





### DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

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**NVSD School Board** 

Next Meeting: February 11th, 6pm NHS Library

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#### THE STATE OF THE NESTUCCA VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Happy 2019!

The New Year is off to a fast start in the Nestucca Valley School District. We have ended our first semester/2<sup>nd</sup> quarter and launched our new nine-week period. Students and staff have settled into being back at school, and this is always the time of year where the academics get more serious.

We are in prime flu season, and want to remind parents that if your child is exhibiting flu like symptoms, please keep them home from school. February 20, 2019, is the exclusion date for students who have not received immunizations or completed a medical/non-medical certificate to exempt their child from some, or all, immunizations. At NVES, 100% of our students are in compliance. I am certain that many of you have been following the news concerning the measles outbreak. Please be mindful of any rashes your child may develop. As a community, we have been doing a great job of alerting the office of any abnormal rashes and/or medical ailments, allowing administration to notify parents as needed. Keep up the good work.

The district has officially closed on the Beaver School sale. What does this mean for community use? The new owners of the property are currently working with the district to develop a lease agreement that will allow the school district to continue to use parts of the property like the gym, bus barn and baseball fields. It has yet to be determined if community groups can continue to use the facility. So, at this stage, non-district activities will not be allowed on the Beaver property. This is a developing situation and more information will be shared as it becomes available.

The bond work is nearing the closeout of the Schematic Design phase. This means that within two weeks the district will have a great idea of what the footprint of the building will look like on the elementary campus. The team will then enter the Design Development phase, which more closely examines finishes and ascetics.

If you have questions, about anything, I can be reached at (503) 392-3194 Ext 404 or mistyw@nestucca.k12.or.us.

Misty Wharton Superintendent Nestucca Valley School District



"Learners Today, Leaders Tomorrow"

# February Activities Calendar

#### Friday, February 1st

High School Wrestling Duals @ Knappa 5:00 pm Speech @ Linfield District 3 Honor Choir Jr. High Basketball Pictures

#### Saturday, February 2nd

Speech @ Linfield
District 3 Honor Choir
HS Basketball @ NKN 1:00pm

#### Monday, February 4th

Jr. High Basketball @ Perrydale 3:45pm

#### Tuesday, February 5th

Pep Band Mid-Day Assembly HS Basketball vs. Knappa - Senior Night 3:00pm

#### Wednesday, February 6th

JV Girls Basketball @ Molalla 5:45pm Jr. High Basketball vs. Sheridan 3:45pm Youth Baseball/Softball Signups - Cafeteria 7:00pm

#### Thursday, February 7th

HS Basketball @ Faith Bible 5:30pm Jr. High Basketball vs. Toledo 5:00pm

#### Friday, February 8th

HS Wrestling Duals @ NKN 4:00pm

#### Saturday, February 9th

Sadie Hawkins - Love Island 8-11pm ACT 8:00am

#### Tuesday, February 12th

Seniors Fieldtrip to Tillamook Courthouse 12-3pm HS Girls Varsity Basketball Playoff Game TBA

#### Wednesday, February 13th

Jr. High Basketball @ Gaston 3:45pm

#### Thursday, February 14th

Jr. High Basketball vs. Taft 3:45pm Valograms

#### Friday, February 15th

HS Wrestling District @ Vernonia

#### Saturday, February 16th

HS Wrestling District @ Vernonia

#### Monday, February 18th

NO SCHOOL

#### Tuesday, February 19th

JR. High Basketball @ Delphian 3:45pm

#### Wednesday, February 20th

Jr. High Basketball @ Amity 3:45pm HS Choir Festival @ Linfield

#### Thursday, February 21st

Cara Elder here 8:00-Noon
Jr. High Basketball vs. Willamina 3:45pm

#### Friday, February 22nd

HS Wrestling State @ Portland

#### Saturday, February 23rd

HS Wrestling State @ Portland Softball Clinic 9:00-4:00

#### Sunday, February 24th

Softball Pitching Clinic TBA

#### Monday, February 25th

SPRING SPORTS BEGIN

#### Tuesday, February 26th

District 3 Honor Band in St. Helens

#### Thursday, February 28th

Senior Trip to State Capitol



Any student planning on taking driver education 4th quarter is reminded to have his/her Oregon driving permit by the first day of class!



