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The Beaumont PTA is recruiting members to join next year's PTA Board. We are in need of several positions, including a Treasurer, Volunteer Coordinator, Merchandise Fundraising coordinator, and Scrip Coordinator. Don't be afraid to join as returning Board Members will be there to provide all the guidance you'd need. This is a wonderful opportunity to get engaged, stay informed, and help your school. If you are interested, please contact [beaumontnewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:beaumontnewsletter@gmail.com).

## Measure 26-193, the Safe & Healthy Schools Bond Measure

The Beaumont PTA Board endorses Measure 26-193, the Safe & Healthy Schools Bond Measure that will be on the ballot in the [state elections May 16](#).

The district has prepared a thorough FAQ about the school bond which can be found [HERE](#).

### Proposed Health, Safety, and Modernization Bond: Frequently Asked Questions

<http://www.pps.net/Page/10637>

## 8th Grade Promotion: June 15th

8th Graders will be moving on from Beaumont soon, and to send them off, Beaumont will hold its annual 8th Grade Promotion event. This event typically

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consists of a short ceremony followed by a party with games and food in the cafeteria.

The event is put on by 8th Grade Families and funded by the PTA. **We are in need of 1 or 2 people to chair or co-chair the event.** If you are interested in getting involved, please contact Amy Henderson at [ptabeaumontvolunteer@gmail.com](mailto:ptabeaumontvolunteer@gmail.com).

### **BIKE SAFETY PROGRAM JOINS AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION!**

This year, all 6th grade students in Ms. Smith's Bike Safety Program will be raising money again for the American Heart Association's Healthy Hearts Campaign. The kick-off event will occur on Monday April 24th, 2017. We call our program "Cycle for Healthy Hearts". Students will be bicycling instead of jumping roping; this is a fabulous way to keep our hearts healthy!

Students will be seeking one-time sponsorships from May 1- 18, 2017. Money raised will help families and children who are dealing with heart disease and other heart related problems. Prizes will be given depending on the total amount each student raises; winners may win a mountain bike, computer tablets, 500 lumens bike headlight and so much more! Please get involved and sponsor one of our students...this is a great service opportunity! Thank you!

Kathy Smith-Beaumont M.S-PE/Health Teacher

### **Waffle Window Contest**

Congratulations to 7th grader Pippa Goodbody for winning the city wide "Waffle Whiz" contest!

The Waffle Window restaurant will feature Pippa's original recipe during the month of May, and **\$1.00 of every sale will come back to Beaumont.** Be sure to make a trip to the Alberta Waffle Window location and try Pippa's new recipe, which includes strawberry, papaya, and meringue. If you have any questions please contact Lindsay King at [lking1@pps.net](mailto:lking1@pps.net).

### **Teacher and Staff Appreciation Week**

We will be showing our appreciation for Beaumont's Teachers and Staff the week of May 1-5. Please look for your opportunity to volunteer for something

#### **Nurse Notes**

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#### **Community Events**

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### **Upcoming Events**

#### **May 1-5**

Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week

#### **May 10**

PTA General Meeting--  
"Screenagers" film viewing

#### **June 15**

8th Grade Promotion -  
5:30pm

Last Day of School

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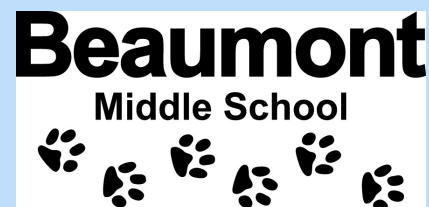
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#### **Beaumont Music:**

