

**ROLAND-STORY MIDDLE SCHOOL
THURSDAY, January 16th, 2020 #091**

LUNCH

Monday-Spaghetti, breadstick, mixed fruit, green beans
Tuesday-Beef tacos, diced mango, corn
Wednesday-Chili, cinnamon roll, pears, carrots
Thursday-Turkey and bacon pita, fritos, mixed fruit, carrots
Friday-Chicken sandwich, fries, mixed fruit

BREAKFAST

Monday-Ham breakfast bar, fruit
Tuesday-Breakfast burrito, fruit
Wednesday-Breakfast pizza, fruit
Thursday-Sausage pancake stick, fruit
Friday-Cereal, poptart, fruit

Be GRATEFUL for TODAY!

7th and 8th Grade Roland Rural Bus Room please report to **Mrs. Barker's** room at 3:30. You **MUST** check in with the teacher.

Builder's Club will meet Thursday at 7:30 in Mr. Arp's room. All are welcome!

Mrs. Clapper's 7th grade language arts class is hosting a pet supply drive to support animals in shelters. Please bring in any companion/domestic animal supplies to support this drive! There are posters around the school giving some examples of things you can bring in, or you can ask a 7th grader! Donations can be used or new items and can be brought to any 7th grade classroom. Thanks for your support!

Premier Athlete Training will be offering another Strength/Speed/Agility Training opportunity for our 7th/8th grade Roland-Story students. Cost will be \$30 for 14 sessions on Tuesday and Friday mornings from 6:30-7:15 at the high school. Second session will start Friday, January 17. Forms and checks need to be returned to the middle school office by Wednesday, January 15. Forms can be printed on our website or picked up in the middle school office. Also, if you would like to receive **REMIND notifications** for Junior High Premier (including any potential weather-related schedule changes) follow these instructions: for push notifications on a smartphone, open this link on a web browser: rmd.at/ak4d78 ; for text notifications on a non-smartphone, text @ak4d78 to 81010.

RSMS to offer "Skip the Trip" Iowa DOT instruction permit knowledge tests

Do you have a student who is ready to take the operator knowledge test to get an Iowa instruction permit to drive? RSMS is now offering the test right here at school as part of the Iowa Department of Transportation's "Skip the Trip" program.

In partnering with the Iowa DOT, RSMS can save families time, cost, and the hassle of making a trip to a driver's license service center for testing. Students will be able to take the web-based test in a more familiar environment that works to reduce test anxiety and increase success rates. Tests are overseen by trained school staff to assure the integrity of test results.

To be eligible to take the remote knowledge test, your student must be age 14 or older and not currently hold an Iowa instruction permit. Students that have turned 14 prior to the testing date must sign up in the

office and have permission given from their parent by either email or phone. Students will have the opportunity to test on the second Tuesday of each month starting January 14th, 2020.

“Skip the Trip” allows students to take their initial test at school as the first step in getting your student to be a confident driver. Once a student has successfully passed the test, the student will receive an email verifying a successful test.

The student brings a copy of the email to the driver’s license service center along with the other required documentation that will prove their identity to be issued their instruction permit. Service center staff will verify passing test result emails with Iowa DOT records. Visit www.iowadot.gov/mvd/realid/success.asp to determine what documentation to bring with you to receive your student’s permit.

To prepare for a successful knowledge test, students should study the Iowa Driver’s Manual and online practice test, both available at: <https://iowadot.gov/mvd/driverslicense/manuals-and-practice-tests>.

Quote of the Week:

All of our dreams can come true if we have the courage to pursue them. Walt Disney

R-S MS Practice/Bus Schedule

Thursday 1/16

7th Boys Basketball vs. PCM	4:30
8th Boys Basketball @ PCM	4:30; Bus leaves at 2:45, athletes dismissed at 2:35

Friday 1/17

8th Boys Basketball Practice	3:30
7th Boys Basketball vs. West Marshall	4:30

Shuttle will pick up 8th Boys Basketball in Roland at 5:45 and drop off in Story City.