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SUN Spots:

Last Day for all Extended Day programing is next Thursday June 1nd. Please let your student know.

It's with mixed emotions I'm writing to let you know June 2nd is my last day here at Beaumont SUN, as I've decided to retire from the City of Portland Park & Recreation. It has been a pleasure and an honor to work with all the Beaumont Students, Families, BMS Staff, Community Partners, and Countless Friends these last 10 years. You all have made the job not only fun, but rewarding. BMS Students, keep up the good work in your studies and extra activities!

Your new Site Manager will be here June 26th. Please drop by and introduce yourself. You are going to like Him.

Good luck in the future and God bless you all. Thank You! SUN School Sue.

8th Grade Promotion Planning

Hello Beaumont families!
The next 8th grade promotion party planning

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meeting will be Thursday June 1st, 6:30pm in the office. Please attend if you are able. If you would like to be on the email contact list for future meetings and sign ups to help out. Please send your email tostacy c cook@comcast.net.

We are also planning a Raffle as part of our 8th grade promotion party, we'd like to do a raffle for the kids, handing out gifts, gift cards, etc. Please contact Laura Hancock

atlaura.hancock@comcast.net or 503-799-2136 (text or call) if you are able to donate anything at all: any gift cards, (any amount is fine, \$5.00, \$10.00, whatever you can contribute) or maybe a new gift that you would like to donate. We are hoping to gather the donations as soon as possible so we can take an inventory of what we have and how to manage the drawings. I am happy to pick them up, just give me a call/text/email, or you can send to the school office with your student. Also, the Raffle Committee needs one more volunteer to manage the distribution of raffle tickets to the 8th graders. Please contact Laura if you can help. Thank you!

Hola familias Beaumont!

Las próximas reuniones de planeación del partido de promoción del octavo grado serán el jueves 1 de junio a las 6:30 pm en la oficina. Por favor asista si es capaz. Si desea estar en la lista de contactos por correo electrónico para futuras reuniones y suscribirse para ayudar. Envíe su correo electrónico astacy c cook@comcast.net.

También estamos planeando una rifa como parte de nuestra fiesta de promoción del octavo grado, nos gustaría hacer una rifa para los niños, entregar regalos, tarjetas de regalo, etc. Por favor, póngase en contacto con Laura Hancock en laura.hancock@comcast.net o 503 -799-2136 (texto o llamada) si usted puede donar cualquier cosa: tarjetas de regalo (cualquier cantidad está bien, \$ 5.00, \$ 10.00, lo que usted puede contribuir) o tal vez un nuevo regalo que le gustaría donar. **Esperamos reunir las donaciones lo antes** posible para que podamos hacer un inventario de lo que tenemos y cómo manejar los dibujos. Estoy encantado de recogerlos, sólo me dan una llamada / texto / correo electrónico, o puede enviar a la oficina de la escuela con su estudiante. Además, el Comité de Raffle necesita un voluntario más para

Community Events

Upcoming Events

June 15

8th Grade Promotion - 5:30pm Last Day of School

Beaumont Calendar

Beaumont Music:

beaumontmusic.net



administrar la distribución de boletos de rifa para los estudiantes de octavo grado. Póngase en contacto con Laura si puede ayudar. iGracias!

Beaumont 7th-Grade families:

Your student is invited on the 2018 East Coast Trip! Please come to an information session on Tuesday, June 6 at 6:00 pm in the Beaumont library.

The tour is arranged by Educational Travel Services, and is designed for middle school students. East Coast Trip destinations include New York City, Philadelphia, Gettysburg, and Washington D.C. This trip will give kids a close-up look at our nation's history and heritage. 8th Grade Social Studies includes U.S. History, so this trip will give students a chance to experience places and people they learned about during the school year.

I will be one of the trip leaders for 2018, so please contact me at wturner@pps.net if you have further questions. I hope to see you on June 6!

Valerie Turner - 8th Grade Core Teacher

YEARBOOK NEWS!!

We are down to having 50 yearbooks for pre-sale. Please buy your book before June 1st for \$25. Forms are available in the office or if you'd prefer, pay directly at schoolpay.com. If you can't remember if you've bought one, have your student check Yearbook lists posted around the building. If you student has bought one, his or her photo is printed. If not, no photo. Yearbooks will be distributed on June 9th at the end of the day. If you're interested in helping with the distribution, please contact Ms. Bennett

Thanks for your attention to this! Yearbook staff

atibennet1@pps.net.

