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Beaumont Newsletter

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Fall Happy Hour: November 19

Reserve TODAY for early-bird discount!

Please join parents and staff for Beaumont Foundation's annual Fall Happy Hour. This low-key, festive, adults-only gathering is the perfect way to catch up with friends and kick off the holiday season.

When: Saturday, November 19 @ 6:00 PM

Where: Hosted at the home of Erika and Aaron Kohn (3425 NE Beakey St.)

Tickets: **\$30 per person in advance.** (\$35 per person after Nov. 11)

Purchase tickets at www.AllHandsRaised.org.

- Click "donate" (in red - top right)
- Donation amount: @ \$30 per person (2 people = \$60)
- Select Recipient: Beaumont MS
- Additional Instructions: Please type "Happy Hour" and # of tickets.

Food and beverages are being donated by Cha Cha Cha, La Bonita, Pambiche, Southern Glazers Wine & Spirits, Vincent Wine, and McPeet's. (Please thank our generous donors!)

Questions?

Contact prenouard@aol.com or beaumontfoundation@gmail.com.

PORTLAND WINTERHAWKS

Beaumont Middle School Night

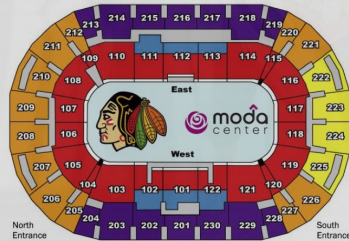
Come support Beaumont Middle School on Friday February 10th as the Winterhawks take on Spokane in the Moda Center.

Purchase tickets at:

<https://oss.ticketmaster.com/aps/winterhawks/EN/link/promotion/home/99a524cb5460455618daddc775b85ab833be6648>

Promo Code: Beaumont

Special Fundraiser Price: \$15 (Regular Price is \$30!)



Special Group Discount

Group Meal Deal

Add a hot dog and 22oz.
Soda \$10

Adam Purner | 971.230.2976 | Adamp@winterhawks.com

The Beaumont PTA has arranged an opportunity for the Beaumont Community to enjoy a Winterhawks game at the Moda Center for a reduced rate. Tickets are just \$15. Even better, \$3 of each ticket sale will go to Beaumont!

Tickets can be purchased [HERE](#).

Enter the **PROMOTION CODE: Beaumont**

Please note, you can choose your seats from the allotted promotional seats, so order early to get yourself the best available seating. We hope to see you at the game on February 10!

Foundation News

Donation Match: Our AMAZING Beaumont community!

Thank you, thank you, THANK YOU -- to all the families who gave so generously to the Beaumont in this year's Foundation Match! Together we raised nearly \$39,000 toward additional staff for our students' classrooms at Beaumont. We not only beat the Match, we knocked it out of the park. Congratulations, and thank you. It is truly inspiring for our children be in such an amazing community. We hope you'll join us in celebrating at the

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No School (Veteran's Day)

Nov 15
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Nov 19
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Dec 2
Girls Night Out

Beaumont Foundation's Fall Happy Hour on November 19 (see above).

Foundation Meeting: Date change

TUESDAY, Nov. 15 @ 7PM
at the home of Doug and Pattie Renouard
2814 NE 29th Avenue (between Stanton and Knott Streets)

All are welcome to join the Beaumont Foundation, where we raise money to fund staff beyond what is provided by PPS. Either come to a meeting and/or send an [email](#) to get involved in this important support of education at Beaumont.

Grant to Marshall Move Next Fall

Next fall Grant High School will be closed for 2 years of construction and Grant will be temporarily housed at the Marshall Campus (SE 92nd and Powell). Parents and guardians of future Grant students who are currently in 7th and 8th grade at Beaumont should be aware that there is currently no plan to offer school buses to transport students to Marshall. Grant students are expected to walk, bike, use TriMet, carpool, or drive themselves.

Grant Principal Carol Campbell is aware that transportation to Marshall may be difficult for many families in the Grant community and would like to hear from those families. We hope that you'll take time to read the message from Principal Campbell below and email her (ccampbell@pps.net) with your specific concerns.

Please consider any or all of the following:

- The length of your student's commute to Marshall in each direction.

TriMet trip planner: <http://trimet.org/#/planner>
Marshall campus: 3905 SE 91st Ave, Portland, OR 97266
Grant currently starts at 8:15 a.m.

- Whether the commute may affect your student's ability to be involved/engaged/successful at Grant.
- Concerns about safety, early wake times if using transit, etc.

Dec 7

8th Grade Info Night for Grant @ Marshall HS

Dec 8

8th Grade Info Night @ Madison High School

January 11

PTA General Meeting - 7pm

February 10

Winterhawks Beaumont Middle School Night

Mar 9

8th Grade vs Staff Basketball Game - 6pm

Mar 18

Beaumont Un-Auction

Mar 23

Grandparents and Special Friends Day

April 12

PTA General Meeting - 7pm

June 8

8th Grade Promotion - 5:30pm

Beaumont Calendar

Beaumont Music:

beaumontmusic.net

- Potential solutions: Would school buses from neighborhood schools (or other safe locations) make a difference for your student/family?



MESSAGE FROM GRANT PRINCIPAL CAROL CAMPBELL:

As we prepare for the move to the Marshall campus next fall, we would like to hear from Grant families regarding transportation. For some families the MAX Green line will provide a reasonable commute. For others, based on address and other factors, the commute could be lengthy, require a long walk and/or multiple bus transfers. If your child will have difficulty with the commute to Marshall, please let us know by sending an e-mail to ccampbell@pps.net. Include your address, challenges faced by the commute to Marshall, and what supports you would like to see to ensure your student gets to Marshall safely and on time. During this school year we will continue to gather information from families. I encourage you to participate in any surveys and/or attend meetings to share challenges and concerns.

