# **Riverside Press**



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#### What's happening in Roadrunner Country?

Welcome to the first edition of the Riverside Press. This year, 6th grade students participated in a twelve week elective focused on Journalism. In this class, taught by Mrs. Hanan, the students were taken step by step through the world of the media, learning about newspapers, the internet and other informational text. Our culminating activity is this newsletter about the happenings at our school, Riverside Meadows. We hope you enjoy learning about the school and the people who make it a community.

Sincerely, Mrs. Hanan

# Having Mr. Hofhenke as a Principal

By: Andrew Ong

Upon interviewing many students about their opinion of Mr. Hofhenke as our principal, there are definitely some positive things to say about him. They think he is a great principal because he is one of those nice kind people who get all their work done. They think he does a good jog in his nice and quiet office. Victoria say's "He watches the school every second of the day making sure everything is going good". Gabe say's "He does a good job watching us at break (time)". Sam believes he is a good principal because "He cares about other people". It is nice to

have him as our principal, and many students believe he is the best principal for our school.



# Roadrunner Athletics

Mr.Cruz's
Fascinating
Volleyball Team

By Julyssa Paredes

"Play hard! "work hard", this is what Mr. Cruz, a history teacher at day, and a volleyball coach during the evening does with his fascinating volleyball team! Mr. Cruz and his athletic team players play with discipline! This guy loves to: Practice, Coach, and WIN! His volleyball team plays at Riverside Meadows Intermediate School, in Plumas Lake, CA. They usually play games in the polished, squeaky, clean cafete-

ria floor, and they practice in their too!

For this year (2014 - 2015), he teaches his team how to succeed, and participate in every fun activity they do! "I enjoy working with every player" Mr. Cruz exclaims! He thinks that they are a great team, but sadly, the volleyball season is almost over! He is also trying to get basketball for boys in January, but (even better) he is working very hard on getting girls basketball try-outs in a couple of weeks! Mr. Cruz also claims, "My

awesome team players have a great time playing a competitive team, even though we lose or win!"



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#### Kids Favorite Football Teams

By: Shaun Fernandes

If your parents love football and they scream at the screen as if the players can hear them, then you know how some kids feel. If your parents don't do that, then you're lucky!

If you like a football team because your parents like it, then you are just like any other kid. But Shane Fernandes is the all time "bandwagon". A bandwagon is a person who likes one team, then likes another because they are doing better. Last year, it was all about the Cowboys until the Sea-Hawks won the Super Bowl of 2013. Now, Shane likes the Cowboys again because they're doing better this year. He said, "They're doing pretty good." Then, there is Julio Barba. Julio's favorite football team is the Pittsburgh Steelers. He likes the Steelers because he grew up in Pittsburgh, home of the Steelers. "They get a lot of yards in games", he states. But then, Brooklynn Hill came. Her favorite football team is the Oakland Raiders. She likes the Raiders because "My parents like the Raiders". She says she is a loyal fan, but you can not be if you say this," I don't think they're good."

We are only in the middle of the football season, so do not worry about it ending. All games are played on Mondays, Thursdays and, Sundays.

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### **OPINION CORNER**

### We Need Basketball!

By: Brandon Pigeon

Basketball is one of the best sports in the world because it gets you up and going. It is also a team sport. That is why we should bring it to the sixth graders at Riverside Meadows Intermediate School. A lot of people like basketball so it will encourage them to have good grades because they need to have a good grade to play. We can also separate into different leagues like 6th,7th and 8th graders only play their own grade then it would be a lot more fair because it would be hard to verse older people. That is why we should have a basketball team for the 6th grader boys and girls at Riverside Meadows.



### Keep Them or Leave Them?

By: Caden Cummins

Chromebooks are everywhere in our world, and Riverside Meadows is no exception. Students can use Chromebooks to find helpful or useful information and research. They can also use Chromebooks to find educational videos and students can share documents to help each other with school work. Of course, there are some unacceptable things students can do, like write bad words. They can also hack into people's accounts and ruin things for others. But the worst thing they can do is find bad or dangerous information.

Fortunately, our teachers see the positives and the good things outweigh the negatives. That is why we should keep them.



