

DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

September 28, 2018

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NVSD School Board

Next Meeting:

October 8th, 6pm

NHS Library

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PARENTS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS-

The 2018-2019 school year is moving along at full speed! We have had a wonderful start to our new school year. Here is just a sampling of some of the exciting things happening in the Nestucca Valley School District.

BOND- The sale of the bonds was very successful. Our bonds were in such high demand we made an additional 3.69 million in premiums and were able to hold the price per assessed value of property to .98 cents per 1,000. Our initial projection was .99 cents per 1,000, so this is a savings for property tax payers. As a district we will be treating the extra 3.69 million as a contingency fund for our work. Construction costs are skyrocketing, so we will remain conservative with our scope of work and how we thoughtfully allocate funds.

We have hired the architect and engineering firm DLR Group and the project management firm Day CPM to work with on this project over the course of the next three years. We are currently in the "Pre-Design Phase" of planning, this phase will conclude in November, at which point we will have documents that we can share with the community. Once Pre-Design planning is done, we will then begin the schematic design phase. We are currently projecting a close out to all work for January of 2021. We will continue to update you regularly on the milestones we reach on this project.

FOOD SERVICE- As you may have heard, the District has revamped our food service program. The elementary school has qualified for a program that provides all students with no charge breakfast and lunch for the next four years. Our JRSR High students have also been enjoying no charge breakfast and lunch so far this year. However as of October 1st lunch at the JRSR High will again have a cost of three dollars. Breakfast will continue to be free to all students every school day this year. Families who have completed a free and reduced form, and qualified, will eat for free at the JRSR High.

If you as a family did not fill out a form for your JRSR High student, you can still do so. The more forms that we are able to fill out the more likely we are to qualify the entire JRSR High student population for the program currently providing no cost breakfast and lunch at the elementary. Every time your child eats a meal at either campus, the school district is reimbursed money, creating a fiscal situation that allows us to continue to grow our food service program. Please encourage them to eat breakfast at school.

"Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow"

We are also excited to announce that the district will soon be offering an additional meal. This exciting new program will take place at the end of the school day and will provide a snack/supper at no charge to all students. We are hoping to be up and running in the month of October. It will be a “grab and go” meal that the kids will consume prior to getting on the bus. An example would be a pizza stick, bag of carrots and juice or milk. Once again, every time one of our students eats this snack, we are reimbursed money by the state that makes our food service program more financially stable. Please encourage your children to eat the school supper.

PROMISE OF OREGON- This year our district will be one of five school districts that is featured by the Oregon School Boards Association (OSBA) in their Promise of Oregon promotion. Students from each building will be videotaped, photographed, interviewed by OSBA and celebrated throughout the state. Once OSBA begins to publish pictures and interviews we will share them on our website. A limited number of students will be featured, so not all students were given sign-up sheets. If your child did bring home a Promise of Oregon packet, and you would like them to participate, please fill out the paperwork and return it to the school office by Tuesday, October 2nd.

21 CENTURY AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM- We will begin sending information home concerning the afterschool program, the first week of October. Soon you will be able to reference our website for information as we will be adding an after school program tab.

LEARNING- We are three weeks into our new academic year, and learning is happening. Our three newly adopted curriculums, math, science and health have been needed and welcome additions to our resources.

Thank you community members for all of your support and help in making great things happen for our students! The 2018-2019 school year is going to rock!

Misty Wharton
Superintendent/Elementary Principal
Nestucca Valley School District
503 392 3194 Ext 302



**Now Hiring
Bus Drivers**

Substitute bus drivers are needed, with a starting wage of \$14.77 per hour. These drivers are needed quite often, so this is fairly steady work. If you are interested in finding out more information, please contact Ken Richwine at (503) 392-3194.

A New School Year

I am wondering where the summer has gone? Here it is our fourth week of school and it seems like only a couple of weeks ago we were holding high school graduation for the Class of 2018. Even the weather feels more like summer than fall, but the calendar says different.

We have a new group of seventh grade students and I must say they are fitting in well. Our overall enrollment has gone down slightly, but we seem to get enough new students to balance the students that move away. This year's group of kids are fun to be around. They are enthusiastic and very involved. Over 70% of our student body is involved in at least one extracurricular activity, and many are involved in more than one.

We have three new staff members at the Junior Senior High School this year. Danny DiCrispino joins our Junior High group of teachers in the Language Arts department. Danny moved here from the Portland area. Danny previously taught in Korea for 8 years. Kevin Filosi took over our technology department, and is a graduate of NKN High School. Kevin then went on and graduated from Oregon State University with a degree in Computer Science. Finally, Daniela Moreno has joined us as our District Counselor. Daniela graduated from Nestucca in 2013 and went on to Portland State University to get her degree in Social Services. We are very excited to have these three members join our staff and know they will be wonderful additions.

