



Hidden Valley High School

Home of the Mustangs

A Message from our Principal:

Upon our return to classes following Spring Break, we find ourselves in the final trimester of this school year. Our spring activities are now underway, and numerous events including Senior Super Stars, Academic Masters, Cabaret, and Prom are rapidly approaching. Before we know it, finals, graduation and summer break will be here. Please keep reminding your son/daughter to do their absolute best each and every day in their studies. Staying focused and remaining positive until the very end of this school year is a challenge when the sun starts to warm outside. Currently, we are in the second week of the three week window for students to make up second trimester incompletes. If you have any question as to your student's grades, please take a look at the parent portal where you can help partner and track grade improvement. Communication is the key in holding students accountable. If you have any concerns, please communicate with teachers as appropriate.

We have great kids at HVHS, and I know we all expect them to be great. As the year winds down the next couple of months, we will be working hard to finish in fashion with a schedule of events that endorse community involvement. I look forward to seeing you at many of our upcoming events throughout the remainder of this school year. Please check the school website and calendars closely for events, dates and times. As always, thank you for the continued support of our kids and our staff.

Go Mustangs!

Daye Stone

HVHS Principal



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Senior Superstars



Senior Superstars is the BIGGEST fundraiser for the seniors Drug-Free/ Alcohol-Free Graduation Party!!! The event will be held at Grants Pass High School with Hidden Valley hosting the event! Our theme is SUPERHEROES. **Tickets that are bought BEFORE April 18th, HV seniors get all the money towards their party.** Tickets purchased at the door are split with North Valley. We will be selling tickets at the office up to the start of the event. Please purchase your tickets prior to the event. The cost of the tickets are:

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| Adults | \$8.00 |
| Students | \$5.00 |
| T-shirts | \$10.00 |



**Seniors only need a T-shirt to enter

2014 Prom

April 26



8 - 11:30 pm

Taprock Convention Center

LANGUAGE ARTS

From our Language Arts Department:

“The English department and all of our junior and senior students have been working diligently to pass both the reading and writing OAKS test. These state wide tests are mandatory for graduation and we are pleased to note that many of our Hidden Valley Juniors have already passed. Only a handful of Seniors are still in the process of meeting these important benchmarks.”

PBIS

Positive Behavior Systems is back! The following students were recognized with our very first Applejack Award!

Kaleb Johnson

Annie Shute

Dominique Nielson

Tim Peckham

Nick Stark

PBIS is our opportunity to recognize students who make an extra effort in the areas of character and responsibility!



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| April 9-12 | FBLA at State in Portland |
| April 14-18 | Spirit Week |
| April 16 | Booster Club Meeting |
| April 18 | Senior Superstars |
| April 26 | Prom |
| April 30 | Academic Masters |
| May 7-10 | FFA Plant Sale |
| May 8 | Cabaret Dinner Show |
| May 19 | Spring Sports Award |
| May 26 | Memorial Day |
| May 30 | Last day for Seniors |
| June 3 | Graduation |
| June 11 | Last day of school |



Hidden Valley Sports

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Spring Sports



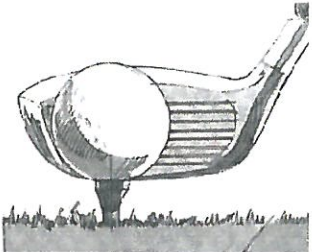
***Baseball**

***Golf**

***Softball**

***Tennis**

***Track**



Support your Mustang Athletes

- April 5- 12:00 Eagle Point vs Hidden Valley (Baseball)
- April 8— 4:30 pm Phoenix vs Hidden Valley (JV Baseball)
- 4:30 pm Phoenix vs Hidden Valley (JV Softball)
- April 12—12:00 Ashland vs Hidden Valley (JV Baseball)
- April 15—4:30 pm Mazama vs Hidden Valley (Baseball)
- Running Y Ranch (Golf)
- April 16—4:00 Track Meet @ Hidden Valley (only home meet)
- April 18—20 Equestrian Meet at Jackson County Expo
- April 19—12:00 North Valley vs Hidden Valley (Softball)
- April 22 Harbor Golf Course (Golf)

All sports games and locations are listed on our website
www.skylineoregonconference.org

Student Government

Hello Mustang Nation!