#### More Food Sources Please

By: Brandon Pigeon

Do you ever get mad because of the few food sources in Plumas Lake? Do you ever have to drive all the way to Marysville just to go McDonald's or Taco Bell? My suggestion is that we should get better food source out here in Plumas Lake. We have to get a shopping center in our community to make things easier. We should have simple things like Jamba Juice or a food buffet. We definitely have to have all of our favorite food sources like a chimichanga, ice cream or pizza. We have a taco truck but we could make it better by having more stores for our community.

Are we really a great school? Or are we just like the others?

By: Andrew Ong

We do have a great school, but why? Some of the kids said we are a good school because we have great places to work, and the teachers are always willing to help us. One kid said "This is a good school because they make it to where we are able to bond with each other and become friends". Some of the kids said we have great lunches. Another kid said "Other schools make a lot of mistakes, but we make very little mistakes". They also said we have Chromebooks so we are able to get our work done faster. One other one said "We have great materials". The last one said, "The teachers are awesome and help us learn a lot faster".

So it is true other schools are good, We Are Great!. We are the better school for all these reasons!

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## **Transportation And Food**

### Birthday Surprise!

### Miss Santos' Birthday Lunch

By Katie Fleming & Rosa Herrera

There Miss Santos stood in the kitchen hearing her birthday song, that the staff was singing to her.



She was happy because they had remembered it was her birthday.

It was a beautiful Friday on April 11th, of 2014 when the butter-flies were flying and the bunnies were hopping in the wet grass. Ms. Santos is the "Lunch Lady" of Riverside Meadows Intermediate School. She prepares the tantalizing fries with a sizzling feeling of round squishy hot dogs with homemade buns. During Genevieve Santos' day

of feeding the 7th graders, the two assistant cafeteria workers told her to go in the kitchen, (where she prepares the school's scrumptious meals), and she saw a gift box with a pink tied up ribbon and three cupcakes with white fluffy whipped cream and chocolate bread. She was so overjoyed and said, "Oh wow, how sweet!" This is cool! Miss Santos thought. Then she spoke up and said, "Thank you, have a great weekend." Then she went home happily and thought to herself, "This was the best birthday, yet!"

After her day at work was done, she told the kids to have a wonderful day. Maybe inside she was wondering if her next birthday was going to be the same, because she loved this one. Did she like her cupcakes?

### Riverside Food Day

Article By Katie Fleming

Who is ready for the Riverside Food Day for Mr. Hofhenke? Mr. Hofhenke is! He is the principal at Riverside Meadows, and he is definitely ready to scarf down! He heads out, "Time to go", it is time for a Big Food Day waiting for him in the staff room!

Mrs. Leslie, the secretary, organized the big Food Day for Mr. Hofhenke. On Friday, October 18, 2014. The Food Day took place in the staff room/lounge room in the office of Riverside Meadows Intermediate School. The reason for the Riverside Food Day was because it was *Continued on Page 10* 

#### How Do You Get To School?

## TRANSPORTATION AT RIVERSIDE MEADOWS

By: Brycen Foster and Gavin Hale

There are many ways your fellow 6th grade students get to school; cars, buses, even maybe just a bike or skateboard! Porter Rodman (a 6th grade student) rides to school on a bike AND a skateboard. He switches off every once in a while because he thinks both of them are his 'style'. Porter LOVES his bike, and believes his skateboard is fairly reliable too. It takes him five minutes to get to Riverside Meadows. Porter starts his journey near the bridge

construction. He believes his routine works great. Five other students also think their routines are just fine. Another 6th grade student would consider another form of transportation: To ride a horse to school because he says it would be a fun way to get to school and back to his house.

Guramrit Ghoman thinks the opposite from Porter though. Guramrit loves his luxurious Audi Q5. It takes him about 6 minutes to get to school, and his parents only pay about \$100 per month in gas. He is one of the five students that thinks their routine works great.

Another student willing to tell about his form of transportation is Nick Foley. Nick rides the bus, many possible ways to get to school, right! Nick, rides the bus that takes him to school every day safely and sort-of comfortably. So Nick says "it's okay".

Next time you are out in front of school, see how many different modes of transportation you can see.