If you would like to stay current on your child's grades, and don't have a ParentVue account, email or call Robin in the office at robinr@nestucca.k12.or.us or (503) 392-3194 x100. You will need to make sure you have an email account in our system and she will set you up. There is an app you can use on your phone, or login on a computer to check your child's grades, etc.

Also, if you would like to be added to the email list for announcements, please email announce@nestucca.k12.or.us and one of our office aides will add you to the email list. This is nice because you get a daily email of what is going on at the school. And always, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact the office at (503) 392-3194. We look forward to a fantastic year!

Ken Richwine
Principal
Nestucca Junior Senior High School

NJSHS Parent/Teacher Conferences

Junior High

November 8th: 8am-8pm

November 9th: 8am-Noon



High School

November 8th: 4pm-8pm

November 9th: 8am-Noon

Activities Calendar

Tuesday, October 2nd

High School Volleyball @ Vernonia 5:30 pm
Jr High Volleyball vs Taft 3:45 pm
Jr High Football vs Taft 4:00 pm

Wednesday, October 3rd

JV 2 Volleyball vs Willamina 5:30 pm
Jr High Volleyball vs Delphian 3:45 pm
Volleyball Team Night 6:00 pm

Thursday, October 4th

High School Cross Country @ Regis 4:00 pm
Jr High Cross Country @ Regis 3:30 pm
Jr High Volleyball @ Taft 3:45 pm
Jr High Football @ Newport 4:00 pm
Football Team Night 5:30 pm

Friday, October 5th

Half Day
Jr High Cross Country @ Tillamook 3:30 pm

Saturday, October 6th

JV 2 Volleyball Tournament @ Delphian
HS Volleyball Tournament @ Western Mennonite
Speech @ Sandy

Sunday, October 7th

Hallway Decorating 2:00 – 6:00 pm

Tuesday, October 9th

HS Volleyball @ City Christian (Varsity Only) 6:00 pm
Jr High Volleyball @ Sheridan 3:45 pm
Jr High Football @ Sheridan 4:00 pm

Wednesday, October 10th

Jr High Cross Country Pictures
Jr High Volleyball Pictures
Jr High Football Pictures
Volleyball Team Nigh 6:00 pm

Thursday, October 11th

HS Cross Country @ NWL Conference 4:00 pm
HS Volleyball vs Warrenton 5:30 pm
Jr High Cross Country @ Corvallis 3:30 pm
Jr High Volleyball vs Sheridan 3:45 pm
Football Team Night 5:30 pm

Friday, October 12th

No School
High School Football vs Portland Christian 7:00 pm
Tailgate Party and Truck decorating before game
Homecoming Dance after game

Saturday, October 13th

Jr High Dance 7:00 – 9:00 pm
High School Cross Country @ Newberg Invite
High School Volleyball vs Gaston 11:30 am
Speech @ Wilson

Monday, October 15th

JV 2 Volleyball @ Delphian 5:00 pm
Jr High Volleyball vs Delphian 3:45 pm

Thursday, October 18th

HS Cross Country @ Pre District Challenge Salem
Linfield college here @ Lunch
Jr High Football vs Santiam Christian 4:00 pm

Friday, October 19th

High School Football @ Knappa 7:00 pm

Thursday, October 25th

High School Cross Country @ District
Oregon Tech Here @ Breakfast

Friday, October 26th

High School Football vs Warrenton 7:00 pm
Senior Night

Saturday, October 27th

Speech @ Tillamook



HOME COMING WEEK OCTOBER 8TH-12TH!

ALL STUDENTS GRADUATE PREPARED

In 2010, Oregon adopted higher K-12 standards in English Language Arts and Math to ensure all students move from grade to grade with the academic knowledge and skills necessary for success beyond high school. Because we raised the bar for what we expect students to know and be able to do, we have also changed the way we measure student progress through our state tests, known as Smarter Balanced.

Why does participation matter?

While no single test can give a complete picture of your child's progress, having your child take the statewide tests provides educators and administrators with information about what educational approaches are working and where additional resources are needed. Your child's participation is important to ensure schools and districts receive the targeted resources they need to help all students succeed.

Description of rights

House Bill 2655 permits parents and adult students to annually opt-out of Oregon's statewide summative tests in English Language Arts and Math by submitting an annual form to the school the student attends. Schools will provide parents with the annual form for 2018-19 at least 30 days prior to the start of testing. Visit this link to learn more about House Bill 2655: <http://tinyurl.com/OR-HB2655>.

