



RAMS CONNECT

Augusta Raa Middle School
Raa Pride – Ram Tough!

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WELCOME BACK RAA RAMS!!!!

Message from the Principal:

Dear RAM Families and Community!!

Welcome to a brand-new school year! The first week of school is always a special time—hallways buzzing with excitement, classrooms filled with fresh possibilities, and the joyful sound of students reconnecting with friends and making new ones. Our teachers and staff have been working hard to prepare engaging lessons, safe and welcoming spaces, and opportunities for every student to shine. We are committed to fostering a learning environment where curiosity is encouraged, kindness is valued, and every child feels seen and supported. As we begin this journey together, I encourage you to stay connected with us—through our newsletters, school events, and regular communication. Together, we can ensure this year is filled with growth, discovery, and success for our students.

Here are a couple of key reminders:

- ✓ Chromebooks: Showing in Focus right now we have around 250 students that have not completed their Internet Agreement Forms online. This is the only way a student can receive a Chromebook. Our goal is to start distributing them this Thursday.
- ✓ PTO Meetings are held virtually and in person on the 3rd Thursday of each month. We strongly encourage Parents to come and participate.
- ✓ Back-Pack Food Pantry - With donations and other forms of support of our RAM NATION community, as well as food services of Second

Harvest, we have started our Weekend Backpack Program! Please let Mrs. Hope Williams know if you have recommendations for families in need of weekend food items.

Thank you for your partnership and trust.
Let's make this school year our best one yet!

Dr. Marcus Scott
Principal

**RAA PTO
MEETING**
August 21, 2025
5:30pm-6:30pm
Raa Media Center

Please join us to discuss:

- Welcome to 2024-2025
- School News by Dr. Scott
- Committees and Open Positions
- Upcoming Events and Volunteer Needs

📌 High School Credit Courses – Important Info!

If your student is enrolled in a **high school credit course**, please check your email for important information regarding **course requirements and upcoming deadlines**. Staying informed will help ensure your student remains on track for success!

Attendance!!

Please make sure you are sending attendance notes to : candace.blakely@leonschools.net

Raa Gear!!

There have been a lot of asks about Raa Spirit Wear for 2025-2026. We had a pre-sale where items could be picked up at orientation and we will be selling items through Sunday, August 24. The store can be accessed using the QR code below or by using this link to our PTO site page: <https://raapto2025.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

Please contact Shelby Augustyniak if you have any questions or need any other information on this!



SPORTS & ACTIVITIES



Football

8:00 pm-8/19 – Raa vs Cobb @ Chiles

6:00 pm -8/26-Raa vs Fairview @ Cox

Attention: The QR code for the Football Jamboree tickets is now loaded in GoFan.

As a reminder, no cash will be accepted at the gates of Chiles High School and Cox Stadium, so please use the GoFan system for ticket purchases.

Thank you for your continued support in helping make these events a success.



Volleyball

6:00 pm-8/27-Raa vs Swift Creek @ Raa