# Bridlemile Friday Flyer

# 10/21/2022

# **IMPORTANT DATES**

| Oct 23th | Garden Work Party 11:00am-1:00pm   |
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| Oct 25th | Site Council Meeting   |
| Oct 28th | Last day to complete Student Yearly Verifications without having your Parentvue locked |
| Oct 29th | Monster Mash Costume Party   |
| Nov 3rd  | Last Day to submit OBOB Team Registrations   |
| Nov 4th  | NO SCHOOL  |
| Nov 6th  | Daylight Savings Time Ends -Set Clocks Back!   |
| Nov 8th  | PTA Board Meeting  |
| Nov 9th  | Picture Retake Day   |
| Nov 11th | NO SCHOOL- Veterans Day  |

# WHAT'S **NEW** INSIDE THIS ISSUE

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# MESSAGE FROM PRINCIPAL HU

Dear Bridlemile Families,

I'm not a native Oregonian, so it's a big deal when I say...I am so excited for the much needed rain to come! Today was also an added relief as our area's air quality index improved. Our Beagles have done such a great job this week as we adapted and kept windows closed and pivoted to indoor recess. A big thanks to our volunteers who also supported inside recess in the gym and classrooms.

Bridlemile Site Council is meeting 10/25/22 from 5:30pm-6:15pm. Site council membership and meeting agendas and notes will be posted on our school website so families and staff can communicate questions or concerns to the members. Meetings will be held virtually 10/25, 1/24, 3/21, 5/23. at: <a href="https://pps-net.zoom.us/my/zoomkhu">https://pps-net.zoom.us/my/zoomkhu</a>

<sup>\*\*</sup>Most of our announcements will be highlighted just for the week. Need to find a past flyer? All Friday Flyers are posted to our <u>Bridlemile website</u>.

Halloween falls on a school day this year, Monday, October 31st. We ask that all students follow the PPS district dress code for the day and keep costumes at home.

Parent-Teacher Conferences are coming up and held at school on Monday, November 21st and Tuesday, November 22nd. Teachers will be sending out their sign up schedules. Our teachers are amazing and always accommodating, but I also ask that families please keep your conferences to these two available dates for our conference schedule. Conferences can be held in person or virtually.

Have a great weekend! Katherine

# FROM THE DISTRICT

# **TAG REFERRAL WINDOW OPENS**

Parents interested in referring their student for TAG can now submit an application online. You can find the link to the application on the Bridlemile school website: Bridlemile>Academics>Talented & Gifted or click here: Bridlemile-Academics-TAG You can also access the TAG Referral Guidance for Families here: Family Guidance

# **PARENT TAG OFFICE HOURS**

NEW! Parent Office Hours with the TAG Department. The October focus will be the TAG referral process. The next meeting will be Wednesday, October 26 6:00-7:00 PM Zoom link A list of questions and answers from past meetings are in this FAQ document.

# TAG Family Night Translations

Translated videos of the TAG Family Night presentation are available on the PPS website for the supported languages English」 Español 【 Tiếng Việt 】中文 【 Soomaali 【 Русский

# FROM THE OFFICE

#### PARENTVUE STUDENT VERIFICATION DUE OCT 28TH

The deadline to complete your Parentvue Yearly Student Verification is October 28th. After the 28th, if you try to login to Parentvue you will get a message that prompts you to complete the YV before you can access your account.

\*\*\*It is important to have your account active so that you are able to see your student's quarterly report cards.

The verification process only takes a few minutes to complete and only one parent/guardian needs to login to complete it. If you are unable to complete online and would like to have a paper copy of your student's profile to review, please contact the office. Thank you!

# **FROM THE LIBRARY**

# **OBOB** (Oregon Battle of the Books)

OBOB (Oregon Battle of the Books) is returning to Bridlemile this winter. OBOB is a fun, voluntary statewide reading program that encourages 3rd-12th graders to read a variety of books in order to compete with other teams by answering comprehension questions.

Ms. Dahinden recently introduced OBOB to the 3rd-5th graders and handed out permission slips/team registration forms. **Team registration forms are due November 3rd.** Return forms to the library Tuesdays-Fridays.

Questions? Check out <a href="https://www.oregonbattleofthebooks.org/">https://www.oregonbattleofthebooks.org/</a> or reach out to Jennifer Baldwin <a href="mailto:jendenother@gmail.com">jendenother@gmail.com</a>

# **PTA/FOUNDATION NEWS**

# **Bridlemile Monster Mash Costume Party**



# BRIDLEMILE MONSTER MASH COSTUME PARTY

DJ, Snacks, and FUN!

