

Peninsula Family Post

March 3, 2023

Upcoming Events- March

March 6- Ockley Green Preview to 6th Grade 5:30-6:30pm

March 8- PTA meeting 6:00-7:30pm

March 9- LAST DAY OF SUN SCHOOL

March 15- Pie Pick Up 2-3:30pm

March 19- Metro Refresh playground clean up

March 23- Burgerville Dine Out Night 5-8pm

March 27-31- Spring Break

If you have topics you'd like me to address, please reach out to me: cskelly@pps.net. -Claire

Successful Schools Survey

Its Successful Schools Survey time again. Please take a moment to tell us how we're doing.

[Here's a link](#) to more information.

Please complete your survey [HERE](#).

PREVIEW

TO

6TH
GRADE

OCKLEY GREEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

MARCH 6 5:30 - 6:30

THE OCKLEY WAY



CARING, GROWTH,
COLLABORATION

6031 N MONTANA AVE.

CAMP FIRE'S SPRING BREAK COMIC CON WEEK!

3/27 - 3/31 7AM - 6PM



SITES INCLUDE:

- **SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL: 3421 SE SALMON ST, PORTLAND, OR 97214**
- **PENINSULA ELEMENTARY: 8125 N EMERALD AVE, PORTLAND, OR 97217**

Please join us for a fun week filled with many activities that will give students the opportunity to create, innovate and explore!



REG QUESTIONS?

PLEASE CONTACT:

Registration team:
ppsreg@campfirecolumbia.org

FOR SUNNYSIDE:

mmatias@campfirecolumbia.org

FOR PENINSULA:

svera@campfirecolumbia.org

Connect to Kinder

Are you the parent of a young'un ready for Kindergarten in September 2023?
Come meet the staff at Peninsula and learn about our program.

Virtual Connect Event: **Thursday, April 13th** at 5:30pm
(Location: Zoom/Google Meet link TBA)

In-Person Connect Event: **Thursday, May 18th** at 5:30pm
(Location: Peninsula Cafetorium and Kinder classrooms)

Click [here](#) to View our Connect to Kinder Slideshow

To register for Kindergarten online, visit www.pps.net/kinderenroll.

23-24 Staffing

We've submitted our staffing plan for the 23-24 school year. Thank you Site Council for the conversation around our spending options. If you are interested in learning more about the Peninsula academic data that contributed to some staffing choices, or if you'd like to learn more about Peninsulas projections and district allocations for 23-24 click here: [Link to Peninsula data and staffing slides](#)

A Message from our School Social Worker

General info: Please click [here](#) and check out the full list of past resources shared. Most of these are ongoing resources available. If you or your family needs access to additional resources (energy assistance, mental health, childcare, food boxes, clothing, etc.) please feel free to reach out via phone or text at my work cell 971.276.1759 - hablo español. I work part time and I'm in the school and available via phone Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

NEW: Are you needing additional clothing for your children? PPS has a clothing closet full of gently used clothing for families in need. Reach out for a referral if so- parents can "shop" for their kids Mondays and Thursdays 10-1, or if those hours don't work we can request a bag of clothes to be sent to the school.

Two Rivers Books & Weird Sisters Yarn

Book: My Powerful Hair (publishes on March 21, 2023)

Event Date: Sunday, March 26, 11:00 AM

Cost: Free to attend

My Powerful Hair is a healing celebration of hair and its significance across Indigenous cultures.

On Sunday, March 26, join us at Two Rivers Bookstore for a presentation and reading from author Carole Lindstrom and illustrator Steph Littlebird. There will be time following the presentation for questions and book signing.

Copies of [My Powerful Hair](#) can be purchased in advance for shipping or pickup on the day of the event.

Carole Lindstrom is the award-winning and bestselling author of [We Are Water Protectors](#). She is Anishinaabe/Métis and an enrolled citizen of the Turtle Mountain Band of Ojibwe.

Steph Littlebird is an Indigenous artist, writer, curator, and a member of Oregon's Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde. She is from Portland.

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Help us celebrate with a donation to NAYA!
For more information & to donate



Written by award-winning author
New York Times bestseller
CAROLE LINDSTROM and award-winning artist
STEPH LITTLEBIRD

Two Rivers Bookstore
8836 N Lombard St

Norovirus Information

Norovirus is a very contagious virus that causes vomiting and diarrhea. Anyone can get infected and sick with norovirus. You can get norovirus from:

- Having direct contact with an infected person
- Consuming contaminated food or water
- Touching contaminated surfaces and then putting your unwashed hands in your mouth

The following link will provide more information:

<https://www.cdc.gov/norovirus/index.html>