



Dear NRHEG Elementary Families,

**~Dr. Seuss and Read Across America~**

READ ACROSS AMERICA week has arrived! Read Across America Day, also known as Dr Seuss Day, is a yearly observance in the USA inaugurated by the NEA (National Education Association). It is held on the school day that is nearest to March 2. Theodor Seuss Geisel was an American artist, book publisher, animator, poet, a political cartoonist as well as an author. He is best known for authoring over 60 children's book. At our school, this upcoming week is filled with dress up days, reading activities and our Green Eggs and Ham Breakfast on Friday, March 6. We hope to see you then!

**~Important Reminder~**

I have a reminder for those families who use the back drop off and pick up location on the south side of our school building. Please approach that area with caution and reduced speeds as students are entering and exiting vehicles when arriving at school. Also, please use those parking spots that are near the drop off area, located in the open area by the playground. We appreciate your help in making sure that our students are provided with a safe drop off and pick up area. Thank you!

**~Teachers At Work~**

Every Wednesday morning, at 7:45 a.m., our teachers meet in their PLC Teams or Departments. A professional learning community, or PLC, is a group of educators that meets regularly, shares expertise, and works collaboratively to improve teaching skills and the academic performance of students. The term is also applied to schools or teaching faculties that use small-group collaboration as a form of professional development. I am honored to work with our teachers—they are a dedicated, hard-working group of individuals. Have a great weekend! Enjoy the warmer temperatures and I hope to see you on Friday.  
Sincerely,  
Mr. Anderson

**~A THANK YOU FROM THE NEW RICHLAND CARING FRIENDS~**

**TAKE A STEP TO HELP FIGHT CANCER**

THANK YOU NRHEG students, parents, and staff for helping *the New Richland Caring Friends* relay for life team raise funds for the American Cancer Society. Your support of our footprint project, Take a Step to Help Fight Cancer, was appreciated. The donation total was **\$669.00**. The hundred of footprints displayed on the NRHEG Elementary School wall show those fighting cancer are not alone and the memory of others remains with us.

**~New Richland Caring Friends Relay for Life Team~**

Gayle Dummer, Jill Schlaak, Crystal Maxon, Bonnie Jacobson, Julie Economy, Lanae Thorstad, Mary Sack, Lori Tomsche, Georgia Dinneen, Kris Pfeffer



**READ ACROSS AMERICA DRESS UP WEEK**

Monday, March 2, *If I Ran The Zoo*-Dress up as your favorite animal  
Tuesday, March 3, *Sleep Book*-Pajama Day  
Wednesday, March 4, *Wacky Wednesday*-Mismatch Clothes Day  
Thursday, March 5, *Cat in The Hat Day*-Crazy hat or Cat in The Hat  
Friday, March 6, *Green Eggs & Ham*-Wear Dr. Seuss shirt or green

Read Across America Day, Friday, March 6  
\*Green Eggs & Ham Breakfast 7:00-8:15 a.m.  
\*Green Eggs and Ham-Wear Green Day  
\*HS Reader's Theater Performance A.M. Media Center  
\*Buddy Reading Time  
\*Battle of The Books  
\*Other I Love to Read Activities