

HIDDEN VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

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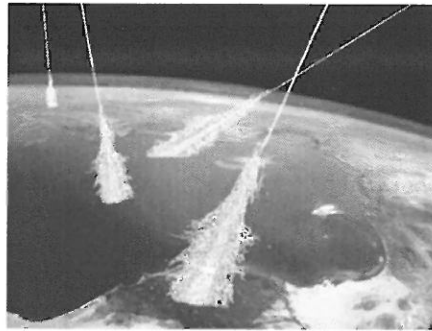
<http://www.threerivers.k12.or.us/hvhs>

CALENDAR:

WWW.SKYLINEOREGONCONFERENCE.ORG

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- 12/12 Booster Club Meeting Commons 6:30
- 12/19 Last day of classes before winter break
- 1/7 Classes resume
- 1/21 Martin Luther Kings Birthday No Classes
- 1/31 Progress Reports Out



Hidden Valley is about to become part of one of the largest 'telescopes' in the world. Mr. Earley applied for and won a grant to get a cosmic ray detector as part of the ERGO project; the Energetic Ray Global Observatory. This project is equipping school rooms with detectors to measure and count Cosmic Ray showers. There are several hypotheses as to the origin of these high energy particles, which are not rays at all. The main hypothesis is that the Cosmic Rays originate in supernovae- exploding stars. Studying the frequency and distribution of Cosmic Rays might help us to determine if this is true. The detector is assembled and ready to install. We hope to have it operational in a week or two. Students will be able to see the data collection, and assist in the analysis of the results of the project.

HV Helping the community
HVHS is helping raise money for our local fairgrounds! We are selling tickets for the "Light it up" project. The Friends of the Fairgrounds plans to light up the 60 foot Sequoia tree at the entrance to the fairgrounds. If you are interested in sponsoring a bulb come in to the main office at HVHS. The cost is \$2.50 per bulb and the school gets .50 cents towards our booster projects.

Fencing

Fencing news. The HVHS fencing team will be participating in its first tournament of the season on December 8th in Medford. The tournament will start at 9am at the Elks Club In Medford, and is sponsored by the Southern Oregon Fencing Club. There will be a beginners event, followed by an intermediate level event. The tournament is open to the Public.

MUSTANG SUCCESS

"WHATEVER IT TAKES!"



Mundo de Oportunidades

On Nov. 16th, Carlos Enriquez, Ethan Hernandez, Maria, and Luis Manriquez attended the Mundo de Oportunidades (World of Opportunities) at the RCC - White City campus. Yearly, the Club Latino hosts this event to encourage Hispanic youth to attend college. Students attended seminars, listened to motivational speakers from the community and Club Latino student testimonies.

FFA

The Hidden Valley FFA capped off the fall with two amazing events! HV FFA hosted a Barn Dance for only the second time in school history. A great time was had by all. We enjoyed a great meal with BBQ'd Pork Loin, Western dance lessons, and games! We took bobbing for apples to a new level. Also to finish out the fall, the Hidden Valley FFA Chapter sent six people to the District Agriculture Sales Career Development Event. Each student had a great experience selling products, dealing with unhappy customers, and meeting and making new friends from all over southern Oregon. Our next competitions will be Parliamentary Procedure and Public speaking in February.

MUSTANG FIGHT SONG

**Charging forward with our Mustang might
Hidden Valley knows how to fight
Tried and true; Orange 'n' blue;
Win tonight
Go, Mustangs
Go, Mighty Mustangs
Come on and go, Mustangs, go
Fight on with hearts strong with pride
Foes will fall; Our resolve will not be denied
Lift your voices and sing
Our victory will ring
So cheer on Hidden Valley High
Come on, Mustangs, go!
M - U - S - T - A - N - G
Mustangs, Mustangs, go-go-go!
Lift up your voices and sing
Our victory will ring
So cheer on Hidden Valley High
Come on, Mustangs, go-- --
Let's Go!**

Inspiring Student WOWs Madrona Elementary Students

Stephanie Freedman is a young woman with a purpose! She is on a mission to raise awareness, compassion, and understanding for students with disabilities. Stephanie and several other Hidden Valley High School Sparrow Club members sponsored a Disabilities Awareness and Anti-Bullying assembly at Madrona Elementary this month. Stephanie was the main guest speaker. She shared her story of growing up with cerebral palsy and encouraged the elementary students to "NEVER say I can't!" With her strength and determination she called each and every student to action, challenging them not to let anyone stand in their way of success in school and life. Way to go, Stephanie!