## **Entertainment: Movies and Travel**

### Hunger Games:

Differences Between Book And Movie

Andrew Hill and Taylor Blevins

According to Mrs. Hopkins, the Riverside Meadows School librarian "The producer Nina Jacobson and



Jon Kilik and the writer. Suzanne Collins, wanted to make money selling the book and movie. That is why the movie and book were made!" Ms. Hopkins also said "The movie came out in 2012 and the book came out on September 14, 2006" Ms. Hopkins explained." I think the movie took place in a holographic futuristic arena" Ms. Hopkins replied back. "The movie is about a game of survival" Ms. Hopkins answered, and that is what the book and movie is about. "May the odds be ever in your favor" Ms. Hopkins finally said. You will not be disappointed with the movie if you read the book!

#### Mr. Almond and The Restaurant

Article By Rosa Herrera

It is few days after the day he had said, "I do!" to his beloved wife, they were in a restaurant. Not just an ordinary restaurant, but an amazing restaurant.

On July 18, 2003, three days after his wedding, Tom Almond and his wife were in a restaurant in Cancun, Mexico called Plantation House. They went to this restaurant because a guest at his wedding told him to go and eat there was because the food *Continued on Page 9, Mr. Almond* 

#### Mr.Cruz:

### The Traveling Teacher

By: Liliana Wing and Xavier Yartz

During every spring break, Mr.Cruz, the 6th grade history teacher, chaperones the 8th grade students of Riverside Meadows Intermediate School, when they go to Washington D.C. They fly for five hours to visit our country's capital. "The experiences you will have there, you will never forget," explained Mr. Cruz. To keep themselves entertained on a plane for 5 hours. Mr. Cruz and his 8th grade scholars read, listen to music, and watch movies. "It is a once in a lifetime trip".

After they land, they visit all the major memorials. One

such place is Ford's Theatre (the place where Abraham Lincoln was shot). They also go to George Washington's home (Mount Vernon) where he lived and died, the White House in DC, the 1st and 2nd Air and Space Museum, Natural History and the U.S. History Museums. They continue by visiting Smithsonian on 50 Massachusetts Ave NE. and the Abraham Lincoln Memorial.

Then after their long week in Washington D. C., they head back home to tell their family all about the exciting journey they





The Honeymoon in the Bahamas

By Lily Wing and Xavier Yartz

"I recommend everyone visit this magical island!"

~Mrs. Garceau

In July 2001, Mr. and Mrs. Garceau honeymooned in the Bahamas! They flew to Miami, Florida, then went on a cruise from Miami to the Bahamas. Mr. and Mrs. Garceau went snorkeling on many different islands and went on a glass bottom boat tour (the bottom of the boat is see-through). Sometimes they just relaxed on the beach. "The water was so clear and crystal blue. It was gorgeous. You could see the exotic fish swimming" said Mrs. Garceau excitedly. "It's a spectacular place to be." she remembered as a huge smile formed on her face. "Just being with my new husband in such a beautiful place, was amazing" said Mrs. Garceau.





### **ART**

#### Ms. Johnson's Art Class -

By Libby Kerr and Cory Pembleton

With an open mind and eagerness to help, Ms. Johnson may just look like a nice math teacher, but the truth is, she is so much more.

Ms. Johnson is not only a math teacher here at Riverside Meadows, she also teaches the Art Club. You will see that she is always smiling and positive. Ms. Johnson really likes art from different cultures. Outside, where the air is fresh and trees are green, is where Ms. Johnson does her art. She explains, "I really like to meditate. I think art helps me to be able to sit there and be still." Whenever she has free time or wants alone time, Ms. Johnson just goes outside. Ms. Johnson does art because she gets to see

her skill level. Everyone perceives differently and has their own piece of art and that is what she likes about it. She has to set time aside for art, and it is a hobby, so she does not just say, "I am going to draw." Sometimes she is stressed, so Ms. Johnson goes outside and draws.



Ms. Johnson reflected, "It is crazy if you listen to the world, it is so busy." Although Ms. Johnson can be busy at times, she always finds time for art and her students.

### **Puzzles and Games**

#### Win a Free Pizza by Doing a Math Puzzle

By Libby Kerr and Cory Pembleton, Assisted by Mr. Huck

Do you enjoy challenging and entertaining math puzzles? Mr. Huck has one just for you.

Mr. Huck is the seventh grade math teacher, right here at Riverside Meadows School. He has two challenging math puzzles for you to solve. These puzzles will not only have you thinking, they will also be entertaining. In order to solve the puzzles, you need to emphasize the best solution and write how you solved the problem. Mr. Huck said, "I think the kids will definitely have fun." You can work on the solution, whenever you have time. Both of these puzzles are important because they could help you have a greater understanding of math, but be fun at the same time. "I like both puzzles," Mr. Huck said, "but I like the million dollar puzzle more. I always wondered how much money could fit in a suitcase."

