

May 2015

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR AND ACTIVITIES REPORT

Update from the Athletic Director: We had a great month at Fleming. We are currently finishing up our track season. We had almost sixty students participate this year! What growth! On Monday our seventh and eighth grade girls had the district competition. We are excited to tell you our girls took first place! We have some young ladies who are currently earning high school level times and distances. North Valley High School has some serious athletes coming their way! Yesterday our sixth graders competed at Ashland middle school for districts. Their behavior was exemplary and most kids posted personal records in one or more of their events! Today, our boy's travel to Eagle Point to compete in their preliminaries for 7th and 8th grades. Saturday the finalists for girls and boys will be held at Grants Pass High school from 9:00-1:00 p.m. We hope to come home with some first place awards in some areas!

It is joyful to watch the growing relationship we are developing in athletics between Fleming and North Valley. Our thanks goes out to Sid Hobgood, Dennis Misner, Bruce Reece and all of the NVHS coaching staff. Many have visited the school to encourage kids to be involved in sports and many have helped with our events or have begun helping in our 21st Century After School programs. They are developing student's skill and knowledge for all levels of young athletes. They are also working closely with our coaches who appreciate their support. Together they are building a program that is seamless from sixth grade through twelfth for our North Valley students. We truly appreciate the sharing of knowledge, skills and resources between our schools.

MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL REPORT

- A. We currently have 397 students registered at Fleming Middle school.
 - a. 6th - 116
 - b. 7th - 135
 - c. 8th - 146
- B. We had a dance last month which was well attended. Kids enjoyed some new DJ techniques from our teacher Nic Kemper. The student leadership was fresh from a recent trip to the state leadership conference in Eugene and they led many large group dances and introduced a fun device known as a toilet paper shooter to the crowd! Check out our Twitter page for some updated photos! We will have our last dance on May 21st. The proceeds from each dance are shared between athletics and leadership. Athletics is working on building a fund to purchase outdoor seating for watching athletic events at Fleming. We currently have no seating for parents or visitors to watch football, cross country or track events held at our school.

EXTRA

- A. Fleming has entered the Twitter world please follow us @FlemingRogues. ☺