

Deer Creek Bulletin

6/17/2022

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Upcoming Events

June 20

- PSO Langers Bowling Fundraiser, 3-10pm, Sherwood



School Information

Have a FABULOUS Summer!! :)



Health Room - Medication Pick Up

If your student has medication stored in our health room, don't forget to pick it up before June 22nd. Any medication not picked up will be disposed of.

Thank You Field Day Volunteers!

Parents,

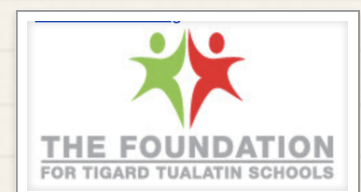
We would like to send many thanks to all of you who helped out at Field Day. You all made Field Day run smoothly, from setting up all the stations, to working all the stations (big shout out to the parents who got stuck with the rain), to handing out popsicles, and for cleaning everything up. We can't say thank you enough and what a fun first year Field Day for us.

Thanks!

Ms. Claussen and Mr. Gorton

Thank You Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools!

Deer Creek School would like to give a huge shout out to **The Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools!** This year they generously funded four additional instructional assistants to support literacy



master skills with letter sounds, word parts, and rhyming, along with many other skills. We could not have done this without the support of the Foundation and the community who generously gives every year to support our schools and students. **Thank you Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools!**

Saying Goodbye to Deer Creek

Mrs. Doughty will be saying goodbye to Deer Creek at the end of this school year. She wanted to share this message :

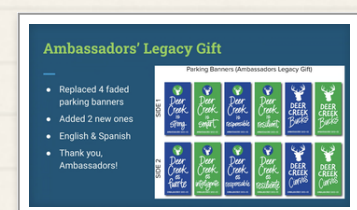
It is with very mixed emotions that I am announcing my retirement this year. I have been teaching or working with young children for 35+ years. I have been part of the Deer Creek community for 24 years! Deer Creek opened in 1997 and became my home away from home in 1998. My daughters were young and I had just chosen to leave Portland Public School to spend some more time being a mom. I quickly found volunteering at Deer Creek. In 2001 I started substituting (Emily started kindergarten) and I have not left. After substituting for a couple years primarily at Deer Creek I started teaching 1/2 day kindergarten. For 4 years I shared classroom space with 3 different teachers. In 2007-2011 I returned to Kindergarten full time teaching. In 2011 I taught 2 nd grade, 2012 first grade, 2013-2016 back to 2 nd , 2016-2022 kindergarten. Throughout the last 19 years I believe I have taught more than 420 kids. I have both kindergarten and 2nd grade students graduating from high school this year. I have been in all 4 pods, in 7 different classrooms, moved rooms 10 times! Through all of this I have made some wonderful memories with students, families and the community. Don't be surprised if you continue to see me around from time to time!

After many years of teaching PE at Deer Creek, Mrs. Smith has also decided to retire. Some thoughts about Mrs. Smith from our staff: "Mrs. Smith ran her PE classes like a well-oiled machine! She was always finding new ways to engage the kids in age-appropriate activities." "I will never forget how compassionate Mrs. Smith was about our students. I will also never forget the costumes she would dress up in especially the dinosaurs! I know the kids really enjoyed them, too."

They will be greatly missed. We wish them both the **very best!!**

Ambassador Legacy Gift

The next time that you pull into our parking lot...look up! Our Ambassadors raised money to replace and add two more banners in our parking lot. These banners are awesome! They are bright, inspirational, and in Spanish and English!



Nutrition Services - Important Update

USDA Free Meal Program for All to Expire in June [open_in_new](#)

Throughout the pandemic, The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) waived many of the program requirements, allowing schools to serve meals for free for all students 18 years old and under.

These waivers will expire as of June and beginning next school year, school meals will no longer be free to all students. Meals will continue to be free through the last day of this school year, June 16, 2022.

QUALIFYING FOR FREE MEALS NEXT SCHOOL YEAR

Your student can still qualify for free meals next school year 2022-2023 if your family household income falls below the amounts outlined in the [Oregon Expanded Income Guidelines](#).

- Example, a family of four with a combined household income of less than \$83,250 would qualify for free meals.

