



Williams Elementary School Newsletter

JANUARY 2010

Ms. Michelle Sesock
Principal

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Calendar of Events

January 4	-	Classes Resume
January 7	-	Special Site Council Meeting 2:15PM
January 18	-	Martin Luther King Day- No School
January 29	-	2 hour Late

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School Hours:
7:40am—1:55pm

Williams Elementary School
receives an OUTSTANDING on
the Oregon State Report Card





"Finding Christmas 2009"

Williams Elementary Holiday Program "Finding Christmas"

The Williams Holiday Production of "Finding Christmas" was a success due to all the cooperation of students, parents, staff, and community. The students did a wonderful job as always. The acting and singing was superb! Again this year, the gym was full to capacity as family, friends, and local community members laughed, cried, cheered, and applauded the wonderful job our students did singing and performing. Thank you parents for all your understanding and flexibility. Thanks to Southern Oregon Audio Visual for the yearly use of their wonderful lighting and sound equipment. Thank you students and teachers for all your hard work and cooperation. Great Job Williams Elementary!!!

Mindi Hernandez and Sue Morgan

News from Mrs. Wardle's Class

The Kindergarten class had a busy December. We made Christmas presents, made and ate edible wreaths, and worked hard learning songs for the Christmas Program.

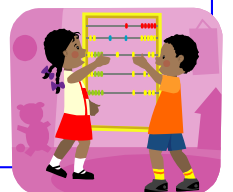
We will start the new year working with numbers up to twenty. Students will be studying weather and writing stories about winter. We have learned many letter sounds and will begin to sound out words so we can become readers.



News from Mrs. Agnifili's Class

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a great vacation! All students spent December learning the words to our holiday songs, doing math, reading AR books, and working on parent presents. Mrs. Agnifili was so excited about the amount of effort and quality of work her students put into a writing assignment that the assignment was turned into a present for parents! Many students wrote five pages of writing! I am very proud of each student's enthusiastic dedication to their writing project.

The entire class worked on building numbers and making number sentences in math. Students talked to each other, drew diagrams and pictures, and wrote stories about their number sentence. The lesson taught students how to use parentheses in math.



News from Mr. Morgan's Class

Third grade starts out 2010 memorizing multiplication facts. They will continue with line graphs, bar graphs and data interpretation.

Social Studies is getting into ancient civilizations and Native Americans.

In science we have started the ice cream factory section which studies states of matter, solid, liquid, and gas.

HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM MR. MORGAN'S CLASS!!!



News from Mrs. Bingham's Class

The Christmas Play was amazing and the singing was awesome, of course! We just got back from our winter break and are sure every one had a blast!

In math the 4th graders are doing clocks and graphing. The 5th graders are doing some pretty hard long division and tan grams. Students are working hard on reading all of the books for the upcoming "Battle of the Books" tournament.

Have a fun year! Welcome 2010!!!!!!

By Samantha Johnson and Ava Jorgenson



REMINDER

In the event of adverse weather conditions, parents are advised to tune in to Radio Stations KRWQ, KAJQ, KLDR, KBOY and TV Stations KOBI (5), KDRV (12), KTVL (10), or Three Rivers School District Web Page for information on school bus schedules and school closures.

Sometimes weather conditions leave some roads blocked or unsafe to travel but school is still being held. Under these circumstances "straight line routes" will be run. This is the information you will get on the web page or radio/TV stations.

When straight line routes are run the roads affected are listed below. If you live on one of the roads the buses cannot travel, you may bring your student to the nearest intersection of the main road traveled. This will also be the stop for the afternoon drop off.

<u>Route</u>	<u>Street Name</u>
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B-01	Cedar Flat, Caves Camp Road, Kincaid Road (Student Pick Up for these roads will be at Williams Elementary)
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B-02	Pine Tree, Powell Creek Road
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B-03	Tetherow, East Fork, Panther Gulch, (Student Pick Up for these roads will be at Williams Elementary)
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Williams Elementary School Vision Statement

Williams Elementary School is committed to creating a nurturing environment in which each child is encouraged to become a life long learner

