

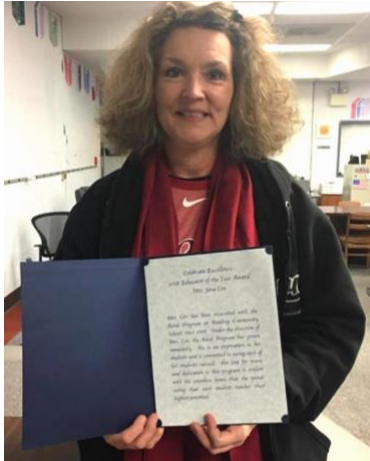


Reading Schools Blue Devil eNews

www.readingschools.org

April 2018

Jera Cox Named Educator of the Year



Mrs. Jera Cox was named the Celebrate Excellence 2018 Educator of the Year Award for Reading Schools. She will be honored with other educators of the year at Sharonville Convention Center in May.

Mrs. Cox has been associated with the Band Program at Reading Community Schools since 2008. Under the direction of Mrs. Cox, the Band Program has grown immensely. She is an inspiration to her students and is committed to seeing each of her students succeed. Her love for music and dedication to this program is evident with the countless hours that she spends seeing that each student reaches their highest potential.

Open Enrollment Begins in April

New Open Enrollment Students:

The Reading Board of Education will be accepting applications, **in person only**, beginning April 2, 2018 at 8 a.m. at 1301 Bonnell Avenue, Office of the Superintendent. The deadline for application will be Friday, May 11, 2018 at 3 p.m. Applications will be processed in the order in which they are received. All individual applications will be date/time stamped when presented at the Board of Education Office. **Applications received by mail will not be accepted.**

Application forms will be available upon request at the Board of Education, 1301 Bonnell Ave, Reading, Ohio 45215 and on our website at www.readingschools.org.

Reminder: Current Open Enrollment students must have their application and proof of residency turned in no later than Friday, April 6, 2018.

Kindergarten Registration for 2018-2019

**Kindergarten
registration will begin
May 1, 2018.**

- Child must be 5 years old by September 30, 2018
- Complete registration online through FinalForms at www.readingschools.org
- Packets and a list of required documentation are available in each elementary office, the board office, and online
- Completed registration packets and documentation must be submitted in person at the Central Registration Office, 1301 Bonnell Avenue, 2nd Floor. Hours: Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.



Kindergarten Orientation

- Thursday, May 17, 2018, at 5:30 p.m.
- Hilltop and Central Elementary
- Learn how to better prepare your child for kindergarten
- Meet principal and kindergarten teachers.
- Chromebooks will be available for online registration

Follow Reading Schools on Facebook and Twitter!



[Reading Community City Schools](https://www.facebook.com/ReadingCommunityCitySchools)



@ReadingCSD

[@25BlueDevil](https://twitter.com/25BlueDevil)

Reading Band Marches in Reds Opening Day Parade



We're so proud of our awesome Reading High School Marching Band for representing our district at the Red's Opening Day Parade!

after PROM

After Prom tickets are \$15.00 per person until April 23 using EZ Pay. The price of the tickets goes up to \$25.00 per person when purchased at the door. After Prom is at Hilltop this year.

Things to do include:

- Mechanical Surf Board
- Limbo
- Hypnotist/Comedian
- Giant Dart Board
- Archery Tag
- Sumo Wrestling
- Giant Jenna
- Giant Simon
- And, lots more...

Doors open at 11:30 p.m.

Hypnotist/Comedian will start at Midnight

We will have Chipotle, UDF Ice Cream and a few more food choices. Coke products and frozen drink machine also available.

CHANCES TO ENTER THE MONEY MACHINE TO SEE HOW MUCH YOU CAN GRAB!

Also, door prizes and more

April High School Guidance Corner Important Spring Dates...

- Third quarter Honor Roll Breakfast will be Monday, April 9th. Invitations are in the mail. Grades 11 - 12 will be at 7:30 a.m. and 9 - 10 will be at 8:30 a.m. in the RHS Cafeteria.
- National Honor Society Induction Ceremony will be Wed, 4/11 at 7:30 p.m. in the RHS Gym.
- Top 10 Senior Signing - 12:30 p.m. in the RHS Commons Area.
- Top 10 Senior Parent Night/Teacher Recognition - 7 PM at Reading High School Commons Area.
- AP money balance is due Friday, 4/20. Total per course exam is \$85. Balance should be \$70 per class after \$15 deposit.
- Interims sent home Friday, 4/27.
- End of Course Exam dates: English I & 2 - 4/18 - 4/19, US History 4/24 - 4/25, Make up day - 4/26, Math 1 & 2 - 4/30 - 5/1, Government 5/2, Biology 5/3 - 5/4, Make up days 5/7 - 5/8. **Students must bring a fully charged Chromebook for testing.**
- **MANDATORY SENIOR MEETING- Friday, May 11 in the RHS Cafeteria. All Seniors must attend.**

College Signings for Blue Devils

Congratulations to the following Reading High School student athletes who will be continuing with their academic and athletic careers in college!



Kylie Pinson will further her education and volleyball careers at the University of Northwestern Ohio.

Ryan Haas is headed to Cincinnati Christian University to further his education and play baseball.



Construction Update...

The construction team is busy at the site of our new schools. Here is what to expect in the upcoming months...

April

- Foundation work continuing. Light towers may be utilized, after hours work anticipated.
- Wall panel work starts toward end of month.
- Utility work continues.
- Expect increased truck traffic from Ronald Reagan Highway on Columbia to job site.
- Cranes will begin showing up to the job site.

May

- Wall panel work continues
- Utility work continues/finalized.
- Precast floor plank work starts.
- Truck traffic continues from RR HW on Columbia to job site.
- Steel erection work begins.

June

- Wall panel work continues.
- Precast floor plank work continues.
- Truck traffic continues from RR HW on Columbia to job site.
- Steel work ongoing.

Reading's New PK-12 School Opening August 2019



Calendar Check...

April

- | | |
|----------|--------------------------|
| April 13 | District Art Show |
| April 20 | Blue Devil Dance Central |
| April 21 | PTO Spring Carnival |

May

- | | |
|--------|---|
| May 11 | Mandatory Senior Meeting
Cafeteria |
| May 16 | Parent Night for 5th grade going to
6th grade at RMS 6:30pm |
| May 17 | Kindergarten Orientation 5:30 p.m. |
| May 25 | 5th grade picnic/cook out with Central
& Hilltop at Sandy Park |
| May 30 | Awards & 5th grade recognition |
| May 31 | Last Day of School
RHS Graduation at Sharonville
Convention Center
7:30 p.m. |