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Winter Break



Have a Happy Winter Break, Beaumont!!

Beaumont Report Card

The Oregon Department of Education (ODE) issues annual report cards for every school and school district. The report cards offer families and the community valuable information about student attendance and achievement and teacher experience, among other things.

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C.O.R.E. Compliment Store To view Beaumont's report card online, visit http://www.ode.state.or.us/data/reportcard/ reports.aspx

C.O.R.E. Compliment Store

You Can Help Teachers Motivate Beaumont Students to Be the Best They Can Be!

This year teachers are giving more and more compliments to students at Beaumont every day- for doing the right thing without being told. It's a fun and tangible way to reward kids who are making good choices at school- using something called "CORE Compliments."

When a teacher or staff member sees a student demonstrating Beaumont CORE values- C for Collaboration; O for Organization; R for Responsibility and E for Empathy- that student gets a Compliment, which are coupons that kids can redeem at the student store for snacks, treats and cool school supplies. It seems to be working! Students have been redeeming them so much that we are nearly out of treats for them! We are asking for packaged treats, like Rice Crispies and other snacks, or Costco gift cards, or cash. Please help us inspire the children through positive reinforcement

As part of the Core Compliment program, Beaumont's "Student Store" is open for kids who have earned core compliments to acquire their rewards. In exchange for the coupon, students can choose ONE item from the store. Items are not for sale for money. Also, the coupons need to be kept for an end of the quarter raffle.

We need 1-2 parents in the cafeteria between 8:45-9:07 a.m. on as many days of the week as available to receive Core Compliment Coupons from students that are signed by teachers. It only takes about 15 minutes.

If you have some time to volunteer any days during the week, please email<u>ptabeaumontvolunteer@gmail.com</u> with mornings you are available. Ms. Parrot will

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Dec 19-Jan 1 Winter Break

Feb 7 7pm PTA General Meeting

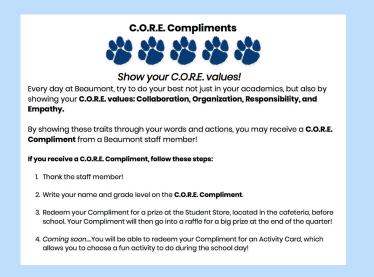
Feb 9 Winterhawks Beaumont Night

Mar 8 6pm 8th Grade vs Staff Basketball Game

Mar 22 Grandparents & Special Friends Day

May 9 7pm General Meeting

then be in touch with more information and to schedule.



Grounds Committee Volunteers

Would you like to see Beaumont's field and basketball area improved? Now is your chance to get involved in that endeavor. Karen LeFere is spearheading the formation of a Grounds Committee that can look at options to improve the field and basketball area at Beaumont. Karen has previously explored such options as covering the field in artificial turf, leveling and replenishment of the natural surface, and covering for the basketball areas, but help is needed to implement the improvements.

Please consider joining the Grounds Committee to help in these much needed efforts.

Contact Karen LeFere at <u>klafere@pps.net</u> to get involved.

Winterhawks Beaumont Night -Feb. 9

On February 9th, the Portland Winterhawks will host a Beaumont Fundraising Night at the Moda Center. Our allotted tickets are just \$17, and \$5 from every ticket purchased through the link below comes back to Beaumont. Last year we had a large crowd and it was a lot of fun! This is a great way to enjoy some hockey, spend time with your Beaumont community, while also raising some money for our school. Please click on the flyer below for more information and to <u>purchase tickets</u> *note this is an updated link from the previous announcement that was not working.



Beaumont Middle School Night

Come support Beaumont Middle School on Friday February 9th as the Winterhawks take on Tri City at the Moda Center.

Purchase tickets at: http://bit.ly/2xOcRyH

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Promo Code: Beaumont



Special Group Discount Group Meal Deal Add a hot dog and 22oz. Soda \$10

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Independent Study for Beaumont

Looking for fellow parents who are interested in developing an Independent Study program at Beaumont. Currently there is no formal Independent Study program available to Beaumont students, but the goal is to develop and implement one for any student looking for more challenging academic material. If you are interested please contact Rebecca Dake at <u>dake.rebecca@gmail.com</u>.

Community Grant Opportunity

Hello everyone, I wanted to pass along this cool <u>Community Placemaking grant</u> <u>opportunity</u> that opens in January. The grants support creative projects that empower and involve community members to make changes they want to see in their neighborhoods.

The program objectives:

- Placemaking: prompt people to think differently about a place, foster a personal connection to a place and strengthen social fabric.
- Equity: promote equitable access to, participation in, and benefits from placemaking activities.
- Partnerships: promote projects that rely cross sector collaboration (public, private, community).
- Leadership: build community capacity for civic engagement.

If you have more questions, please contact Dana Lucero at Metro:<u>dana.lucero@oregonmetro.gov</u>.

Some examples are: repurposing public spaces, enlivening spaces with art and activity, activating streets, sparking dialog and raising awareness, and community envisioning through placemaking. Check out the <u>website</u> to see more details about examples.

If you are interested in bouncing ideas off of us or collaborating please give us a call or send us an email.

Cheers, Janis McDonald City of Portland | Active Transportation Division | <u>Safe Routes to School</u> <u>janis.mcdonald@portlandoregon.gov</u> | ph:<u>503-823-5358</u>

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