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# Beaumont Newsletter

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## Beaumont Band Spaghetti Dinner

The annual Beaumont Band Spaghetti Dinner is Tuesday October 17 in the Beaumont cafe, and will feature teaser performances from our Concert Band, Symphonic Band, both jazz bands, and the Portland Community Wind Band.

Dinner includes baked spaghetti with cheese, meatballs on the side, salad, dessert, bread from Grand Central Bakery and lemonade- all for the low price of \$8.00 for adults, \$6.00 for students. (Children 5 and under eat free, but do need a ticket.) Dinner runs from 5:30 to 6:45, and music will be in the gym at 7:00.

**Dinner tickets are available for purchase on**

SchoolPay: <https://www.schoolpay.com/link/Beaumont-Spaghetti-Dinner-2017>

Raffle tickets will also be sold for a the chance to win 2 ROUND TRIP TICKETS to anywhere that Southwestern Airlines flies- including international flights- for \$20.00 each. Only

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300 tickets have been printed, so your chances are pretty good... Band students will be selling dinner tickets, or you can contact Mrs. Plank.

**Spaghetti Dinner volunteers are still needed** for next Tuesday's dinner! Please click the link below to sign up for a spot and get a free dinner!

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0e4daeac2ea2fb6-spaghetti>

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## After-School Study Sessions

Come one, come all to Pizza Jerk for after-school study sessions on Thursdays **STARTING OCTOBER 19TH!** Hosted by the 8th Grade Core team, come hang out and get some extra help with homework from 4 to 5 pm every Thursday. Open to all Beaumont students needing a great time and place to get homework done. 5028 NE 42nd Ave, between Prescott and Killingsworth, across from where Roses Ice Cream used to be. \$5 gets you a slice of pizza and a soda. Again, Pizza Jerk Thursdays starting October 19th!

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## High School Lottery Moves to November

Portland Public Schools High School Lottery has moved from February to November. This means 8th graders will be choosing a high school much earlier than usual. High School Lottery applications are available November 13-December 1. Offers will be made to families in mid-January. Final lottery results will be in SYNERGY around February 1.

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## High School Visits to Beaumont

Benson and Jefferson High Schools will be presenting information at Beaumont on October 19th from 2:06-2:54. Madison and Grant High Schools will be presenting information at Beaumont on October 26th from 11:49- 12:37. These presentations are geared towards our 8th graders, but families are welcome, so please feel free to check in at

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## Calendar

**Oct 17**

Band Spaghetti Dinner

**Oct 18**

Late Opening

**Oct 24**

Pizzicato Dough for Dollars

**Nov 8-9**

Parent Teacher Conferences

**Nov 18**

Foundation Happy Hour (Parents only)\*

\*date tentative

**Feb 7**

7pm PTA General Meeting

**Mar 8**

6pm 8th Grade vs Staff Basketball Game

**Mar 22**

Grandparents & Special Friends Day

the Beaumont office and then come to the New Gym to see the presentations. Contact Ria Goodwin at [rgoodwin@pps.net](mailto:rgoodwin@pps.net) for more information.

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May 9

7pm General Meeting

## **Benson High School Shadow Day for Beaumont**

Benson High School will have a Shadow Day for interested Beaumont students on November 14th. Information can be found on Benson's Website under admissions, or by clicking this

link <https://www.pps.net/Page/10070>.

Permission slips are available on the Benson website, or in the black magazine rack at the entrance to Beaumont's office. Please turn permission slips into Mrs. Goodwin.

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## **All School Party - Volunteers Needed**

Our first school dance will be Thursday, November 2 from 4:00-6:00. This dance is run by WEB Leaders, and they are planning an evening of Halloween fun. October 30-November 2 will be WEB Spirit Week, with different dress-up themes each day, culminating in the All School Party after school on Thursday, which will include a DJ, concessions, and a Haunted House.

We need at least 10 parent volunteers for this event, but 20 would be amazing. WEB will be setting up the Haunted House from 2:00-4:00, so we could use lots of help at this time, but during the dance we need help selling concessions, helping students go through the Haunted House, letting students into the dance, and monitoring the café and gym.

We could also use donations for our Haunted House. Things we need: scary clown masks, old sheets or tarps you no longer need, six bails of hay, lots of medium and large boxes for making walls, and Halloween candy. All donations can be brought to the office for Ria Goodwin.

