



Vernon's Weekly Newsletter

Friday, May 19, 2023



#### Upcoming Events and Calendar Dates

Saturday, May 20th
Kinder Meet and Greet 11-12 on Playground

<u>Sunday, May 21st</u>

• Garden Work Party 10-12

Friday, May 26th
Principal's Coffee Hour meet.google.com/odr-xgja-zwo

Monday, May 29th Memorial Day- No School

Tuesday, May 30th Spring Book Fair Begins

Saturday, June 3rd

• Vernon Owl Fest 3-7PM

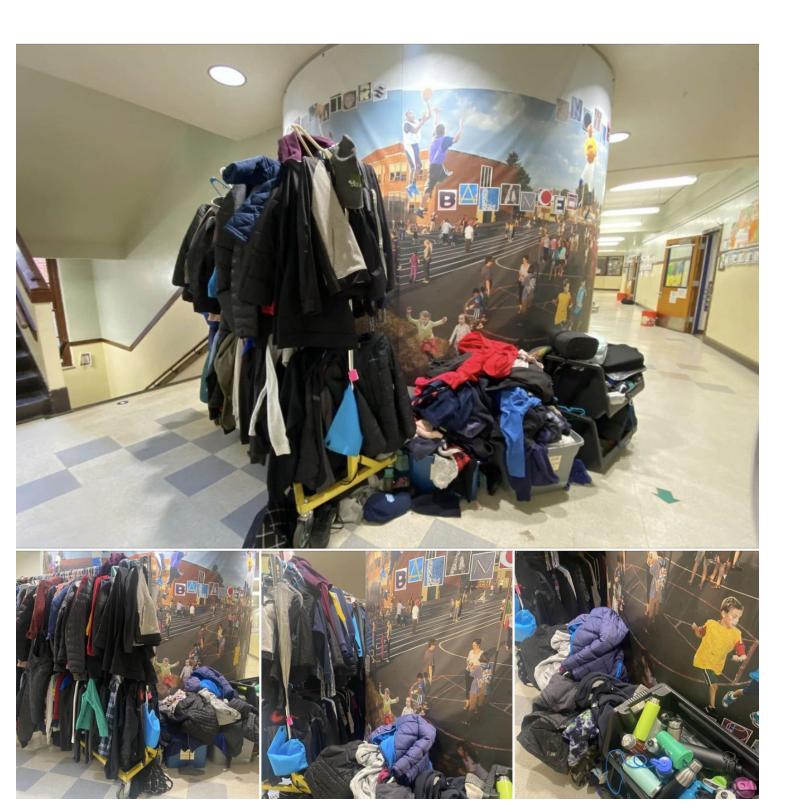
Each Spring Vernon staff begin the process of forming classes for the coming school year. Information from homeroom and support teachers about each student's progress, skill levels, special needs, social and emotional characteristics, and learning styles is considered in determining appropriate placement. Our goal is balanced classrooms that help increase the chances of students reaching their full potential.

This form gives you the opportunity as parent/guardian to express your thoughts and to contribute to the process of class placement. We ask that you do not request a particular teacher, but instead let us know what type of classroom environment would suit your child's needs best.

Parents/guardians may complete our class placement form by the end of the day, Friday, May 26th. Our classroom, specials, counselors, and support teachers all work together to help make the best placement we can. Mr. Keefer and Mrs. Earle make the final decisions for class placements.

Click on this link in order to fill out the parent input survey.

Lost and found items will be available for anyone who wants what is on the racks this week. We have held onto items for quite some time. We are at the point of giving them away to anyone who wants them. After this week they will be washed and donated to a clothing closet. Come give our lost items a new home!



## Hey Vernon Students + Families,

We want you to join us in celebrating this awesome school year at Owl Fest next month!



\$5 Wristbands for Unlimited Giant Bounce Slide + Obstacle Course, Booth Games, Tug o War, and more!