IMPORTANT End of Year Library Dates

- Last Day to Check out Library Books: May 25th
- All Library Books Due: June 6th

- 8th Grade Textbooks Due: June 8th (after locker cleanout)
- 6th and 7th Grade Textbooks Due: June 14th
- All Library and Textbook Fines Cleared by 4pm on June 14th
- 8th Grade fines must be cleared in order to receive Promotion Certificate
- Please contact library staff with questions about missing books and/or fines. <u>503-916-5610</u>, <u>jmittels@pps.net</u>, <u>jmcmillan@pps.net</u>

8th Grade Madison Families

Madison High School PTSA (Parent Teacher Student Association) would like to invite incoming 2017/2018 freshman families to join in PTSA on the board or as members.

Madison has a wonderful, thriving community and would like to connect with new 2017/2018 parents and offer the the opportunity to join the PTSA board - or as members. PTSA is looking to build the board for the coming 2017/2018 school year.

Open positions include:

Vice-President - Help run the general meetings. Step in when the president is not available and fill in where needed.

Treasurer – Manage the PTSA funds.

Advocacy - Help promote MHS to the community. Help promote the School Bond scheduled for May and help fight to keep MHS on the bond. Updating MHS members about DBRAC (District Wide Boundary) work. When Enrollment is down, staffing goes down and options are lost.

Fundraising Coordinator - Research and set up fundraising opportunities for the PTSA.

*Anyone willing to weigh in on the future of the school.

If interested, please connect with Stephanie Koenig, the current PTSA president. The best phone or email is 503.799.5781 or pdxkoeniqs@qmail.com.

Year End Cafeteria Account Balances

Student meal accounts with positive or negative balances will carry over into next school year.

- Families can pay off negative account balances by cash or check in the cafeteria, or online atwww.myschoolbucks.com by June 15, 2017.
- Families with positive account balances have the following options:
- Do nothing -- leave the funds in the account to pay for future school meals
- Request the balance be transferred to a sibling meal account
- Request a refund via the Cafeteria Lead (check will be sent within 4-6 weeks)
- Request the funds be donated to help cover money owed on other student meal accounts

For more information, go to www.pps.net/nutrition, or call 503-916-3399.

Shop 16A

Have any clothing available after Spring cleaning? Please consider donating it to Beaumont's clothing closet. We are in need of gently used or new clothing for students and their families in need.

SHOP16A

GOOD STUFF. BEAUMONT BASEMENT.

Seeking gently-used clothing items, accessories, shoes, backpacks, etc for our new and improved clothing closet called **SHOP16A** located in the basement of our school. We are upgrading and rebranding to make it a school-wide, friendly clothing exchange open to all students and Beaumont families. We need your donations. Please bring them to the office and place them in the donation barrel marked **SHOP16A** or contact Arny Hamdan 503.709.3725. Thank you in advance for cleaning out your closets!



Amy Hamdan's handiwork on display in Shop 16A: Beaumont's clothing exchange. Please consider donating.

Community Events:

Grant Youth Basketball

REGISTRATION IS OPEN for Grant Youth Basketball (GYB) Summer League!!

League: Wednesday nights, June 21 - July 19, 2017 - \$85 BENSON HIGH SCHOOL*

Summer League is open to all boys and girls entering 5th-8th Grades in 2017. Grant Youth Basketball proceeds go directly to the Grant High School Basketball programs but participation is open to all Portland area youth and even visiting family and friends. Fee assistance is available families that qualify for free or reduced lunch. Registration/information is available

atwww.grantyouthbasketball.org.

*Due to the Scheduled Grant High School remodel and subsequent gym closure - Wednesday night league will be held at Benson High School. Unfortunately, we were unable to secure affordable space to hold the Summer Skills clinic this year - we hope to offer it again in coming years.

Looking for something new to do at Grant next year! Play Water Polo! If you think this might be the sport for you (or maybe never even thought about it), Grant Water Polo will be having a fun meet the team and try the sport on Wednesday, May 31st. Come to the pool at Parkrose High School, 12003 NE Shaver St, Portland, OR 97220, at 6:30pm ready to get in the water and have fun! If you have any questions, please email: ghswaterpolo15@gmail.com. Go Generals!

Grant High School Cheerleading Tryouts

For the 2017-18 School Year Open Gyms – June 5th & 6th 4:00pm to 6:30pm Tryouts – June 8th – 4:00pm to finish.

Please click for the <u>Tryout Packet</u>.

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