Nestucca Valley Athletic Supporters is selling 4-wheeler tickets! Cost is \$20 per ticket. The drawing to be held March 23! (You do not need to be present to win)

NVASI's second annual Surf & Turf Dinner will be held March 23rd at Kiawanda Community Center - doors open at 4:30pm, dinner to

start at 6:00pm sharp! Silent Auction table as well as live action, door prizes and entertainment throughout the night!

Tickets for the Surf & Turf dinner available through an NVASI member, will be sold at home sports events, and at Oregon Coast Bank and The Rusty Cow!

The Nestucca Valley 21st Century Community Learning Center after school program is again open for enrollment. We have space for up to 35 additional students k-6. Applications must be submitted. You may pick up applications at the Nestucca Valley Elementary School.



#### 20th Annual SMART Book Award

Every winter after the new year begins, SMART introduces nominees for it's SMART Book Award to be read and voted on by thousands of students throughout Oregon. Each participating child casts their vote and the winner will be announced in March.

Kindergartners from NVES have been reading with SMART since the beginning of the school year and taking home two books a month to add to their collection. We are excited to be a part of this year's contest.

This year's Book Award Nominees are: Beautiful/Bellas by Stacy McAnulty
I'm Trying to Love Spiders by Bethany Barton
Up Above and Down Below by Paloma Valdivia
Maria Had a Little Llama by Angela Dominguez

NVES SMART currently has 13 reader volunteers who meet each Tuesday from 12-1:00. It's always an exciting and fun time that we spend reading to our kindergartners but, we are always looking for more readers whether they are full time or part time volunteers. We are grateful for each of them!

You can visit <a href="www.getSMARToregon.org">www.getSMARToregon.org</a> for more details or if you think you might like to volunteer as a reader for SMART.

S M A R T START MAKING A READER TODAY\*

Theresa Roberts, Site Coordinator





## **Spanish Literacy Night**

February 6 | 5:30 pm-7:00 pm

Nestucca High School (Library)
34660 Parkway Dr., Cloverdale, OR 97112

### Bilingual Author: Patricia Aguilar Morrisey

Join us for night of reading, free books, and reading strategies at home.

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# Noche de Literatura en español

6 de febrero | 5:30 pm - 7:00pm

Biblioteca de la escuela Nestucca High School 34660 Parkway Dr., Cloverdale, OR 97112

Autora Bilingüe: Patricia Aguilar Morrisey

Venga para una noche de lectura, libros gratis, y estrategias de lectura en casa.

#### Para más información comunicase

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#### Art Literacy during January: Albrecht Dürer

Albrecht Dürer (1471–1528) was born in the Franconian city of Nuremberg, Germany and is an artist of the Renaissance period. He was the second of eighteen children, many of whom passed away in childhood. He was a brilliant painter, draftsman, and writer, though his first and probably greatest artistic impact was in the medium of printmaking. At the age of thirteen, Dürer apprenticed with his father, who was a goldsmith. Then with the local painter Michael Wolgemut, whose workshop produced woodcut illustrations for major books and publications.

In his apprenticeship under Wolgemut, Dürer learned the art of woodcut, which at the time was used primarily for illustrated books. He mastered woodcuts/printmaking and turned the process into a form of artwork. His artwork is filled with monsters, devils, angels, and saints drawn from the artist's fertile imagination. He also used symbols to convey a deeper meaning in his work.

Dürer's talent, ambition, and sharp, wide-ranging intellect earned him the attention and friendship of some of the most prominent figures in German society. He became official court artist to Holy Roman Emperors Maximilian I and his successor Charles V, for whom Dürer designed and helped execute a range of artistic projects. He also published two books using his artwork for illustration, both of scientific nature, one about human anatomy.

The students practiced making their own linocuts and enjoyed the process! We used safer tools than what is traditionally used but allowed for the same experience. Linocut/woodblock Printing is similar to making relief sculptures, in that material is carved away to reveal subject matter. In woodcut printmaking, the area that is negative space (area without subject matter) is carved away, and the positive space is left alone or texture can be added to it for visual interest. Texture is created by using repeated patterns such as lines, dots, waves, shapes ect. When this process is complete a thin layer of ink is applied to the woodcut with a brayer, then a piece of paper is laid over the top and is pressed onto the woodcutting. The paper is then pulled off and voila!



