



# Buzzin' Around Madrona

NOVEMBER 5, 2015

- 11/5 End of 1st Quarter
- 11/6 No School
- 11/11 Veteran's Day—No School
- 11/12 November Madrona Pride Assemblies  
K-2 @ 12:15pm  
3-5 @ 1:00pm
- 11/16 PTSG @ 2:10
- 11/17 Site Council @ 2:10
- 11/18 PBIS Reward—Movie and Popcorn  
3-5 @ 9:00 am  
K-2 @ 12:15 pm  
Holiday Family Lunch  
Parent Conferences (3-7pm)
- 11/19 No School—Conference Day (7am-7pm)
- 11/20 No School—Thanksgiving Break!
- 11/27

We are so thankful you are part of the Madrona Family! We are so happy to have the opportunity to serve you and your child. Please let us know how we can help. Call us at 541-476-6624 from 7:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. If you have a bus issue, you may call First Student at 541-476-7733.



## Parent-Teacher Conferences

We are looking forward to meeting with each of you to discuss your child(ren)'s progress. Quarter one progress reports will be handed out at the conference. Thank you for returning the time preference sheet sent home separately.

## Holiday Family Lunch Times

**Wednesday, November 18th**

10:30 - Rocha

10:30—Gutierrez, Adams, Halsted, Mills-Price, Fisher

11:05—Meyer, Edwards, Kurth, Simpson, Regal

11:45—Harrington, Naulty, Buscher, Wolter



Would you like to volunteer in the classroom, help out with special events, and/or chaperone field trips?

All volunteers **must** complete an online application at <http://www.threerivers.k12.or.us/district/volunteer-information> ahead of time. Thank you!

**Thank you to everyone who made donations and/or volunteered for Trunk or Treat! It was a huge success. A big thanks goes out to our students for their excellent behavior and good manners during the event.**



The safety of our students is our utmost priority.

Thank you for supporting our efforts by signing in at the front office, be sure to wear your visitor's badge in a clearly visible location.



HUGE THANKS to **Medford Fabrication** and **Matt Charley** for the donation of a high quality playground equipment cart!

## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

- ⇒ All day
- ⇒ Every day
- ⇒ That's the way!

School starts at 7:40 am. It is imperative for students to be in school on time, all day. Being tardy or leaving school early can have a negative impact on learning. Thank you for supporting your child's education by making every effort to schedule appointments outside of school time and only keep them home from school when they are sick or in emergency situations.

For a student to receive positive recognition for Perfect Attendance, they must be in school all day, every day. Tardies and early check-out may make your child ineligible for perfect attendance.

# Adverse Weather Conditions

## Winter is right around the corner!

The school district will use the "Synrevoice" communication system to notify all parents via phone and/or email of delayed starts or school closures. Synrevoice will start calling at about 5:30am. You must say "Hello" in order to activate the message. If you have not received an automated phone call or email this school year, please check with the office to verify your phone numbers and email addresses are correct.

In the event of adverse weather conditions parents are advised to tune in to Radio Stations KRWQ, KAJQ, KLDK, KBOY and TV Stations KOB1 (5), KDRV (12), KTVL (10) or the 3 Rivers School District Web Page.



## ROGUE VALLEY Symphony

The Rogue Valley Symphony will be at Madrona on Tuesday, December 8th. Students are encouraged to dress up in their best clothes on this day. We will be teaching theatre etiquette prior to the event. The

Chamber Players program will take students on a Magical Mystical Journey, telling a story through music inspired by magic. They will exemplify how magical characters are portrayed in music and will discuss techniques of character development, such as: rhythm changes, mode use, recurring themes, dynamics. They will call upon the works of Tchaikovsky, Grieg, Shore, Offenbach and Dukas, playing sections from the Nutcracker and the Peer Gynt suite.

Mini-morning music lessons will begin in the gym a couple of days a week. All students will be able to participate once they have had their breakfast. The lessons will begin at 7:30 am, but students arriving closer to 7:40 will be able to jump in. If any students or family/community members play an instrument and would like to perform for the school during this time, please contact Mrs. Carpenter to sign up.



Be Safe Be Respectful Be Responsible

## Positive Behavior Support

This month, we are focusing on Integrity. Students will be taught how important it is to do the right thing, even if they think nobody is watching. Each teacher will pick a student of the month who is an outstanding example of this characteristic to be recognized as the Madrona Pride Assembly on Nov. 13th. This is a time where we recognize many outstanding achievements of our students. We are always trying to highlight the good choices our students are making. One way we recognize outstanding behavior is with "Happy Hornet" tickets. Students can turn these in for a pencil or put their ticket into a weekly raffle. Each quarter, all students who earn no more than 1 bus citation or office referral will be eligible to attend our PBIS Reward Activity. The quarter 1 activity is a movie and popcorn on Wednesday, November 18th. Congratulations to all of our students who make good choices each and every day.



## Check the Lost & Found

All items donated at the end of the month

