

FREEMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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SCOTTIE SCOOP



UPCOMING DATES

- APR 18 2:00pm = FMS Musical Performance (FHS MPR)
- APR 21 2:45-4:00pm = Fit for Bloomsday (Big Playground)
- APR 22 2:45-4:00pm = Girl Scouts (Community Classroom)
2:45-4:00pm = 4th Grade Math is Cool (Small Conf.)
2:45-4:00pm = 5th Grade Math is Cool (Lrg. Conf.)
- APR 23 8:15am-1:00pm = Class/Spring Ind. Photos
1:00-6:00pm = TK/Kindergarten Roundup (FES Gym)
2:45-4:00pm = Fit for Bloomsday (Big Playground)
- APR 27 No School (Professional Development Day)
6:00-8:00pm = FSD Board Meeting (PRTC)
- APR 28 2:45-4:00pm = Fit for Bloomsday (Big Playground)
- APR 29 2:45-4:00pm = Girl Scouts (Community Classroom)
2:45-4:00pm = 4th Grade Math is Cool (Small Conf.)
2:45-4:00pm = 5th Grade Math is Cool (Lrg. Conf.)
- APR 30 2:45-4:00pm = Fit for Bloomsday (Big Playground)

DANCE CENTER OF SPOKANE

Dance Center of Spokane brought another amazing performance to our school today! Thank you for bringing Cinderella to life for our elementary school students. You all did a great job and it was so entertaining. Thank you Kaela Holm for the connection to this great program.



BOOK FAIR WRAP UP!

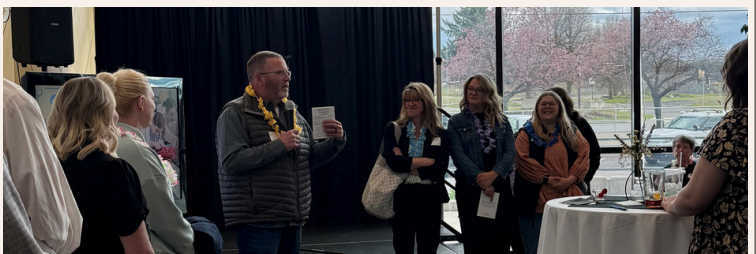
Thank you to all the families that came out to support the library and put books in the children's hands. Special thanks to parent volunteers - we could not do it without you!

If your student still has Scholastic e-wallet funds they will be converted to an e-gift certificate and may be used to shop online at scholastic.com. Be sure to select Featured on the menu for easy shopping and check out Award Winners, Best Books of the Year, Interests, and Raise A Reader tabs. Use the link below to continue to purchase books and support Freeman!

[FREEMAN BOOK FAIR LINK](#)

THANK YOU HAGEN FOUNDATION!

Last night several of our staff attended the Hagan Foundation Opportunities Reception. Our preschool through High School Special Education program, represented by Stacey Rawson and Hannah Attridge, received two grants. Both grants will continue to help us support and develop every student at Freeman through inclusive tools and programs to promote independence and individualized growth. Mrs. Gady (K/1 Multiage Class) received a grant for Scottie-Bots to help build young coders through problem solving and technology. Mr. Neely in our Middle School received a grant to launch our first student-led yearbook program! Congratulations and thank you for working to bring new and exciting things to Freeman students.



EXTRA ACTIVITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES!

See attached flyers for more information!

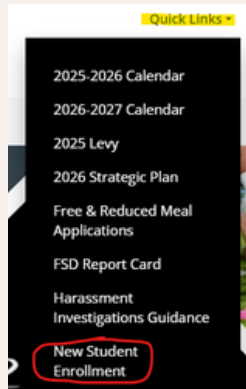
- *FMS "High School Musical" Musical
- *MOD Pizza Fundraiser

- *Scared Heart Superhero (Spirit Week Dress Up days!)
- *Class of 2026 Donut Fundraiser
- *Run the Palouse Fun Run
- *Solar Panel Project Update

