

The District Buzz

10/10/2018

CMHS NEWS

Principal Haro's Corner

Good Afternoon,

This morning we administered the PSAT to all of our juniors and sophomores. We encourage all of our students to keep an open mind and “try on” different ideas for their future. Therefore, we have field trips to businesses that are organized by the ESD as well as school staff. We also encourage our students to take field trips to college campuses to help them get familiar with college life. Additionally, we have guest speakers that are from trades, professional occupations and are available to answer questions from students to help peak their interest to explore different career options.

The article below from the Princeton Review discusses more about the PSAT:

About the PSAT Test

The PSAT/NMSQT is the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. The PSAT is a great primer for the SAT, and even the ACT, but it's more than just a trial run. PSAT scores are used to identify National Merit Scholars and award merit scholarships. More than 3.4 million high school students (mostly juniors and sophomores) take this nationwide, multiple-choice test every year.

PSAT Quick Facts

Frequency	1 time/year
Duration	2 hours, 45 minutes
Sections	Math, Evidence-Based Reading & Writing
Cost	Fees are paid by schools
Max. Score	1520

What is the PSAT and why is it important?

The PSAT won't count towards your college admissions applications, but it is the qualifying test for the [National Merit Scholarship](#). Some of the highest scoring students may win scholarship money, so while you shouldn't stress out about the PSAT, you certainly shouldn't ignore it either. Use the PSAT as practice for the SAT and ACT and an important guidepost on your college admissions journey.

When is the PSAT?

The PSAT is offered nationally every year in October. Ask your school counselor about when your class is scheduled to take the PSAT.

What does the PSAT test?

The PSAT has two sections: Math and Evidence-Based Reading and Writing. You'll encounter passage-based questions—sometimes accompanied by tables, graphs, and charts—and math problems drawing upon algebra, geometry, and a little trig.

How is the PSAT scored?

Each section is scored on a scale of 160–760, making a “perfect” score 1520. There are also test scores, cross-test scores, and subscores.

Did I get a good PSAT score?

Good question. The highest scores and percentiles earn National Merit Recognition. But PSAT scores are also useful in determining your best prep strategies for the SAT or ACT. For a PSAT score report consultation, call us at 800-2REVIEW.

Upcoming Events

Friday, October 12th NO SCHOOL, State In-Service

Wednesday, October 22nd PICTURE RETAKES

Friday, October 26th Professional Development, ½ Day of School

Friday, November 2nd In-Service ½ Day of School

Friday, November 9th No School, Grading Day

Sports World

Wednesday, October 10th MS VB and FB @ Siletz

Wednesday, HS Volleyball vs Yoncalla/Elmira 4:00, 5:00 and 6:00

Thursday, October 11th HS Football vs Perrydale 7:00

Thursday, October 11th CC @ Salem Lv—12:30

Thursday, October 11th HS Volleyball @ McKenzie Lv—2:30

Saturday, October 13th HS Volleyball @ T-Lake

Monday, October 15th MS Volleyball @ Siletz Lv—1:15

Tuesday, October 16th SPORTS PICTURES 3:15



Mr Dixon is starting the Crow Thursday Ukuleles this coming Thursday [10/4] in the band room, from 3:30 until 5:00. No experience is necessary, you don't have to be able to read music, and there are plenty of instruments to borrow. Any 4th grader through adult may attend. The class is free but donations are welcome.

Come have fun and strum!!



Senior Project Parent Night

Tuesday, October 16th @ 6:00 pm in Mrs. Hohnstein's Room # 110. This is an information night for parents (students are welcome) regarding the Senior Project. Following a brief overview of the Project components and classes offered to provide support and guidance to students, there will be a question and answer period.

Hope to see you there



To those who came to the Band Garage Sale this last Saturday -- thank you very much!! We were able to raise over \$200 in a single day, which is excellent. We also raised another \$100+ on the guitar raffle.

It was very successful, and is a continuance of the overwhelming support that this community has shown toward the band and its historic trip to Washington DC for Veteran's Day. Quite simply, we would not be able to do this major project without the full support of the Crow-Applegate-Lorane community. The enthusiasm for the trip has been very humbling,

Our fundraising has been quite successful up to this point, and now it's our turn to step up and work for you. The CHS Band director and all band members are working very hard to make all of you proud.



Our first FFA meeting has been cancelled tonight due to home volleyball games. Watch for a future date coming soon. .

Crow Nation



Weekly Wrap-Up

Volleyball:

- **Varsity Girls** beat Oak Hill 3-0!
- **Varsity Girls** topped Mapleton 3-0!
- **JV Girls** competed well against Lowell & beat Alsea 3-0!
- **MS Girls** won their "A" team sets against T-Lake.