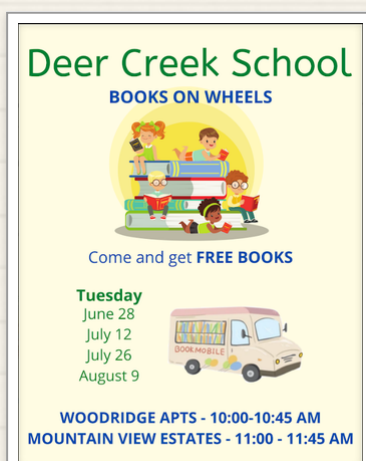
The free and reduced meal application will be available in July, please check the TTSD website ttedschools.org to apply for free meals!

If you are in need of additional food resources, please see the attached PDF below for local resources available in the Tigard-Tualatin area for food, hot meals, and more. As always, reach out to your family resource team or school office for any additional information or resources your family may be in need of.

Deer Creek Weeding Day

If you would like to spend some time in the sunshine and help make our school look fabulous, sign up to come help on Deer Creek Weeding Day on June 25!

Sign up link: <https://signup.com/go/PaNbdS>



Books On Wheels

Come and get FREE BOOKS to read and enjoy during the summer. We will be delivering books to Woodridge Apartments 10:00-10:45 and Mountain View Estates 11:00-11:45.

The dates are June 28, July 12, July 26, August 9

For further information, please see the attached flyer.



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Summer Reading with the Tigard Public Library Started on June 1st

This summer kids are invited to join us for Summer Reading and fun “Beyond the Beaten Path!” Families can visit the library any time between June 1st and July 31st to receive a free book to keep and a Summer Reading Log. Once they reach their Summer Reading goal, kids can bring their log back to the library to choose another free book to keep!

Families can also participate in a number of fun and free activities both at the library and virtually all summer long including, storytimes, science presentations, performances, take and make at home crafts and more!

Kindergarten Registration

TTSD online kindergarten registration portal is open for the 2022-23 school year.



If you were not able to attend our virtual event on February 16th, the recording is available on our website (<https://www.ttsschools.org/Page/2830>) under the Announcement section .

In order to enroll your child for kindergarten they **MUST be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2022**. Parents/Guardians will need their child’s birth certificate, proof of address (rental agreement/mortgage document, utility bill or property tax statement) and immunization record to complete the enrollment.

Check our website for the most recent information on kindergarten registration.

Sign up for Kindergarten & TTSD Pre-K



TTSD Welcomes The Class of 2035



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Kinder_PreK flyer 2022 English.pdf

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Kinder_PreK flyer 2022 Spanish.pdf

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Volunteer Sign Up Information

We love our volunteers and want you to be informed. Please check the [volunteer page](#) for the most up-to-date information.

Any community member or parent volunteer, must fill out a Volunteer application which includes a background check and completion of a confidentiality and volunteer expectation statement. This can be found by logging into www.helpcounter.net/ttsd.

TTSD IS NOW ACCEPTING EXCEPTIONS FOR VOLUNTEERS

ALL NON-VACCINATED VOLUNTEERS MUST HAVE AN APPROVED EXCEPTION ON FILE WITH THE DISTRICT

ADDITIONALLY, volunteers with an exception on file will be required to:

- *Wear a mask while on TTSD property OR;*
- *Be given a rapid test at the time and location of their volunteer assignment.*

If you have a **vaccination exception**, please fill out the form that applies to you- [Religious](#) or [Medical](#) and submit to the following link- [TTSD Volunteer Exception Documentation](#)

Attendance

To report your student's absence please call our attendance line, 503-431-4470, or send an email to deercreekparent@ttsd.k12.or.us.

PSO information

Bowling at Langers - June 20

Langers Entertainment Center in Sherwood is supporting Deer Creek PSO on their "Make a Difference Monday"! 100% of bowling and shoe rental sales will be donated to PSO. What a great way to kick off summer! Hours are 3pm-10pm.



School Supply Kits for 2022-2023

PSO has partnered with Bright SchoolKitz to provide a one-stop-shop for next year's school supplies for any family who prefers the convenience. The kits get shipped directly to the school and PSO will distribute them to your student's teacher at the Supply Drop-off Event. **Get \$5 off per kit if you [order here](#) before June 16.** Order before July 22 in order to get free shipping to the school.

[Please note: any difference in brand names between the kits and the lists have been approved by the teaching staff.]

