

The Ram Report

June 6, 2025

IMPORTANT DATES

6/11: 5th grade promotion; 9:00-9:30am

6/11: 5th grade Fun Day

6/12: Last day of school; 11:15am dismissal

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Message from Mr. Kingery

Hello Art Rutkin Ram Families,

We were excited to have our first Amazing Race field day today. A big thank you to Bettina Megowan, our PE teacher, and Amy McKean, our music teacher, who worked together with our volunteers to put on another successful event at Art Rutkin this year. We appreciate all the volunteer support! Field day was a great success because of how many wonderful volunteers helped at each station, and also with cleaning up. Thank you to everyone who contributed to the fun this morning.

2025-2026 Family Social - Tuesday, June 10th at 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Our school is very excited to welcome so many new families to Art Rutkin Elementary as a result of the recent school boundary change. We are inviting our Art Rutkin families to help meet and greet families who will be new to our school community starting this fall. We hope to see many of the families transitioning from Mary Woodward and Deer Creek Elementary Schools on Tuesday after school. This is a social time entirely out on the field and playground areas. It may be a bit warm that afternoon so remember to bring plenty of water if your family is able to join us.

FTTS and Art In The Burbs

The Foundation for Tigard-Tualatin Schools (FTTS), and Art In The Burbs deserve big thank yous as well. The funding from FTTS and Art In The Burbs supported STEAM learning and another community art project. FTTS funds supported \$1,200 worth of STEAM learning materials in our makerspace. All of our classes enjoyed time in our makerspace with the materials several times this spring. Art in the Burbs funds were used to bring in an artist in residence to support all our students and staff creating the grid art project of the Art Rutkin Oak Tree. You can see this art project on the wall across from the makerspace. Thank you to everyone who donated to FTTS and supported Art in the Burbs this year.

Last Day of School - Reminder

Thursday, June 12th, will be an early release for all elementary students at 11:15 AM. Breakfast will be served as usual. A “grab and go” lunch for students is available for those families who request lunch on the last day. Lunch must be ordered in advance through your child’s teacher or our school office. Here are the release times for elementary, middle and high schools on June 14th.

11:15 a.m. Elementary School

12:05 p.m. Middle School

12:55 p.m. High School

We hope you all enjoy this sunny weekend ahead.

With Gratitude,
Mr. Kingery

End of year changes in lunch menu

There will be a change to the school's lunch menu for the last two weeks. 6/11 will be a Brunch for Lunch instead of pizza. Chicken Nuggets may not be served on both 06/02 and 06/09 like the menu shows.



LOST & FOUND

We have a few things in our lost and found. Feel free to stop by and look through it to see if you find anything that looks familiar! Anything unclaimed by June 19th will be donated to the Caring Closet.



HEALTH ROOM MEDICATIONS

Please remember to pick up any medication that your student has in the health room. Medication will be kept for five days after the last day of school. After June 19th, medications will be discarded per district policy. Office hours are 7:30-3:30.

2025-2026 Approved School Calendar

The school board has approved the school calendar for 2025-2026. It's located here and on our website under fast links. **[2025-2026 Approved School Calendar](#)**



Juneteenth 2025 Celebration

Join us in **Celebrating African American Freedom** with live entertainment, food, and music!

Date: Saturday, June 14th, 2025 **3PM-6PM**

Location: Cook Park 17005 SW 92nd Ave. Tigard OR 97224

- Live performances and music
- Delicious food and community fun

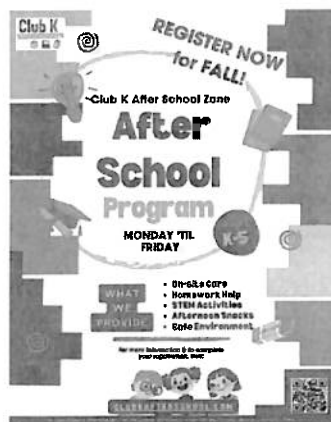
All are welcome!

Learn more: www.tigard-or.gov/juneteenth or sign up to volunteer

Oregon Safe Routes to Schools Caregiver Survey

TTSD Community,

Please take a moment to complete the Safe Routes to Schools Caregiver Survey to help us determine travel habits and safety concerns around getting to and from school. [Oregon Safe Routes to School Caregiver Survey](#)



Club K - Registering for Fall Now!

Club K provides On-site Care, Homework Help, STEM Activities, Afternoon Snacks & a Safe Environment.

Club K After School Program is now registering for fall. Scan the QR code on the flyer or [click here to register](#).

PSO Newsletter - 6/6/25

Shop for Spirit Wear here

SR&R Handbook

Click here for Volunteer Info

Activity & Community Flyers

Lunch menus found here

Information for Club K

IMPORTANT WEBSITES

[Art Rutkin Elementary website](#)

[Art Rutkin Elementary newsletters](#)

[Club K website](#)

[TTSD job postings](#)

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