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November 4, 2017

Beaumont Newsletter

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High School Shadow Days and Family Nights

High School Shadow Days are in November this year. This is a chance for 8th grade students to get information about and a tour of the high school(s) they are interested in. If your student is interested in Benson, they must attend the Shadow Day. Permission slips are available in Beaumont's office and linked below, and are due to Mrs. Goodwin.

Parents will be responsible for getting students to Grant and Benson for the events and there will be buses at Grant and Benson to bring the kids to Beaumont after the events.

Benson Shadow Day - November 14th, 8-11:00

Benson Application night - November 28th, 6:00-7:30

[Benson Shadow Day Permission Slip](#)

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November 14th, 9:45-11:30

Grant Family night at Marshall Campus-
November 16th, 6:00-8:00

[Grant Shadow Day Permission Slip](#)

Madison Shadow Day - November 27th,
12:00-2:20

Madison Family Night - November 14th,
6:00-8:00

[Madison Shadow Day Permission Slip](#)

Jefferson - NO Shadow Day

Jefferson Family Night - November 15th,
6:30-8:00

Books, Bagels and OBOB

Does your student like to read? Does your student like bagels and cream cheese? Are they interested in Oregon Battle Of The Books? If you said YES to any of those questions then sign up with SUN to join Books & Bagels. We meet Wednesday mornings before school in the Beaumont Library.

You don't have to join Books & Bagels to be on a OBOB team and you can do OBOB without joining Books & Bagels. See Mrs. Goodwin or Miss. Mittelstadt with questions.

The All School Party was a Success!

The All School Party was a blast! We had over 235 students attend this fun event, but it couldn't have happened without all of our amazing parent volunteers and donations from families. Thank you so very much to everyone who helped. The WEB Leaders did an amazing job running our Haunted House, and students had a fun time playing games, dancing, and just hanging out with their

Community Events

Calendar

Nov 8-9

Parent Teacher
Conferences

Nov 18

Foundation Happy Hour
(Parents only) 6pm

Nov 19

Last day to DOUBLE your
Donation to Foundation

Feb 7

7pm PTA General Meeting

Mar 8

6pm 8th Grade vs Staff
Basketball Game

Mar 22

Grandparents & Special
Friends Day

May 9

7pm General Meeting

friends. We are already starting to plan next years fun fall event. Thank you again!

YEARBOOK NEWS!!!!

Attention 8th grade parents if you are interested in submitting a baby ad, you have until February 15th to do this. You can do this on school pay as well. It has become more and more of a tradition here at Beaumont with each year more and more ads, so don't delay, submit today. I will not be able to extend the deadline this year. Here's what I'll need:

Baby Ad Process

1. Find an adorable photo of your child as a baby / toddler.
2. Get the photo to Ms. Bennett; either hard copy via her mailbox in the Beaumont office OR email as an attachment:
BeaumontsYearbook@gmail.com
3. Include a message on the back of the photo or in the body of the email. Maximum of 2 simple sentences, better if it's less than 2.
4. Pay for the ad \$15. I prefer submitting through your school pay account. This is ONLY live for 8th grade families. Or put paper copy of Yearbook order form in Ms. Bennett's mailbox in the office note on the bottom of order form "purchased baby ad" on the "white space" at the bottom. This is also a great place to submit your message if you're not doing digital.
5. If hardcopy please include a phone number to contact you so that you can pick up the photo.

We will be set up at conferences to purchase your Yearbook and Baby Ad, so bring cash or checkbook. Yearbooks on sale for \$20. Prices going up after Thanksgiving. Or, I'm fully supporting the school pay method. Please go onto your school pay account and purchase a yearbook that way, you'll be able to view your payment.

Please note that if your student has a yearbook purchased by Feb. 28, I do everything within my power to guarantee a photo in the book, beyond the traditional school photo. So purchasing early is a bonus. Yearbook prices increase will be increasing as the year goes on!

Beaumont Foundation Donation Match and Happy Hour

Donate to Beaumont by Monday -- and you're automatically entered to win FOUR FREE TICKETS to the Blazer-Laker game November 10th or 13th!

BONUS: Your donation will be DOUBLED through the Beaumont Match. If you give \$50, Beaumont gets \$100. If you give \$100, Beaumont gets \$200! (And so on.) So donate by noon on Monday, for TWO great reasons!

HERE'S HOW: [Donate online here](#) (Be sure to designate Beaumont MS as the recipient.)

OR bring a check to Beaumont's office, made payable to Beaumont Foundation.

November 18 is Beaumont's Annual Happy Hour

It's a treasured tradition at Beaumont: The annual Fall Happy Hour! This is our fun, festive, adults-only gathering of Beaumont parents and staff -- and trust us when we say you won't want to miss it. So mark your calendar for Saturday, November 18 at 6PM, and join us for a casual and fabulously fun evening at Beaumont parents Erika and Aaron Kohn's lovely home.

Early-bird tickets now available: Your tickets include appetizers, wine, beer, and more. Click [HERE](#) for details and tickets. We can't wait to see you!

EAST COAST TRIP 2018

Calling all travelers! If your 8th-grade Beaumont student is interested in being part of the East Coast trip in June, 2018, please

keep reading... Information packets with tentative itineraries are available in the main office literature rack. This is a good time to start the online registration and payment process (instructions below). Here is a snapshot of the trip:

Night flight departing Friday, June 15, 2018, returning evening Thursday, June 21, 2018. 6 days/5 nights. Destinations include: Washington, DC, Gettysburg, PA, Philadelphia, PA, and New York, NY. Price estimate is \$3097.00. Price includes: round-trip airfare, evening activities, all meals, all admission fees, quality lodging (quad occupancy), nighttime security, on-site escort, motorcoach transportation, and tour guides/motorcoach drivers.

