



# Evergreen Elementary School

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## News from Mr. Valenzuela

### Evergreen is a Title 1 school, how does that help your child?

Title 1 is a federal program that provides opportunities to rural schools and/or schools that serve a low socioeconomic area. Evergreen qualifies on both accounts and benefits greatly from this program. Our Title 1 status allows us to hire the incredibly competent educational assistant corps that work in our classrooms. Every class and teacher at Evergreen has an educational assistant at some point during the day. Title 1 also allows us to purchase innovative technology for the classrooms, helping us enhance our instructional practices and strategies. Recently we added interactive whiteboards, or ActivBoards, to every classroom. These ActivBoards open up a whole new world of interactive lessons, virtual manipulatives and exploration based lessons. This technology increases engagement, provides dynamic visual representations and increases our creative abilities.

Federal law prohibits Title 1 funds to be used for general fund purposes. This means that Title dollars cannot be used to fund teachers or restore cut days to the school calendar. The intent of Title 1 funds is to supplement the instruction and educational programs we provide. They cannot supplant, or create programs that take the place of our core offerings. Title 1 dollars are hard at work at Evergreen, benefiting our students now more than ever!

### Special points of interest:

- ☺ Jan. 26 2nd Trimester Progress Reports Go Home
- ☺ Jan. 30 PTO Penny Drive Begins



## Homemade Hot Cocoa Recipe

Melt the chill away with this cozy treat.

### Ingredients

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/4 cup baking cocoa
- Dash salt
- 1/3 cup hot water
- 4 cups milk
- 3/4 vanilla extract
- Miniature marshmallows, sweetened whipped cream or cinnamon sticks, optional

### Directions

In a saucepan, combine sugar, cocoa and salt. Add water; bring to a boil. Cook and stir for 2 minutes. Stir in milk; heat to serving temperature (do not boil). Remove from the heat; stir in vanilla. Whisk until frothy. If desired, garnish with marshmallows, cream or cinnamon sticks. **Yield:** 5 cups.

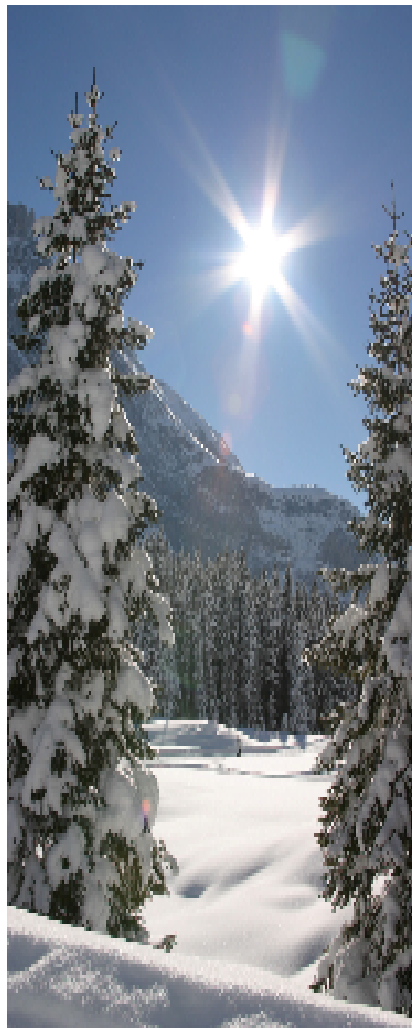


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# Evergreen Calendar

- 1/2 **No School**
- 1/9 PTO Meeting  
2:00 in the library
- 1/16 **No School**  
Martin Luther King Day
- 1/26 Progress Reports go home
- 1/27 PBIS Assembly  
Sports Day:  
wear your team colors
- 1/27 Student of the Month Lunch
- 1/30 Penny Drive begins
- 2/1 PM Conferences
- 2/2 **No School**  
All Day Conferences
- 2/3 **No School**



## December

Garman M/W	Michael Miller
Garman T/TH	Brock Lewis
Flaherty	Naomi Johnson
Gill	Colton Medina
Bosse	Justin Yost
Clements	Shyanne Tucker
Kelly	Cole Hanni
O'Bryant	Caleb Hanni
Pugsley	Trevor Wilson
Bethke	Annika Paulson
Nelson	Bailee Moore
O'Donnell	Josh Dangerfield
Gutierrez	Christopher Setzer
Ryan	Jolene Steward
Wolter	Josh Merrill

### NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

#### CHANGES IN AFTER SCHOOL PLANS!!

- \* Please send a note for any changes.

#### COUGH DROPS

- \* These must be provided from home along with a note stating dosage.

THANK YOU

*I Am From*  
BY LISA WYLIE

I AM FROM THE DOG FUR,  
FROM THE ENGINE AND THE CAR SEAT.

