

FORT VANNOY TRIBE-UNE

We are a responsible and caring community of learners.

Kathie Hill, Principal

OCTOBER 2012

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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1st- Music begins with Mrs. Hankins



3rd- Good News begins

5th- 3rd gr. Fieldtrip to Crater Lake-7:30 am to 3:00 pm



8th- Monday Kinders, 1st & 3rd Grades-Hearing Screening

9th- PTA Meeting-Library- 2:15pm

11th- Progress Reports sent home

12th- Statewide Inservice-No School for Students

15th- TRSD Board meeting @ Jerome Prairie-7:00 pm

16th- S.M.A.R.T. begins

17th- Evening Conferences- Yes, School today

18th- All Day Conferences-No School for Students

19th - No School

22nd- 1st gr. Bugs-R-Us-BATS-11:50



25th- Tuesday Kinders--Hearing Screening-12:00 pm

26th- Kid Zone—5:30 pm to 7:30 pm

31st- PTA's Presents the FALL FESTIVAL



KITCHEN OF THE MONTH

Fort Vannoy School is honored to have our very own Kitchen Manager, Kathy Briggs, received the award for "Kitchen of the Month." Mrs. Briggs was recognized for her outstanding dedication to her program with countless hours spent enrolling new students while successfully managing without a walk-in freezer. Thank you, Mrs. Briggs for taking care of our students here at the "Fort."

SYNREVOICE

Synrevoice is a parent notification system used primarily by schools and school districts to notify parents about student attendance and to communicate school announcements and emergency messages to parents and school community.

When you do receive a phone call, please listen to the complete message. If you missed the first part of the message, please continue to listen to the end of the message.

At that time it will prompt you if you wish to repeat the message. Please notify the school if you are having problems receiving messages. This is why it is so important to keep the office updated of any new phone numbers and additional new information.

S.M.A.R.T.

Looking for Volunteers

S.M.A.R.T. is looking for volunteers to read with a child for at least one hour a week. Sessions are on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:00 pm to 1:30 pm. We are especially in need of volunteers for the last half hour. The start date is October 16th, with the training session scheduled for October 10th. If you are interested in helping a child learn to read please call Carol Strode at 541-956-9559.

S.M.A.R.T. (Start Making A Reader Today) helps children who need additional opportunities to improve their reading skills or who would benefit by spending quality one-on-one time with a caring adult. Each child in S.M.A.R.T. is scheduled twice a week for a half hour and receives two free books a month.

Last year the Fort Vannoy S.M.A.R.T. reading program had 36 volunteers, served 65 children, gave away 876 books and accumulated 1,443 volunteer hours! Drop by and see us in the S.M.A.R.T. room across from the library.

READ A GOOD



BOOK TODAY!

From the Desk of ...
... Mrs. Solomon and Mrs. DeVore
2nd grade teachers

Welcome back to school! It is great to be back and getting in a routine here in the second grade. Mrs. Solomon and I work closely together. We finally have our routine set with our second grade students.

The students in my language arts group were asked to name one thing they hope to learn this year. Below are their responses. This year I want to learn about_____.



...art. Adrianna



...science—pouring liquids. Annelize

... science by mixing chemicals. Bentley

... how to write a story. Brisa



... lots of math. Christa

... spelling. Cooper



... having perfect writing. Elena



... science. Elijah

... new math, like addition, subtractions and also times. Jaylen



... new subtraction math. Joe



... art. Katie D.



... math. Katie H.

... counting to 1000. Kaylen



... adding numbers. Madison



... reading more books. Maison

... new math. Matthew T.



... science with liquids. Mirriam

... counting to one thousand. Olivia



... more math. Peyton



... how to write. Rolan



... algebra. Sarah



... math. Sophie



... magic. Tara

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Please feel free to visit and check out important dates and upcoming events on the Fort Vannoy website. Become a subscriber to the website by simply logging on to the Fort Vannoy website. Click on the subscribe button on the top right of our home page. You will then receive automatic updates for school closures, news and information.

What's Happening in PTA

Thank you to all the students, staff and volunteers who helped make our Jog-A-Thon a GREAT SUCCESS!!!

We will be having our first PTA Movie Night this month. Please watch for a flier announcing the date and the movie so you can mark your calendar for this fun family event.

Every fourth Friday is Fort Vannoy Kid Zone night at "The Club." Our next Kid Zone night will be October 26th from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Cost is \$5.00 per child and they must wear socks! A special "Thank You" to Mr. Tom Davis who has stepped up and offered to chaperone at the Kids Zone for the entire school year. Thank you Mr. Davis!

If you are interested in joining the PTA the cost is \$10.00 per person. Our next PTA meeting will be Tuesday October 9th @ 2:15 pm in the library. Daycare is provided. We hope to see you there!

We will be having our Fall Festival on October 31st. This will be a "PRIDE" event for the students. They will be allowed to dress up during their scheduled time at the Festival, and then will change back before heading back to class. Please watch for fliers with more information coming soon.

Food 4 Thought

I am looking forward to another terrific school year! Please check out the pay online for student lunch accounts. You will need their student ID number to log onto the program. If you haven't yet done so, please complete your free and reduced applications, available in the office, and turn them in promptly. Applications need to be renewed annually. Family members are always welcome to come have lunch with their students. Please call the office in the morning to let us know to be expecting you. Remember that breakfast is FREE to all students. There are many healthy different choices to pick from for your child to enjoy and get their morning off to a great start.

Thank you, Kathy Briggs, Kitchen Manager

UMPQUA BANK

SAVE, SHARE, SPEND
Welcome back to "Learn to Earn"
It's easy and fun!

Every Wednesday
Fort Vannoy Cafeteria
7:15 am to 7:45 am

If you would like to start a "Learn to Earn" account, sign-up packets are available from the "Learn to Earn" representative every Wednesday here at the Fort Vannoy banking area located in the cafeteria. Accounts may be opened for as little as \$1.00, deposits as little as a penny thereafter. If you already have a "Learn to Earn" account, bring your green bag, passbook and money to the bank table and make your deposit.

Questions- please contact:

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