



Upcoming Events and Calendar Dates

Saturday, May 20th

- Kinder Meet and Greet 11-12 on Playground

Sunday, May 21st

- Garden Work Party 10-12

Friday, May 26th

- Principal's Coffee Hour meet.google.com/odr-xgja-zwo

Monday, May 29th

- Memorial Day- No School

Tuesday, May 30th

- Spring Book Fair Begins

Saturday, June 3rd

- Vernon Owl Fest 3-7PM

Each Spring Vernon staff begin the process of forming classes for the coming school year. Information from homeroom and support teachers about each student's progress, skill levels, special needs, social and emotional characteristics, and learning styles is considered in determining appropriate placement. Our goal is balanced classrooms that help increase the chances of students reaching their full potential.

This form gives you the opportunity as parent/guardian to express your thoughts and to contribute to the process of class placement. We ask that you do not request a particular teacher, but instead let us know what type of classroom environment would suit your child's needs best.

Parents/guardians may complete our class placement form by the end of the day, Friday, May 26th. Our classroom, specials, counselors, and support teachers all work together to help make the best placement we can. Mr. Keefer and Mrs. Earle make the final decisions for class placements.

Click on this [link](#) in order to fill out the parent input survey.

Lost and found items will be available for anyone who wants what is on the racks this week. We have held onto items for quite some time. We are at the point of giving them away to anyone who wants them. After this week they will be washed and donated to a clothing closet. Come give our lost items a new home!



Hey Vernon Students + Families,

We want you to join us in celebrating this awesome school year at Owl Fest next month!



\$5 Wristbands for Unlimited Giant Bounce Slide + Obstacle Course, Booth Games, Tug o War, and more!

Food Vendors

Fuego Burritos + Bowls
Stoopid Burger
Kulfi Popsicles
Kona Shave Ice
Nico's Ice Cream (3:00-5:00)
Sugar Cloud (5:00-7:00)

Fundraising + Silent Bid

Raffle Tickets with Prizes
Classroom Art Projects
Restaurant Gift Cards
Local Experiences
Principal for a Day
Night at Hogwarts

Entertainment Provided by the Vernon Parent Band!

Calling All Volunteers

We need help from our incredible community to pull this off - here are a few ways you can help:

- Set Up or Clean Up Crew
- Lead a booth game at the event
- Sell wristbands and raffle tickets before or during the event
- Manage the line at the bounce slide
- Help kids into and out of the obstacle course
- Call the winner at tug o war
- Help people check out at the end of the silent bid
- Work the Owl Fest Merch table

[Sign Up Here](#) on Sign Up Genius or check this week's Owl Post to see the full list of available jobs and join the volunteer team today!

We are still acquiring items for the silent bid - if your family or business would like to donate items, experiences, services, or gift certificates, we would love to include them in our fundraising efforts. Email vernonpta@gmail.com to contribute.

Here are examples of items donated by Vernon families in previous years:

- Time at Vacation Home
- Hosting a Dinner Party
- Cooking Class
- Fitness Class
- Canning Class
- Boat Ride + BBQ
- Garden Design

Hey Kids -

YOU'RE INVITED!



WHAT

DID YOU KNOW?

You can watch or march in the Portland Rose Festival Fred Meyer Junior Parade! It's the nation's **OLDEST** and **LARGEST** kids parade, and **YOU** are invited! It's **FREE AND OPEN TO EVERYONE**, age 12 and under!

WHEN

WEDNESDAY June 7th, 2022 - 1:00pm
Meet up at the corner of NE 52nd & Sandy Blvd. starting at noon for some fun entertainment and decorations ready for you to use!

HOW

KIDS, THIS IS YOUR PARADE!

Grab your family and some friends and march (or watch!) this parade through Portland's historic Hollywood District - decorate a bike, trike, scooter, wagon, stick-horse, pogo-stick or dress up to **celebrate kids in Portland!**



rosefestival.org
FOR MORE INFORMATION!

We can't wait to see you there!



 Fred Meyer

**Junior
Parade**
Wednesday
**June 7,
2023**

Hola, chicos

¡ESTA ES UNA INVITACIÓN PARA USTEDES!



QUÉ

¿SABÍAN?

¡Pueden mirar o marchar en el Desfile de Portland Rose Festival de Fred Meyer! Es el desfile para niños más **ANTIGUO** y más **GRANDE** de la nación, y ¡todos **USTEDES** están invitados! ¡Es **GRATIS** y todos los niños menores de 12 años pueden **PARTICIPAR!**

CUÁNDO

MIÉRCOLES, 7 de junio de 2023-1:00 p. m.

¡Nos vemos en la esquina de NE 52nd & Sandy Blvd. al mediodía para algo de entretenimiento divertido y con decoraciones listas para que ustedes las puedan usar!

CÓMO

CHICOS, ¡ESTE DESFILE ES DE USTEDES!

Traigan a su familia y a algunos amigos para desfilas (¡o mirar!) a través del histórico distrito Hollywood de Portland. ¡Decoran una bicicleta, un triciclo, un escúter, un caballo de palo, un palo de saltos o disfrácese para **celebrar a los niños de Portland!**



¡VISITEN

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PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN!

¡Tenemos muchas ganas de verlos allí!



100th ANNIVERSARY
Fred Meyer
1922 - 2022

Junior Parade

Miércoles
7 de
junio
de 2023



FOR YOUTH DEVELOPMENT®
FOR HEALTHY LIVING
FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

LEARN. GROW. THRIVE.

YMCA Before and After School Programs

At the YMCA students can extend their school learning beyond the bell in a safe, enriching environment. As we operate out of Portland Public School Buildings we have the opportunity to partner with schools and offer a well-rounded and consistent school experience.

OPEN REGISTRATION

Tuesday, May 30 | 7AM

YMCA OF COLUMBIA-WILLAMETTE
9500 SW Barbur Blvd. Ste. 200
Portland, OR 97219
503.654.5437 | central@ymcacw.org





- * Enjoy summer fun activities
- * Prepare to be successful in high school
- * Meet your teachers and classmates
- * Explore different career pathways
- * Earn .5 high school elective credit

LEAP INTO 9TH GRADE

JULY 17 - AUGUST 4, 2023

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

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- "I know the school now and met some teachers."
- "I won't get so lost on my first day. This school is like a maze!"
- "I got better at math because that is my worst subject."
- "I made some friends before school starts so I will know some people."



9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

QUESTIONS? Talk to your counselor
or call (503) 916-5180
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