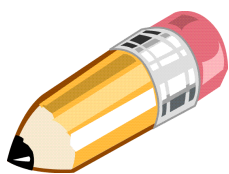


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**PROGRESSIVE
RETIREMENT**

I hope everyone had a restful break! It is now time for the home stretch.

PROGRESSIVE RETIREMENT

Requests to begin progressive retirement are usually submitted by April 1st, which is just around the corner

**ELECTRONIC
PAY STUBS...**

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There has been a slight change to the electronic pay stub. Teachers will no longer receive a reminder from the School Board. However, the pay stubs are available on Tuesday. As well, if you check our website under "pay", you will find all the pay dates and a link to help find your way.

**OVERSIZE
CLASS
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The School Board has made the payments and if there were any problems, speak to your administrators or contact our office.

**SCHOOL
COUNCIL**

SCHOOL COUNCIL Is it working well?

The Council meets at least once a month.

The agenda should be set by the CHAIR, in consultation with the principal, and is distributed to the appropriate staff at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

We recommend that the teachers on Council meet to discuss the agenda prior to the meeting.

Do not add anything to the agenda during the meeting; plan another meeting to discuss any new issues that arise.

Don't hesitate to invite guests to meetings if they can provide info that will help in your decision making

A copy of the minutes should be distributed to all staff. A copy should also be sent to the School Board and the Union.

Since no change in school policy can be implemented without prior consultation, the School Council must meet whenever changes are proposed.

A STAFF MEETING IS NOT a Consultation. A school Council meeting is required.

The consultation must be held at least seven days before any changes in policy can be made.

**2012-2013
CALENDAR**

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The calendar for the 2012-2013 school year is out for consultation. If you have any comments or concerns, you can send them to me at our office or directly Denise Paulson at the School Board.

And Keep eye on our website. Frank is always doing something to improve it.

Steven LeSueur
President
Riverside Teachers Union



