## Alsea School District

# May 2025 School Board Report – K-12 B&M School

## Krista Nieraeth, Principal

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### 1. Students of the Month for April

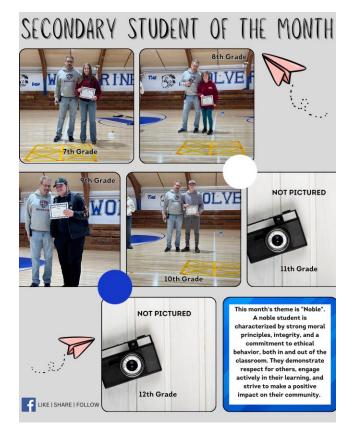
6 – Ashlyn Sapp

The character theme of April was Neat (K - 6) and Noble (7 - 12)

Congratulations to the following students for being voted as the April Student of the Month:

K – Thea Cantrell
1 – Demetri Rounds
2 – Reese Pedder
3 – Arya Larson
4 – Courtenay Larson
5 – David Garibay
7 – Bethany Hendrix
8 – Dixie Lucas
9 – Cillian Frensdorf
10 – Slayde Olsen
11 – Tommy Quinn
12 – Bear Aguas





# 2. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Grade to Cape Perpetua

On Thursday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, our 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade classes took a field trip to Cape Perpetua to hike in the woods and explore tide pools. The kids spent time with Ranger hiking the trails around the Cape. Thank you to Mrs. Treadway and Ms. Pinion, as well as parent volunteers, for taking our students on this amazing experience.





### 3. OMSI Science Festival



On Wednesday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, OMSI came to Alsea and hosted a science festival for our community. The SIA grant paid for this amazing event for our community. There was a nacho bar for all attendees. We had 75 people attend this event. Thank you to Sara Littlefield and all the parents, staff, and student volunteers for putting on this.

#### 4. HS Prom

The Alsea HS Prom was held on Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, at the Alsea Grange Hall. The juniors and Ms. Ellis did an amazing job planning and decorating the Grange Hall. We had all but nine of our students attend the dance. Thank you to all the chaperones and for all the community members who donated food and decorations for the prom! Thank you to the students for being amazing and having fun in a safe manner!





#### 5. Kindergarten Round Up

We held Kindergarten Round up in April. During this event, we opened the classroom up for families to visit with their incoming kindergarten students. We had 4 students attend this event with their families and partnered with the preschool across the street to help transition the students. We are estimating that we will have 8 kindergarten students for the upcoming year. Mrs. Shondell is working with Alsea Preschool to start integrating the preschool students into the classroom to help with transitioning into kindergarten.

#### 6. After School Programming



Since March, we have been having after school programming for students in K-12. We are offering pottery with Mr. Lynch, culinary with Mr. Taylor, and choir with Ms. Ellis. These offerings are possible through a grant from the Benton Community Foundation. We are hoping to expand our offerings for next year to include other activities for more student engagement.

#### 7. UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES FOR SENIORS

Senior Banquet – May  $28^{th}$  – 6pm Graduation – June  $6^{th}$  – 7pm