



Three Rivers School District

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Peter Maluk
Director of Elementary Education

September 15, 2008

Dear Parents/Guardians,

In compliance with the requirements of the *No Child Left Behind* statute the Three Rivers School District informs parents that you may request information about the professional qualifications of your student's teacher(s). The following information may be requested:

- whether the teacher has met the Oregon Department of Education's requirements for certification for the grade level and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which Oregon qualifications or certification criteria have been waived;
- the college major and any graduate certification or degree held by the teacher;
- whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

If you wish to request information concerning your child's teacher's qualifications, please contact your child's principal, David Fuller, or the Jerome Prairie office manager, Paula Biles at 476-2802.

Sincerely,

Peter Maluk
Director of Elementary Education and Federal Programs.



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Estimados Padres/Tutores,

En cumplimiento con requisitos del reglamento "Ni un niño dejado atrás" del Distrito Escolar de Tres Rios, se informa a los padres/tutores que pueden solicitar información acerca de las calificaciones profesionales del profesor o profesores de su hijo(a). La siguiente información puede ser solicitada:

- Si el profesor ha llenado los requisitos del Departmente de Educacion de Oregon para el nivel y materias en que ensena..
- Si el profesor esta enseñando por emergencia u otra situación provisional en las que el criterio de requisitos profesionales o certificados universitarios no han sido tomados en cuenta.
- La carrera universitaria y cualquier certificado de post-grado que el profesor ha obtenido
- Si el estudiante recibe clases de profesores no graduados, y si este el caso, cual es su grado de capacitacion professional.

Si usted desea información a cerca de la preparacion profesional del professor de su hijo, por favor póngase en contacto con el director al siguiente teléfono: David Fuller, 476-2802.

Sinceramente,

Peter Maluk
Director de Educacion Primaria, Programa Federal.



**Jerome Prairie
Elementary**
Grants Pass, OR

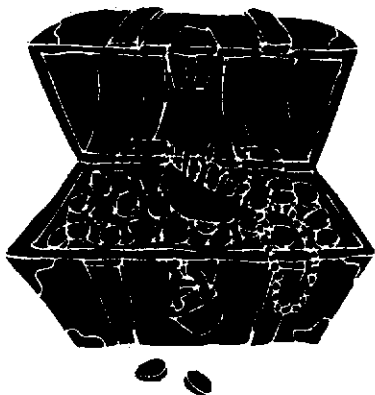
November 2008

Jerome Prairie PTO News

Membership Drive 2007

Our 2008-2009 membership Drive was a success. 50 households contributed a total of \$1,080. We extend a warm welcome to new and returning members. Congratulations to the winners of the ice cream party: Mrs Lovell's class and Mr. Clogston's class.

Our Students are our greatest treasure! Thank you for your support.



Jerome Prairie's Field of Dreams

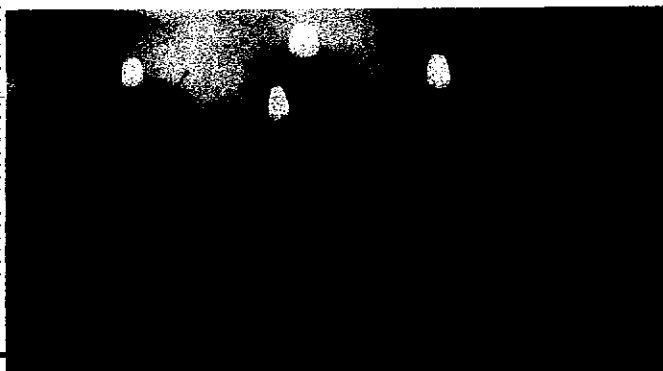
Over the course of several years, Jerome Prairie's athletic field has fallen into serious disrepair. At our October meeting the PTO board voted unanimously to make its restoration a priority. Robin Kennedy has worked hard raising awareness of our need and requesting support from local stakeholders and businesses. We invite all interested persons to join us at our November board meeting to develop a plan for turning this dream into reality.



