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Barnes Butte Families,

Our Kindergarten Roundup night was very successful. I really enjoyed seeing the eighty-eight families of our 2016-2017 kindergarteners. The tables were well attended by our community partners and the information scavenger hunt finished with a parting gift. If you were not able to make the early registration night, just come on in to the office during the day now. Let's get your student ready to start for the fall. This is the earliest we've ever conducted our registration. This will give us time to support this very important process. The more we know now, the better we can do with all the details. If you know of any family with a new kindergartener for next year, pass on the word to come on in. Call the school if you aren't sure what to bring. 541-416-4150. Our secretaries will give you any information about what you need to bring in. We are also offering a kindergarten Jump Start and that class will fill up fast. Don't delay. Call or come on in.

I hope to see you soon,
Your Principal – Jim Bates

Six Classes Celebrate Attendance!

The week of February 1st was a great week for attendance. **Mrs. Halsey's** Class had a **100%** attendance and **Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Durham's, Mrs. Kelly, Ms. Fletcher's and Ms. DuMoulin's** classes also earned awards for **four weeks of 95% or higher** class attendance. We really appreciate our families working on attendance and making it a priority. Thank you!

**EVERY CHILD, EVERY SEAT,
EVERY DAY, ON TIME!**



Bob Eberhard Visits

Mrs. Bartolotti's class received a visit from Bob Eberhard to explain the process of making ice cream. This visit supports the ice cream parlor storyline that they are currently immersed in. The students learned about everything in the business; from ingredients and flavors, to how the factory produces all of its products. Mr. Eberhard has been in this business for 52 years and loves his job, especially sampling the products.



The second graders agree that samples are indeed a perk of the job!

Quotes from second grade:

Bryce Lowenbauch, "I think that it is amazing that they make 450 gallons of ice cream an hr."

Kaegan Harris, "The ice cream was wonderful!"

Kristie Town, "It is cool that they have the biggest freezer in Central Oregon and make 24 different flavors of ice cream."

Riddley Barker, "It was a nice visit from Bob Eberhard and the ice cream was really good."



Barnes Butte Happenings



Fri. Feb. 26	No School Continuous Improvement
Mon. Feb. 29	5 th Grade DARE Graduation CCHS Auditorium 6:30
Wed. Mar. 2	PTO Meeting School Library 3:30 & 6:00
Tues. Mar. 8	Family Reading Night 5:30 – 7:15
Mon. Mar. 14	CCSD Board Meeting Pioneer Alt. School 6:30 pm
Thur. Mar. 17	St. Patrick's Day
Mon. – Fri. Mar. 21 – 25	Spring Break No School
Mon. Mar. 28	School Resumes

DAILY COLOR SCHEDULE	
Tuesday	Red
Wednesday	Blue
Thursday	Green
Friday	Orange
Monday	Red
Please wear appropriate shoes on PE days.	

5TH GRADE DARE GRADUATION

MONDAY, FEB. 29 6:30 pm

CCHS AUDITORIUM

Please Attend!



Please Slow Down!

Please remember, **20 MPH in school zone.**

Many children walk and ride their bikes to school. When dropping off and picking up students please go slow and watch for kids both on school grounds and in the adjacent neighborhood. Be sure to park in the parking lot if you are not in your vehicle.



Thank you and please drive carefully!

News from the gym:



PE in the month of February has been all about nets and racquets. Our 4-5th graders have been focusing on striking skills with badminton while our primaries have been practicing striking skills with lollipop paddles, small plastic paddles, and recently small tennis racquets. Ask your child about some of the striking skills they have learned recently.

Moving forward students will begin learning floor hockey, scooter board activities, parachute games as well as integrated fitness activities. As with all PE activities and games we continuously focus on positive ways to resolve conflict and the ability to follow rules and procedures. On another note Badger Run Club has been fun lately especially with the nicer weather. Students have run 31,752 laps for a total of 5,306 miles. Check out our Badger Run Club for your child's progress. Any student to reach the 26.2 mile marathon will receive a free Badger Run Club t-shirt. Remember, if you had fun...you won!

Mr. Yuma



Alex Molina and Guillermo Mendoza

Valentine Fun!

Mrs. Halsey's class was using their creative talents making finger print valentine art.



Brother and sister, *Beau, Ms. DuMoulin's class and Sylvia Douglas, Mrs. Keen's class* show off their awesome Valentine containers.