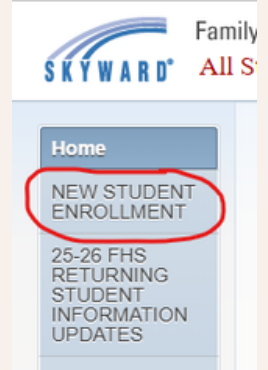
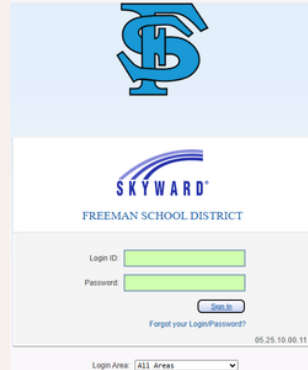
Enrollment for the 2026-2027 school year is now open for Transition to Kindergarten (TTK), Kindergarten and New Students on March 1st. Please note, Transition to Kindergarten students must be 4 on August 31, 2026 or earlier and Kindergarten students must be 5 on August 31, 2026 or earlier. Please call the FES Office to schedule your TTK and Kindergarten Roundup time (509) 291-4791. ****If you have a current TTK student, he/she does not need to go through Roundup, nor do they need to re-enroll.****

NEW STUDENT ENROLLMENT (any school)

If your family is new to our district, please go to our website: www.freemansd.org to enroll your student for next year. Find Quick Links, then choose New Student Enrollment or use the **Register Now!** link.



Already at Freeman? Please log in through Family Access to enroll your new student. See images.



TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN (TK)/KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP

2026-2027 Incoming Transition to Kindergarten and new Kindergarten families, please check your e-mail for more information regarding the upcoming TK/K Roundup. If you have any questions or would like to schedule your Roundup time slot, please call the FES Office at (509) 291-4791. If you have not received information regarding TK or Kindergarten yet, please also reach out to the office and we will get you on the distribution list.

FREEMAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

TTK & KINDERGARTEN ROUNDUP!

APRIL 23

1:00 - 6:00PM

Call to Schedule Your Appointment!

509-291-4791

FUNDRAISING

RAISE SOME DOUGH

Bring in this flyer, or order online through the MOD app or website, to use the fundraiser code provided and MOD will donate 25% of your bill to support your school!

JOIN MOD IN SUPPORTING

ORGANIZATION NAME: FREEMAN PTSG

FUNDRAISER DATE: APRIL 24, 2026

ADDRESS: 3104 E PALOUSE HWY
SPOKANE, WA 99223

FUNDRAISER CODE: MODGIVES25

Offer valid only on the date(s) and at the MOD location identified on this flyer. Offer valid for dine-in, takeout, or delivery when ordered through the MOD app or website only. For online or in-app orders, please use the code provided by GroupRaise. For delivery, customer must live within delivery boundary. Only nonprofit organizations and nonprofit schools are eligible to participate in the MOD fundraising program. MOD will donate 25% of food and beverage sales to the organization. Tax, gift cards, and retail sales are excluded from the donation. Offer void if the flyer is distributed in or near the restaurant. For more information about fundraising, visit <https://modpizza.com/fundraisers/>

ELEMENTARY
BREAKFAST: \$2.20
ADULTS: \$3.20

20	Breakfast Cookie ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Craisins Chocolate Milk White Milk	21	Breakfast Pizza ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Craisins Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	22	Cherry Strudel Cereal & Goldfish Fresh Orange Chocolate Milk White Milk	23	Pancake & Sausage Pancake Syrup ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Banana Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	24	Biscuit Omelet ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Banana Chocolate Milk White Milk
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ELEMENTARY
LUNCH: \$3.60
ADULTS: \$5.00

20	Assorted Pizza ----- Chicken Caesar Wrap ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	21	Chicken Alfredo ----- Chicken Caesar Wrap ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	22	Chicken Tenders Dinner Roll WG ----- Italian Wrap ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	23	Totchos Apple Churro ----- Bento Box ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	24	Chicken Burger ----- Honey Mustard Ham Wrap ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk
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Please click on this [BREAKFAST MENU LINK](#) or this [LUNCH MENU LINK](#) if you would like to see full April menus from our website.



Just a reminder: Please do not pack any caffeinated or energy drinks in your students' lunch.

