



Vernon IB World School

IBelieve. IBelong. IBecome.
Come grow with us.



The Owl Post

Vernon's Weekly Newsletter

Friday, May 26, 2023



Upcoming Events and Calendar Dates

Monday, May 29th

- Memorial Day- No School

Tuesday, May 30th

- Spring Book Fair Begins
- LGBTQ+ Pride Month Begins

Saturday, June 3rd

- Vernon Owl Fest 3-7PM

Monday, June 5th

5:45 PM - 7:00 PM

Families of Black Students Affinity group

Wednesday, June 7th

5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

LGBTQ+ Affinity Group

Las Familias Affinity Group

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Online Book Fair:

- <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/vernon>
- The Book Fair will also be available online for two weeks starting Friday, May 26th and ending on Thursday, June 8th.
- It is important to note that if you buy items online the Buy One Get One Free Pricing does not apply. The Buy One Get One Free Pricing is only available for purchases in person at the times above.

Book Fair e-wallet

- If you can't make it to the book fair you can reserve a certain amount of money for your child to use at the fair. Please visit the link below for more information.
- <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/vernon>

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 vernonpta@gmail.com 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



May 26th, 2023

Dear Parents and Guardians,

During the school year, your student has had access to a personally assigned Chromebook for use during the school day and at home. **When we inventory these devices it is very important that your student has their Chromebook and charger with them at school. Vernon Inventory Day is Friday June 10th.**

If your student is completing 8th grade or if your student will not return to this school next year their assigned Chromebook will be collected. Please **be sure to send** the Chromebook and charger to school on our inventory day.

If you would like your student to keep their Chromebook during the summer months, please tick the appropriate box below and provide your signature as permission. Please also review the reverse side of this form to ensure that your student and you understand the rights and responsibilities of using a PPS-provided Chromebook. **The permission slip due date to keep a chromebook for the summer is Friday June 10th.**

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Chromebook IT#: _____ (Silver tag, begins with IT00-xxxxxx)

Please select one of the following:

- ☐ My student is in 8th grade and would like to check out a summer loaner.
 - ☐ We have reviewed and agree with the reverse side of this form.

- ☐ My student **WILL** keep their Chromebook during the summer.
 - ☐ We have reviewed and agree with the reverse side of this form.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____



Students and families are responsible for the proper use and care of their student assigned Chromebook.

- Food or drink should not be next to Chromebooks
- Chromebooks should be carried closed and held securely with two hands
- Chromebooks should not be used or stored near pets
- Heavy objects should never be placed on top of Chromebooks
- Chromebooks must remain free of any writing, drawing, permanent stickers, and labels that would alter the appearance of the Chromebook
- Chromebooks should never be loaned to another student or individual and student accounts should never be shared

Students and families are also responsible for understanding and following the PPS Responsible Use Policy:

Do Not...

- Share private information about yourself or others.
- Cause harm to others or damage to their property.
- Damage computer equipment, data or files.
- Pursue hacking.
- Copy or download copyrighted materials.
- Look at, send, copy or create material that is rude, inappropriate or meant to hurt someone's feelings.
- Steal information or music.
- Buy, sell or advertise merchandise unless it's part of a project.
- Install software on computers unless approved by teacher or District staff.

Be Aware...

- Only current students can use the District network. Your privilege of using technology can be taken away by staff or parents if you are engaging in inappropriate behavior.
- Understand the choices you make while on a computer or the internet. Tell an adult if you see something threatening or inappropriate happening.
- What you do online is not private or anonymous.

Do...

- Acknowledge that the District is providing a safe online experience as long as rules are followed.
- Access and use collaborative tools, safe sites, games and searches.
- Be respectful, responsible and safe while using devices.
- Communicate online in ways that are kind and respectful.
- Use only your account and not anyone else's and keep your account and password information private.

Hey Kids -

YOU'RE INVITED!



WHAT

DID YOU KNOW?

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!

WHEN

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!

HOW

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!



Fred Meyer

**Junior
Parade**
Wednesday
June 7,
2023

Hola, chicos

¡ESTA ES UNA INVITACIÓN PARA USTEDES!



QUÉ

¿SABÍAN?

¡Pueden mirar o marchar en el Desfile de Portland Rose Festival de Fred Meyer!
Es el desfile para niños más **ANTIGUO** y más **GRANDE** de la nación, y ¡todos
USTEDES están invitados! ¡Es **GRATIS** y todos los niños menores de 12 años
pueden **PARTICIPAR**!

CUÁNDO

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
las puedan usar!

CÓMO

CHICOS, ¡ESTE DESFILE ES DE USTEDES!

Traigan a su familia y a algunos amigos para desfilar (¡o 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 disfrácese para **celebrar a los
niños de Portland!**



¡VISITEN
rosefestival.org
PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN!

¡Tenemos muchas ganas de verlos allí!



100th ANNIVERSARY
Fred Meyer
1922 - 2022

**Junior
Parade**
**Miércoles
7 de
junio
de 2023**



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

LEARN. GROW. THRIVE.

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



Portland Public Schools
501 N. Dixon St. Portland, Or 97227
(503) 916-2000

Vernon Elementary School
2044 NE Killingsworth St.
Portland, Oregon 97211

Dear PPS Staff and Community,
The Portland Public Schools contractor Western Exterminator Company will be setting out rodent bait stations to a limited part of your campus. This letter is to inform you of this event and provide you with the proper notification as stated in the PPS Integrated Pest Management Plan, ORS 634.740(3).

Date of Application: 5/24/2023-6/30/2023
Target pest: Rodents
Location description: Along the school building and around dumpsters.
What prompted Application: Rodent activity
Chemical Description: Bell Laboratories Inc.
Fast Trac All Weather Blox
CAS# 63333-35-7

All products that we apply have been approved for use in Oregon school grounds by the State of Oregon. This state wide approval is based on the "low impact" characteristics of the product as designated by the US Environmental Protection Agency.

Peché Barteaux
Risk Management/EHS II
IPM Coordinator
503-916-3505
ipmcoordinator@pps.net

CALLING ALL SOFTBALL PLAYERS!

You're invited to

[PLAY SOFTBALL PORTLAND](#)

Sat. June 10

1:00-3:00 pm

McDaniel High School Softball Complex

A day to celebrate Portland's Softball Community

Brought to you by: FRIENDS OF BASEBALL

Sponsored by: MARINERS ON BASE 365

Hosted by: PIL ATHLETICS

Whether you're new to the game or an experienced ballplayer,

IT'S TIME to take the field and [PLAY SOFTBALL!](#)

For youth ages 5 -13 yrs

No experience necessary, all equipment will be provided

NO COST - free to all participants

Featuring:

- Softball Skills Stations for beginning and intermediate players
- Skilled Coach Trainers from FOB's GIRLS LEAD SOFTBALL PROGRAM, SOFTBALL U, USA SOFTBALL, and the MARINERS TRAINING CENTER
- VIP Guest, LAUREN CHAMBERLAIN, MLB Softball Ambassador and Women's Professional Fastpitch Commissioner
- Ballpark Hot Dog Meal for all participants
- Cool Giveaways - Bat & Softball Set, PLAYBALL T-shirt, and NIKE swag for all youth
- Face Painting by Mystique's Fancy Faces
- Interactive History Lesson, "The Women of Negro Leagues Baseball" presented by Nikki Brown Clown

[REGISTER TODAY](#)



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."
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- "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
REGISTER ONLINE AT bit.ly/2023leapinto9th



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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