STATEWIDE TESTING WINDOWS

Smarter Balanced English Language Arts & Math Tests
January 8 – June 7, 2019

Oregon Extended Assessments for English Language Arts & Math
February 14 – April 25, 2019

OREGON'S STATE TESTS

- **Challenge your child to think critically** and apply his or her knowledge to real-world problems
- **Go beyond multiple choice** and ask your child to explain his or her answers
- **Act as a snapshot of your child's progress** and may be considered along with other pieces of information to determine your child's academic success
- **Help identify schools and districts** that need additional supports to ensure more students are meeting higher standards

When will my child take the test?

Your child will be tested once after he or she has completed at least two-thirds of the school year. Your child's school will determine the specific dates your child takes the tests within the statewide testing window.

STAY INFORMED

Talk to your child's teacher or school principal if you have questions or want to learn more.

Resources

To learn more about what your child should know and be able to do in English Language Arts & Math: <http://tinyurl.com/ELARoadmap> & <http://tinyurl.com/MathRoadmap>

To view sample test questions: <http://tinyurl.com/ORPracticeTests>

To read more about your child's test results: <http://tinyurl.com/ORTestResults>



Nestucca Jr/Sr High School Immunization and Exemption Rates Report K-12

Year 2018-2019
Report HLT628

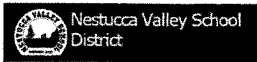
School Name Nestucca Jr/Sr High School	School Type Public / Charter School	Address PO Box 38	
Contact Person Robin Richwine	Phone:	City, State, Zipcode Cloverdale, OR 97112	
District Name Nestucca Valley School District	Date of Report 09/24/2018	Assessment Date 09/30/2018	
School Grades 07,08,09,10,11,12			

Number of Students Enrolled **: 225
Percent of Students with no immunization or exemption record: 7.56 %
Percent of Students with a medical exemption for one or more vaccines: 0.00 %

	Percent Vaccinated *	Percent missing one or more doses because of a non-medical exemption *
DTap/Tdap	79.11 %	2.67 %
Polio	90.67 %	1.78 %
Varicella	91.11 %	1.33 %
Measles	90.67 %	1.78 %
Mumps	91.11 %	1.33 %
Rubella	91.11 %	1.33 %
Hepatitis B	90.67 %	1.78 %
Hepatitis A	88.16 %	1.97 %
All Vaccines	78.67 %	1.33 %

* Not all immunizations are required for all grades. These numbers may not total to 100% if some student have medical exemptions, or are incomplete or in the process with immunizations but not need an exemption because they are on schedule.

** There is/are also 0 student(s) enrolled for who immunizations are not required to be reported because their records are tracked by another site or they attend fewer than 5 days per year.



Nestucca Valley Elementary School
Immunization and Exemption Rates Report K-12

Year 2018-2019
Report HLT628

School Name Nestucca Valley Elementary School	School Type Public / Charter School	Address 36925 Hwy 101 S
Contact Person Barbara Daggett	Phone: 503-392-3435	City, State, Zipcode Cloverdale, OR 97112
District Name Nestucca Valley School District	Date of Report 09/25/2018	Assessment Date 09/25/2018
School Grades KG,01,02,03,04,05,06		

Number of Students Enrolled **: 260
Percent of Students with no immunization or exemption record: 0.00 %
Percent of Students with a medical exemption for one or more vaccines: 0.38 %

	Percent Vaccinated *	Percent missing one or more doses because of a non-medical exemption *
DTap/Tdap	94.62 %	4.23 %
Polio	94.62 %	4.23 %
Varicella	96.15 %	3.46 %
Measles	95.38 %	3.85 %
Mumps	96.54 %	3.46 %
Rubella	96.54 %	3.46 %
Hepatitis B	95.77 %	3.46 %
Hepatitis A	93.46 %	4.23 %
All Vaccines	93.08 %	3.46 %

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21st Century Community Learning Center (21CCLC) After School Program

Nestucca Valley School District and its partners Nestucca Valley Early Learning Center, Community Arts Project, and Food Roots NW will be starting an after school program. The Nestucca Valley 21st Century Community Learning Center (NV21CCLC) will begin Monday November 5, 2018 available to students Pre-K-12. Grades Pre-K-6 will be at Nestucca Valley Elementary School and grades 7-12 will be at Nestucca Valley Jr/Sr High School.

NV21CCLC is made possible by a 21st Century Community Learning Center grant. The program will run Monday through Thursday from 3:00 pm to 5:30 pm on days that students are in attendance in the Nestucca Valley School District during the school year. The program will include opportunities for academics, recreation and enrichment under the supervision of a certified teacher and other competent and caring adults. Bus transportation will be available to transport students from school to a drop off spot where they can be picked up.