Candle Sale Fundraiser

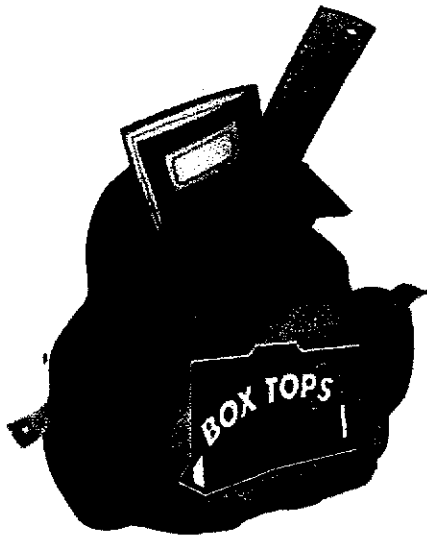
We are excited to announce our first annual Gold Canyon Candle fundraiser. The fundraiser is scheduled to run from November 17th to December 3rd and orders will be distributed before Winter Break. These candles are renowned for their quality and make great gifts. Jerome Prairie PTO will receive a 40% profit from sales. Think candles and give one gift twice!

**Three Cheers for our
Room Parents on
Coordinating Class Harvest
Parties!**



Box Top Contest

On your mark, get set, CLIP!!! Start clipping out Box Tops for this year's Box Top contest. The contest begins November 1st and ends February 2nd, 2009. Teachers will be collecting Box Tops in their classroom. You may also seal the Box Tops in an envelope labeled with the name of your child's teacher and drop it off in the lobby box. Last years Box Tops cashed in over \$500 for our school.



Ice Cream Sales Reminder

The PTO sponsors ice cream sales every Friday to raise money for our fabulous fifth graders' end of year graduation celebration. This special day includes a Jet Boat excursion, bowling, and lunch.

Ice cream bars cost \$1 and are only available on Fridays during lunch.



Attention all Target Shoppers

We recently received a check from Target. Do you know that if you own a Target credit card you can designate Jerome Prairie to receive 1% from every purchase you make? Please refer to Target.com/tcoe for more information and thank you for remembering us!

2008/2009 Room Parents

Mrs. Strangis- (M/W) Kim Flow, Jenna Macalus

(T/Th) Cindy Bennefield, Kim Flow

Ms. Coppes- Kristi Haley, Alicia Beachy

Ms. Lovell- Mary Johnson, Tammie Campbell

Ms. Brucher- Nichole Pendleton, Kathie Luna, Shelly Klug

Mrs. Richardson- Anna Bearden, Mandy York

Ms. Kenney- Beth Young, Robin Kennedy

Mr. Clogston- Stacy Countiss, Robin Kennedy

Mr. Harrington- Sue Benson, Arianne Mesman

Mrs. Katz- Michelle Otis, Mandy York

Upcoming Events

Next PTO Board meeting

Wed, November 5th, 2:15 P.M. Rm 1

Gold Canyon Candle Fundraiser

Nov 17th - Dec 3rd.

Thanksgiving Luncheon

Tues, November 25th, 10:30 Cafeteria

General/Carnival planning meeting:

Dec 3, 7:00 P.M. Library

Box Top Contest

Nov 1, 2008st - Feb 2, 2009

JEROME PRAIRIE



BOX TOP CONTEST

**THE CLASS WITH THE MOST BOX TOPS WINS A
BLIND GEORGE'S POPCORN PARTY!!!**

**CLIP AND SAVE BOX TOPS AND TURN THEM INTO
YOUR CLASSROOM OR THE LOBBY (IN THE BOX
TOP COLLECTION BIN).**

**PLACE YOUR BOX TOPS IN A ZIPLOC BAG OR AN
ENVELOPE. LABEL YOUR BAG OR ENVELOPE
WITH BOTH YOUR NAME AND TEACHER'S NAME.**

**CONTEST BEGINS NOV. 1ST 2008 AND ENDS ON
FEBRUARY 2ND 2009.**

GOOD LUCK!



Dear Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to another great year at Jerome Prairie Elementary School! My name is Kathie Luna and I'm the volunteer coordinator for the 2008/2009 Box Tops for Education fundraising campaign. This year, our goal is to raise money to purchase things of need for our school.

Box Tops offers three easy ways to earn cash for our school through everyday activities such as buying groceries, shopping online and purchasing books.

Clip — Clip Box Top coupons from hundreds of participating products and send them to school. Box Tops coupons are worth 10¢ each when our school redeems them from Box Tops for Education.

Shop — Shop at your favorite online stores through the Box Tops MarketplaceSM (btfe.com/marketplace). Up to 8% of each qualifying purchase is automatically donated to our school. There is no additional cost to your purchase and many exclusive deals and discounts can be found!

