



NEWSLETTER

December

Fleming Middle School



PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

THREE RIVERS VALUES

Learning:

- § All students can be successful
- § All students connect at our schools
- § Parents, Community, and Businesses: partners for achievement

I would like to say thank you to all the parents who attended parent/teacher conferences last week. It is a fantastic way to communicate and work together for the success of our children. On Monday November 20th we had an amazing opportunity to come together as a staff and work together on our "WHY" here at Fleming. We reflected on our personal "WHY" we are in education, and "WHY" we choose to be here at Fleming. We look forward to sharing an artifact from this work with you soon. It will be hanging in the office. As I reflect during this time of year I am so thankful for the opportunity to work with your children each day. My "WHY" for choosing to go into education is I want "to make a difference" each day.

As more questions and situations arise in the area of technology and social media use by our children. I wanted to share a link with you that was recommended to me: commonsensemedia.org It is a great resource for parents to use to help guide us in all different situations unique to technology and social media, among other topics, as they are different today than in our generation of youth.

I hope all had a restful and relaxing Thanksgiving break with family and friends. We have a busy and full three weeks ahead until our next holiday break in December.

Included you will find a few staff Fun Fact Sheets. Enjoy!

Upcoming Events

12/2 - Grants Pass Christmas Parade featuring our 7th & 8th grade Band!

12/4 - 12/8 Book Fair

12-4 - Boys Bball, 8th gr. ONLY @ South

12/6 - Boys Bball, @ White Mtn.

12/8 - 8th grade Semi-Formal Dance 5:30-7:30 pm

12/11 - Boys Bball, Home vs North 2

12/13 - Boys Bball, vs LSMS @ HVHS

12/18—1/1 - Holiday Break

1/2 - Classes Resume





PARENT TIP OF THE MONTH: Visit Fleming and our Website! Knowing the physical layout of the school building and grounds can help you connect with your child when you talk about his or her school day. It's good to know the location of the main office, cafeteria, gym, athletic fields, and special classes. On the school website, you can find information about the school calendar, special events, testing dates and sign up information for clubs and other extracurricular activities. The Athletics Tab offers weekly information on practices, games, schedules and more. Teachers maintain their own websites on the Classrooms Tab with information on assignments and resources!

21st Century After School Program

Sign ups for new classes will be December 11th through December 14th. Session 2 starts January 2.

YEARBOOKS

Reserve yours today for \$25.00. The cost goes up to \$30.00 after Christmas. Order online and get yours personalized for \$5.00!

Need a Christmas present idea?

Black hoodies with the new Cavalier logo are available for purchase in the school office for \$25.00.

ATHLETICS

Our Boys Basketball teams are playing well with lots of exciting games.

Sign ups for Wrestling and Girls Basketball are in the office.

Wrestling Practice starts Tuesday, January 2nd. Girls Basketball Open Gyms 12/6 & 12/13.

Tryouts are Tuesday, January 2, and Wednesday, January 3.

Online registration for winter sports opens on December 1st.

Check the Athletics Tab for up-to-date information.



Go
Cavaliers!



LIBRARY

The Fleming Library Committee has voted for a Christmas Book Fair. The fair will begin Monday December 4th thru Friday December 8th from 8:30 to 4:00. We will have a Christmas wrapping center to wrap gifts. Parents please bring in store bought baked goods to sell for the Fleming Library. The bake sale will be Wednesday December 6th. We will be selling hot cocoa too. Thank you so much for your support. Keep turning in the Box-Tops.

Scholastic Book Fairs congratulated Fleming Middle School for these outstanding results.

Fall 2017 Book Fair Results:
777 Books Sold!
139,805 Reading Minutes

****Don't forget we have Homework Help from 7:30-8:30am Monday - Thursday where your student can come and receive some extra classroom**

Ms. Conner- fun facts about ME!



- lived in the Rogue Valley for FOREVER!
- attended a ONE room schoolhouse in elementary school
- raised pigs and steers for 4-H projects
- attended Linfield College and earned by Bachelor's of Science in PE, Health and Athletic Training
- love the OUTDOORS- paddling boarding, fishing, hunting, camping, the beach
- enjoy reading a good book!
- have two AMAZING kids!
- Love SPORTS- watching or playing!
- Ice, cream, chocolate, BBQ, fish, pizza...YUMMY!
- Yep, listen to COUNTRY MUSIC- Yee Haw!
- Want to travel to Hawaii, Europe, and Alaska



Mrs. Banuelos



Loves:

Family, Sports, My home, Friends, Shopping, Scrapbooking, Flowers, Clothes, Shoes, Decorating, Disneyland, Hawaii

About me:

Been with my husband since I was 15

As a teen I wanted to be a tv anchor or sports reporter

Fun Dream Job- personal shopper/designer

Color- Teal, Food- Pasta, Dessert- ice cream or shaved ice

Hero- My grandpa Lino



Miss Wicks ♥ School Counselor

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I love...

- My dog
- Shoes
- Coffee
- Football
- Country Music

My hobbies include...

- Baking
- Reading
- Watching sports
- Being outdoors
- Trying new things

On my bucket list...

- Go to Italy
- Learn to fly
- Become a published author
- Meet Tom Brady
- Make a difference



“Leaders are made, they are not born. They are made by hard effort, which is the price which all of us must pay to achieve any goal that is worthwhile.” - Vince Lombardi

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