Enrollment in NV21CCLC is limited to students who attend a Nestucca Valley School District School, Nestucca Valley Early Learning Center, Nestucca Head Start, and Neskowin Valley School students who live within the Nestucca Valley School District. Enrollment is limited to 100 students Pre-K-6 and 30 students 7-12.

Enrollment applications and information will be available by October 1 on the school district website <http://www.nestucca.k12.or.us>. The applications will also be available at the school offices at Nestucca Valley Elementary School, Nestucca Jr/Sr High School, Neskowin Valley School, and Nestucca Valley Early Learning Center. To be included in the lottery for available spots applications must be dropped off at Nestucca Valley Elementary School office, Nestucca Valley Jr/Sr High School Office, or the Nestucca Valley School District Office by end of business on OCTOBER 19, 2018. If an application is received after the deadline it will not be included in the lottery and will place at the end of the waiting list.

Please direct any question to Chad C. Holloway, NVES Associate Principal and NV21CCLC Director, email chadh@nestucca.k12.or.us or (503)392-3194.





NVELC is excited to be offering a Preschool Promise program this year taught by Autum Marsh and runs Monday-Thursday 8:30-3:00. This is a high quality preschool program, matching many of the standards that Head Start offers.

We are also thrilled to have Nestucca Valley Head Start on campus for the 5th year, with a new lead teacher, Ashlee Buxton, who recently earned her Bachelor's Degree from WOU in Early Education! She is assisted by Kasandra Rodriguez as bi-lingual aide, and our favorite "Cookie Debbie" Swanson. We also hired Natasha Durgan as the building's "Floating Aide" to help us in all of these classrooms. Head Start will run Monday - Friday, 8:30-3:00.

We are phasing out of After School care in the next month, and focusing on the 0-5 age group in a more strategic way. We plan to have a lot of professional development in this age group, so that we can provide a high quality version of the EARLY LEARNING part of our organization's name!

Be sure to check out our new website for more information and enrollment information.

We are hiring!

We are in search of people interested in a career in early education. There are positions open in both the Head Start and Preschool Promise classroom! Please EMAIL your cover letter and resume to admin@nvelc.com (no drop-in's please!). For more information on the Head Start position, go to: <http://nworheadstart.org/career-opportunities.html> and check out the Nestucca openings!

Things to remember:

We continue to be focused on the safety of children and staff with a locked door policy. Drop-in visitors will NOT be buzzed into the building, so be sure to call ahead or email to make an appointment! Thank you for understanding that most of the staff is very busy (usually with children!), so we appreciate the community respecting that policy!

From Cookie Debbie: The Oregon Food Bank will be here every other Monday. This is for all of our families. Please take anything you think your family would use, and be respectful of only taking what you need at the beginning of the week, so that all of the families can benefit from it! It will be available all week for your convenience. Be sure to sign in on the sheet hanging on the wall. Please write down the number of people in the family that you are taking for so we have a better idea of how much product we need in the future. Also, please feel free to email me at dswanson@nworheadstart.org if you ever have any questions or concerns or want a recipe that is a favorite of your child.



Get Ready to *"Dart for Art!"*

On Thursday, October 4, 2018, Nestucca Valley Elementary students will participate in the fifth annual fun run called *"Dart for Art!"* This is a **very important** fundraiser for the students. The children will gather pledges in advance and then run or walk laps at the school to raise necessary funds for their Art Literacy Program.

Students will walk or run for 15 minutes around a designated area outside, weather permitting. All students will participate as part of P.E., even if they have not gathered pledges. Make sure to wear your running shoes this day! All participants will receive a participation ribbon and healthy snack on the day of the event. Last year, Tillamook County Creamery Association donated individually wrapped cheddar slices and Grateful Bread restaurant supplied delicious Pink Crisp apples!

Students turning in \$40 or more in donations will receive a 2018 *"Dart for Art"* t-shirt with a Gyotaku (Japanese fish print) of a piranha! Students who raise \$75 or more will receive a T-shirt and a special engraved metal medallion with a neck ribbon. In addition, an special prize will be awarded to the student in each classroom with the most laps, and an ice cream party to the classroom with the most total donations collected (size of class and total donations are considered).

Sponsors can pledge per lap or pledge a set amount (if your family prefers not to solicit pledges for this fundraiser, please consider making a donation). Pledge forms will be given to students on **Thursday, September 20, 2018**. The walk/run will take place **Thursday, October 4**. Completed forms with collected money will be due at school on **Monday, October 15**. Those who turn their funds raised in early, receive a "Wildcat" ticket.