The most organized answer wins a large pizza from Dominoes! Puzzles Located on Page 10

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### TECHNOLOGY TIMES

### At Riverside Meadows-Technology is the Future!

By: Jordan Ross Cenizal and Colton James Schwall

Mr. Hofhenke announced his goals for the advancement of technology at Riverside Meadows Intermediate School.

One of these important goals is to purchase five more Chromebook carts for 6th grade within a year or two. Another serious goal is he wants all the small classes at Riverside Meadows to have Chromebooks in one to two years. He also wants other technology at our school like a green screen for projects and educational videos. "Maybe get some tablets in a couple of years. I hope to get more Chromebooks carts in the beginning of next year", he concluded.

### **TECH FUN!**

Video Game Review: Call Of Duty Black Ops 2

By: Andrew Hill

This is an amazing game...

Call Of Duty Black Ops 2 is a top selling game of 2012. The game sold out in 16,000 stores by midnight, on November 13,2012! The video game made \$1billion quicker than any other game in 2012. This game is a five star rating video game. The game had more positive reviews than any other game in 2013.C.O.D.B.O.2 was developed by Treyarch and published by Activision. The game held the largest entertainment launch of all time. This game is a first-person shooter video game. The game was released out for Playstation 3, Xbox 360, and Microsoft Windows. Black Ops 2 is the ninth game in the Call Of Duty franchise of video games and a sequel of 2010 game Call Of Duty: Black Ops. The video game was created to feature future technology and the first to present branching storylines. The director of Black Ops 2 was Dave Anthony. The most favored map in this video game is NukeTown 2025. This video game is a very interesting game about what it may look like in the future. The best feature of this game is the controls. They help you learn how to shoot, crouch down, change your weapon, and aim. I have this game and learned the controls quickly! I play this game to get better at with controls. I would recommend this game to anyone who wants to learn how to get better at using controls.

# A Librarian's Thoughts about Technology!!!

By Jordan Cenizal

At Riverside Meadows Intermediate School, at the library, Mrs. Hopkins exclaimed her thoughts about the technology here at RSM.

Mrs. Hopkins thinks the Riverside Meadows technology can be advanced but it's going to take time. The librarian wants an online website that has a catalogue, so Riverside Meadows students know what to find at our library. Mrs. Hopkins would like a printer to print pictures for book covers.

Mrs. Hopkins said, "I think we may be able to get more technology, but it is going to take time".





### **NAMES AND FACES**

#### How To Work With Students From First To Seventh Graders

By: Bella Rose Palma

"I love it here and it's just so fun! I love the kids they're sweet and funny, but they're also challenging."

Mrs. Liz is a tall, kind, and gentle woman who visits different classes to help young students who are struggling, in all subjects like, art, science, history, E.L.A, and math. Mrs. Liz first went to work at an elementary school called Cobblestone in Plumas Lake, C.A. She helped out all of the classes until the strict but, potentially kind principle of Cobblestone



(Mrs. Greenwood) got promoted to a higher job and suggested that Mrs. Liz should go to Rio Del Oro, another elementary school in C.A and help kids there. Mrs. Liz loved it there and loved the kids to. When the 4th graders turned to 5th grade and those 5th graders turned to 6th graders and weren't at the school anymore. She wanted to go to Riverside Meadows Intermediate School, where the kids were now going to school. Mrs. Liz also wanted to see how to work with kids that were in middle school. People then recommended that she go over to Riverside, and she thought it was a great opportunity for her to go. So, when she showed up on the first day of school, all of the kids were excited to see her again.

When Mrs. Liz gets off of work she runs an animal rescue in Yuba City called "Rescue Pawz." She also plays softball, has three boys of her own, five amazing dogs, and one pet abalone corn snake. Mrs. Liz loves working here and loves all of the kids too.

#### Mrs. Markusen

By Tyler Perez

Mrs. Markusen is a mother of a 3 year old boy "Being a mother is the most rewarding job" she explains. She loves to play soccer and listen to country music because of the lovely meanings, "I have been listening to wonderful country music since I was a teenager and I love the meaning the words". She is the P.E teacher here at Riverside Meadows. Mrs. Markusen used to teach P.E at Rio Del Oro until January 2006, but she started teaching here in 2010. "Teaching P.E. to middle school students is challenging, but rewarding". The reason why she teaches physical education is because she enjoys fitness and children. Mrs. Markusen became a P.E. teacher by going to Sac State and earning her

teaching credential.

