

FORT VANNOY TRIBE-UNE

We are a responsible and caring community of learners.

Kathie Hill, Principal

February 2009

UPCOMING EVENTS

20  09

- Feb. 5th- 2nd-3rd-4th grades to GPPAC to see
"Most Valuable Player"- 8:30 – 11:00
- Feb. 9th- Breakfast Club
- Feb. 13th- Valentine's Day Parties—1:00
2nd & 3rd gr. PTA Movie Night 6 to 8 PM
- Feb 14th- Valentine's Day
- Feb. 16th- Presidents' Day—No School
- Feb. 17th- PTA Meeting-Library- 2:00
- Feb. 20th- 4th & 5th gr. PTA Movie Night 6 to 8 PM
- Feb. 23rd- Site Council- 2:15
- Feb. 26th- BINGO @ Fleming MS-6:00 to 8:00 pm
- Feb 27th- Kid Zone @ The Club—5:30-7:30

Boys & Girls Club is **CLOSED**



Fort Vannoy Elementary's
Web Site

www.threerivers.k12.or.us/FV

Please feel free to visit and check out important
dates and upcoming events.



From the Desk of . . . Mr. Biencourt, 4th grade teacher

As we join our country in this historical time of a new presidency and new administration, we are reminded that February is Black History Month. Lots of things happen in February, it's a "Happening Month." In February, we are halfway through winter. Groundhog Day happens this month. Abraham Lincoln was born in February 1809, George Washington in 1732 and Ronald Reagan in 1911. Oregon gained its statehood on February 14, 1859. Pluto was discovered in February 1930 and of course Polar Bear Day and Toothache Day falls in February.

February is usually a cool month, weather wise, but for the fourth grade it is warm with activity. It is a busy time, in part, because the Science and Engineering Fair takes place during this month and students are putting the finishing touches on their work. Their science fair projects take students from things that they are interested in to exciting experiments designed to prove or disprove what they think will happen. Additionally, February is when the fourth graders do their state writing test. For science, we look forward to working on division skills. When we finish that, and if we are not all crazy by then, we'll start on fractions. February isn't all work; we have a Valentine's Day party coming up and a fieldtrip to watch the play, "The Most Valuable Player", at the Performing Arts Center.



Kid Zone Night

Where: Club Northwest

When: Friday 27, 2009
5:30-7:30 PM

Why: Fun and Exercise
\$5.00 per child



It's LIBRARY Time

Josephine Community Libraries, formerly Josephine County Library, is very proud to announce:

They are **OPEN** for business.

Hours are:

Tuesdays and Thursdays-4 pm to 8 pm

Wednesdays and Fridays- 11 am to 3 pm

Saturdays 12 pm -4 pm

Come on by and "Check it Out"!

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BREAKFAST CLUB

Our monthly "Breakfast with the Principal" held on January 26th, was a super success! Layla Bush, Kaitlyn Southern, Anthony Del Toro, Zach Brown, Devin Ireland, Tanner Darling, David Pogue, Isaac Bowden, Kailyn Tally, and Lexi Gasperson were treated to a delicious breakfast of pancakes, sausage, with all the syrup they could squirt on, and orange slices. YUM!



Elks Hoop Shoot

The annual "Hoop Shoot" contest was held at GPHS on January 17th. Representing Fort Vannoy proudly at the event were: Nate Jordan, Jack Garmendia, Emily Del Toro and Mika Taylor. Jack went on to score 2nd place in his age bracket. Way to shoot, Jack!



Perfect Attendance Addition

Brice Peterson, 2nd grader in Mrs. Solomon's class, was inadvertently left off the Perfect Attendance list for the 1st trimester. Congratulations Brice!