It's going to be a fun day and good exercise for a great cause. Support your student artists! If you have any questions, please call the office at 503-392-3194, or Nicola at Community Arts Project, 503-550-9655.



October is National Farm to School Month!

Nestucca Valley Elementary School and Food Roots are hosting a

Local Food Open House

Thursday, October 18th

6:00-7:00pm

This is a celebration of the wide variety of farmers, fishers and other food producers in Tillamook County and is open to all NVSD families. The event will include local food samples, hands-on activities, tours of the school garden, and raffle prizes!



Photos from September garden lessons and harvest!

**NESTUCCA VALLEY LIONS CHRISTMAS BASKETS
FAMILY REQUEST FORM 2018**

[NESTUCCA VALLEY CANASTA DE NAVIDAD PARA SU FAMILIA]

PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS AND SIGN THE FORM.

[PARA SOLICITAR UNA CANASTA PARA SU FAMILIA, POR FAVOR CONTESTE TODAS LAS
PREGUNTAS Y FIRME SU NOMBRE EN ESTA PLANILLA]

“ONLY 1 REQUEST PER HOUSEHOLD WILL BE ACCEPTED”

[“SOLAMENTE UNA PETICION POR FAMILIA”]

1. PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY [POR FAVOR ESCRIBA CLARO]

2. **ALL FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO [TODAS LAS FORMAS deben ser devueltos a]**

NESTUCCA VALLEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL OFFICE

FORMS RECEIVED AFTER OCTOBER 31, WILL BE PUT ON A WAIT LIST

NAME HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD [Nombre y apellido]: _____

ADDRESS [Dirección] _____

TOWN [Pueblo] _____

PLEASE GIVE CLEAR DIRECTIONS TO YOUR HOME: [Por favor, denos claramente la
dirección de como llegar a su casa para poder llevarles la canasta de regalos]

PHONE OR MESSAGE NUMBER (Required) _____

[NÚMERO DE MENSAJE DEL TELÉFONO (Requerido)]

DELIVERY DATE WILL BE SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, BETWEEN 9:00AM AND NOON

[FECHA DE ENTREGA será el SÁBADO, 22 DE DICIEMBRE, entre las 9:00 am y el mediodía]

TOTAL NUMBER IN HOUSEHOLD [Numero total de personas que viven en su casa]:

SENIORS [Ansianos] _____ ADULTS [Adultos] _____ CHILDREN [Niños] _____

LIST ANY DIET RESTRICTIONS OR ALLERGIES:

[Escriba aqui si hay alguna dieta, alergias, etc]

REASON FOR NEED [Rason por la necesidad de ayuda] (Required): _____

X _____

SIGNATURE, HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD: [Firma de la persona encargada de las familia]

DATE: _____

Choose (1) meat you prefer [Elige (1) la carne que prefieras]:

Turkey [Pavo] _____ Turkey Breast [Pecho de Pavo] _____ Ham [Hamon] _____

Do you want a smoke alarm test? Yes() No() Do you need a smoke alarm? Yes() No()

Desea recibir gratis una alarma de fuego para su casa? Si _____, No _____.

¿Necesita un detector de humos? Si _____, No _____.

If you answered yes, the Nestucca Rural Fire Protection District will contact you to test your smoke alarm or install a new one).

CHILDREN'S GIFT QUESTIONNAIRE – AGE: NEWBORN THRU 18

[CUESTIONARIO DE REGALO DE NIÑOS - EDAD DE RECIÉN NACIDO 18]

List 2 of the **most needed** articles of clothing and 1 gift

[Lista 2 artículos **más necesarios** de ropa y uno regalo]

1. Name [Nombre del niño]: _____ Age [Edad]: _____ Sex [Sexo]: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Toy or Gift [Juguete o regalo] _____

2. Name [Nombre del niño]: _____ Age [Edad]: _____ Sex [Sexo]: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Toy or Gift [Juguete o regalo] _____

3. Name [Nombre del niño]: _____ Age [Edad]: _____ Sex [Sexo]: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Toy or Gift [Juguete o regalo] _____

4. Name [Nombre del niño]: _____ Age [Edad]: _____ Sex [Sexo]: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Toy or Gift [Juguete o regalo] _____

5. Name [Nombre del niño]: _____ Age [Edad]: _____ Sex [Sexo]: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Clothing [Ropa] _____ Size [Tamaño]: _____ Color: _____
Toy or Gift [Juguete o regalo] _____

LIST ADDITIONAL CHILDREN ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER.

Lista de niños adicionales en una hoja separada de papel.