



Vernon IB World School

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The Owl Post

Vernon's Weekly Newsletter

Thursday, January 5, 2017

Happy 2017! Come grow with us.



*Some outstanding Staff not pictured, better picture coming soon! 😊

Happy New Year Vernon Families and Friends! We hope that our extended break was full of good times with loved ones. We sure missed the smiling faces of our Vernon Owls. It was great to welcome everyone back this week. It's going to be an amazing 2017! Please note the upcoming events and join us for an exciting next 7 days @ Vernon!

TONIGHT! Thursday, January 5: SUN Presents: Mobile Black History Museum @ Vernon!
(MPR, 5:30pm-7:30pm, dinner included) *please see page 2 for details on this special event!

Monday, January 9: Site-Council (MPR, 5:45-7:00pm)

Tuesday, January 10: Families of Black Students (MPR, 5:30pm), **Familias of Hispanic Students** (Room 116, 5:30pm)

Wednesday, January 11: PTA Meeting (MPR: 5:45-7:30, dinner at 5:45)

PTA Meeting Agenda

- ✓ Welcome Back and PTA updates (Lisa & Janet)
- ✓ Treasurer's Report (Todd)
- ✓ Brainstorm ideas for improving inclusion and access to our annual auction. We will consider ideas for changing the current model as well as potentially adding a social event not focused on fundraising. (Deborah)
- ✓ Art Committee presentation of budget, projects & plans, and long term vision (Dulcinea)
- ✓ School update from Ben & Brad
- ✓ Learn about plans for Emergency Planning Workshop in February which will be led by Mercy Corp *see pg. 6 (Jennifer Kerns)

Live @ Vernon tonight!

5:30-7:30pm: MPR



FEATURED IN MAJOR NEWS OUTLETS:



THE
HUFFINGTON
POST



EBONY.COM

HIPHOP DX
www.hiphopdx.com

The
Detroit
News

Chicago Tribune

The Black History 101 Mobile Museum (BH101MM) was founded by "the hip hop generation's Arthur Schomburg" Khalid el-Hakim. This unique award winning collection of over 7,000 original artifacts of Black memorabilia has traveled to 23 states, over 60 college campuses, numerous K-12 schools, libraries, conferences and cultural events for the past 10 years.

Some prominent artifacts featured in the collection include rare documents signed by: Martin Luther Kings, Jr., Malcolm X, Rosa Parks, Booker T. Washington, Fredrick Douglas, Dr. Dorothy Height, The Honorable Elijah Muhammad, Ralph Bunche, Coretta Scott King, Michael Jackson, Muhammad Ali, Shirley Chisholm, Barbara Jordan, Angela Davis and many others. The collection also has a rare slave bill of sale and shackles. The Black History 101 Mobile Museum has a variety of themed exhibits to fit the educational needs of our diverse clientele.



Khalid el-Hakim, Founder

For more information contact
call 313.645.4197 or email
bhistory101@yahoo.com

www.blackhistory101mobilemuseum.com

Vernon Talent Show!

The talent show will be held on March 24th at 1:00

- **Try outs will be on Wednesday, January 18th from 3:15-5:00 in the MPR.**
- **These permission slips are due Friday January 13th.**
- Students need to come to try outs with their act ready to perform!
- Acts can be no longer than 3 minutes.
- Once you declare your act and your group, you may NOT change it.
- You must return this permission slip in order to attend try outs.
- Turn in permission slip to your child's teacher or to Ms. Nehring in room 206.

My child _____
in room _____ (teacher's name) has permission to
attend talent show try outs on Wednesday, January 18th from 3:15-5:00
in the MPR.

I will pick my child up NO LATER than 5:00.

X _____

Phone number _____

Brief description of my child's act:

¡Concurso de talentos en Vernon!

