

Rising Sun Schools will be utilized for the visitation and funeral services of RS Chief of Police, David Hewitt. For this reason, the district will have an early release day tomorrow, February 19 at 1:30 p.m. and also be closed Wednesday, February 20.

We acknowledge that this causes dilemmas for families and we apologize in advance. In turn, the school will offer Latchkey services on Tuesday at the OCEMS from 1:30-5:30 with bus service at 4:30 to assist families in this hardship. The OCEMS will also host a camp day for grades PreK-6th grade on Wednesday from 7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Bus service is available, but parents will need to contact the school by phone if they are in need of bus service.

Chief Hewitt has played a major role in the safety of our school system and students through his role in our safety planning commission and assistance in writing a state grant to begin our SRO program. He will be missed and we are honored to host his services.