

The Ram Report

February 21, 2025

IMPORTANT DATES

Now - 3/30: AI's Garden Hanging Basket Vouchers Fundraiser

2/26: No School; Teacher Planning Day

2/28: Glow Bingo Night; 5:30-7:30pm

3/3: Boundary Change Meeting at Deer Creek; 6:30pm

3/3-3/7: Spirit Week

3/3-3/14: Read-a-thon

3/4: Boundary Change Meeting at Mary Woodward; 6:30pm

3/8: OBOB Regionals

3/9: Spring Forward, set clocks ahead 1 hour

3/10: PSO Meeting; 6:00pm

3/12: Scholastic Book Fair; 8:00am-4:00pm

3/13: Scholastic Book Fair; 8:00am-4:00pm

3/15: Scholastic Book Fair; 8:00am-7:30pm

3/14: STREM Night; 5:30-7:30pm

3/18: Art Rutkin Attendance Boundary Input Session; 6:00pm

3/19: Dine Out Night; Sultan the Flaming Tandoor 5:30-7:30pm

3/24-3/28: No School; Spring Break

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Message from Mr. Kingery

Hello Art Rutkin Families,

We hope that you are all enjoying the break from some of the cold and wintery weather recently. I think everyone at school is ready for spring and warmer temperatures. We have some fun family events coming up.

Family Bingo Night - Feb. 28th

Next Friday, Feb. 28th, is our Family Bingo Night here at school from 5:30-7:30. Please RSVP if you plan to attend. See more information in this newsletter.

STREAM Night - March 14th

We will have a family STREAM Night on March 14th. If you would like to help support a science, technology, reading, engineering, art or math station/activity during this evening event please contact our office, or our PSO. Several of our teachers will be at this event too!

Potential TTSD Boundary Adjustment

Please be sure to read the parent message that went out yesterday regarding potential additions to our attendance area. TTSD understands that boundary changes have a significant impact on families. There are several opportunities for the community to provide feedback to ensure that all voices are heard. **There will be community input meetings on March 3 at Deer Creek, and again on March 4 at Mary Woodward (both at 6:30 pm), TTSD staff will host community sessions where families can learn more about the boundary change options and offer input.** Art Rutkin families are welcome to attend either of these sessions. There will also be an input survey coming out to families soon.

Safety Reminder:

Please remember to drive slowly and be patient while driving through the school parking lots during arrival and dismissal times each day. We want everyone to start and end their day safely. This is also a reminder for students to exit and enter cars from the curb side (passenger side) of your vehicles when in the car lines. Thank you for helping us keep everyone safe in our parking lots.

With Gratitude,

Mr. Kingery

Mrs. Megowan's PE News



We are excited to announce that Mrs. Megowan, will be sharing monthly newsletters with all families! These newsletters will keep you informed about what your children are learning in PE, fitness tips, and fun ways to stay active at home. It's a great way to stay connected and support your child's physical health and well-being. **Click here for the latest edition.**



Incoming Kindergarten Registration Open

2025-2025 KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

A child must be 5 years old on or before September 1, 2025 to enter Kindergarten for the 2025-2026 school year. **Please click here to register**

READ-A-THON SPIRIT WEEK
Let's celebrate **READING** and our **LOVE** of **BOOKS!**

WEEK OF MARCH 3 - 7, 2025

MONDAY 3/3	TUESDAY 3/4	WEDNESDAY 3/5	THURSDAY 3/6	FRIDAY 3/7
FAVORITE BOOK CHARACTER Dress up as your favorite character! 	ODD SOCKS Wear your silliest socks! 	PURPLICIOUS DAY Wear PURPLE (Art Rutkin spirit wear counts!) 	HAT DAY Wear your favorite hat! 	LLAMA LLAMA RED PAJAMA DAY Wear your pjs or cozy clothes!

Art Rutkin Multicultural Night

Save the Date:
Thursday, May 22nd
5:00 - 7:00 pm

Celebrating Diversity, Building Unity.





Join us for the Community Budget Advisory Meetings

TTSD Community Budget Advisory Meetings are comprised of TTSD staff, students, parents and community members. Childcare and interpretation service is available and light refreshments will be served during the meeting from 5:30 to 7:30 PM.

If you are interested in joining these meetings please complete the **Community Budget Workgroup Registration Form** (**Registro en español**) or contact Lisa Burton **lburton@ttsd.k12.or.us** or call 503-431-4098

Meeting Dates

- **Wednesday, February 12th, 2025** at Fowler Middle School 10865 SW Walnut St. Tigard
- **Wednesday, February 26th, 2025** at TTSD Training Center 9550 SW Murdock St. Tigard
- **Thursday, March 6th, 2025** at Byrom Elementary School 21800 SW 91st Ave. Tualatin
- **Wednesday, March 19th, 2025** at TTSD Training Center 9550 SW Murdock St. Tigard

PSO Newsletter - 2/7/25

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SR&R Handbook

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Activity & Community Flyers

Lunch menus found here

Information for Club K

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

[Art Rutkin Elementary website](#)

[Art Rutkin Elementary newsletters](#)

[Club K website](#)

[Elementary Schools Boundary Map](#)

[TTSD job postings](#)

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