SCOTTIE GEAR YEAR AROUND

The PTSG has opened an online store where you can purchase Freeman Gear all year long. The company is called BCI Creative. Check it out! The link is below!

[PTSG Online Store](#)

THANK YOU FRED MEYER FAMILIES

If you shop at Frey Meyer you can connect your account with Freeman. A percentage supports Freeman Elementary! This is a very easy community program to help support surrounding schools.



Dear Freeman Elementary School (VF893),

The Kroger Co. Family of Stores is committed to bringing hope and help to the local neighborhoods we call home. Our stores are on a mission to not just part of, but to help create a stronger community. We recognize that every community has unique causes that need support. Thank you for being such an important organization in our community.

We encourage you to ask your supporters to link their rewards card to your organization. Community Rewards is easy to use. The more your supporters shop with us, the more money your organization will earn!

We are committed to carefully protecting our customer's personal information. In order to meet their expectation of privacy, we have adopted a simple policy to never share a customer's personal information. Our privacy policy applies to Community Rewards participation as well.

Thank you for being such an important organization in our community.

Community Rewards Staff

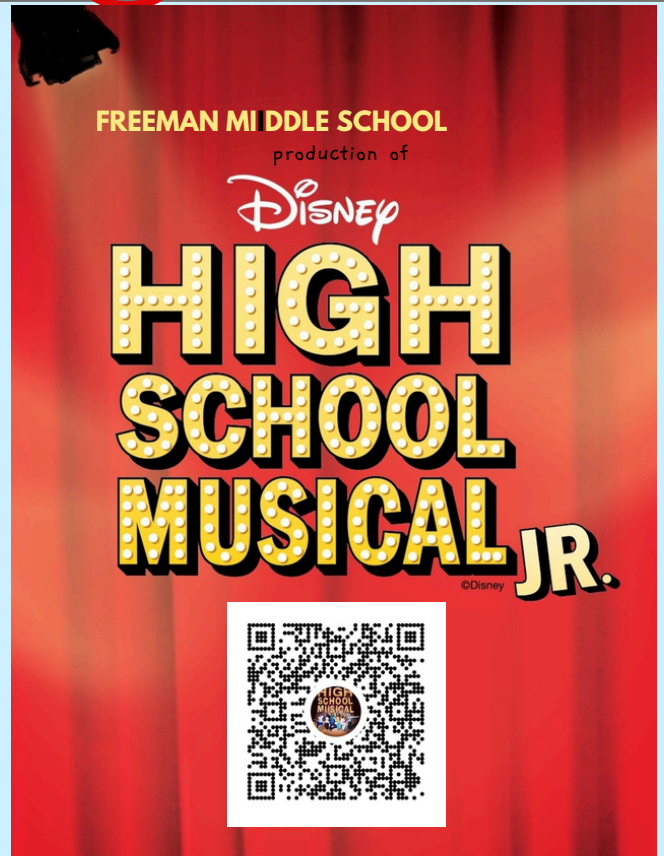
01-Jan-2026 to 31-Mar-2026

95

Households

\$ 311.55

Total Donations



COUNSELING CORNER



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The Importance of Trying New Things

Trying new things can feel scary, but it's the only way we can discover what we love and what we're good at. Encourage your child to step out of their comfort zone and give something new a try.

Try This: Pick a new recipe to cook together, or try a new park or playground you've never been to before.

CLASS OF 26' DONUT SALE

FRIDAY

MAY 1ST

DURING
SCHOOL
DROP OFF

DONUTS FOR ONLY \$2
ALL FUNDS GO TO THE CLASS OF 26'
SENIOR ALL NIGHTER
CASH ONLY & EXACT CHANGE
APPRECIATED

GRAB A TREAT, SUPPORT A GREAT CAUSE,
AND MAKE YOUR FRIDAY SWEETER!

RUN THE PALOUSE 2026

Run the Palouse is a 5K/1 Mile Fun Run put on by the FHS Cross Country Team. All ages and skill levels are welcome, from walkers to competitive runners. Proceeds benefit Freeman High School Cross Country.

