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SHARK SPORTS

Girls Soccer

by Isabella Jolly

Girls' soccer games can be interesting when played on the field. The players went on the field determined to win the game.

"Just to work on teamwork and communication and helping my teammates out," said Riley Connally, 11. The communication during the game and on the field was the most important aspect to win. "My goal for the game tonight is probably to go out there and work the hardest and win," said Adriana Ursetti, 11.

Nov. 22 girls' soccer game against Lennard High School brought a win 4-0.



photo by Isabella Jolley

Cheer Competition

by Lylliana Wyatt

Last Nov. 19 at Riverview the cheerleading team had their first competition against Plant City it was an exciting experience for both teams. Unfortunately the competition ended in a loss for our school but it was still an important moment for the team.

"I think our team did really well, despite our mistakes we did a good job and we had a good routine. Our coach really set up for success," said Brayln Digiacoia, 11.

Despite the loss, the cheerleading team will carry on and continue to perform to the best of their abilities and compete.



photo by Cady Studios

Cheer Competition

Riverview Shark Cheer Competition

by Briyana Smith

Thanksgiving

by Briyana Smith

The holiday season is a time for families and friends to come together and it starts with Thanksgiving, some travel and some host, but we all have traditions and create memories with our families. "On Thanksgiving we travel to Aruba every year and my favorite tradition is going to this huge buffet," said Reyna Hudson, 10. Food is the highlight of Thanksgiving as it brings us together. "Our family has a tradition of making Mexican soup it's really good, but my favorite is mac and cheese," said Samantha Laura, 12. Food brings us together and gives us memories to look back on, that's what makes the holidays special. "My favorite memory from Thanksgiving is when we went to Georgia to visit my grandma and the whole family showed up and we played a 4 square tournament," said Jade Ellenwood, 12.



photo by Madyson Demian

Student Closet

by Mordecai Shackelford

This year the student closet was established after the hurricanes took a toll on families. "Student Closet" is something that gives staff and students at Riverview High School an opportunity to give to a good cause for those in need by donating clothing of all types. By donating clothing to the student closet, you are giving students an opportunity to get the clothing they need for no cost at all, Student Closet is completely free and available to all students who attend Riverview. "Student Closet was just started up this year," said McKenzie Demian, 12, "we ask students, family members, and staff to donate what they can to the school." The clothes being donated must be new or in new conditions. They are accepting all clothing including shirts, pants, socks, shoes, dresses, shorts etc... The school has gotten many donations for the Student Closet that will go towards helping students get the clothing they need for school. "I am definitely considering it now; this is my first time hearing of the Student Closet," said Yalissa Lago, 11. Students and adults can donate. "I was thinking about donating sweaters since it is getting so cold lately and I see a lot of students who don't have a sweater or jacket to wear," Lago said. All donations are appreciated and will go toward a good cause.



photos by Shelley Hunsucker

Student Closet

The closet has clothes, shoes, undergarment, jackets, and even hygiene products for students in need

Students Celebrate a Midterm Free Year

by Taylor Day

Students at Riverview are sighing in relief after hearing that midterm exams will not be held this year. The decisions were made based off the recent hurricane and many students approve.

"It is very nice that I don't have to stress about exams for once," said Emily Walters, 11.

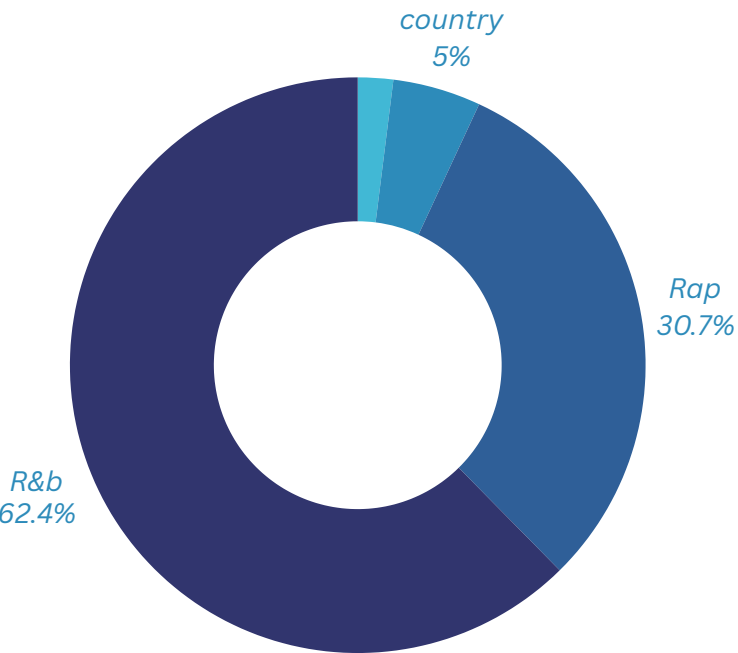
Every grade level expressed how they felt about this choice, many seniors showing gratitude.