**Volunteers Needed!:** <a href="https://signup.com/go/zgswdcm">https://signup.com/go/zgswdcm</a>

The Bridlemile Monster Mash Costume Party is on for **Saturday, October 29th.** Students are encouraged to come in costume and ready to dance with special guest DJ Justin! Snacks and water will be available. **Parents/caregivers**, please note this is a drop-off event for the kiddos, but all are welcome to stay (if you do, please <u>volunteer!</u>)

#### Saturday, October 29th

Grades K-2: 4:00PM - 5:00PM Grades 3-5: 5:30PM - 7:00PM Location: Bridlemile Cafeteria

Cost: Suggested donation \$10 <u>Donate Here</u>. This event is inclusive and ALL ARE WELCOME! Please consider donating to cover PTA costs to make this fun event happen for all students.

#### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

#### **Volunteers**

This is an easy event for folks to volunteer for because our biggest requirement is to keep an eye on the doors (as this is a drop-off event for the kiddos). <u>Use this link to sign up</u>. If you are planning to stay with your kids at the dance, please volunteer and watch our little monsters party!

Also, do you like to set up photo booths? Email <u>volunteer@bridlemileschool.org</u> and come help us make one for the party!

# **Decorations**

Donate (or let us borrow) some of your spooky inspired decorations for the dance. Specifically, we would love to get as many festive string lights as we can. From October 24-28, the PTA will have a box

at the front entrance to the school to drop off any decoration donations (please label anything you want returned). Email volunteer@bridlemileschool.org if you have any questions!



# **Bridlemile Annual Auction - Save the Date!**

# **Bridlemile Families - We Need Your Donations for our Auction!**

Our Annual Auction will be **Friday March 11th** at the World Forestry Center - More details coming soon! As we prepare for the auction, we need your help...

# WE NEED YOUR DONATIONS FOR OUR AUCTION! PLEASE, THINK ABOUT WHAT YOU HAVE ACCESS TO:

- Vacation Houses: these bring in our large donations
- Travel: Flights, Hotel Vouchers, Resorts
- Event Tickets: Thorns, Timbers, Ducks, Beavers, Concerts, Ballet, Symphony
- Experiences: a photo shoot, golf lessons, art lessons, private excursions, private pub dinner for 8 at your friend's restaurant
- Coveted Items: bags, sports apparel, team gear, designer apparel
- Professional Services: could offer a service including, design work, home repair. A great opportunity to expose the Bridlemile community to your services!
- Gift Cards: any amount, any type. We'll take them all.
- Help us with Procurement: Do you know a business that you think would donate an item or

service to our Silent Auction? Please reach out to the Foundation bridlemilefoundation@gmail.com and connect with us!

This is our largest fundraiser of the year - and with your help, we can meet our fundraising goals!

Follow us on Instagram at @bridlemile school for updates!

\*\*\*Bridlemile Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization, so your donation may be tax deductible, as the law allows.

# 10/23 Garden Work Party

Sun. Oct 23, 2022 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Hello, and thank you!

For October's Work Party we will be focusing on the clearing of the beds against the back wall, the U-shaped garden, the herb garden on pathway and our biggest need of all, continuing to dig out the invasive roses in the swale. Bring your gloves and your tools. Pitch forks will be an especially useful tool.

Looking forward to seeing you. For questions on the day of the work party reach out to Lauren at 503-799-0318.

Lauren Barton (Carson and Sienna gr.3) <a href="mailto:Garden@bridlemileschool.org">Garden@bridlemileschool.org</a> <a href="https://links.signup.com">https://links.signup.com</a>

# **School Cluster News/Community News**

Ida B. Wells Girl's Youth Lacrosse IBW Girl's youth Lacrosse Flyer

Lincoln Dance Team Clinic Lincoln Dance Team Clinic Flyer

Oregon State University Summer Reading Program 2023

Tech Youth Soccer 2022-23 (English) (Spanish)

Multnomah Early Child Program Preschool Classes

Oregon Health Insurance Marketplace Open Enrollment, Nov. 1 - Jan. 15

Kaiser Permanente CASCADIA COVID-19 screening study (English) (Spanish) (Russian) (Amharic)

(Chinese) (Vietnamese)

<u>School Website</u> 503-916-6292 Office <u>bridlemile-office@pps.net</u> Friday Flyer Archives: <u>School Website</u>

PTA/Foundation: <u>Parent Resources / Bridlemile</u>
PTA Website: <u>https://bridlemileschool.or</u>
Social Media: <u>Like our Facebook Page</u>
Instagram: @ bridlemile beagles

