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Beaumont Newsletter

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Volunteers Needed!!

Beaumont has a great need for volunteers to help out in the Office and at Recess. This year, Beaumont does not have the TA elective so office support is in short supply, especially in the morning.

Volunteers are also needed to help supervise the huge number of students at recess.

Please contact the front office to get involved. Beaumont Office Phone: (503) 916-5610

The Beaumont Match

Last chance to have your donation doubled!
The Beaumont challenge Match ends October 24

If you want to make a donation that you know will impact your child's education at Beaumont, this is your chance: Donate now to the Beaumont Foundation, and your gift will be DOUBLED by our generous challenge match backers. This is when you know you're making a difference.

The non-profit Beaumont Foundation funds staff at Beaumont -- beyond what is paid for by Portland Public Schools. Over the years, our community has raised money to fund foreign languages, music, a mentor program -- and this year's new art and math

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support at Beaumont. Your donation is 100% tax deductible.

To donate:

Send a check made out to "Beaumont Foundation" to:

Beaumont Middle School, 4043 NE Fremont Street, Portland, OR 97212

Or online:

www.AllHandsRaised.org -- click "donate" (in red on the top right)

-- Make sure to designate recipient: "Beaumont MS"

Thank you in advance for building educational opportunities at our children's school!

To help and/or learn more about the non-profit Beaumont Foundation,

contact <u>beaumontfoundation@gmail.com</u> or Pattie Renouard (prenouard@aol.com).

Walk/Bike to School Challenge Was a Success!

Even though the weather was not the best on The Walk & Back to School Challenge last Wednesday, October 5, 2016, our students rose the occasion! We had 239 students who walked, 44 students who rode their bikes and one student who skateboarded to school! Thank you to all our participants and those who supported their efforts! Let's continue keeping active and safe as we travel to and from school!

PTA Clothing Volunteers Needed

We need at least 2-3 more volunteers.

Beaumont's PTA parent organization, the Oregon PTA, runs a special Clothing Center at Marshall High. **Monday, October 31st** is Beaumont's day to send 5-6 volunteers to be a "personal shopper" to help kids receive clothing or to help sort donations to get them put out. Each school is responsible for sending volunteers on their assigned day.

The **volunteer hours are 9:30am - 1:30pm** at Marshall (Franklin HS) Campus, 3905 SE 91st Avenue.

The Clothing Center has been having about 35-45 kids each volunteer day and NEEDS

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Upcoming Events

Oct 19

Late Opening Beaumont Foundation Meeting

Oct 25

Tag Meeting

Nov 9-10

Parent Teacher Conferences

Nov 19

Beaumont Fall Happy Hour (adults only)

January 11

PTA General Meeting - 7pm

Mar 9

8th Grade vs Staff Basketball Game - 6pm

Mar 23

Grandparents and Special Friends Day

April 12

PTA General Meeting - 7pm

volunteers. One day last month they had 50+ kids come to receive clothing. We don't want to have to send away kids because Beaumont couldn't provide enough volunteers.

We need at least 2-3 more volunteers.

Please contact <u>ptabeaumontvolunteer@gmail.com</u> to get involved.

Beaumont PTA Membership Drive

Our membership drive is continuing through the month of October. If you haven't been able to sign up yet, it's not too late. Membership is just a \$20 commitment. We had 6 new members sign up last week, but we are still shy of our goal. Get those envelopes in to the front office. Checks should be made out to Beaumont PTA. If you have lost your envelope, there are more available at the front office.

Please contact Kelli Rosenquist at ptabeaumontmembership@gmail.com with any questions.

Apple Sale

The Beaumont PTA Apple Sale was a huge success this year. In addition to the proceeds that will go to support teachers and students, the PTA will be able to make some generous donations with the leftover apples to the Beaumont Cafeteria and Local Food Banks.

Beaumont Fall Happy Hour

Mark your calendar: Beaumont's Annual Fall Happy Hour is November 19

Please join us on Saturday, November 19, for the Beaumont Foundation's annual Fall Happy Hour! This low-key, adults-only gathering brings together Beaumont parents and staff for a fun, festive evening -- the perfect way to kick off the holiday season. Food, wine, and beer are all donated, so funds raised from ticket sales go directly into Beaumont classrooms. Stay tuned for more details! Questions?

Contact beaumontfoundation@gmail.com.

June 8

8th Grade Promotion - 5:30pm

Beaumont Music:

beaumontmusic.net



TAG

The annual TAG Parent Meeting will be **Tuesday, October 25 at 6:30** in the library. Hope to see you there.

Tracy Temple
TAG facilitator
ttemple@pps.net

Girls Night Out Gives Back

We would like to add a bit of giving back to our community at Girls Night Out in the fall. This year we would like to have the girls put together toiletry kits for women and teen girls who are homeless or in crisis.

How you can help:

Donate HERE

OR

Collect any of the following items and bring the items to Ms. Mittelstadt in the Beaumont library.

