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Llewellyn Friday Family Announcements

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A Message from Principal Pam

Fall harvest season is upon us. The leaves are a gorgeous cacophony of colors, there's a nip in the air most days, and it will be time to turn back the clock very soon. Next week many classes will celebrate the Harvest Season in different ways and our annual Pumpkin Carving Contest will be on Thursday, October 31st. Please remember as part of the PPS Policies regarding Health and Wellness and the Holiday Celebrations, we ask that healthy treats be a part of class celebrations and costumes be left at home. Thank you!

Thank you to everyone for supporting our school every day in so many different ways be it volunteering to help during recess, in the classrooms, supporting our fundraising efforts, or being a member of the PTA or the Foundation. Another way you can get involved is to become a member of our Site Council. What is a Site Council? In short, it is a group of parents, classified staff members, teachers, community members, and an administrator who work together with the primary purpose of improving student learning. Site Councils were mandated in 1991 by the Oregon Legislature with the passage of the "Oregon Educational Act for the 21st Century" OR 329.704. One of the primary pieces of work the committee does is to develop and approve (as mandated by the legislature) our School Continuous Improvement Plan (formerly known as the Comprehensive Achievement Plan (CAP). If you are interested in learning more or becoming a member, please contact me by email (pgwynn@pps.net). We'd love to have you join us. Our first meeting will be in November! Soon more information will be available on our school website as well.

From the office:

Photo Re-Takes are TUESDAY! (10/29). Bring your first photos to return to Dorian and PLEASE let your teacher know your student needs Re-Takes. (Students don't always remember when the time comes!) Finally, Re-Takes will ONLY OCCUR IN THE MORNING! Need more information? Please see the attached flier: [Re-Takes.pdf](#)

The October Star Flier is attached: [October 25.pdf](#). Submission for November's issue are due by November 19th. We hope you will continue to encourage your students in providing articles for the *Flier*. As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mark in the Office.

From the District:

The SafeOregon Tipline aims to increase student safety. Keeping with our commitment to student safety, PPS joined school districts across the state a couple years ago in using the SafeOregon Tip Line. We want to remind you about this important resource. Please read the attached flier for more information: [Safe Oregon.pdf](#)

Calling all goblins, fairies and ghosts!

The Sellwood Moreland Business Alliance (SMBA) invites creatures of all ages to the 19th Annual Monster March, starting at 3:00pm on Sunday, October 27th. Costume parade begins and ends (with free cookies and juice) at Llewellyn Elementary School. For more information, visit: www.SellwoodMoreland.com

Box Top Deadline

Please bring in any Box Tops you have by MONDAY (10/28) so we can meet the 11/1 deadline! This will be the biggest haul yet, hopefully well over \$200 for our school. Thank you for your support!

BINGO

Thank you to all who came out for a fun night of BINGO! Also a big thank you to our sponsors Grafletics, Stephen Goff Wines, Beacon Acupuncture, New Cascadia Traditional, Activate Studio, Ted Isaacs Salon, Bible Club, Wallace Books, Jussica Pulhar Ceramics, Homestead House, Sellwood Flowers, McMenamins, Grand Central Bakery, Yakima, The Bull and the Bee, Thai Square, Townshed Distillery, New Season, and Union Wines.

Reading Night

For everyone who came to reading night thank you so much for coming and sharing a night of community and celebrating the joy of reading.

Bottle Drop!

Due to great demand, the first and third Wednesday of every month we will be collecting filled (blue) bags at Llewellyn to be returned to the local Bottle Drop location via parent volunteer. Please bring in your bags ONLY on these days BEFORE school. Thank you for your understanding and support! Empty bags are available from the school office.

Important Dates:

October 27	Monster March – Begins 3:00PM @ Llewellyn
October 29	Fall Photo Re-Takes
October 31	Pumpkin Carving Contest
November 1	NO SCHOOL – Teacher Planning Day
November 4	K-2 Star Assembly 1:30PM Wreath Sales Begin
November 5	ESL Family Information Session – 8:00AM Cafetorium PTA Meeting 7:00PM

November 11	NO SCHOOL – Veteran’s Day
November 14	Wreath Sales End
November 15	Perk Up with Pam 8:30AM - Cafetorium
November 16	Holiday Market 10:00AM-5:00PM
November 18	3-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
November 19	Kindergarten Concert 6:30PM
November 25-26	Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00AM-8:00PM (NO SCHOOL)
November 27-29	NO SCHOOL – Thanksgiving Break
December 3	Wreath Delivery PTA Meeting 7:00PM
December 9	K-2 Star Assembly 1:30PM
December 10	First Grade Concert 6:30PM
December 16	3-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
December 20	Fall After School Classes End
December 21-January 5	NO SCHOOL – Winter Break
January 6	School Resumes
January 13	K-5 Star Assembly 1:30PM
January 14	PTA Meeting 7:00PM
January 20	NO SCHOOL – MLK, Jr. Holiday
January 27	NO SCHOOL – Teacher Planning Day
January 28	Second Grade Concert 6:30PM
January 31	Family Craft Night 5:30-7:30PM

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