This is Megan York, Hidden Valley's ASB President. In student government we have been working hard to create fun activities for students and help out in the community. We had a blood drive in February; we exceeded our goal and donated more blood than North Valley! Way to go Mustangs and a big thank you goes out to those who donated.

The end of the year is right around the corner and that means class elections. Any student who is interested in getting involved with planning dances, blood drives, improving school spirit and much more, please talk to a Student Government member or Mr. Pendleton.

Currently, we are planning Senior Superstars April 18, Prom April 26th, a Blood Drive May 6th and Cabaret May 8th. I encourage all students and parents to join us in these great events.

Parents, please keep an ear out for Senior Superstar and Prom meetings. We appreciate all of the time you have put in to making these events special.

In Leadership,



Dario, Jon, Miles, and Austin looking sharp at the Winter

The Student Government Dodge Ball Tourney



FBLA Girls Team



Miles Davis playing Quidditch



FBLA Girls vs Teachers



A Note from Dennis Decasas: The Sparrow Club (and all of Hidden Valley) continues to totally Rock for Lilly, our Sparrow! We have turned in 3 times our needed volunteer work hours. The Sparrows can always be counted on to do any forgotten or necessary tasks around school.

We have also raised \$3500.00 for Lilly and her family!!

They have done this through numerous fundraisers: sales of Papa Murphy cards, teacher car wash, sales of donuts, wreaths, and t-shirts and working the concession booth during sport events. We have had help raising funds from Newbridge High School (\$2000.00) and the Hidden Valley National Honor Society (\$700.00).

The students in the club wanted to make sure the money raised went directly to the family to use on items other than medical

bills, We bought the family Thanksgiving dinner, took Lilly and her sister Christmas presents and handed mom and dad a check for \$500. For Valentines day, we gave them a "date night" with a \$100 restaurant gift card, movie tickets and free babysitting!! We have many other donation dates on the horizon. Les Schwab and Star Automotive have committed to match dollar for dollar in gift cards we purchase for the family. The kids are not even done with fundraising ideas yet!!

It has been a complete honor to work with such a motivated, hard-working, self-sacrificing group of young adults this year!!

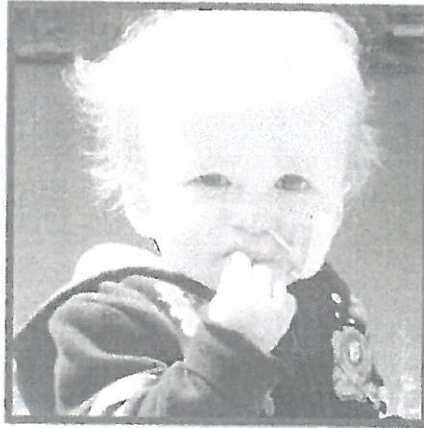
meet our sparrow

Hidden Valley High School Sparrow Lilliana Maupin

At only two years old, Lilliana has been an inspiration of strength to her family. Lilliana was born with a rare condition called hydrocephalus, a disorder that causes a progressive enlargement of her head from cerebrospinal fluid accumulating over her skull. This has effected her oral and tactical sensory processing. Because of this, Lilliana eats from a G-tube in her belly. She also suffers from dysphasia (a brain injury that can impair speech and communication) and has early intervention, occupational, physical, speech and feeding therapy. She has asthma and has had pneumonia multiple times in her young life and is very susceptible to getting it again. When Lilliana gets older she will need assistance from a service dog and a walker.

Because of her condition, Lilliana must travel to Portland on a regular basis. Her parents are planning to take her to UCSF in California to see a neurologist and eventually would like her to see a highly rated neurosurgeon in Ohio or at St Jude. Lilliana could have lifetime of struggles ahead of her but her family has so much hope for her future.

The Hidden Valley High School Sparrow Club is generously co-sponsored by:
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Although Lilliana has been through a lot, she still has a smile that lights up the room. She loves her older sister Jasmine and playing with her dog.

Lilliana will be adopted as a Sparrow to Hidden Valley High School in Grants Pass. Students will work hard to raise money for Lilliana through sponsored community service and fundraising projects.

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