



Upcoming Events and Calendar Dates

Monday, March 27th-31st

- Spring Break- No School

Monday, April 3rd

- Spring SUN School begins

Monday, April 3rd

- Families of Black Students Affinity group
 - 5:45 PM - 7:00 PM MPR

Wednesday, April 5th

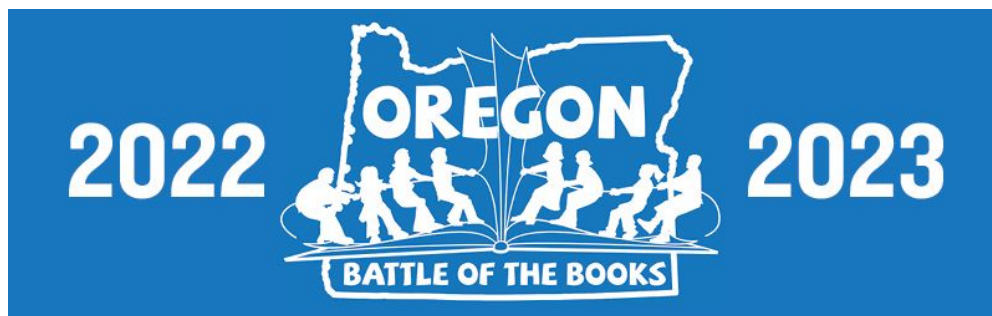
- Las Familias Affinity Group in MPR 5:30 PM
- LGBTQ+ Affinity Group Room 116 5:30 PM

Friday, April 7th

- End of Quarter 3

Monday, April 10th

- Teacher Planning Day- No School for Students



Congratulations to our Oregon Battle Of the Books Regional Qualifying teams:

The Frying Pans for Elementary and The Rose City Readers for Middle School.

Frying Pans: Cricket Camas, Otto Brown, Ayla Gordon, and Grove Toulson

Rose City Readers: Townsend Clifford, Maianna Lund, and Sydnee Nystrom.

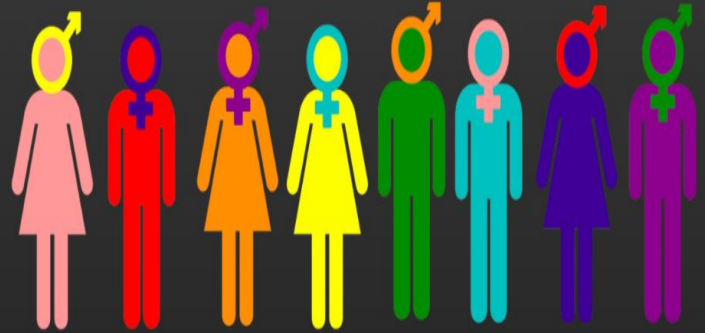
Vernon OBOB participants worked hard to read 15 titles for elementary and 16 titles for middle school. The students then compete to answer the most questions about the books in a competition. Congratulations to the students for all of their hard work! We also want to thank Mrs. Belcher and Mrs. Wilkins for the time and support they put into making OBOB a fun experience for all of the students who participated.

Wings of Freedom, Vernon Gay Straight Alliance presents



Vernon Pride Week

April 11-14



CELEBRATION OF the LGBTQIA+ MOVEMENT:

**the promotion of the self-affirmation, dignity, equality,
and increased visibility of (LGBT) people as a social group.**

Tuesday April 11
Pride Week Kick Off Celebration
Assembly

Friday April 14
Day of Silence Protest Parade March

Pride Week Dress Up Days:

Tuesday: Tie Dye

Wednesday: Rainbow

Thursday: Favorite **Pride** Flag

Friday: Black for Day of Silence

**HEY VERNON,
SAVE THE DATE!**

**end of the
school year
celebration**

OWL FEST

**Saturday, June 3rd
3:00 - 7:00**



**All Vernon families and community members are welcome to
join in and celebrate the end of an incredible school year!**

**WE NEED
(A LOT OF)
VOLUNTEERS**

**Vernon Parent Band
Food Trucks
Bounce House + Slide
Silent Bidding
Games + Activities**

**email vernonpta@gmail.com to get involved
in this awesome community event**

VERNON OWL FEST

Saturday, June 3rd 3:00pm - 7:00pm

WAYS TO GET INVOLVED

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SILENT BIDDING TEAM

- Gather donations from local business
- Acquire donations for items / events from Vernon families
- Coordinate and track donated items at event

OWL FEST ACTIVITIES TEAM

- Coordinate game and booth ideas
- Run an activity booth or game at Owl Fest
- Sell wristbands at event entrance

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FACILITATE CLASSROOM ART PROJECTS

- Volunteer to facilitate the Classroom Art Project in your child's room that is sold in the silent bidding event

SET UP TEAM

- Work together to set up Owl Fest
 - Games / Booths / Activities Area
 - Dining Area
 - Silent Bidding Area

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CLEAN UP TEAM

- Work together to clean up Owl Fest
 - Games / Booths / Activities Area
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MARKETING TEAM

