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Dear RHSEU Student Supporters,

First, I want to thank all of the parents and family that have supported our Bingo program currently and in the past. It's a huge part of what makes everything the students can do possible.

Now to the hard reality. We were unable to fill two of the trained positions this past weekend. This time of year, is even more difficult to meet our obligations to fill 8 slots each week due to the competitions. It's understandable that everyone wants to go to the competitions to see their student perform.

Unfortunately, if we do not fill the 8 slots each week we will not only lose the funds from those slots, but it puts our share of the profits at risk. Even worse, if we continually fail to meet our obligation and are unable to fill the two trained positions we could lose the entire bingo program.

If this were to happen it would have catastrophic results on the program. Fair share would most likely need to be doubled for the fall season from \$645 to \$1290 per student or a major cut would have to be made in the number of competitions that they participate in. There would be other critical impacts as well. We have a top-notch instructor staff. Many of them would likely look for other schools to work for since we would potentially need to cut back their hours.

As you can see there is a huge snowball effect to what might happen. That is why I am asking that every parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle, sibling or friend that has a student or has had a student involved in the Rodriguez Entertainment Unit do the best they can to step up and volunteer to work Bingo.

It not only is for a good cause but is actually a good time spent together with other volunteers that love to see the students participating in such a valuable program.

Please contact our Bingo Coordinators Laurie Laxa (707-430-1794) or Corrie Filstrup (925-917-1980). You can also sign-up on our website at rhseu.org/bingo

Please help us keep our program strong for the kids.

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