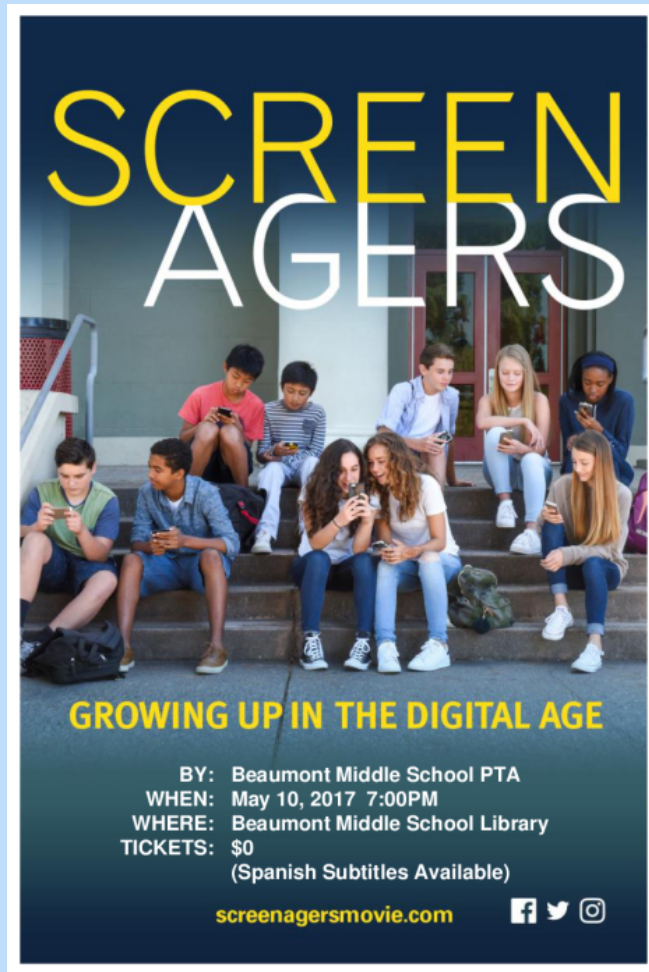
[beaumontmusic.net](http://beaumontmusic.net)

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specific through a SignUpGenius link that will be sent out in a News Blast next week.

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Please join us at the Beaumont PTA General Meeting on May 10 for a showing of *Screenagers*. The meeting is at 7pm in the library.

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**PDX Jazz and the Portland Art Museum would like to invite you and your family to join us in celebrating The International Day of Jazz.**



*Presented in conjunction with the special exhibition Constructing Identity.*



**Schedule of Events**

**Saturday, April 22 | 3pm**  
Enjoy a concert for all presented by PDX Jazz featuring Beaumont students and others on this Miller Free Day in the Portland Art Museum's Whitsell Auditorium.

**Friday, April 28 | 5pm – 8pm**

**Saturday, April 29 | 10am – 8pm**

**Sunday, April 30 | 10am – 5pm**

Visit the *Jazz in the Schools* gallery displayed in the Andree Stevens Room featuring samples of the exceptional entries from the 2016-2017 *Jazz in the Schools* art competition.

**Sunday, April 30 | 1pm and 3pm**

In celebration of the International Day of Jazz, the museum will be hosting two jazz programs that are included with admission on Sunday. At 1pm don't miss the performance of the interactive program *The Incredible Journey of Jazz*. Then continue the journey with Darrell Grant and the MJ New Quartet who will be performing *The Sound of Identity* at 3pm

For more information visit [pdjazz.com](http://pdjazz.com) or contact Kim Harrison at [kharrison@pdjazz.com](mailto:kharrison@pdjazz.com)

**The Portland Art Museum is located at 1219 SW Park Avenue**

Adult Admission.....	\$19.99
Adult Admission on Friday 5–8pm .....	\$5.00
Miller Free Day (April 22).....	FREE
Ages 17 and under .....	FREE

Admission for children 17 and under is ALWAYS FREE.  
Anyone who receives food stamps (SNAP/Oregon Trail Card holder) can purchase up to 2 adult admissions for \$5 each and active-duty military personnel and their families receive free admission under the Blue Star Museum Program.



*PDX Jazz Board President, Joe Maita and Director of Education, Kim Harrison*

*Jazz in the Schools is made possible through the generous support of our sponsors*



The Portland Art Museum is hosting an International Day of Jazz celebration. The first event is this Saturday, April 22nd and will feature student musicians from Beaumont (Jazz in the School art is not on display but many other works by PPS students will be displayed). The 28, 29 and 30th of April will feature the Jazz in the school works.

**Nurse Notes**

"Family meals are making a comeback. Teens who take part in regular family meals are less likely to smoke, drink alcohol, or use marijuana and other drugs, and are more likely to have healthier diets as adults, studies have shown."

Here are some tips from The Nemours Foundation's Center for Children's Health

Media<http://kidshealth.org/en/parents/family-meals.html?ref=search>

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**Community Events:**

### **Grant Gendrills Dance Team**

The Grant Gendrills Dance Team will be holding tryouts at the beginning of May. Students will need to fill out tryout applications that will be available in the Beaumont office within the next week.

#### **Information for tryouts:**

Grant Gendrills Dance Team Tryouts will be held Wednesday, May 10th and Thursday, May 11th at Grant High School in the New Gym from 5:30 PM-8:30 PM. You must attend both nights of tryouts. In addition, please have a parent attend the required parent meeting on Wednesday, May 10th beginning at 5:30 PM.

Please contact Kali Capps with any questions.

Kali Capps

Fourth Grade Teacher

Jason Lee K-8

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