please take what you want.

Happy birthday today to Quinn J.!



Wednesday, August 12, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome or welcome back ROCKETS to the 26-27 school year!

Swim practice today is moved to the YMCA from 6:00 – 7:00 pm due to predicted thunderstorms.

Due to the heat advisory today, volleyball practice will be held at MAC from 3-5:15.

All students have been given a laptop case with laptop and temporary student ID, student planner with handbook and separate handbook to give to your parents. You will use your ID for your lunch card. You will receive a permanent ID card in a few weeks with your new school photo on it. Please leave your laminated ID card in the front pocket of your case to identify your laptop case. **ALL LAPTOP COMPUTERS MUST BE KEPT IN THE CASE unless you are using them for class. If your laptop is found out of your case, it could result in a detention.** Please be careful with your laptops! The first replacement laptop is free. After that, it is a \$50 charge per new laptop.

We are on a 2:00 schedule today. We will go to periods 1-6 before lunch. There will be a 2:00 dismissal for the rest of this week. There will be no District 117 bus service at dismissal for the rest of this week. Morning routes will run as scheduled.

Every Friday is a Routt day. Any Routt spirit wear may be worn on top along with uniform pants, socks and shoes. Hoodies are never allowed during the school day.

School pictures will be taken tomorrow. Pictures will be taken of all students for student ID cards. **This includes the seniors.** If you want to purchase pictures, you may do so online. Ordering information has been emailed to your parents or see Mrs. Dawson to have the information emailed again.

We are requesting students "dress up in their best" attire on picture day tomorrow. You may wear non-tattered jeans and tennis shoes with a nice top or dress UP as much as you like. **If you choose not to participate in dress up day, you should be in school uniform.**

Teachers - If a student on your roster does not show up to your class, please call the office. They may have an old schedule.

Reminder to freshmen and new students, if you are called out of class to leave for an appointment, you must sign out in the main office before you leave school.

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Mass has been cancelled for this Friday. We will run a regular 2:00 schedule that day.

We still have locker shelves and notebooks for FREE. Please take what you want.