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Beaumont Newsletter for May 25, 2019

Don't miss the last big school event of the year!

Come to [the Beaumont Staff vs. 8th Grade Kickball Game](#) on

Wednesday, May 29th (see article below or click the link above).

Volunteers are needed as well, so be sure to check out that link below!

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SCHOOL NEWS

School Library and Textbooks are due May 31, 2019. Your student can see which books they have checked out and view library fines by logging in to the [Beaumont Library Catalog](#). If your student is still using a textbook or a novel for class beyond May 31st, and the book gets marked "lost," please do not worry. We do not charge late fees and once the book is returned, the fine will be deleted. Library fines can be paid through [SchoolPay](#).

Honor Graduating 8th Graders With Books

Congratulations to Beaumont's graduating 8th graders! What an achievement! Parents and grandparents, please consider leaving a "bookprint" of your student's time at Beaumont with a donation to the Beaumont Library through the **Honor With Books** program. How cool would it be for your student to see his or her name on a bookplate in a brand new book? If you are interested, visit the Beaumont Middle School website, click on the Library tab, then Donate to the Library on the left. Please make your **donation by May 28** so we can have time to process your request before the end of the school year. If you have any questions, please contact [Penny Haggard](#)

Your student can now purchase a [yearbook online](#) **until May 31st for \$22**.

Beginning June 1, your student will then only be able to purchase a yearbook for \$25 at the Yearbook Signing Party in early June. Ms. Bennett and the Yearbook Staff will display lists of students who HAVE PURCHASED next week. Your student can check the list to verify that you have purchased a Yearbook. If you're unsure, please look at the list posted near the office on Monday, May 20.

8th Grade Promotion Schedule of Activities

Beaumont's 8th Grade Promotion will be held at 5:30 pm at Benson High School Auditorium on **Friday, June 7th**. Students will need to arrive between 5:00 pm and 5:15 pm. The program will begin promptly at 5:30 pm. Rehearsals will be held at Beaumont on June 6th in the afternoon and June 7th in the morning, so each student will know the expectations, the progression of the ceremony, and seating order in which they will be recognized on stage. All students should attend school the morning of June 7th. **On Monday June 3rd, each student will receive five tickets**. Students do not need a ticket. If you would like to request an unused or returned ticket, please contact the Main Office starting on June 4th. We will distribute additional tickets as they are available through the morning of June 7th. Admission is by ticket only. For more information, see [the official flyer from PPS](#).

The Beaumont Foundation **WANTS YOU!**

We're looking for teammates to help keep the foundation thriving and making a difference at BMS during the 2019-20 year. Please consider becoming a part of the

crew! (not to brag, but we're really fun people). [Email Karen](#) if you can help.

We are currently recruiting for the following positions:

- **Foundation President:** Acts a liaison between the foundation members, BMS, PPS Foundation and keeps the momentum & group vision moving forward.
- **Treasurer:** Translates financial reports, processes reimbursements, requests & works with PPS Foundation.
- **UnAuction Chair:** Will lead the charge of coordinating the biggest fundraiser of the year (backed by a team of helping hands).
- **UnAuction Procurement Chair:** Will focus on in-kind donations (backed by a team)
- Secretary: Filled!
- Marketing Communications: Filled!
- Graphic Designer: Filled!
- Individual/Corporate Giving Manager: Filled!

First Annual 8th Grade vs. Staff Kickball Game

Wear your tube socks and sweatbands!!

The event will be all outside on the
Beaumont field. This is
a **FREE** event. ***Come join the fun!***

Wednesday, May 29th

5:00 to 6:30 pm

Sandwiches, sodas and other
concessions will be sold by the PTA.

Bring a refillable water bottle to use at the
water coolers.

Alameda & Rigler families are invited too -

Tell your friends! Tell your neighbors!

See you on the field!

BE A VOLUNTEER!!

This is the very **FIRST** time for this event, so please come help

make Mr. Eltagonde's dreams come true! [Sign up online now!](#)
And thank you!

Only 2 1/2 Weeks of Volunteer Recess Duty Remaining Sign Up Now!

There are only a few weeks left of school; the kids are getting squirrely, teachers are getting ready for summer, the next week will be full of sun! Come give teachers a deserved break and give yourself a chance to soak up some of those spring rays - volunteer as a recess monitor as many times as you can before the school year ends!

Please consider sharing 45 minutes of your time to help staff monitor students at either recess period. [Sign up](#) for a spot or many spots! Staff really, really appreciate it!