Please contact Mrs. Goodwin at [rgoodwin@pps.net](mailto:rgoodwin@pps.net) if you can help at the All

School Party with donations, by volunteering, or both.

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## **Books and Bagels**

SUN School has started at Beaumont. The SUN registration didn't list Books and Bagels, but Books and Bagels is happening this year. We'll meet on Wednesdays at 8:15 in the library. Oregon Battle of the Books happens through this SUN program. If your student is interested in Books and Bagels, just write it onto the SUN form.

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## **8th Grade Lunch/Recess volunteers needed**

8th Grade Parents we need your help with the 8th grade recess and lunch period. If you are available from 12:40 pm to 1:12 pm, we would love to have you assist us at recess time. We are shorthanded for duty. Any amount of your time during the week would be helpful.

Please visit the [Sign-up Genius](#) to volunteer.

Thanks in advance for your assistance.

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## **Yearbook help/supplies needed!!**

Parents, the Yearbook class has created a DonorsChoose.org classroom request and it is over two-thirds funded!! Please consider helping us fully fund our project. We are in need of cameras and this project will help us acquire the needed cameras. Currently we have 5 cameras for 60 students. If you're able to donate ANYTHING, please go to:

[Cameras Capitalize on Common Commotion!](#)

If you're able to donate, our Yearbook class will be able to use the cameras for years to come and quite possibly your own child will benefit from the extra cameras if they take Yearbook. Also know that your donation has contributed to the book in the most basic way. The cameras will help up to 60 students per semester, so approximately 120 families will benefit from your donation this year

alone!

And here's the best part, it's TAX  
DEDUCTIBLE.

P.S. If you know anyone who may want to  
help our students, please pass this along

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## **Girls Night Out Gives Back**

Thank you to everyone who has donated

How you can help:

Collect/donate any of the following items and  
bring the items to Ms. Mittelstadt at the  
Beaumont library.

Women's Hygiene Products (unused)

Socks

Tampons

Combs

Lotion

Travel sizes items are great.

OR

Donate to the Girls Night Out fund using  
School Pay to help pay for other expenses for  
the night, including t-shirts for each girl that  
says "Nevertheless She Persisted".

Please deliver all items by Friday November  
17 so I have time to make sure we have  
enough of all the items.

Thank you for your help with this project.  
Ms. Mittelstadt, Mrs. Parrott, and Mrs.  
Goodwin

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The graphic is a vertical rectangular poster with a teal background. At the top, a dark teal banner contains the text '- pizzicato pizza presents -' in white. Below this, a white banner contains 'the BEAUMONT MIDDLE SCHOOL' in orange. The main body of the poster features the words 'DOUGH FOR DOLLARS' in large, white, hand-drawn style letters, with 'FOR' in smaller letters between 'DOUGH' and 'DOLLARS'. Below this, 'SCHOOL FUNDRAISER' is written in orange. A light green banner at the bottom of the main text area contains 'TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2017' in white. At the very bottom, a white banner contains the text 'Fremont Pizzicato • 4217 NE Fremont' and 'Call (503) 493-2808 • Event runs ALL DAY!' followed by the PIZZICATO logo.

**Dough for Dollars Night**

Pizzicato on Fremont will be hosting a fundraising night for Beaumont on October 24. Mark your calendars and plan to eat pizza that day, as a percentage of their sales will go to Beaumont.

Students can get involved by submitting recipes for Pizzicato's Budding Chef program. They submit recipes and a winner will be chosen to have their pizza creation featured during the event.

Download the [Budding Chef Info](#) and [Recipe form](#). **Recipes are due Oct. 17.**

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## Community Events

### Grant Youth Basketball

Junior Generals is a program for boys, Kindergarten through 2nd grade (4:15-5:15 p.m.), and girls, Kindergarten through 4th grades (3-4:00 p.m.). Sessions begin Sunday, November 5th through Sunday, December 3rd at Grant High School on the Marshall Campus ([3905 SE 91ST AVE, Portland, OR 97266](#)). The cost is \$70. 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 and all proceeds benefit the basketball programs at Grant High School! Registration Information:[www.grantyouthbasketball.org](http://www.grantyouthbasketball.org)

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