Bottom (L-R) Savannah Peckham, Stephanie Freedman, Heather Gettys Middle (L-R) Kaitlin Snider, Morgan Dawson, Kassy Spencer, Zoe Newton, Back: Jacob Pendleton

Booster Club.

The newly reorganized Booster Club has officially adopted "Hidden Valley Booster Club" as its club name and is working on the application process for its 501C3 process. They have ideas for fundraisers and are putting together committees to work on t-shirt and sweatshirt sales, bottled water and will be in charge of working the concessions for the NVHS basketball game on January 25th. They have some great ideas for additional food for the concessions on that night. If you would like to join the Booster Club the membership fee is \$10 and can be paid to our Bookkeeper, Lisa. If you would like to join us at the meetings they will be held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. The next meeting is scheduled for December 12th at 6:30 in the commons.

FROM OUR COUNSELING

SENIORS~

Use your winter break to work on "Local Scholarship" applications online! Any questions contact counseling before 12/19.

Begin loading your OSAC scholarship application now at:
www.OregonStudentAid.gov to submit Jan. 1st

RCC -- Rogue Ambassadors program (1/2 tuition paid the first year and full tuition the second year) 3.50 GPA requirement. Students will need to contact RCC and plan to take the RCC placement test before they submit

their scores and the application by Feb. 1st.

College Applications for Oregon Schools --

Priority Funds are given to those who meet the deadlines!

U of O's deadline 1/15/2013

OSU's deadline 2/1/2013

Check other University websites for their deadlines

Career Center:

Seniors should be applying for college and trade schools now. Aspire Advisors are available to help 1st and 2nd periods. They can proof read your essays, research college require-

ments and help you look for scholarships. Students and parents are always welcome. Have a question? We can help in Room B-1.

Immunization Reminder!

Please update your child's Immunizations over the winter break and provide information to Christie Rodgers in Counseling. Exclusion date this school year is February 20, 2013 and exclusion letters will be sent from the Health Department February 6, 2013. *If you have any questions contact the school at 541.862.2124 ext. 209.*

Congratulations to the following students who auditioned and were accepted into the All-Northwest Wind Symphony. We represent more students than all other Southern Oregon schools combined and are the largest group of students selected from one band in all of Oregon.

- Dima Clarke- Clarinet
- Nikki Hill- Clarinet
- James Orton- Trumpet
- Tim Peckham- Trombone
- AJ Potts- Tuba
- Sawyer Stever- Alto Saxophone

Dates to Remember!

- 12/19 FAFSA Night - 6pm at HVHS
- 12/19 Deadline for "I" Incompletes to be changed
- 12/28 Deadline to register for January 26th SAT
- 1/1/2013 FAFSA Online registration
- 1/26/2013 SAT at GPHS

All textbooks from first trimester are due on 11/30 and need to be returned or renewed.

ATHLETICS—DECEMBER

Winter sports have started and are in full swing. The athletic department is very excited about the upcoming winter season and the future success of all our winter sports programs. Basketball, wrestling and bowling all have participated in their first contests and have been successful in doing so. The basketball teams started their season on Wednesday 11/28 at Illinois Valley and the girls teams wrapped up their first week of play at home against Cascade Christian. Basketball will be headed to Brookings on 12/4 and finish their second week going to tournaments in Mt. Shasta (boys) and Douglas (girls). Wrestling went to Del Norte for their first meet and are headed to the South Coast Classic this

upcoming weekend. Boys and girls bowling competed at Caveman Bowling in Grants Pass this past weekend, their next meet is at Caveman Bowling (boys) and Roxy Ann Lanes (girls) on December 16th. Swimming is ready to go with their first home meet Tuesday 12/4. Equestrian has begun practice. Meets for them are starting in February. Cheer is getting ready for their competition season and for cheering at the basketball games. From where I sit, I am very pleased with the amount of programs that we offer for students to be involved in. If given the chance come out and support our Mustangs, these coaches and athletes put in an unbelievable amount of time and deserved to be applauded. Thanks for your support and **GO MUSTANGS!!!!**