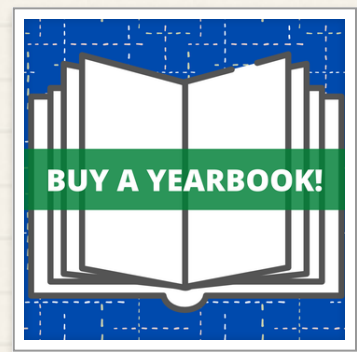
Bright SchoolKitz website: <https://www.brightschoolkitz.com/Store/School/38102>

To view Deer Creek's supply lists, go here: <https://tinyurl.com/supplylists20222023>



Missed the Yearbook Order Deadline?

Yearbooks will be here any day! We have a limited number of extra copies available for sale on the [PSO website](#) for \$25 each.



Have a great summer!

PSO wishes all our families a safe and fun summer filled with lots of great memory-making! Stay connected with us through [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and our [website](#) for updates and information.



Community Opportunities

CORE SUMMER DANCE CAMPS	
JUNE 27-30	ENCANTO CAMP HIP HOP / JAZZ / MUSICAL THEATER AGES 5-10YRS, 9AM-12PM \$130/weekend \$150 all-in
JULY 18-21	POPSTARS CAMP HIP HOP / TUMBLING / JAZZ AGES 5-10YRS, 9AM-12PM \$130/weekend \$150 all-in
JULY 29-31	ADVANCED INTENSIVE BALLET / CONDITIONING / JAZZ / TUMBLING / LEAPS AGES 12+, 9AM-12PM \$130/weekend \$150 all-in
AUG 1-4	ENCANTO CAMP HIP HOP / JAZZ / MUSICAL THEATER AGES 5-10YRS, 9AM-12PM \$130/weekend \$150 all-in

Core Summer Dance Camps

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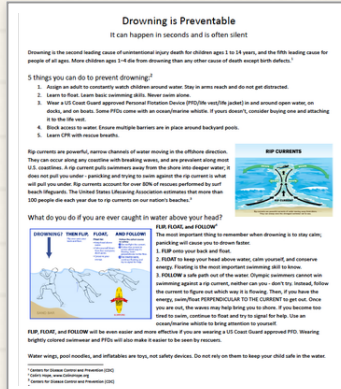
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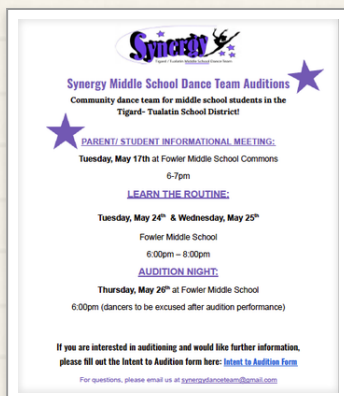
Mariners Grand Slam Camps



Water Safety



Tualatin Youth Football



Synergy Middle School Dance Team Auditions

See the flyer for full details.



GF Men's Basketball Camps

June 27-30 Youth Camp - see the flyer for full details.



2022 Tualatin Girls Hoop Camp

July 12-15 - see the flyer for full details.



Summer Day Camps

See the pdf below.



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Youth Fencing Camps 2022



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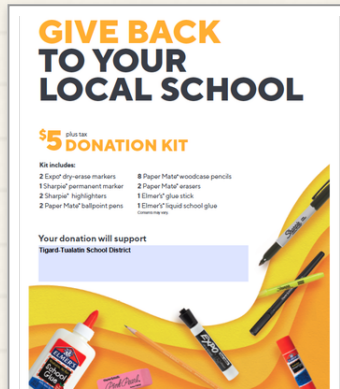
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Infinity Golf Summer Camps

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Staples School Supply Kit

For your \$5 or more Donation you get a box of 19 school favorite supplies, valid at ANY Staples, now until school begins.

Your donation supports Tigard-Tualatin School Supply Backpack program. While supplies last!



Mike's Drive In Ice Cream



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Cuando abra el correo electrónico del boletín semanal, haga clic en el boletín. Se abrirá en una nueva página. En la parte superior derecha hay un botón que dice "traducir". Puede elegir el idioma que prefiera y le traducirá el boletín semanal.

Interpretation Services

If you need interpretation services, please call our English Language Learner (ELL) Department at: (503)431-4123 (English)

Si necesita servicios de intérprete, favor de llamar al Departamento de Aprendizaje del Idioma Inglés (ELL) al: (503)431-4123 (Spanish)

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若您需要語言翻譯服務，請聯絡我們的英語學習部門(ELL)，電話：(503)431-4123。(Chinese)

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Flyer for Parents in 10 languages for interpretation services
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