

The Mooberry Mustang



MOOBERRY ELEMENTARY'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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Parents Rights to Know About Teacher Qualifications

Mooberry Elementary is a school-wide Title 1 school. That means we have the highest standards for our teachers and paraprofessionals. Each teacher we hire holds and Oregon license through Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (TSPC), and we are proud they meet the strenuous standards an Oregon license requires. All teaching assistants are highly qualified as well.

The Federal No Child Left Behind regulations state that parents in Title I schools may inquire about teacher qualifications. **We encourage strong parental involvement and communication with your school and your child's teacher.**

You have many opportunities throughout the year to meet your child's teacher: *Back To School Night*, Title I Family Nights, school performances, parent conferences, etc. If you questions about his or her qualifications, you may contact Brian Haats, principal.

November Family Nights

Here are a couple of great ways you can support Mooberry AND have a great family outing:

WatchDOGS Pizza Night Dads, Grandpas, Uncles, and Father Figures—Come join us on Tuesday, **November 8th from 6:00-7:00.** Please bring your student and enjoy pizza/drinks while hearing about our WatchDOGS (Dads of Great Students) volunteer program. Are you a father figure who does not have time to volunteer on a regular basis? Then WatchDOGS is for you. Become one of our DOGS and volunteer just 1 day this school year. You will get to have fun with your child, other students, and support our school.

Family Movie Night On **Thursday, November 18th**, bring your whole family from **6:30-8:00** to enjoy snacks, drinks while watching the hit movie *RIO*. It will be a good time for all!

Hillsboro Ski Club — 2011-2012 Season

Hillsboro Ski Club transports snowboarders and skiers in grades K through 12 (and their parents, if desired) to Mt. Hood Meadows for recreational skiing on Saturdays. We offer two four-week sessions: the first begins on January 7, and the second session begins on February 4, 2012.

The club offers program packages for all levels with discounts on lessons, lifts, rentals or combinations of these services. Transportation is by luxury coach and leaves from Poynter Middle School at 6:15AM on Saturday mornings. Busses are chaperoned and advisors monitor the on-site medical clinic hourly. This program is for students and their parents only.

For details see our web site at www.HillsboroSkiClub.us .

The Principal's GREAT BOOK

Congratulations to the following students for signing the principal's GREAT BOOK: Juan, Janet, Miriam, Eleazar, Carlos, Miguel, Esmeralda, Samara, Jordyn, Jenny, Constantino, Brandon, Emily, Ruby, Austin, Nick, Diego, Alicia, Jesiah, Isabel, Armando, Bryan, Stephanie, Kiara, Ryan, Brian, Darwin, Joshua, Jason, Brooklyn, Savannah, Alexis, Ian, Kiana, Mackenzie. **Way to go fabulous students!!!!**

Important Dates:

- **NOVEMBER 8TH—WATCHDOGS PIZZA NIGHT—6:00-7:00**
- **NOVEMBER 11—NO SCHOOL—VETERANS' DAY**
- **NOVEMBER 16—PTA MEETING—6:30-8:00**
- **NOVEMBER 17—FAMILY MOVING NIGHT—6:30-8:00**
- **NOVEMBER 23-25—NO SCHOOL—BUDGET REDUCTION DAY AND THANKSGIVING BREAK**



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