El concurso será el 24 de marzo a la 1:00

- **Las audiciones serán el miércoles 18 de enero desde 3:15 hasta 5:00 en el MPR.**
 - **Este permiso se necesita entregar el viernes 13 de enero.**
 - ¡Estudiantes necesitan estar listos con su talento que quieren demostrar!
 - Los talentos no pueden durar más que 3 minutos.
 - Si su estudiante va a demostrar su talento con un grupo, no puede cambiar el grupo.
 - Su(s) estudiante(s) deben entregar este permiso para asistir la audición.
 - Por favor entreguen este permiso con el/la maestro/a de su(s) estudiante(s) o a la Señorita Nehring en el salón 206.
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Mi estudiante _____ en salón _____ (nombre de maestro/a) tiene permiso de asistir las audiciones para el concurso de talentos el miércoles 18 de enero desde las 3:15 hasta las 5:00 en el MPR.

Yo recogeré mi estudiante no más tarde que las 5:00

X _____

Número de teléfono _____

Descripción de talento de mi estudiante:

Hello Vernon Families and Happy New Year! SUN has available spots in a couple of classes.

Please contact the SUN office if you would like to enroll. Also, if you had a student enrolled in Chess for Success during fall term you will need to re-register for the class. You can pick up a form from the main office or the SUN office.



3rd-5th grade

Mon-Thurs: 3:20-5:20

Portland Metro = Students will have a chance to participate in nature education with Metro's Youth Engaging in Nature project. Students will be able to participate in activities that include field trips, gardening, identifying native plants and berries, and on-site nature projects.

3rd-5th grade

Thurs: 4:20-5:20

Performing Arts = Come join a group of college students as they teach acting, dancing, and singing! Can't wait to have fun and play games!

2nd-4th grade

Tue/Thurs: 3:20-5:20

Airway Science = Utilizing science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and the Next Generation Science Standards, instructors provide a series of engineering and aeronautics lessons that are fun and engaging while inspiring positive STEM experiences with youth at an early age.

2nd-3rd grade

Tue/Thur 3:20-4:20

Reading/Math Success = Do you have a student who could benefit from additional math or reading support? If so, select this activity on your Class Choice Form. These are small group tutoring sessions taught by Vernon Certified teachers.

3rd-8th

Thurs: 3:20-5:20

Vernon Choir

2nd grade

Thurs: 4:20-5:20

Revoluting Children = When Matilda gets rid of the Trunchbull with her magical powers, everyone thinks they can live happily ever after! But when a new teacher arrives, things at Chrunchem Primary are worse than ever! Our teacher will guide students through a Matilda story while teaching projection, expression, and character development. Come for a magical and revolutionary time!

2nd-3rd grade

Tue/Thur 4:20-5:20

Basketball



Michelle Tellis - Self Enhancement, Inc.
SUN Site Manager- Vernon
503.916.6559-Office
michellet@selfenhancement.org

2016-2017 8th Grade Information Nights

Roosevelt High School

Jan. 6, 6-7:30 pm followed by Varsity Girl's basketball game

"Discover Franklin" High School @ Marshall Campus

Jan 10, 6:30-8:30pm

Metropolitan Learning Center

Jan. 11, 9:30-11am

Jan. 18, 6-7:30pm

Feb 15, 9:30-11am

March 22 at 6-7:30pm

Lincoln High School

Feb. 2, 6:30-8:30pm

Cleveland High School

"Bridging the Gap"

Feb. 9, 7-9 pm

For questions or concerns, feel free to contact April Mears: amears@pps.net or 503-916-6415



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Are YOU prepared for the next earthquake?

Feb 8, 2017
Vernon Elementary
5:30-8pm



The Pacific Northwest experiences a subduction-zone earthquake roughly once every 230 years. There is a 37% chance of a subduction earthquake occurring in the next 50 years. When the next one comes, the loss of life and property will likely be catastrophic.

We Will Cover

- The risks and impacts of a Cascadia subduction zone earthquake
- What you can do to prepare in your home, community and school

Childcare Provided

With age-appropriate preparedness activities

Dinner Provided

It may be closer than you think



Home



Community



Schools

Vernon Elementary School 2044 NE Killingsworth, Portland, OR 97211



SUSAN ROMANSKI

US Director for Disaster Preparedness and
Community Resilience



Vernon Families- We've had some cold weather lately, especially with the wind chill, and wanted to connect with a few options for making sure all students are safe and warm.