### The Secret Behind The School!

By: Bella Palma and Brianna Castillo

Miss Molina is a beautiful, helpful and friendly person who is perfect for her job. Miss Molina is better known to the students as Miss Cookie, (or the office lady.) Mostly everyone in the school knows Miss Cookie, but here are some facts about Miss Cookie you may not know. She works in the office at Riverside Meadows School where she answers phone calls, makes the report cards, and also makes absence and tardy slips. The slips are super helpful to all of the teachers that work at the school, and to the students because when trimesters are finished, the records are complete. Phone calls are important for communication if a students needs to leave or a message from a parent about something that happened, they would be aware.

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### HEALTH

## Advice From Zasta!

### Eye Vision Testing

By Jon Pate and Bella Gaspar

Children's vision changes slowly over time without them even realizing it. That's why it's mandatory by the state of CA, that school district nurses, in our case, Karyn Glasgow, does eye vision testing. Riverside Meadows will be doing their eye testing on October 6th, 2014, in the middle of the 6th

grade pod, also known as, Pod E. She will begin the vision testing at 8:15AM. The way that they do the eye testing is: They have the students sit in a chair, about 10 feet away from the vision chart. The student covers one eye at a time and reads the letters out loud. Karyn Glasgow is the school health clerk to all of the schools in Plumas Lake.

Dear Zasta, I am a substitute teacher for a middle school, where most of the students are nice, but some aren't well behaved. What should I do?! - From. Substitute Teacher.

Dear Substitute Teacher, The children should behave well. All teachers have expectations for students to behave well. We are obviously in middle school, and need to be much more mature, like young adults. Be strict for a reason, like getting the student's attention and back to learning! From, Zasta

Dear Zasta, I'm having problems with grades, bullying, and phones, during nutrition break, and lunch, what should I do?! - RMS Student

Dear RMS Student, Focus on grades. You should pay attention more than fooling around at school in general! Bullying, that you have seen, we say, stay away, be careful around them, and get help from a teacher if you need to: Pay attention! Phones during break, would be great if we can use them at least 5 mins every break, to cool off from school work, but students don't use them the way they should, and they get stolen or broken. It is better to keep them in your pocket or backpack, safe away! From Zasta

Advice from Zasta has been written by students, and it is meant for entertainment purposes only, and one should seek advice from a trusted adult if there are any immediate concerns.

### Shots!

By: Jon Pate and Isabella Gaspar

Look out 6th graders, at the end of this year shots will be rolling your way! At the end of 6th grade you have to get a shot! Fun right? Not even close. Ouch! You have to get a Tdap shot! Afterwards it makes your skin red and sores your muscles but it will help you in the long run by keeping you healthier. There is a sec-

ond shot, but it is not mandatory, but strongly recommended. It is a TB (Tuberculosis) shot, and it is a skin test. They are both done by the school. It sounds painful but, better safe than sorry, right?



## **RETIREMENT WATCH!**

#### Mrs.Leslie

By Tyler Perez

Mrs. Leslie is not just an ordinary person, but she is Riverside Meadow's important secretary. "I love my job of school secretary", she said. "I enjoy working with Mr. Hofhenke and the student body". For example, she keeps financial records for the school and the student body records. "I enjoy working with financial books making sure the school would have enough money for the things that the students need".



Mrs. Leslie started working in 2006, and will be retiring at the end of this school year. She will miss all the people.





### Weather

#### **Weather Stories**

Minnesota Weather

By: Makayla Scalise and Zhy'ere Cates

Ms. Lindsey Johnson, the 6th grade math teacher here at Riverside Meadows School used to live in Minnesota, before she came here to California to teach. The weather is very different than California because in Minnesota, the weather changes very quickly.

Ms. Johnson lived in Northfield, Minnesota. When she saw the clouds in Minnesota, it meant that there was a rain storm com-

ing. Even if it is suppose to be a warm summer day, it could rain or snow. In the cool spring there are storms that get so cold that ice forms, even on cars. During spring and summer, fierce thunderstorms crash on houses and make trees fall. Ms. Johnson said "There is so much humidity that it is hot." She also described, "I had to use snow tools to scrape the ice off my car and the lakes get frozen so hard and the ice gets so thick that I could drive my truck across it."