Attention Grant-Bound 8th Graders - Water Polo Wants YOU!

High school water polo is a fun, no-cut, co-ed fall sport and the Grant HS club needs YOU! Never played water polo? No problem. Most of the existing players never did either. Not a strong swimmer? No problem - you will be. All skill and swimming abilities are welcome. Water polo is a great way to get fit, meet new friends and be a part of a super fun team sport. **Official club practices start in mid August** and informal swim workouts at the Grant Park Pool will happen prior to that. *Being part of a fall team like water polo, enables incoming 9th graders to be a part of an active group of students on the first day of school.*

Jump on IN...the water's fine! Contact
Pete Conklin [by email](#) or at 503-866-6612.

Two Summer Programs for Incoming Ninth Graders

Ninth Grade Counts is a summer program for students entering 9th grade in fall 2019. It gives students an opportunity to get a jump on their journey through high school. This no cost program runs from July 8-August 1. Students meet Monday- Thursday to review high school requirements, explore college and career possibilities, and gain new academic skills all while learning about Native American art and teachings. Students will go on field trips to various locations on Tuesdays and Thursdays including an overnight trip at the end of the program to a University. Students may receive .5 high school elective credit and may

complete one Career Related Learning Experience (a graduation requirement for many students) during the summer program. If you would like your child to participate please [complete the application](#) and **turn it in by May 30th**.

Leap Into 9th Grade is a summer program for incoming freshmen that helps them prepare to be successful in high school. Students will meet teachers and classmates, explore different career paths, earn .5 elective credit, and learn to be confident in learning math. If you would like your student to take part in this program, please fill out this [online registration form](#). Questions? Contact Counselor [Ria Goodwin](#).

Beaumont SUN Summer Camp Registration Open

Registration for Beaumont summer camp and classes is now open. [Check out the flyer](#) with specific class and registration information. If you have any questions, contact Malcolm Parker by [email](#) or at 503-916-5615.

PTA NEWS

2019-2020 PTA Officer Position Openings

La PTA tiene abierta la posición de coordinador de voluntarios

There is an opening on the PTA for the volunteer coordinator position. ***We are also looking for a parent from the Rigler immersion program to sit on the board either in an official roll or as a voice for the immersion families.*** PTA officer meetings typically happen the 2nd Wednesday of the month. The position is a two year term starting this summer. The volunteer coordinator helps to gather volunteers for school events and fundraisers. For more information on the position or interest in being on the board, please email [Kelli Rosenquist](#)

La PTA tiene abierta la posición de coordinador de voluntarios. Nosotros también deseamos tener un padre del programa de inmersión de Rigler en nuestra junta directiva de PTA, ya sea en un miembro oficial o como voz para las familias de inmersión. Las reuniones de los miembros de la PTA ocurren típicamente el segundo miércoles del mes. La posición es por un término de dos años comenzando este verano. El coordinador de

voluntarios ayuda a reunir voluntarios para los eventos de la escuela y a recaudar fondos. Para más información sobre la posición o interés en ser parte de la junta directiva, por favor envíe un correo electrónico a [Kelli Rosenquist](#)

COMMUNITY NEWS

[Register here](#)

Thinking About Buying A Home But Not Sure Where to Start?

[Home Buyer Class](#) being offered for the Beaumont Community

June 4th

6:30 to 8:00 pm

Beaumont Middle School, Room 20A

Pizza and cold drinks provided

[Email Stephanie](#) or call her at 503-891-6465

Deadline: May 28 - Take the Time to Build a Better City

The City of Portland is asking residents who live, work or have a community in Portland what their priorities and needs are through its Community Insights Survey.

The survey results will be used to guide investments and craft new City programs.

Please consider taking the survey by May 28th and sharing it within your networks.

The City especially wants to hear from more diverse communities, including people of color, low-income families, East Portland residents, and people with disabilities.

Learn more [here](#) or *take the survey here*

TAKE A SURVEY, EARN A PRIZE

The biannual [Safe Routes to School travel survey](#) has been mailed to households in Portland and should be arriving in mailboxes soon. You can also download the survey here in [English](#) and [Espanol](#). The [online version of the survey](#) is also available now. Please take a few minutes to give Portland's Bureau of Transportation and Safe Routes to School some feedback.

Reminder: Newsletter Deadline

If you have an announcement that would be of interest to the school community, please email to the [Beaumont Newsletter Coordinator](#) for inclusion in the newsletter. Submissions by 10 pm on Thursdays will be included in that week's newsletter.