This tour is designed by Educational Travel Services, Inc. (ETSI, a family-owned local travel agency) for middle school-age participants, and will give you a close look at our nation's history and heritage. I will chaperone this trip with other teacher chaperones, as needed. This is NOT a school-sponsored trip.

Online registration instructions: go to www.etsi.ws. Click on Registration/payments. Choose "Register as a new user" then "Create a new account" and fill out the info. The trip # is 2J21. For more information, please contact Christine French at ETSI, christine@etsi.ws or me, Valerie Turner, at vturner@pps.net. Thanks!

Beaumont Book Harvest

Beaumont's [2017 Book Harvest](#) is off to a great start! Thanks to the donations of a generous bookworm, we are already halfway to our goal of 300 books! We hope you can join in and share the books your kids have outgrown with students in need.

Nov. 6th-7th Donations are collected in the school library

Nov. 8th-9th Donations collected in the cafeteria during Parent Teacher conferences

We will gladly collect Baby Books, Board Books, Early Readers, Chapter Books, books in Spanish, and especially those books of

interest to Middle School Students. Thank you!

Donations should be in good condition, free of scribbles, and tears

For more information contact:
Teacher Librarian, Julie
McMillan jmcmillan@pps.net

Dough for Dollars results

Thanks to those who were able to participate in the Pizzicato Dough for Dollars Night on October 24. It was a successful event that raised \$729.45! Congratulations to Zack Olson who won the Budding Chef program with his “Horned Whale” submission. Save the date for the next Pizzicato event on April 24, 2018.



Community Events

Madison Girls Youth Basketball

Girls basketball try outs are 1 week away! Please re-send this information out to families. Thank you for supporting athletic opportunities for our students!

Madison PIL 6-8th Girls Basketball Try-out Dates!



Saturday, Nov. 4 – Madison High School

Doors Open 9:00am

6th Grade: 9:30am – 11:00am

7th Grade: 11:15am – 12:45pm

8th Grade: 1:00pm – 2:30pm

Madison Youth Girls Basketball

2017-18 PIL Youth Sports



Grades 6th – 8th

TRYOUTS: Saturday, Nov. 4 – Madison High School

6th Grade: 9:30am – 11:00am

7th Grade: 11:15am – 12:45pm

8th Grade: 1:00pm – 2:30pm



- Season Runs November – February
- Games on Wednesdays and Saturdays
- 2 Tournament Weekends, paid for by District Athletics
- PIL Post Season Tournament
- Practice 2-3X per week
- Participant receives SHOES & SWEATSHIRT to keep
- Nike Uniforms will be issues and must be returned

REGISTRATION / COST:

- Must bring ALL forms to try-out. **Players cannot try-out unless forms are turned in. Once you've made a team, payment will be due at 1st practice.**
- Participation fee is \$150 / \$60 (Free / Reduced Lunch). Check / Cash or Money Order – payable to *PIL Athletics*

FORMS TO COMPLETE FOR TRYOUTS:

[PPS MS Parent Information and Consent / Emergency Contact Form](#)
[School Sports Pre-Participation Athletic Physical \(Parts 1 & 2\)*](#)

*Every student must have a sports physical within the past two (2) years. Madison Health Clinic provides FREE sports physicals in a timely fashion. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Grant Gendrills Dance Team invitation

The Grant High School Gendrills Dance team would like to invite your K-8 students to come participate at our annual Dance Day with the Gendrills event on Saturday, December 2nd from 9 AM-2:30 PM at the Marshall Campus. Attached is the flyer that will be arriving at your school in the next week or so through the PONY.

We appreciate your support and look forward to meeting some of your students!

Thanks,
Kali Capps
Grant Gendrills Dance Team Coach

Dance Day with the Gendrills!

Saturday, Dec. 2, 2017

9:00am-2:30pm

Registration begins at 8:30 and

Showcase begins at 2:00 PM

Who:
Grades K - 8th

What:
The Gendrills invite all K-8 students to Grant High School at Marshall Campus for a day of dance! Dancers will be divided into age groups and will learn a dance routine. There will be a showcase for parents at 2:00 PM! Come dance with us!

When:
Saturday, December 2, 2016

Time:
9:00am-2:30pm

Where:
Grant High School at Marshall Campus Gym
3905 SE 91st Ave, Portland, OR 97266
Gym is located at the back of the school.

Price:
\$30 per dancer*
(Checks Payable to Grant High School)
*Scholarships available

What to Bring:
Please bring your own sack lunch and water bottle. Snacks and extra water will be provided throughout the day. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes appropriate for the gym floor.
Register on the day of the event or preregister your child by emailing switzer5@centurylink.net and pay at the door.



Schedule of the Day

8:30am-9:00am: Registration

9:00am-2:00pm: Dance!

2:00pm-2:30pm: Showcase

Proceeds support the Grant High School Gendrills Dance Tea

For more information contact
Coach Kall at kalllandis@gmail.com

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____ Age: _____

School: _____

Please note any medical conditions of which we should be aware: _____

The registered student has my permission to participate in Dance Day on December 2, 2017:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Email: _____

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