1. Please make sure your children come to school ready for cold weather. Winter jackets, hats, scarves, gloves, and boots are great. Please also make sure that clothing is labeled with student names and grade levels in case it is misplaced.
2. On colder days, students will have the option of the gym or MPR during recess times.
3. On the next page is the application form for the Portland Council PTA Clothing Center. If your family is in need of assistance, please come to the main office for assistance in filling out the form and needed signatures.
4. If you have extra winter clothes at home that you would like to donate to the PTA Clothing Center, please bring them to the main office this week.

Please let us know if you have any questions and thanks for your support!

PORTLAND COUNCIL PTA CLOTHING CENTER

Franklin @ Marshall HS Campus: 3905 SE 91st Ave. Room B-60, Portland, OR 97266
503.293.0783 ptaclothingcenter@comcast.net for information

2016 – 2017 APPLICATION

Open
Mondays & Thursdays (except on school closure days)

September – April 27
10:00 am – 1:00 pm *

**One student per application form. To be filled out by his/her school.
PLEASE PRINT**

Last Name _____ First Name _____

Birth Date: ___/___/___ M ___ F ___ Age ___ Grade ___ Sizes: Pants ___ Shirt ___ Shoes ___

Parents Email: _____ PHONE _____

School _____ School phone (503) 916- _____

School Principal, Secretary or Counselor Signature

_____/_____/_____
Date

(Invalid after 30 days)

2nd visit must be more than 60 days after 1st visit

**APPLICANT WILL BE REFUSED SERVICE IF FORM IS NOT COMPLETELY
FILLED OUT AND PROPERLY AUTHORIZED/SIGNED.**

The Mission of the Portland Council PTA Clothing Center is to provide school clothing based on need for children enrolled in Portland Public Schools, pre-K through the 12th grade. Used and new clothing are available on a limited basis as funds and resources allow. As an affiliated constituent of Oregon PTA, pledges that the PTA Clothing Center shall be open, without discrimination to anyone who believes in and supports the mission and purposes of National PTA.

The Tri-Met bus that runs close to the Marshall Campus is #9 Powell Blvd. and #17 Holgate. Please check with Tri-Met to find the closest bus route. www.trimet.org

Revised 07/16 **Please check in and out near the Franklin HS Main Office**

*If necessary, we may need to stop accepting names for shopping at 12:00pm or once 50 students per day has been reached.

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APLICACIÓN 2016 – 2017

Abierto

Lunes y jueves (excepto en días feriados)

Septiembre – Abril 27

10:00 am – 1:00 pm *

**Una aplicación por estudiante. Debe ser llenado por la escuela correspondiente.
POR FAVOR ESCRIBA CON LETRA DE MOLDE**

Apellido _____ Nombre _____

Fecha de Nacimiento: ___/___/___ M ___ F ___ Edad _____ Grado _____

Sizes: Pantalones ___ Camesa ___ Zapatos ___

Correo electrónico del padre: _____ TEL: _____

Escuela _____ Tel. Escuela (503) 916- _____

Firma del Director, Secretaria, o Consejero

_____/_____/_____
Fecha

2^{da} visita debe ser 60 despues de la 1^{ra} visita

(Es inválida después de 30 días)

**EL SOLICITANTE SERA REHUSADO EL SERVICIO SI LA APLICACION NO SE
LLENA COMPLETAMENTE Y SI NO ESTA AUTORIZADA/FIRMADA.**

La misión del Centro de Ropa del Concilio de Portland PTA es proporcionar ropa escolar basada en la necesidad de los niños inscritos en las Escuelas Públicas de Portland, desde el preescolar hasta el 12^o grado. Ropa usada y nueva está disponible limitadamente dependiendo de los fondos y recursos. Como un afiliado de la PTA de Oregon, prometemos que el Centro de Ropa de PTA estará abierto, sin discriminación a cualquier persona que crea y apoye la misión y propósitos de la PTA Nacional.

El autobús Tri-Met que pasa cerca del Edificio Marshall es el #9 Powell Blvd. y # 17 Holgate. Por favor, cheque en la página de Tri-Met para encontrar la ruta más cercana. www.trimet.org

Revisado 07/16 **Por favor registre su entrada y salida en la oficina principal de Franklin HS**

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