

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### October 7<sup>th</sup> after school:

New Student  
Celebration

### NECAP Testing:

#### **Grade 5:**

October 1  
and 2, 5 and  
6 (Reading,  
Math, and  
Writing)

#### **Grade 4:**

October 7-9  
(Reading and  
Math)

#### **Grade 3:**

October 13-  
16 (Reading  
and Math)

### Oct 12

Columbus  
Day-No  
School

### Oct 14

RSU Board  
meeting 6  
pm

### Oct 14

PTC meeting  
6:30 pm

### Oct 28<sup>th</sup>

Picture Re-  
take Day

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WORK HARD AND BE KIND



## **FALL FUNDRAISER UNDERWAY AT OTES**

Students at OTES will be more involved in this year's fall fundraiser. We will be using student artwork to imprint on several types of items. These art pieces have been constructed during the students' art classes with Mrs. Dunphy---So you know they'll be outstanding. Please take some time to read the message from the cooperating company about the upcoming fundraiser happening this fall. We hope this fundraiser will support many of the great activities our school

## **FALL ARTS FESTIVAL ON OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>**

It's that time of year and the fall arts festival is here! Each year our school celebrates the fall season with a school wide arts festival. This celebration demonstrates to our students the importance of the arts and allows the students to express themselves in a variety of ways throughout the day. In the past we've had a variety of activities, including, yarn spinning, zumba, crocheting, line dancing, art framing, and story tellers.

There are many opportunities for parents to get involved. A parent can host an art session (about 45 minutes) or volunteer to support an activity. The day's events are from 9 am to 2 pm. If you know of local artists that can support our ARTS Festival, let us know! If you'd like to be involved in the art festival this fall, please contact [Mary.Bagley@rsu34.org](mailto:Mary.Bagley@rsu34.org) or call school and leave a message. This is a great for all students and staff.