Football:

- **Varsity Crow @ Mohawk 12-42 Loss:** Another incredible effort by our Crow FB team. They were within 10 points the entire 3rd quarter but several bad breaks and fatigue finally caught up with them in the 4th. Great effort!
- **MS Football: Crow vs. T-Lake 24-58:** Our young Cougars made a valiant second half effort after a difficult start in their game against Triangle Lake. William Firestone led the charge scoring 3 TDs. Kyler Colwell added a TD from a Firestone pass. Jacob Dougherty had an electrifying interception return of 25 yds. Final score 24-58.

A big thank you to the following volunteers:

- Cathy Glazier
- Doug Perry
- Jodi Perry
- Paula May
- Kim Ramp
- Sam Jentsch
- Linda Lay & Jamie Peterson (Boosters)

Great News about the Applegate Panthers!

From Principal Aaron B. Brown



Let's begin with our Perfect Panthers. We are so proud of these two!

From the 5th grade: Rhianna Lane

Rhianna comes to school every day with the same amazing ability to model C.R.O.W. She cares about the people around her and thinks about how her actions could affect them. Rhianna respects all by walking quietly through the halls even if a teacher isn't there. She owns her responsibilities by asking for help when she needs it, and she follows the directions without ever being reminded. She always works for excellence by never settling for finishing something as quickly as possible. Instead, Rhianna does her absolute best every time, and if that means that she has to take it home so she can finish it on time and with her best effort, then so be it. That's just who she is and I appreciate her so much because of it. Thank you Rhianna!

--Mr. Robertson



From the 1st grade: Lylah Cooper

Lylah is our Perfect Panther this week because she is an amazing role model in first grade. She follows all of our CROW expectations every day with a happy, positive attitude. She is careful and safe, respectful, responsible, and hardworking. She loves learning new things and always does her best work.

What stands out to me most about Lylah is how thoughtful and considerate she is. She treats everyone with care and respect. She is a great helper and a kind friend to all. Lylah is quick to offer assistance wherever and whenever it is needed, and she does so in such a gentle, sincere way. I know that I can trust her with any job or task. Thank you, Lylah!

--Ms. Ledgerwood





Excitement for Enrichment

Students at Applegate Elementary School will get extra enrichment time, we have incorporated project based learning back into our school routine to broaden the spectrum of subjects our students are exposed to. We will be teaching these hands on inquiry units for two weeks every other month for forty-five minutes each day.

Project based learning is a teaching style that incorporates multiple subjects into a themed activity taught by individual teachers to a variety of grade levels; this allows for older students to get a deeper understanding of the material by helping the younger students. Another great thing about project based learning is that with all the science, social science, health, art, and technology, not to mention language arts and math standards that are required at each grade level, being able to incorporate a variety of subject matter into each lesson allows for teachers to more adequately address those standards. Each lesson has a standard attached to it to ensure that our students are indeed learning material that the standards are requiring.

For the month of October, the units will have an Autumn/harvest focus. The projects are: Weather being taught by Mrs Glenn for kindergarten through third grade, The Solar System taught by Ms. Ledgerwood for kindergarten through third grade, Webs by Mrs. Barrong for third through sixth grade, Bones by Mrs. Sparks for kindergarten through second grade, Bats by Ms. May for kindergarten through third grade, Pumpkins by Mr. Robertson for third through sixth grade, Body Systems by Mrs. Bloom for fourth through sixth grade, and Dragons by our music teacher, Mr. Dixon, for fourth through sixth grade. We feel all students will enjoy and be excited about these enrichment activities.

Upcoming EVENTS

Friday October 12th

No School (State Inservice)

Thursday, October 18th

Board Meeting @ Applegate beginning at 7:00 pm

Friday, October 19th

Northern Lights Tree Farm Field Trip

Grades K through 3 will be traveling to the Northern Lights Tree Farm for a colonial harvest day adventure. Please be looking for more information from your child's teacher.

Friday, October 26th

Half Day

Elementary students will be released at 11:50 am and high school students at 12:00 pm.

The Rural Art Center will be hosting art lessons at Applegate from 12:00 to 3:00 pm. Make a set of juggling balls and learn to juggle with Sirk, the professional juggler.

Friday, October 26th

Free Fall Harvest Festival 1st

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm @ Applegate Elementary

We are also accepting donations of unopened bags of Halloween Candy for our trick or treaters. Just send them with your students or drop them by the office.



Crow 4-H Community Club

Open House at Crow Grange

October 12 6:30 PM

Come learn more about 4-H Programs and project groups

4-H enrollment at open house

Groups for Kids K-12

If you have questions contact Jesseca Colwell 458-215-5946

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BEND IT LIKE BECKHAM (PG-13, 2003)

"Who wants to cook Aloo Gobi when you can bend a ball like Beckham?" Parminder Nagra plays an 18 year old set on playing professional women's soccer, while her orthodox Sikh parents have a different goal in mind. Stars Kiera Knightly as a best friend. (112 min) Win a pair of UO Women's Soccer tickets! