

## RHMS MATH CLUB

### Who Are We?

We are students, parents, and teachers who like math. Membership is open to all RHMS students. Meetings will be held every **Tuesday 3:15-4:15 pm**, starting **September 26th**. We will have 2 different groups: 5/6<sup>th</sup> grade meets in **J-1**, 7/8<sup>th</sup> grade meets in **J-9**.

### What Will We Be doing?

We practice math and participate in math competitions. 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders will take a series of 5 Mathematical Olympiads for Elementary and Middle Schools (MOEMS) contests, Division E (designed for 4-6<sup>th</sup> graders) or Division M (designed for 6-8<sup>th</sup> graders), once a month starting in November. We recommend that 5<sup>th</sup> graders choose Division E and 6<sup>th</sup> graders choose division M, although 6<sup>th</sup> graders new to Math Club may prefer Division E. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders will participate in AMC8 in November, MathCounts in February, and possibly other contests. We will have an end-of-year party, and we may organize a field trip. We will have fun making friends and sharing math jokes.

### What Do We Expect?

Be courteous. Respect yourself and others. Participate, and work in teams. Take part in competitions.

### What Will It Cost?

5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders will need to purchase a practice book (MOEMS Contest Problems, **Volume 3**, 2014, by Richard Kalman) for approximately \$40. The book can be purchased from [moems.org](http://moems.org) or [amazon.com](http://amazon.com). Please order the book ASAP so you can get it by **September 26<sup>th</sup>**. We'll have handouts for the first class, but it's simpler if you have your own book. 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> graders don't need to purchase a book.

**Please have your child return this flyer to their MATH teacher by Monday September 18<sup>th</sup>.**

**Thank you and we look forward to another terrific year of math.**

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As this is parent organized, we need parent volunteers to help with the club. If interested, please email the addresses above and we will send you details.

----- **KEEP TOP FOR YOUR REFERENCE, RETURN BOTTOM TO MATH TEACHER** -----

## RHMS MATH CLUB MEMBER APPLICATION

Student Name (first, last): \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**We need volunteers, and your help would be greatly appreciated.**

\_\_\_\_\_ I would like to be a parent volunteer for math club. I prefer to help with (circle one) **5/6** OR **7/8** graders.