Buy books — Purchase books online at Barnes & Noble through the Box Tops Reading RoomSM. Our school will receive 6% of your new book purchases and 3% of all other online purchases.

One of the easiest ways you can help is to sign up to support our school at btfe.com. You will learn about new and easy ways to help our school earn the extra cash it needs.

Exclusive web benefits:

- See how much our school is earning with Box Tops
- Enter online promotions for chances to win Bonus Box Tops
- Print money-saving coupons for your favorite Box Tops brands
- Make mealtime easier with family-pleasing recipes

To learn more, visit btfe.com—and thanks for choosing to make a difference for our school with Box Tops!

Sincerely,

Kathie Luna



get the latest at www.boxtops4education.com

North Valley Christmas Bazaar



Saturday, December 6, 2008

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



North Valley High School

6741 Monument Drive

*Directions: I-5 to Merlin Exit follow sign to intersection of
Merlin-Galice Road & Monument Drive*

*The "Most Talked About" Craft Fair in the area, featuring some
of Southern Oregon's Finest Handcrafts*

FREE ADMISSION

Holiday Raffles throughout the day

Serving: Famous Taco Soup, sandwiches and yummy desserts!

*Proceeds to benefit the Class of 2009 Drug & Alcohol Free
Graduation Celebration*



Shriners Hospitals
for Children™

Portland
Pediatric Specialty Care

FREE

Screening Clinic

To Identify Children Who Can Benefit From Orthopedic and Burn/Scar Care

If you know a child from birth to 18 years with any of these conditions, Shriners Hospital for Children - Portland would like to help with free expert care.

Date: **Saturday, November 8, 2008**

Time: **10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**

Location: **Three Rivers Hospital
500 SW Ramsey Ave
Grants Pass, OR 97527**

Information: **541-474-3092
541-479-5126**

We Treat:

- Problems with bones, joints or muscles
- Cerebral Palsy
- Spina Bifida
- Scoliosis (curvature of the spine)
- Hip disorders
- Hand or foot disorders
- Club foot
- Skeletal growth abnormalities
- Cleft lip/palate
- Burn Scars



Hospitales Shriners
para Niños

Portland
Cuidado Pediátrico Especializado

GRATIS

Clinica Gratuita

Para identificar Niños(as) que puedan ser beneficiados con servicios orthopedicos y el cuidado de cicatrizes ó, de quemaduras

Si usted tiene o conoce a un niño no mayores de 18 años con cualquiera de estas condiciones, el Hospital Shriners para niños en Portland le puede ofrecer ayuda gratuita de expertos.

Dia: Sábado, Noviembre 8, 2008

Hora: 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

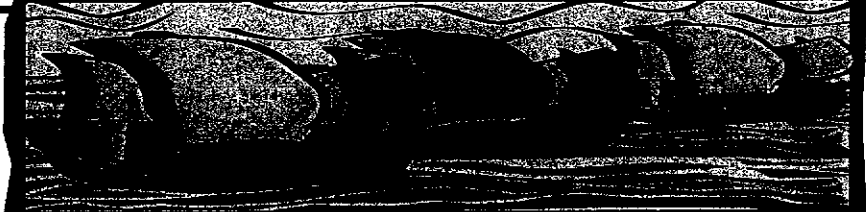


**Lugar: Three Rivers Hospital
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**Información: 541.474.3092
541.479.5126**

Ofrecemos Tratamiento De:

- Problemas de huesos, juntaduras, o problemas musculares
- Paralisis Cerebral
- Spina Bifida
- Scoliosis (Columna vertebral curveada)
- Cadera mal formada
- Mal formación de pies o manos
- Club foot
- Mal formación del crecimiento de el esqueleto óseo.
- Labio abierto o leporino
- Revisión de Cicatrizes por quemaduras

NOVEMBER 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2 Day-light Saving Time Ends	3	4	5 Limo Ride	6	7 Jog-A-Thon Assembly 1:00 PM	8
9	10 Staff Dev. NO CLASSES	11 Veteran's Day - NO SCHOOL	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19 Thanksgiving Lunch Lifetouch Retakes Assembly	20	21	22
23 	24 Clogston's Class - Field Trip	25	26 Clerical Day NO CLASSES	27 Happy Thanksgiving 	28 NO SCHOOL	29
30	Clerical Day - NO CLASSES					