# Community Arts Project PO Box 248 Cloverdale OR 97112

www.communityartsproject.net

#### Your Art's Desire - A Special Event Supporting Art Literacy

Help support the young artist in your family! Community Arts Project, the organization that presents the NVELC and Head Start Art Literacy program, is having their annual fundraising event. Come see student and professional artwork.

#### Your Art's Desire: A Celebration of Art, Wine & Chocolate

Saturday, February 9, 2019 6:30pm until 9:30pm Kiawanda Community Center, Pacific City

Appetizers, beverages, desserts (chocolate!), art sale, student artwork display, silent auction, raffle, live music. Advance tickets \$30; at the door \$35. Secure online ticket purchase is available at www.communityartsproject.net

Contact Nicola Harrison at 503-550-9655 or email: communityartsproject101@gmail.com to answer questions, purchase tickets and general information.

We hope you will join us for this special celebration. Come support our young artists. Art matters.

# Community Action Team – Child and Family Development Programs

# Family Storytelling



Night

### February 14, 2019

Location: Nestucca Valley Jr/Sr. High

Library, 36925 Hwy 101 S., Cloverdale, OR

Time: 5:30-7:30pm

RSVP: Family Engagement Advisor, Diane Wilkinson

503-392-4449 X1 or <a href="mailto:admin@nvelc.com">admin@nvelc.com</a>

Dinner will be provided



We invite all families to join in this AMAZING Family Event!

Each Family will leave with a story board!

#### Presented by Patrick Mitchell:

Patrick Mitchell, a nationally known trainer of early-childhood educators and facilitator of parent and family early-literacy-enhancement and parent and family engagement (PFCE) events.



Diane Wilkinson, Director 30720 US 101 S. Hebo, OR 97122 (503) 392-4449

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In the **Nestucca Valley Head Start** classroom, we are focusing on classroom rules such as sharing, following directions and keeping our hands to ourselves. We are continuing our learning from Zoo Phonics. Each week we learn about a new animal. This lesson includes their signal and how to sound out the first letter of their name. As always, we practice numbers and colors through-out the day. This

month, we have also been learning about animals in the ocean. We accept applications for this program year-round, and are recruiting now for the 2019/202 school year. <a href="http://www.nworheadstart.org/index.html">http://www.nworheadstart.org/index.html</a> Our new Family Advocate Tina is starting to set up home visits, and helping with family partnerships and goals. Her first student interviews have occurred. Watch for those in the coming newsletters!

Our **Preschool Promise** classroom is continuing to learn about friendship, boundaries, and what being Kindergarten Ready looks like! In Zoo Phonics, we are working the letter "R" Robby Rabbit. We are also working on writing our first (and last!) names, and

playing outside a LOT! Don't forget to send in those rain boots and extra clothes! We still have openings for income eligible in this classroom- see our website <a href="https://www.nvelc.com">www.nvelc.com</a> for an application.

In our **Infant/Toddler** classroom, we have been working on colors and shapes and letters. We are working on sharing and being good friends, exploring colors while painting. We have a waiting list in this classroom, accepting applications. See our website for rates and info.

**From the Kitchen:** Cookie Debbie is concentrating on the "Chatter Time." Mealtime is such a perfect time to not only reflect on the events of the day, it is also a perfect time to teach. Ask them questions about the food. "Where does it come from? Does it grow on a tree or bush or underground?" "How many colors are we eating?" "Is it a fruit or veggie, dairy or grain?" We have been having these conversations at our mealtimes. I bet they will surprise you with how much they have learned. They surprise me every day! As always, be sure to call or email if you want to join us for a meal. I can be reached at dswanson@nworheadstart.org or 503-392-4449.

From the **Director's Desk**: We have many opportunities for Family Engagement coming up! Watch for more information on our Parent Café coming up in the district (for all families PK-6<sup>th</sup> grade!), as well as our Down to Earth Dad event on Thursday February 14<sup>th</sup> in the Jr/Sr High

School library. RSVP is required for this, as dinner will be provided. Leave a voice mail at 503-392-4449 x1 or email <a href="mailto:admin@nvelc.com">admin@nvelc.com</a> with the number in your family.

We are still looking for qualified early learning applicants in all three classrooms, and an afternoon maintenance position. If you are interested, please email us your resume and cover letter (no drop-ins or phone calls re: these positions please).

