

# Ridge View News

## GOT GRIT?

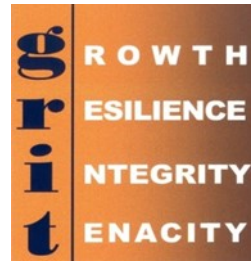
### Calendar Events

- Nov. 2 - Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 3 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 4 - Study Tables and ICU Homework Club 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 5 - Game Club and Team LEAD 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 9 - Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 10 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 11 - RV Choir Sings at Veterans Park 11:00, Study Tables and ICU Homework Club 3:30-4:30, and Financial Planning for College 6:30-8:00 at HHS Board Room
- Nov. 12 - Game Club, Student Council, and Friends of Rachel 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 13 - Popcorn and Water Day and Grade 2 Study Trip to Albanese Candy Factory
- Nov. 16 - Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 17 - Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35 and PTO and Title I Meeting 4:00 PM
- Nov. 18 - Study Tables and ICU Homework Club 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 19 - Game Club and Team LEAD 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 20 - Yo Yo PBIS Celebration
- Nov. 23 - Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 24 - Helping Hands 3:30-4:30 and Young Rembrandts 3:35-4:35
- Nov. 25 - Helping Hands, Study Tables, and ICU Homework Club 3:30-4:30
- Nov. 26-27 - No school! Happy Thanksgiving!
- Nov. 30 - Study Tables 3:30-4:30 and Bricks 4 Kidz 3:35-4:35



Grit is working hard, persevering, and never giving up! We all need grit to get through life.

Angela Duckworth and her team from the University of Pennsylvania are working on clever strategies to help students learn to work hard and adapt in the face of temptation, distraction, and defeat. When Angela was asked why she studies perseverance, she said, "Why? Because life is hard. Because there are just obstacles every day to everything that we want to do. If it were easy, it would be done already, and I think that goes for any work that's worthwhile."



College admissions officers and business leaders want people who stuck with something meaningful to them over time and demonstrate some level of mastery, and it doesn't necessarily matter in what. In other words, children need to be taught to appreciate that they're supposed to suffer when working hard on a challenge that exceeds their skills. They're supposed to feel

confused. Frustration is probably a sign that they're on the right track and need to gut it out through natural human aversion to mental effort and feeling overwhelmed.

Teachers are here to assist your children when they struggle. In addition, they teach students the process of working through the tough work to reach amazing goals, too. There is a delicate balance, but our students need grit!



## Veterans Day

On Wednesday, November 11, 2015, at 2:30 p.m., we would like to invite all of our Ridge View families to celebrate Veterans Day.



We are asking for any family member (sibling, parent, grandparent, great-grandparent, aunt, uncle, etc.) who has served or is still serving in any branch of the military to come to Ridge View Elementary to be recognized along with your

child/children. Blue notes came home in the report cards requesting an RSVP and additional information from those service men and women who plan to attend.

## Financial Planning for College

Wednesday, November 11

6:30-8:00 PM

Hobart High School  
Board Room

Parents of Students in  
Grades 3-10

Where can I find grants &  
scholarships?

What should I be doing to  
save for college?

How much financial aid will  
my student receive?

Is it possible to keep my  
debt low?

Where can I afford to attend  
college?

How do grades,  
AP/Dual Credit classes,  
community service,  
part-time employment, and  
extracurricular experiences  
affect college acceptance  
& financial aid?

If you need help  
with these questions,  
attend this informative  
workshop and learn more!

School City of Hobart

### Report it!

FOR EMERGENCIES PLEASE CALL 911!

Safeschools Alert is our district's top reporting service. If you have information about a threat to our safety, do your part and report it! And remember, you can remain anonymous.

**REPORT TIPS ON:**

- Bullying
- Intimidation
- Harassment
- Weapons
- Drugs
- Dating Violence
- Other

**4 EASY WAYS**

- ☎ 219-942-TIPS
- ✉ Text your tip to 219-942-TIPS
- 🌐 1199@scghs.us
- 🌐 http://1199.alert.us

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**PORTRAIT**  
OF A HOBART HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE

**BELIEVE AND ACHIEVE**  
We believe that we can reach our potential and achieve excellence.

**RESPECT**  
We respect ourselves and others by our words and actions.

**INVOLVEMENT**  
We take advantage of school opportunities to grow both academically and socially.

**COLLEGE/CAREER READY**  
I am ready! We value and pursue post-secondary education training. We develop and practice professional ethics, attitudes, and skills.

**KEEP WORKING**  
All my life I want to be a Brickie. Work! Work! Work!

**SERVICE**  
We are involved in making our school and community a better place.

## PTO Meeting and Title I

Please plan to join PTO this year! The membership fee for the year is \$5.00. You can join at any monthly meeting, and we would love to have you.

Our next meeting is Tuesday, Nov. 17, at

4:00 PM in the Ridge View Library. We will conduct our PTO business, and then, Mrs. Potter and Miss Wilkison will share about Title I services for our students.

Please come join us

to get involved with PTO and learn more about services for students who attend Ridge View!



### The Brickie Community Health Clinic (BCHC)

The School City of Hobart and St. Mary Medical Center offer the *Brickie Community Health Clinic (BCHC)*, an ONSITE school based clinic located at Hobart High School (Door #11), for ALL School City of Hobart STUDENTS and their FAMILIES.

**Healthy students are more successful in school!**

Visit  
<http://hobart.schoolwires.com/clinic>  
for more information.

Easy access for wellness is available as follows:

Monday and Wednesday  
9a.m. -5 p.m.

Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday  
8 a.m.-4 p.m.

Walk-ins and appointments are honored by calling 219-945-9383.

**Be respectful!**  
**Be responsible!**  
**Be safe!**