Food Vendors Fuego Burritos + Bowls Stoopid Burger Kulfi Popsicles Kona Shave Ice Nico's Ice Cream (3:00-5:00) Sugar Cloud (5:00-7:00)

#### Fundraising + Silent Bid

Raffle Tickets with Prizes Classroom Art Projects Restaurant Gift Cards Local Experiences Principal for a Day Night at Hogwarts

## Entertainment Provided by the Vernon Parent Band!

## **Calling All Volunteers**

We need help from our incredible community to pull this off - here are a few ways you can help:

- Set Up or Clean Up Crew
- Lead a booth game at the event
- Sell wristbands and raffle tickets before or during the event
- Manage the line at the bounce slide
- Help kids into and out of the obstacle course
- Call the winner at tug o war
- Help people check out at the end of the silent bid
- Work the Owl Fest Merch table

Sign Up Here on Sign Up Genius or check this week's Owl Post to see the full list of available jobs and join the volunteer team today!

We are still acquiring items for the silent bid - if your family or business would like to donate items, experiences, services, or gift certificates, we would love to include them in our fundraising efforts. Email <u>vernonpta@gmail.com</u> to contribute.

Here are examples of items donated by Vernon families in previous years:

- Time at Vacation Home
- Hosting a Dinner Party
- Cooking Class
- Fitness Class
- Canning Class
- Boat Ride + BBQ
- Garden Design

YOU'RE INVITED! You can watch or march in the Portland Rose Festival Fred Meyer Junior Parade! It's the nation's **OLDEST** and **LARGEST** kids parade, and **YOU** are invited! It's FREE AND OPEN TO EVERYONE, age 12 and under!

WEDNESDAY June 7th, 2022 - 1:00pm Meet up at the corner of NE 52nd & Sandy Blvd. starting at noon for some fun entertainment and decorations ready for you to use!

# KIDS, THIS IS YOUR PARADE!

Grab your family and some friends and march (or watch!) this parade through Portland's historic Hollywood District - decorate a bike, trike, scooter, wagon, stick-horse, pogo-stick or dress up to **celebrate kids in Portland!** 

rosefestival.org FOR MORE INFORMATION! We can't wait to see you there!

Hey Kids -

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Fred Meyer

Wednesday

June 7.

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# Hola, chicos ESTA ES UNA INVITACIÓN PARA USTEDES!



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Pueden mirar o marchar en el Desfile de Portland Rose Festival de Fred Meyer! ¿SABÍAN? Es el desfile para niños más **ANTIGUO** y más **GRANDE** de la nación, y itodos **ÚSTEDES** están invitados! ¡Es **GRATIS** y todos los niños menores de l2 años

pueden **PARTICIPAR!** 

MIÉRCOLES, 7 de junio de 2023-1:00 p.m. ¡Nos vemos en la esquina de NE 52nd & Sandy Blvd. al mediodía para algo de entretenimiento divertido y con decoraciones listas para que ustedes CHICOS, ¡ESTE DESFILE ES DE USTEDES! las puedan usar!

Traigan a su familia y a algunos amigos para desfilar (jo mirar!) a través del histórico distrito Hollywood de Portland. ¡Decoren una bicicleta, un triciclo, un escúter, un caballo de palo, un palo de saltos o disfrácense para **celebrar a los** niños de Portland!

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VISITEN rosefestival.org PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN! ¡Tenemos muchas ganas de verlos allí!







# YMCA Before and After School Programs

At the YMCA students can extend their school learning beyond the bell in a safe, enriching environment. As we operate out of Portland Public School Buildings we have the opportunity to partner with schools and offer a well-rounded and consistent school experience.

## OPEN REGISTRATION Tuesday, May 30 | 7AM

#### YMCA OF COLUMBIA-WILLAMETTE 9500 SW Barbur Blvd. Ste. 200 Portland, OR 97219 503.654.5437 | central@ymcacw.org









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#### STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

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

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QUESTIONS? Talk to your counselor or call (503) 916-5220

REGISTER ONLINE AT bit.ly/2023leapinto9th

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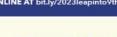
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