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8th Grade Promotion

8th Grade Promotion Raffle Update:

Did you want to donate to the raffle but forgot? Guess what? It's not too late! We could use a few more gift cards if you are interested in donating! Gift cards in any amount to any of our local spots would be great: Pips, Pizzicato, Starbucks, Beaumont Market, Bagel Land, Yo Choice, etc. Or Amazon and iTunes are popular too. Each 8th grader attending the party will go home with something from the raffle.

A huge thank you to all who donated so far! If you would like to donate, please contact Laura Hancock at laura.hancock@comcast.net or 503-799-2136 (text or call). Any donation is appreciated. Thank you!

Quieres donar a la rifa pero olvidaste? Adivina qué? No es demasiado tarde! Podríamos usar algunas tarjetas de regalo más si está interesado en donar! Tarjetas de regalo en cualquier cantidad a cualquiera de nuestros lugares locales sería genial: Pips, Pizzicato, Starbucks, Mercado de Beaumont, Bagel Land, Yo Choice, etc O Amazon y iTunes son populares también. Cada alumno del octavo grado

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asistirá a la fiesta y regresará a casa con algo de la rifa.

Un enorme gracias a todos los que donaron hasta ahora! Si desea donar, comuníquese con Laura Hancock a <u>laura.hancock@comcast.net</u> o al <u>503-799-2136</u> (texto o llamada). Cualquier donación es apreciada. Gracias!

8th Grade Promotion party donation

Hello Beaumont 8th grade families! The promotion planning committee is asking for your help. Please consider donating to the Promotion Party fund through "SchoolPay" or drop off a check to the main office. We are asking for at least \$5.00 per student, so we can throw a really great party!

Hola Beaumont familias del octavo grado! El comité de planificación de promoción está pidiendo su ayuda. Por favor considere donar al fondo de la Fiesta de Promoción a través de "<u>SchoolPay</u>" o dejar un cheque a la oficina principal. iPedimos por lo menos \$ 5.00 por estudiante, así que podemos hacer una gran fiesta! Gracias.

Promotion event help needed

Do you want to help out at the event? Check out the sign up at <u>Signup Genius</u>. Thank you!

Quieres ayudar en el evento? Echa un vistazo a la inscripción en <u>Signup Genius</u>. Gracias!

Important End of Year Library Information

- -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.

Jenifer Mittelstadt Library Assistant/Textbooks Beaumont Middle School 503-916-5610 ex70426

June 15

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

Beaumont Calendar

Beaumont Music:

beaumontmusic.net



Lewis & Clark Summer Law Camp

Dear families,

Lewis & Clark Law School is inviting 20 interested students from Beaumont Middle School to participate in Summer Law Camp. This year's Summer Law Camp dates are Monday, June 19 - Friday, June 23. This opportunity is free for students, including transportation and lunch.

Lewis & Clark Law School, in cooperation with Classroom Law Project, has run a law camp for middle school students for 19 years. The camp is coordinated through the law school's Academic Enhancement Program, a program designed to provide support to law students from historically underserved communities, who are ethnically or racially diverse, or from challenging socioeconomic circumstances. The law school and CLP strongly believe experiences during the middle school years can shape a student's educational future. With that in mind, the Law Camp for middle school students was established.

For 2017, Beaumont Middle School was selected for this intensive one-week program. In just five short days, Beaumont students will work with law school students to learn the intricacies of a criminal mock trial case. The students will memorize their roles as witnesses and attorneys, and will stage a full mock trial before a volunteer judge. Family members are invited to attend the mock trial event.

If your Beaumont student is interested in taking part in this amazing opportunity, please fill out, sign, and return the application available from the main office on or before Tuesday, June 6.

Priority will be given to students who come from historically underserved communities, such as those that include people of color or from low-income circumstances (may be measured by free or reduced lunch). Students must be able to work well with their classmates and be able to read at a 5th grade level or better.

Families will be notified of their student's acceptance to Summer Law Camp by Friday, June 9.

Summer Law Camp participants will be selected by a team of Beaumont staff as well as the principal. Again, there is no cost for students to participate in this program. Lewis & Clark will provide transportation, daily lunches, and hands-on learning

at Summer Law Camp. Beaumont 8th grade Core teacher Valerie Turner

will accompany the students to and from Lewis & Clark each day of camp. Contact Ms. Turner atvturner@pps.net

or 503-916-5610 if you have questions. Please encourage your student to apply - this is an amazing learning opportunity!

Student Medications

Parents remember to pick up any medication from the health room at the end of the school year. We cannot send home medication with students or store it over the summer per policy. The last day the office will be open is June 25th. Jennifer Makinster, RN, BSN

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Free Summer Lunch & Activities

PPS partners with Portland Parks & Recreation to distribute free lunches and playground programming all summer long. Our collective goal is to make sure your students who need food and activity have access to it. Additionally, we also provide access to free movies, concerts, swimming, fitness and other activities through our Summer Free For All program.

A link for more information and summer schedules in <u>9 languages</u> are provided here:

https://www.portlandoregon.gov/parks/61921

Community Events:

Grant Youth Summer Basketball

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

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

REGISTRATION IS FILLING UP FAST - REGISTER NOW FOR SUMMER LEAGUE!! 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.

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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