



Chariho Regional School District

August 2020
E-Update

Chariho's Reopening Plan will have a Distance Learning Option for Families

The Chariho Regional School District is working on creating a plan for families that would prefer to have a distance learning option for the opening of schools. If you would like to sign up for the Distance Learning option [click here](#). We will need one form per child. All forms must be submitted by **Friday August 7th** to ensure we have appropriate notification for planning.

Important Information Regarding Reopening Schools from our State

Both the Governor of RI and our State Commissioner of Education will take part in a weekly reopening forum on Thursdays at 3:00 p.m. You can find a link to this forum on Governor Raimondo's Facebook page.

RIDE also unveiled a new website [Back 2 School Rhode Island](#) to provide the information everyone should know about the measures we're taking to keep students, teachers and staff safe.

**Do you have questions about School Reopening?
Check out our District's Reopening Schools
Frequently Asked Question (FAQ) [HERE](#).**

Chariho Anti-Racist Task Force



The Chariho School Committee has approved the formation of an **Anti-Racist Task Force** to examine policies, practices and curriculum through the lens of diversity, equity, inclusion and justice. Please [complete this form](#) if you are interested in joining this task force. We look forward to hearing from you.

News Worth Knowing...



The Chariho Reopening Plan is accessible [HERE](#).

Find our 2020-2021 School Calendar [HERE](#).

Transportation guidance has not changed. As of now, we are only allowed one student per seat. This will severely limit our busing for families. RIDE has said they anticipate this changing because the original guidance was based on public transit. We are hoping to get a transportation update soon. We may only plan for one child per seat, however if the students live in the same household we are able to place them in the same seat. If you do not anticipate needing a bus or need to update your busing request, please do so [HERE](#).

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More News Worth Knowing...

Please Join Us at Our Virtual Reopening Forums

All Meetings will be recorded and archived on the District website.

Date/Time	School	
August 3rd 5:30pm	Charlestown Elementary School	ZOOM DETAILS
August 3rd 7:30pm	Ashaway Elementary School/Hope Valley Elementary	ZOOM DETAILS
August 6th 5:30pm	Richmond Elementary School	ZOOM DETAILS
August 6th 7:30pm	Chariho High School/CHARIHotech/CALA	ZOOM DETAILS
August 13th 7:30pm	Chariho Middle School/CALA	ZOOM DETAILS



Important August Dates!

Monday August 3rd

Charlestown Elementary School Virtual Reopening Forum 5:30-6:30 pm
Ashaway and Hope Valley Virtual Reopening Forum 7:30-8:30 pm

Thursday August 6th

Richmond Elementary Virtual Reopening Forum 5:30-6:30 pm
Chariho High School/CHARIHotech/CALA 7:30-8:30 pm

Thursday August 13th

Chariho Middle School Virtual Reopening Forum 7:30-8:30 pm

Tuesday August 18th

Regular Chariho Regional School Committee Meeting 7:00 pm

Monday August 31st

First Day of School



Congratulations!

Black Lives Matter Peaceful Protest Organizers

High School students Isabelle Sullivan-Rackliff, Cordelia Calberson, Emily Stevens, Abby Ditomasso and Autumn Liguori-Bills have been recognized for the extraordinary job they did in organizing and overseeing the Black Lives Matter peaceful protest on Monday, June 8th at the Richmond Town Hall.



July Employees of the Month

The Technology Department

Shawn Cole, Eric O'Brien, Dorothy Fitzgerald, Lori Bouchard, Donald Rakowski, Tony Giarrusso, Kyle Rumowicz and Thomas Arbige. Thank you all for your outstanding job with Virtual Learning.