



Vernon IB World School

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The Owl Post

Vernon's Weekly Newsletter

Thursday, May 18, 2017



STEAM Fair winners to compete at OMSI on Saturday!

This Saturday from 10am-12pm @ OMSI is the district STEAM showcase! Free parking in the OMSI lot. Our Vernon representatives:

Logan Hendrickson, 3rd: Engineer & Design: *Home made white board.*

Solan Adair, 3rd: Science Inquiry: *Beach Erosion*

Logan Mafchir-Werth, 4th: Science Inquiry: *Microscopic organisms*

Ruby Fenger, 4th: Engineer & Design: *Lights out contraption*

Ella Amos, 5th: Science Inquiry: *Mummy preservation*

John Acock, 5th: Engineer & Design: *Mini Ferris wheel*

SUN Updates!

*Last day of SUN is Wednesday May 24.

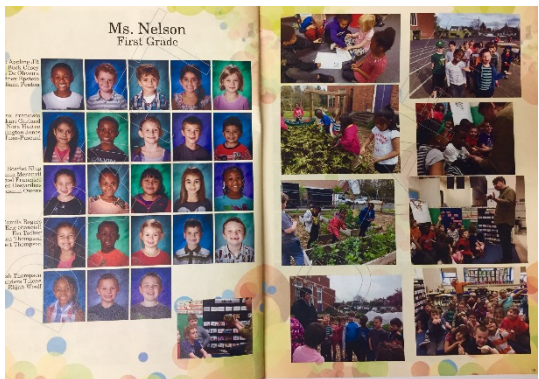
*SUN showcase Thursday, May 25 6-7:30pm. Salad and dessert bar for food.

- Register for SUN Summer Camp!!!

- Free 4 week camp here at Vernon.

- July 10-August 3. Monday-Thursday
8am-3pm

- Lots of fun and camp activities planned! Please contact Michelle Tellis at 503.916.6559 or 503.715.7412. Thank you!



2016-2017 Yearbooks!

Vernon yearbooks are on sale now outside the Main Office. Yearbooks are only \$15 each for 64 colorful pages of Vernon fun! Cash only. The Yearbook staff will be selling from 8:35 to 9:00am and from 3:00-3:30pm (1st week only) for pre-sales. A draft copy of the yearbook will be available for view.

- Close-out sale: Six (6) 2016 yearbooks are available for purchase. Only \$7.50 each. See Connie in the Office.



Volunteer Thanks – Tomorrow @ Vernon 2-3pm!

Calling all Vernon Volunteers! Vernon will be hosting a special Volunteer Appreciation event tomorrow, Friday, May 19 from 2:00-2:50pm. Come to the Main Office for special refreshments (2-2:20), then we'll go to the MPR for a special concert just for you by Vernon students, arranged by Ms. Bryan.

Thanks to our wonderful, wise Vernon Volunteers!



Student Meal Accounts: Important Info

-  **Free Meals**
-  **Menus**
-  **Allergy Info**
-  **Meal Payments**

Student meal accounts with positive or negative balances will carry over into next school year. Families can pay off negative account balances by cash or check in the Cafeteria, or online at www.myschoolbucks.com by June 15, 2017.

Families with positive account balances have the following options:

- Do nothing -- leave the funds in the account to pay for future school meals
- Request the balance be transferred to a sibling meal account
- Request a refund via the Cafeteria Lead (check will be sent within 4- 6 weeks)
- Request the funds be donated to help cover money owed on other student meal accounts

For more information, go to www.pps.net/nutrition, or call 503-916-3399.



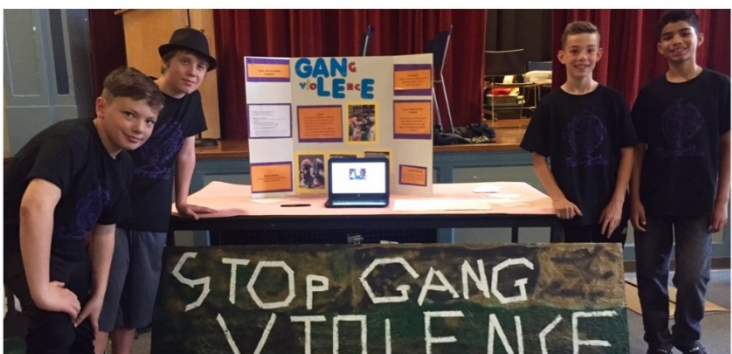
Vernon
CARNIVAL
FRIDAY JUNE 2nd 5 TO 8 PM
\$5 WRISTBAND
Includes all games, face painting, popcorn and snow cones!

UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendars* **EVENTS**

<i>Vernon Music Concert (K-4 + Choir)</i>	<i>Thursday, May 18</i>	<i>5:30-6:30pm - MPR</i>
<i>Vernon Music Concert (grades 5-8)</i>	<i>Friday, May 19</i>	<i>5:30-6:30pm - MPR</i>
<i>Volunteer Appreciation Social</i>	<i>Friday, May 19</i>	<i>2:00-2:50pm – Office & MPR</i>
<i>SMART Program celebration</i>	<i>Tues., May 23</i>	<i>Thanks for a great year!</i>
<i>Last day of SUN School</i>	<i>Wed., May 24</i>	<i>Thanks for a great year!</i>

IB Night & 5th Exhibition

Inquiry – Action – Inspiration.



2017

Vernon's #DailyHootOut

Did you know that every day Vernon posts a "hoot out," a celebration of learning and achievement, on Twitter and Facebook? Follow us @Vernon_IB or on our Facebook page "Vernon IB World School Community." Below are some recent highlights!



Vernon IBWorldSchool @Vernon_IB · now

A handful of Vernon students enjoyed the Timbers game on Sunday after winning the Compliments raffle! #DailyHootOut



Vernon IBWorldSchool @Vernon_IB · 11s

8th graders got to visit @OregonState University today! They got a campus tour, met with students, and did some STEAM work! #DailyHootOut



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Vernon IBWorldSchool @Vernon_IB · 22h

IBelieve IBelong IBecome student art. #DailyHootOut



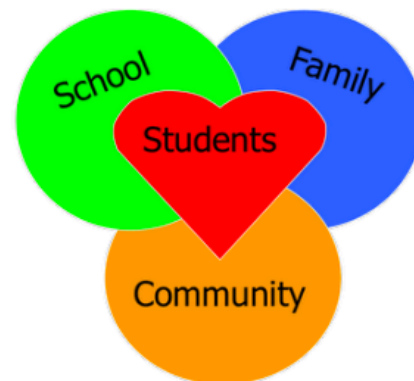
Vernon IBWorldSchool @Vernon_IB · now

Working hard to prep for our End of Year Concerts! K-4 tonight @ 5:30, 5-8 tomorrow @ 5:30 @ @Vernon_IB MPR. #DailyHootOut



Building Equity-Driven Parent and Community Partnerships

~A Community Forum ~



This session is designed to support all members of our community.

- Discuss and learn about equity concepts
- Focus on improving educational outcomes for marginalized student populations
- Discuss the opportunity gap and educational equity

The Community Forum session includes time for reflection on current experience, as well as discussion of new learning and next steps.

Thursday, June 8, 2017 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Maranatha Church
4222 NE 12th Ave, Portland, OR



*Presenter Jamie Almanzán
Equity Leadership Coach
The Equity Collaborative*

Audience: Parents, educators, building principals, superintendents, district administrators, community members, correctional officers, judges, politicians, etc.

Please register: <https://www.mesd.k12.or.us/Page/160>

There is no cost to attend this event.

For more information, please contact Sarah Phillips sphillips@mesd.k12.or.us

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NWDSA all born (in)

Bike First!

NWDSA: Bike First! is a magical experience. We teach people with and without disabilities the skills needed to ride typical bikes. Bike First! is open to ages 8 and older. Quick Start! is offered for those without disabilities who need a jump start. Quick Start! is open to children 5 years and older.

June 19 - 23 (Reg. by June 1)
Concordia University, Portland
503-816-6568 | bikefirst@nwdsa.org
nwdsa.org/bikefirst/

Dear Vernon Community,

This summer NWDSA: Bike First! is the week of June 19-23. The Vernon community has been given three scholarships to attend the clinic through Safe Routes to Schools.

Here is a video showing Bike First!. Check it out! <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DkAeOsVfhtY&feature=youtu.be>

Bike First! Bike Week teaches individuals, ages 8 and older, the skills necessary to ride a traditional bike. Riders with any type of disability are eligible, as well as those without disabilities. This includes fine and gross motor skills, fear of falling, anxiety, ADD, anyone on an IEP or 504 plan, etc. This year, Bike First! is the week of June 19-23, 2017 and is held at Concordia University in NE Portland.

Bike First! Refresher Course is for those who already know how to ride and need to build more confidence, learn how to start or stop, going up and down hills, avoiding pedestrians, etc. This is held June 21-23, 2017.

Bike First! Quick Start! is for those who don't know how to ride a bicycle and don't need a full week to learn. These are individuals (sometimes we have adults!) with and without disabilities. This is held June 21 – 23, 2017.

NWDSA: Bike First! site- www.nwdsa.org/bikefirst

CONTACT: annbikefirst@gmail.com if you are interested in using one of these scholarships!