"Not having exams makes me feel really grateful this year, especially because seniors in the past had to take them and we missed so many days because of the hurricanes," said Elena McDaniel, 12.

Though, instead of having to worry about and study for exams, students have used their breaks to protectively study for other tests. "Over break, I did catch up on work that my teachers assigned, but I've also been studying for my SAT," said Kaiden Davis, 12. For students here at Riverview, the decision doesn't only give them relief, but also opportunities to focus on what matters most.

Student Music Genres

by Madyson Demian



OVER 200 STUDENTS WERE POLLED, THE MAJORITY SAID THEY FEEL AS IF THEIR MUSIC TASTE MATCHES THEIR LOOKS. WHILE SOME SAID OTHERWISE. VANESSA FACTOR, 10 SAID "MY AESTHETIC IS ALTERNATIVE AND I ONLY LISTEN TO JAZZ MUSIC!" ALTHOUGH MOST STUDENTS AT RIVERVIEW AGREE WITH THE FACT THEIR MUSIC TASTE DOES REFLECT ON THEIR AESTHETIC A HANDFUL LIKE VANESSA FEEL OTHERWISE.

Students who felt like their music taste matches their looks

No



Yes



Announcements

RIVERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL
MATH HONOR SOCIETY

MATH TUTORING

Got a MATH problem?
We're here to help you solve it.

Tuesdays and Thursdays during
ALL 3 lunches

- YOU MUST GET A PASS FROM ROOM 406 BEFORE SCHOOL EACH DAY THAT YOU WANT TO ATTEND TUTORING
- EACH SESSION IS LIMITED TO 15 STUDENTS SO PICK UP YOUR LUNCH PASS EARLY!!!
- LAPTOPS WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE
- STUDENTS MUST BRING WORK FROM THEIR MATH CLASS

Student Closet

We are accepting donations!

Are you a RVHS student in need? Let us know!

Donations must be new or practically new items like the following:

- clothing (girls and boys, all sizes)
- shirts
- pants
- socks
- hygiene products
- school supplies
- etc

Items can go to room 235A or the main office.
Questions: Shelley.Hunsucker@rcps.net

Riverview High School

FINS TUTORING

Media Center 3:45-4:45

AFTER SCHOOL: TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

Great Opportunity to work on Credit Recovery

Tuesday: Math
Wednesday: General help in areas needed
Thursday: College Readiness/SAT/ACT
Teachers: Moss, Pinzino, Chandel, Childs, Morgan, Smith, Bogart, Koester

Bell Schedule

Starting January 17th

1st Period	8:30 AM	9:21 AM
2nd Period	9:26 AM	10:16
3rd Period	10:21 AM	11:11 AM
4th Period	11:16 AM	12:06 PM
5th Period	12:11 PM	1:01 PM
6th Period	1:06 PM	1:56 PM
7th Period	2:01 PM	2:51 PM
8th Period	2:56 PM	3:46 PM

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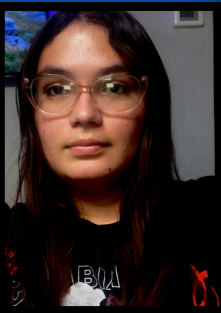
Briyana Smith is a staff writer for Riverview Shark Encounter. This is her second year in newspaper and her third year in Journalism. During her time in Journalism, she has done interviews and written creative stories. When she is not interviewing or writing she is on the softball field pitching or hanging out with friends.



Taylor Day is a staff writer for Riverview High School's Shark Encounter. She writes stories about current events and is a pensive and creative writer. She has been in Journalism for two years and has improved in writing and communicating with others. She enjoys music, drawing, and taking photos when she is not interviewing or transcribing her work.



Madyson Demian is a staff writer for Shark Encounter News. As this is her first year in newspaper, it is her second year in Journalism. Using her innovative abilities, she contributes to stories by expressing her creativeness on paper. When Madyson is not creating a new story, she is on the field making plays in flag football, or out with friends being nutty.



Isabella Jolly is a staff writer for the Shark Encounter. She likes helping animals and likes to help the earth. Outside of school she enjoys going on walks with my dog, reading books and learning about the government and photography. She also enjoy traveling and learning about other cultures and learning how they live.



Mordecai Shackleford is a junior at Riverview High School. With a past history in writing and graphic design, he plays a role in writing and designing the school's newspaper.



Lyllyana Wyatt is a staff writer for the Riverview High schools Shark Encounter. She is a writer who goes over current/important events around the school. She has been in Journalism for two years, along with previous experience in creative writing. When she is not working on a story, she enjoys listening to music, skating and creating art.