Thank you very much for your time.

Leah Starr
Member, Grant-to-Marshall Transportation
Committee
Grant/Beaumont/Alameda Parent
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Bike Rack Project - Volunteer Help Needed

We are in need of a licensed contractor who might volunteer their time, give us an estimate, or offer a discount for a small amount of work moving our bike racks and installing some new ones in a more secure location on campus.

The City of Portland has generously donated some new racks, and we would hate to miss out on this opportunity.

Are you a licensed contractor or do you know a contractor who would volunteer to relocate and install the bike racks in more secure campus locations?

Please contact Ms. Smith at [\(503\) 916-5610 ext 70408](tel:(503)916-5610) or kmsmith@pps.net.

High School Info Nights for 8th Grade Families

Benson High School

Nov. 15, 6-8pm

Feb. 16 & 17, 6-9pm-Tech Show

Grant High School

Dec. 7, 6-8pm

THE GRANT INFO NIGHT LOCATION HAS CHANGED TO MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL SO INCOMING GRANT STUDENTS CAN SEE THE MARSHALL CAMPUS.

Madison High School

Dec 8, 6:15-8pm

Jefferson HS-Middle College for Advanced Studies

TBD

Metropolitan Learning Center

Jan. 11, 9:30-11am

Jan. 18, 6-7:30pm

Feb 15, 9:30-11am

March 22 at 6-7:30pm

Girls Night Out

Girls Night Out is December 2nd from 5-8:30pm. Starting Tuesday November 22nd permission slips will be available in the library. There are 75 spots this year. ALL permission slips can be turned in at the library to Ms. Mittelstadt. All permission slips must be turned in no later than 4pm on November 30th.

Thank you,
Ms. Mittelstadt, Mrs. Parrott, and Ms. Howard

Beaumont Employee Assistance Program

For Beaumont MS Employees: The Employee Assistance Program (EAP) provides services to help people privately resolve problems that may interfere with work, family, and life. Some services are listed below. For a complete list of services or to access services online go to www.MyRBH.com - access code: OEBC. You can also access services by calling [866-750-1327](tel:866-750-1327).

- 24-hour Crisis Help
 - Childcare referral and Eldercare referral
 - Confidential Counseling - 5 free sessions per situation, per year to all benefits eligible employees and anyone living in their household
 - Financial services
 - Identity Theft Services
 - Legal and Mediation Services
 - Wellness
 - Will preparation
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Nurse's Notes:

From Jennifer, RN: As cold and flu season comes I want to remind you what to do if your student requires medication during the school day. Prescriptions and over-the-counter medications all need written consent. All medication needs original containers and accurate labels. Inhalers and cough drops also should have written consent. Hard candy can work as an alternative to cough drops. The form is available in the health room and online from MESD by clicking [HERE](#).

Immunization notifications will be sent out next week. Many middle school students are due for their Tdap booster. The days off from school in November and December could be a good time to get immunizations.

Health providers will also discuss HPV. It is not required for school, but CDC now recommends 11 to 12 year olds get two doses of HP vaccine—rather than the previously recommended three doses—to protect against cancers caused by HPV. The second dose should be given 6-12 months after the first dose. For more information on the updated recommendations, read the press release: <https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2016/p1020-hpv-shots.html>

Community Events:

Grant, Cleveland, Madison, Franklin and Benson High School Ski Swap

November 11-13

Hi skiers and snowboarders! Are you looking for awesome deals on winter gear and an opportunity to support Grant, Cleveland, Madison, Franklin, and Benson high school students? Do you have used equipment that you want to sell? If so, then come on out to our annual Ski Swap. You can bring your used gear to sell, get some great deals on new or used gear, and have a chance to win great prizes at our hourly drawings.

When: Sale Hours: Saturday, Nov. 12, 11-6 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 13, 10-3 p.m.;

Drop off your gear to sell Friday, Nov. 11, 6:30-9 p.m. or Saturday, Nov. 12, starting at 9 a.m.

Where: 1606 NE 37th Ave. (between Broadway and Sandy)

The event is sponsored through support from the Northeast Community Center, Atomic and Blizzard skis, the Mountain Shop, and other local organizations.

For more information about the Swap: <http://www.grantclevelandskiteam.com/team-fundraising>

For more information about Ski Team, visit the team Website at <http://www.grantclevelandskiteam.com/>

Fall 2016 Junior Generals

JUNIOR GENERALS PROGRAM - Junior Generals is a program for boys, kindergarten through 2nd grade, and girls, kindergarten through 4th grade. The Fall 2016 program will be Sunday afternoons in November and December at Grant High School gym. The program offers a fun introduction to fundamental basketball skills, using age appropriate ball sizes and lower hoops. High school players from the Grant boys and girls basketball programs work with the kids under the direction of the lead Jr. Generals Coach. Registration information is available on the GYB

Website: <http://www.grantyouthbasketball.org/home.php>

Who: K-4th Grade Girls (3:00-4:00pm) K-2nd Grade Boys (4:30-5:30pm)
When: Sundays, November 13 - December 11, 2016
Where: Grant High School Gym
Cost: \$65

MOANA Free Screening

Beaumont families are invited to a free advance screening of Disney's new film, MOANA.

Requests for the free passes can be made by emailing AlliedIMPDX@gmail.com using the subject line: MOANA – PDX. Passes will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

The screening will be next **Thursday, 11/17** in 3D at Regal Pioneer Place. The screening will start at 7:00pm, but check in would be at 6:15pm.

Portland Public Schools recognizes the diversity and worth of all individuals and groups and their roles in society. It is the policy of the Portland Public School Board that there will be no discrimination or harassment of individuals or groups on the grounds of age, color, creed, disability, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation in any educational programs, activities or employment.

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