Travel sized Women's Hygiene Products (very important)

Shampoo

Combs

Deodorant

Tampons/pads

Travel sizes items are great.

We also will need 85-90 ice cream sandwiches for dessert, and 90 drawstring backpacks. (We will use these to pack the hygiene items in.)

If you have any question please email Ms. Mittelstadt at jmittels@pps.net.

Please deliver all items by Tuesday November 22 so I have time to make sure we have enough of all the items.

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



PIL Grant Cluster Basketball

Boys & Girls – Grades 6th, 7th & 8th
Grant Middle School basketball teams will be competing in the PIL Middle School League, which is made up of eight PIL schools: Grant, Lincoln, Wilson, Cleveland, Madison, Jefferson, Roosevelt and Franklin. Each High School will assemble two teams at the 6th, 7th and 8th Grade levels for both boys and girls. 12 teams total. Each team to consist of between 10 and 12 players. All players must live in their High School catchment area or attend a Grant High School feeder middle school to play on the team.

Girls Information and Tryouts: Parent/Player Meeting:

Wednesday October 19th – 6pm – Grant High School Library

Girls Try-Outs:

Sunday October 30th – Grant High School Gym 6th graders – 4pm to 6pm 7th & 8th graders – 5pm to 7pm For more information visit: Grant Girls Basketball Register for Try–Outs: Registration Link

Boys Try Outs:

Saturday November 5th AND Sunday November 6th (Attend Both Days)
6th Graders – 12pm to 2pm
7th Graders – 2:30pm to 4pm
8th Graders – 4:30pm to 6pm
For more information visit: Grant Boys Basketball

Register for Try-Outs: Registration Link

More Information:

Please visit the **Grant Cluster Youth Sports Page**

Contacts:

Girls Contact: Heather

MacNeillPIL.grantyouthbasketball@gmail.com

Boys Contact: Jennifer Zamora —msizamora@gmail.com

Community Events:

Grant, Cleveland, Madison, Franklin and Benson High School Ski Swap

November 11-13

Hi skiers and snowboarders! Are you looking for awesome deals on winter gear and an opportunity to support Grant, Cleveland, Madison, Franklin, and Benson high school students? Do you have used equipment that you want to sell? If so, then come on out to our annual Ski Swap. You can bring your used gear to sell, get some great deals on new or used gear, and have a chance to win great prizes at our hourly drawings.

When: Sale Hours: Saturday, Nov. 12, 11-6 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 13, 10-3 p.m.;

<u>Drop off</u> your gear to sell Friday, Nov. 11, 6:30-9 p.m. or Saturday, Nov. 12, starting at 9 a.m.

Where: 1606 NE 37th Ave. (between Broadway and Sandy)

The event is sponsored through support from the Northeast Community Center, Atomic and Blizzard skis, the Mountain Shop, and other local organizations.

For more information about the Swap: http://www.grantclevelandskiteam.com/team-fundraising

For more information about Ski Team, visit the team Website at http://www.grantclevelandskiteam.com/

Fill Your Pantry

Friends of Family Farmers is bringing a "Fill Your Pantry" event to the Portland metro area on Sunday, November 6th from 11:00 am-2:00 pm at Rigler Elementary- 5401 NE Prescott St, Portland, OR 97218.

Community members will have the opportunity to purchase bulk quantities of staple and storage crops directly from farmers. Stock those pantry shelves for the winter with dry beans, grains, flours, nuts, honey, root veggies, garlic, onions, winter squash and more.

http://www.friendsoffamilyfarmers.org/event/portland-fill-your-pantry-2/

Chinook Books On Sale Now - Support Your GHS Water Polo Generals

The Grant High Water Polo Generals are selling Chinook books to help keep their team afloat. The Chinook book is loaded with awesome deals from great local businesses and it is easier than ever to use. If you haven't dipped your toe into the Chinook Book pool yet, dive in NOW. Do you shop at New Seasons, Whole Foods, Beaumont Hardware or Miller Paint? Eat at Cha Cha, Pizzicato, Grand Central, Laurelwood, Burgerville, or Salt & Straw? Do you visit OMSI, the Oregon Zoo or the Hollywood Theater? The Chinook Book Savings will pay for itself quickly with these businesses and many more. If your goal is to score real savings AND support your favorite water polo club, the Chinook Book is the way to go.

- The mobile App is \$15 Tag your favorites, find nearby discounts and share your coupons with up to three devices.
- The old school paper coupon book is \$22.
- The Combo Pack is \$30 and features the best of both worlds and twice the savings.

Chinook Books will be on sale through November and we are making it easier than ever to buy.

Email Pete Conklin

at<u>GrantPoloChinookBook@gmail.com</u> for a Square invoice. Let him know what you want and you can pay quickly via Square with your credit card. Let us know where to deliver your App, Book or Combo pack and before you know it you'll be swimming in savings!

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