

HVAS *What's Happening*



October 22, 2021

Principal's Message

Fall is here! This week several classes enjoyed pumpkin patch trips to welcome in the season. Thank you to our parent volunteers for your support and especially for your diligence in following the COVID-19 school and state guidelines for these trips. It is a joy to be able to resume some field trips this school year! (If you might volunteer for a field trip in the future, please see below about *Volunteer Background Checks* and also note that all volunteers must submit a vaccine card for the file or request and be approved for a religious exemption.)

Though we all have varied outlooks, especially surrounding COVID-19 rules, I think we can all agree that we appreciate our kids being in school, learning with their peers and their terrific teachers. Thank you for all you are doing to help keep school open, with as few quarantines as possible!

Please spend a moment reading the announcements and reviewing the reminders in this week's *What's Happening*. Have a wonderful fall weekend!



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Mrs. Kim Cornette

What's NEW:

Volunteer Background Checks

For the safety of all our students, school volunteers are required to each submit a volunteer background check form. This is also a requirement for field trip participation for parents, grandparents, guardians, and others who choose to participate. There is often some processing time before volunteers are approved, so please do not delay if you have not completed this step. All new families should have received a link at the start of the school year, but please email Mrs. Schnibbe in the office at gschnibbe@hvja.org if you need the link sent again.

Vaccine Religious Exemptions

For those who have followed the process to be approved for a vaccine religious exemption in order to volunteer at school, there are some additional COVID prevention measures that are required while volunteering. The key accommodation provided by the school is the wearing of KN95 masks. The KN95s will be provided by the school in these circumstances.

HV Theme Shirt Orders

A link to pre-order your own Friday Blue Theme shirt went out on Wednesday. You can order a shirt for the parents or even the grandparents. It's a great shirt to wear on a field trip or if you are volunteering in the classroom. The cost will be \$12 per shirt and can be billed to your account.

Morning Prayer at HV

Come join HV parents in the field next to the school every morning after drop-off to pray over the school, for our children, our teachers, and each other. This is for all parents or grandparents of students at Hood View.

Cans & Bottles

The seventh-grade class will be collecting bottles and cans to begin fundraising for next year's class trip. Please save your cans and bottles and watch for more information regarding turn-in days and collection bin locations here at school.

As a Reminder:

Athletic Shoes for PE

Mr. Miller, our PE teacher, would like to remind everyone from K-8 to please **bring/wear non-marking athletic shoes for PE** on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Mr. Miller has spent quite a bit of time removing marks off the gym floor. Thank you for your help with keeping our gym floors looking good. Students are also more able to participate appropriately when athletic shoes are worn for P.E.

Communicate COVID Exposure

If your child has had a COVID-19 exposure or if a student or family member tests positive, PLEASE contact Mrs. Cornette ASAP, even over the weekend. If the situation warrants quarantine of students, we appreciate being able to adjust quickly, based on the appropriate protocols.

Morning Health Check Forms

If your child doesn't have his or her morning health screening form signed by a parent/guardian, there will be no admittance into class. If you arrive at school and realize that you forgot your form, **please park**, and come to the front doors. Extra forms and a thermometer are available at the front entrance. We appreciate your help and understanding with this morning procedure.

Lost & Found

The Lost & Found rack, located just inside the main front doors, is full of sweatshirts, jackets, and more. Please come on in, check it out, and see if your little one's missing coat/sweatshirt is there.

Fred Meyer Community Rewards PLEASE SIGN UP! IT'S FREE!

Please take a moment to register or perhaps re-register your Fred Meyer card at the website below. Click to link your rewards card now. Select Hood View Junior Academy and our school will receive a small percentage of every dollar registered families spend at Fred Meyer. This will NOT cost you anything, nor will it affect the personal rewards you earn. Please help us utilize this easy way to earn

extra funds for our school

<https://www.fredmeyer.com/topic/community-rewards-4>
non-profit number TA933

Calendar of Events

- Oct. 22 SWAT (grades 5-8)
- Oct. 25 7/8 Soccer Playoffs start
5/6 boys bball 5:15-6:45pm
- Oct. 26 5/6 girls bball 3:30-5pm
- Oct. 27 2nd to Rice Rock Museum
8:30am-2pm
5/6 girls bball 3:30-5pm
- Oct. 28 PICTURE RETAKE DAY
5/6 boys bball 3:30-5pm
- Oct. 29 End of 1st quarter



- Oct. 22 Grandma Nonie
- Oct. 23 Kanai Pennebaker
Aly Montgomery
- Oct. 26 Zach Gang
- Oct. 31 Lily Segoria