Minnesota has a lot of different weather compared to

most states. Minnesota stays cold, but not forever. Life in Minnesota was hard for a lot of people but it was easy for Ms. Johnson.

### Weather in Los Angeles

By: Makayla Scalise and Zhy'ere Cates

Mr. Grant, the awesome 8th grade teacher here at Riverside, used to live in the glorious and fascinating city of Los Angeles, in California. He lived there when he was a little boy, now he has fun teaching in Plumas Lake at our school.

Mr. Grant lived in Los Angeles as a little boy, for 12 years. It was so crowded, and so cluttered, that he doesn't get much space, but he was able to go out to the beach in the sizzling hot sun and go swimming. The weather there can be terrible, but you can go to the not so crowded city by traveling out of town and enjoy the weather there. "Los Angeles it is like a desert", Mr. Grant said, "It rarely rains there". Another thing he added is "It is so hot in the summer that I had to go to the beach, three days a week."

Since he moved from LA to Plumas Lake he has loved the weather here, compared to the scorching hot sun in down there. Plumas Lake is the best place to live.



#### Mr. Almond Con't

there was delicious and the view of the bay was terrific. "I felt like a pig" Mr. Almond said, "because every time I would drop crumbs, the waitress would clean up after me". But did he like the food? "Well", he said "The food I liked the most was the Mexican type of banana (Plantation Banana) with caramel and chocolate on top".

Mr. Almond and his wife had a great wedding and day at the restaurant, will be in his memory as long as his wedding day will!

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### **NEVER THE END**

### WIN A FREE PIZZA Take the Challenge...

#### Money Math Challenge:

This is the problem: You need to deliver \$1,000,000 in cash to a bank in Marysville. You decide that the best way to avoid attention from thieves is to place the \$1,000,000 in a suitcase and drive it to the bank.

The thing is, the suitcase you're planning to buy is big, but you're not sure if it's big enough to hold the cash.

This is what you do know:

1) You can cover a sheet of paper with six \$100 bills

- 2) There are 500 sheets of paper in one ream
- 3) There are 10 reams in one carton.
- 4) The suitcase you're planning to buy can hold as much as one carton of paper.
- 5) The \$1,000,000 consists of \$700,000 in \$100 bills and the rest in \$20 bills.

Using this information, determine whether the money will fit in the suitcase.

The winning submission will clearly explain how you know whether the money will fit in the suitcase. You should use words, diagrams, and mathematical expressions to support your conclusion

Mr. Huck is looking for the BEST answer: neat, clearly explained, correct, and well-supported.

The problem takes a while to solve, and you don't always have class time. You have to turn it in by November 14, 2014, with the best solution you can get. The answer has to be typed or neatly written with a good explanation of how you solved it.

# Another Fun Math Problem:

(No Free Pizza for this one)

This is the problem: Here are two multiplication problems that result in the same solution. (3,634):

158 79 x 23 x46

This is what you do know: The digits 1 through 9 are used once.

Rearrange the same 9 digits and create two other problems that will yield to a larger identical problem.

You must keep the same pattern; the first problem must be a three digit number multiplied by a two digit number, and a two digit number multiplied by a two digit number.

#### Miss Cookie

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Miss Cookie started working for the district a long time ago, in 1987. Before Miss Cookie started to work in an office, she taught music, (band). Before Miss Cookie started to work at Riverside Meadows, she used to help at Wheatland Union High School. The principle that worked at Plumas, asked if their music teacher would come help Plumas in their music class. The principal of Wheatland said "No, but, we can give you Miss Cookie instead." Miss Cookie responded, "She would love to

go and teach music at the Plumas school." Miss Cookie was a music teacher here, then worked part time at the office. She eventually worked full time in the office and, and didn't teach band any more. "I love my new job in the office and working with the kids here at Riverside Meadows."



**Food Day** *Continued from page 3*National Bosses' Day at Riverside Meadows Intermediate School.
They did it by asking for the staffs' help; they organized this for Mr. Hofhenke.

"We thank Mr. Hofhenke for all that he does," exclaims Mrs. Leslie. This was the National Bosses' Day and an unforgettable event for all of the staffs and the principal

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and

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