RUN OR WALK

**1 MILE
OR 5K**

LOCATION:
Freeman High School

RACE TIMES:
1 Mile - 9:30am
5K - 9:50am

LATE REGISTRATION:
After April 30:
1 Mile - \$30, 5K - \$35

DATE:
Saturday, May 16th

EARLY REGISTRATION:
Before April 30:
1 Mile - \$25, 5K - \$30

T-SHIRT:
Included if registered
by April 30

REGISTER NOW

QUESTIONS: runthepalouse@gmail.com

TECHNOLOGY CORNER

EES-FAMILY SURVEY

The EES-Family Survey will open on Monday, March 30th.

- *Scan the QR code to the right.
- *Choose your language preference on the opening page of the survey.
- *Select your child's school. If you have children in multiple schools, complete one survey per school.
- *Complete the survey and click submit.



Opt-In from
your mobile
now!



Just send "Y"
or "Yes" to
67587.

Information on SMS text messaging and Short Codes: SMS stands for Short Message Service and is commonly referred to as a "text message". Most cell phones support this type of text messaging. Our notification provider, SchoolMessenger, uses a true SMS protocol developed by the telecommunications industry specifically for mass text messaging, referred to as "short code" texting. This method is fast, secure and highly reliable because it is strictly regulated by the wireless carriers and only allows access to approved providers.

If you've ever sent a text vote for a TV show to a number like 46999, you have used short code texting.

*Terms and Conditions: Message frequency varies. Standard message and data rates may apply. Reply HELP for help. Text STOP to cancel. Mobile carriers are not liable for delayed or undelivered messages. See

FMS AND FHS NEWSLETTERS

Want to find out what's going on in the Middle School and/or High school? Check out their weekly newsletters as well!

[Freeman Middle Scoop](#)
[FHS Friday Flyer](#)

Linewize | Qustodio

TEAMWORK MADE EASY

App for Parents & Families

Technology makes a direct impact on children, their families, and their learning environment. For children to learn and grow as digital citizens in our increasingly connected world, we must first lay out the foundations of online safety, digital literacy, and wellbeing.

Through our school district's partnership with Linewize, our online safety and wellbeing provider, we are able to extend visibility and safeguarding controls on to parents and guardians.

Visibility on student activity and device insights

Security coverage for in and out-of-school hours

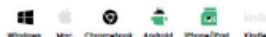
Expert advice and guidance on digital threats and trends

Pause button to regulate digital activity

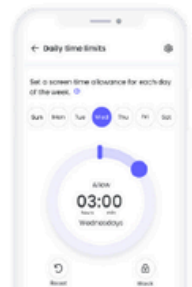
Parents and guardians can also extend protection to personal devices with family-focused digital wellbeing features that adapt to different needs as their child grows:

- Filter and block feature for content and apps
- Location tracking and panic button feature
- Visibility on browsing history, social media, and screen time
- Calls & messages tracking to monitor suspicious activity
- Time limits and screen-free schedules
- Tailored reports and alerts for inappropriate content

Works on the following devices:



Multi-parent access and management available



Qustodio is COPPA compliant and does not share personal data with third parties.



How to get started

1. Scan the QR code or visit qustodio.com/my-school
2. Create your account using the email address your school has on file
3. Get real-time visibility

For any queries, contact us at myschool@qustodio.com



**CALLING ALL
HEROES!**



SUPERHEROES FOR KIDS SPIRIT WEEK





Get ready to dress up and show your spirit
in honor of Superheroes for Kids Day at
Sacred Heart Children's Hospital

APRIL 28TH - MAY 1ST



Tuesday: Batman / Blackout
Wednesday: Neon / The Flash
Thursday: Invisible / Camo
Friday: Captain America / USA



SOLAR PROJECT PROGRESS UPDATE

Current Status

Construction is going smoothly this first week. They will be working all this week and likely start to install panels towards the end of next week.

Coordination & Safety

The crew has been working closely with Freeman maintenance and transportation crew to ensure safety and minimal interruption to Freeman day-to-day operations.



Highlights of the Project:

1. The ground mount solar panels will produce 100 kW of power and are located east of the transportation building
2. The project is 100% grant funded and comes at NO cost to district or tax payers.
3. This alternative energy source will allow us to reinvest utility costs back into student programs.

