



Small School BIG on Kids



December Birthdays

Forest
Ronan
Alyssa
Jeff
Skylar H.
Alia



THIS MONTH

Boys Basketball
Girl's Basketball
Winter Program
Salmon Release
Canned Food Drive
Holiday Lunch



Our Annual Canned Food Drive is still running! Non-perishable items can be donated until December 17th THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!



Cougar Tails



A note from the principal ...

Dear Families~

Winter has arrived a bit early it seems, as we are already watching for icy roads and kids are crossing their fingers for snow days!

We have lots to look forward to as this month brings a new trimester, parent-teacher conferences, our annual winter strings and sing, and the wrap up to a fun boys basketball season. Please check out our Calendar of Events on our website to find out more on these and other upcoming events.

Starting in January, I will be adding to my role the job of Principal at Williams School for the remainder of the school year. Michelle Sescocock, the current principal, is retiring. I will continue to be at Applegate daily, but will be spending a few part days at Williams to support the students and staff there.

I look forward to seeing many of you at conferences and at our winter program, and I wish all of you a happy, safe Holiday Season.

~Stephanie

Winter Sing Along

Please come join us on Wednesday, December 15th at 6:00 pm for our Winter Program! Music will be performed by our Strings students and students will sing a special selection of Holiday Songs. The program will culminate with a special visit from a very jolly guy! There is no cost to enjoy this program, but we are encouraging everyone to bring in a canned good or non-perishable item for our seasonal Canned Food Drive. Refreshments will be served after the program.

Schedule Changes?

Please alert the office to any changes you have made to your student's after-school pick up/bus routine.

Keeping the office up to date will help ensure your student does not miss the bus or does not ride the bus when being picked up. You can send a note or call Shawn in the office or call 541.846.6280

Please be sure to call before 2:30 p.m.

Box Tops

Help us meet our goal. Call your friends, call your neighbors .. bring or send in BOX TOPS before March 2011

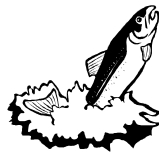
Check out boxtops4education.com for bonus offers and more ways to help the school.



Join your children for our Annual Family Lunch December 7th
11:25 K-5
12:10 6-8



Salmon Release



The salmon eggs have hatched and will soon be ready for release into the Rogue River! Be on the look out for a flyer with details on the date, time, and place of release. All families and students are invited to participate. This has been a very exciting, educational, and fun project for our students!

Reminder

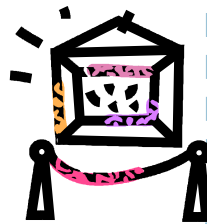
For safety reasons **please do not park** behind the busses when dropping off or picking up students.



Thank you! Shout Out!

- Herb Pharm for giving us their used ink jet cartridges, bringing our total earned through our recycling program to \$177.40
- Elementary girls for helping clear the star thistle from the "triangle area." We are almost done!

Student Art Work from the Art Electives Class is now on display in the Multi-Purpose Room. **Come see their terrific work!**



Luscious Lavender Sale

Great Gift Idea

Bouquets \$4

Sachets 3 for \$5

Available in the office

Money raised is used to support afterschool arts and butterfly garden



Donations Needed



Do you have any children's' clothing in good condition? We are in need of jeans in the size of 7-8. Also t-shirts size 8-10ish - long sleeve for this time of year. We also tennis shoes- size 1, 2 or 3 for boys & girls, if you have any extras in good wearable condition.

DECEMBER 2010



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 CONFERENCES	2 Boys Bball home 4pm CONFERENCES No School	3 No school	4
5	6 Boys Bball Home 4pm	7 Family Holiday Lunch	8 PTSG 2pm Boys Bball Home 4pm	9	10	11
12	13 Boys Bball Away @ Prospect	14	15 Winter Program 6:00pm	16	17 Class Parties/Social Food Drive Ends	18
19	20 Winter Break 12/20-1/2	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	Classes resume Jan. 3rd