I AM FROM THE MESSY HOUSE.

I AM FROM THE DASIES,  
AND THE ROSES.

I AM FROM CAMPING AND SLEEPING,  
FROM ZARINA AND MOE AND GRANDMA BILLIE.  
I AM FROM THANKSGIVING DINNER AND LOUD NOISES.  
FROM "WHAT'S FOR DINNER? IT'S DOG FOOD" AND "I  
HAVE A DOLLER, BUY ME  
A SNICKERS."

I AM FROM SELMA, OR.

MILK AND COOKIES

FROM THE TIME I BROKE MY BIG TOE AND THE TIME I  
BROKE MY LITTLE TOE.

I AM FROM THE BABY BOOK.

I AM FROM

BY: ANGELA YOST

I AM FROM MY BROTHER'S CAR COLLECTION  
FROM PEPSI AND OATMEAL COOKIES

I AM FROM THE HOUSE UP ON THE HILL.

I AM FROM PISON OAK EVERYWHERE,  
AND THE SWEET PEAS IN THE YARD

I AM FROM OPENING ONE PRESENT ON CHRISTMAS  
EVE,

AND A BATCH OF PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES ON  
CHRISTMAS

I AM FROM MOM AND DAD AND GRANDPA WILMER.

I AM FROM BLUE EYES AND HUMMER.

FROM "SHUT THE DOOR" AND "DO YOUR HOMEWORK"

I AM FROM GRANTS PASS, OR,

CHICKEN SANDWICHES AND MY DAD'S LEMONADE

I AM FROM A BOX OF PICTURES IN MOM'S CLOSET.



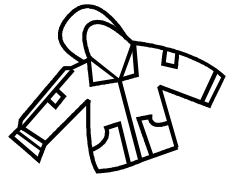
Southern Oregon High Tech Cyber Task Force is working hard to keep kids in Southern Oregon safe from harm on the internet. Their work is mentioned in the local papers almost weekly; arresting people who have committed crimes against children. Come learn what the Task Force and FBI have to say about these subtle High Tech Cyber Crimes. They will be in Grants Pass teaching a class that includes: chat rooms, social networking, online games, virtual worlds, parental involvement, and internet sexual predators. The class is free. No children under 12 years of age. Class is scheduled for Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30, at Grants Pass High School Commons. This community education event is brought to you by Grants Pass Council.

### American Legion Poppy Poster


It is once again time for the annual Poppy Poster Contest put on by the American Legion. This contest is a way to honor and remember veterans. If you are a student interested in creating a poster stop by the office to pick up a copy of the complete contest rules. Winners will be awarded with a cash prize and have their poster moved on to the next level of competition. Entries must be received by: April 4, 2012.



## Lost & Found



### PARENTS/GURARDIANS

Is your student missing a clothing item, backpack, shoes? Our lost and found  in the gym has turned into a MOUNTAIN of things needing to be reclaimed! Have your student check it for their things or come on down to Evergreen and MINE it for them, you are more than welcome to.



### Child Find for Special Education

Public Law 105.17, known as the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), requires that school districts provide a free and appropriate education to all disabled children and young adults from birth through 21 years of age. The Three Rivers School District requests assistance with the identification of any disabled children ages Birth through 21 who are not enrolled or currently being served in one of the District's schools.









If you know of any disabled children ages 0 through 21, who are not receiving education services, please call the Three Rivers School District Special Education Department at 541-862-3111 x 5202.

Be Safe  
Be Responsible  
Be Respectful  
Be Kind  
Be  
In The Zone



# Illinois Valley Branch Boys & Girls Club January 2012



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 CLUB CLOSED	3 DODGE BALL!!!	4 ART PROJECT 	5 LINE TAG POOL	6 CLUB MEMBERS CHOICE	7
8	9 SLAUGHTER BALL	10 DODGEBALL 	11 DIZZY IZZY RELAY RACE!	12 COUGAR BALL 	13 CLUB CLOSED NO SCHOOL	14
15	16 CLUB CLOSED FOR MLK DAY	17 PIN GUARD DODGEBALL	18 CRAFT DAY 	19 AIR HOCKEY TOURNEY	20 Wii SPORTS TOURNEY	21
22	23 BB RELAY RACE 	24 DODGE BALL!!!	25 HEALTHY HABITS TRIPLE PLAY 	26 SHOOT OUT TOURNEY!!	27 MOVIE DAY! 	28
29	30 POOL TOURNEY 	31 DODGE BALL!!!	GREAT FUTURES START HERE.			

The USDA and the State of Oregon are equal opportunity employers and providers.

The Club provides a FREE HOT DINNER

The Club is located @ Evergreen Elementary School, with regular club hours of 1:50—6:30 Mon-Fri

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