- Advertise Event - social media posts, flyers in local shops, signs around Vernon
- Sell Owl Fest merch before and at event

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VERNON PARENT BAND

- Join the Vernon Parent Band and perform a live set with your new bandmates at Owl Fest

VOLUNTEER FOR A TEAM - vernonptavolunteers@gmail.com

CLASSROOM ART - simone.nagle.msw@gmail.com

VERNON PARENT BAND - oscarmurden@gmail.com



PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS



**JEFFERSON
HIGH SCHOOL**

5210 North Kerby Ave
Portland, Oregon 97217



- * Enjoy summer fun activities
- * Prepare to be successful in high school
- * Meet your teachers and classmates
- * Explore different career pathways
- * Earn .5 high school elective credit

LEAP INTO 9TH GRADE

JULY 17 - AUGUST 4, 2023

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

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- "It was useful for getting prepared for the school year."
- "I know the school now and met some teachers."
- "I won't get so lost on my first day. This school is like a maze!"
- "I got better at math because that is my worst subject."
- "I made some friends before school starts so I will know some people."



9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

QUESTIONS? Talk to your counselor
or call (503) 916-5180
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PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS



**MCDANIEL
HIGH SCHOOL**

2735 NE 82nd Ave
Portland, OR 97220



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PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS



**BENSON TECH
@ MARSHALL**

3905 SE 91st Ave
Portland, Oregon 97266



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PORTLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS



**GRANT
HIGH SCHOOL**

2245 NE 36th Ave
Portland, Oregon 97212



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Vernon SUN School Class Schedule - Spring 2023

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3:15-3:35pm	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	Check-in & Supper cafeteria	
BLOCK 1 Classes: 3:40-4:40pm	Contemporary Ceramics Mr. Brett of Mudshark Studios (Kinder-3rd) Mon & Wed	Academic Start & Cup Stacking Ms. Nikki (K-3rd)	Contemporary Ceramics Mr. Brett of Mudshark Studios (Kinder-3rd) Mon & Wed	Piano, Maker's Space, & Academics Mr. Munya & Ms. Nikki (K-3rd) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
	Math & Reading Ms. Bruce & Ms. Mashia (2nd & 3rd) Mon & Wed <small>Continued from Fall Term - By teacher recommendation)</small>	Garden Ms. Jane (K-2nd)	Math & Reading Ms. Bruce & Ms. Mashia (2nd & 3rd) Mon & Wed <small>Continued from Fall Term - By teacher recommendation)</small>	Lego Robotics Scott of Saturday Academy (3rd-5th) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
	Academic Start & Sports & Games Mr. Albino (4th-8th)	Spanish Ms. Barbara (3rd-5th)	Academic Start & Tabletop Games Ms. Nikki (3rd-5th)		
	Video Game Design (Scratch) Ms. Nikki (4th-8th)	Basketball Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) Tues & Thurs; Friday Games @SEI	Vernon Inspired: School Beautification Project Ms. Maya & Ms. Anna (5th-8th) ENDS AT 5:30	Basketball Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) Tues & Thurs; Friday Games @SEI ENDS AT 5:30pm	Basketball GAMES Coach Nathan (4th & 5th) <u>Family must provide transportation to SEI Center</u>
		Northwest Children's Theater (3rd-8th)		Creative Writing Ms. J (6th-8th) ENDS AT 5:30pm	
BLOCK 2 Classes 4:45-5:30pm	Sports & Games Mr. Albino	Sports & Games Coach Nathan	Sports & Games Ms. Sincere		
	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki	Maker's Space Ms. Nikki		
	Ceramics Mr. Brett	Cultural Arts Barbara	Ceramics Mr. Brett		

Program Daily Schedule Mon- Thurs

Time	Activity	Locations
3:15-3:35	Check-in & Supper in cafeteria	Cafeteria
3:40-4:40pm	Block 1 Classes	See class schedule
4:45-5:30pm	Block 2 Classes	See class schedule
5:30pm	<i>Dismissal</i>	Main Entrance



SUN Site Manager:

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Extended-day Coordinator & Family Resource Navigator:

Sincere 503-850-8418

sincerec@selfenhancement.org

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-  Both SIM Card and 10.1 inch Tablet are **FREE** with NO Strings Attached for Qualified ACP (Affordable Connectivity Program) Applicants.



Here are a few pictures from our tree planting on Friday! Vernon has 16 new trees that were planted courtesy of a partnership with Urban Forestry. This is a program run by Portland Parks and Recreation. Not only were the trees acquired at no cost for us, they planted them and will water them in for five years. This is the most exciting part, as summer care tends to be the downfall of most school site tree plantings. The planting plan is on the next page. It includes a site map and legend indicating the types of trees planted. We hope you all are able to enjoy some shade the trees will provide over time! Thanks to Jane Johnston- Vernon Garden coordinator for her work coordinating this planting!

New Trees at Vernon!



Vernon K-8 School - 2044 NE Killingsworth 2023 Proposed Tree Planting Plan