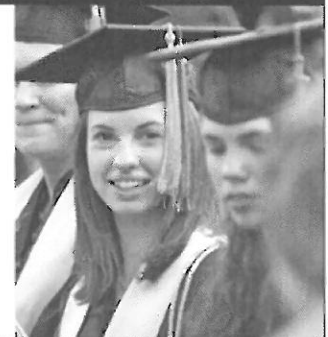
Enrichment and Success

As we get ready for 2nd trimester, students were able to select from an extended list of Enrichment opportunities. Thanks to community members volunteering their time and skills we have added child development, auto body repair, safety and law enforcement topics and weekly presentations from U.S. Armed Forces. Additionally, our classified and licensed staff are stepping up with knitting, scrapbooking, hand sewing, wildlife/habitat management, just to name a few of these exciting options for students. If you have any supplies you would like to donated to our board game, knitting, sewing, or cooking class or if you would like to be involved in our Spring Enrichment please contact HVHS at 541-862-2124.

Apply now for scholarships

Now through March 1, future college students can apply for scholarships to help meet college costs.

- The RCC Foundation annually awards nearly \$700,000 in scholarships. Applications accepted beginning mid December. Visit www.rccfoundation.org.
- To be considered for more than 450 scholarships worth over \$18,000,000, visit the Oregon Student Access Commission at www.getcollegeandit.org/scholarships.aspx.
- Research and apply for private scholarships at RCC's Scholarship Central, www.roguecc.edu/FinancialAid/Scholarships.
- Visit national scholarship sites such as www.fastweb.org, www.collegeboard.com and www.scholarships.com.



Parents! Increase the safety of your teen driver, and everyone on the road! Enroll your student today in RCC's ODOT approved driver education course. Cost is \$249 and includes 30 hours of classroom instruction along with 12 hours of behind-the-wheel training. Let us help keep your teen safe. Visit our website at www.rccdrievered.com to find a class nearest you and call us today at 541-956-7116 to register.

2012/2013
ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS
Straight Line Routes For:
Hidden Valley, Lincoln Savage, Madrona, Williams, Fruitdale,
Jerome Prairie, Applegate

In the event of adverse weather conditions parents are advised to tune in to Radio Stations KRWQ, KAJQ, KLDR, KBOY and TV Stations KOB1 (5), KDRV (12), KTVL (10) or the Three Rivers School District Web Page (www.threerivers.k12.or.us) for information on school bus schedules, delays or closures.

Sometimes weather conditions leave some roads blocked or unsafe to travel but school is still being held. Under these circumstances "straight line routes" will be run. This is the information you will get on the web page or radio/TV stations.

When straight line routes are run the roads affected are listed below.

If you live on one of the roads the buses cannot travel, you may bring your student to the nearest intersection of the main road traveled. This will also be the stop for the afternoon drop off.

ROUTE #	ROADS BUSES WILL NOT TRAVEL
B-02	Tetherow, East Fork, Caves Camp Rd., Kincaid Rd., Pine Tree and Powell Creek, Panther Gulch (HS and MS Students Pick Up for these roads will be at Williams Elementary, no Pick Up for Elementary)
B-03	Cedar Flat, Caves Camp, Kincaid Road (HS and MS Students Pick Up for these roads will be at Williams Elementary, no pick up for Elementary School)
B-04	Thompson Creek Road (Pick Up will be at the bottom)
B-05	Thompson Creek Road (Pick Up will be at the bottom)
B-06	Missouri Flat, Kubli Road, Slagle Creek, Humbug (Right & Left Fork)
B-07	Missouri Flat, Kubli Road, Slagle Creek, Humbug (Right & Left Fork), Scott Drive
B-08	Grays Creek, Copper Drive, Past Hidden Valley HS on Murphy Creek
B-09	All roads will be traveled
B-10	All roads will be traveled
B-11	Moonbeam
B-12	Weatherbee, Keen Road, Bull Creek, Turtle Lane, Cheney Creek Road
B-13	All Roads will be traveled
B-14	Midway (south of Jerome Prairie Rd.), Sleepy Hollow Loop, Carrollwood Drive
B-15	All roads will be traveled
B-16	Marcy Loop, Dutcher Creek, Dutchy Way, Limpy Creek
B-17	Slate Creek Road, Round Prairie, Minnow Lane, Firview
B-18	Sky Way, Sky Crest
B-19	Frankham, Summit Loop
B-20	Savage Creek Road
B-21	Crestview Loop
B-22	Greens Creek Road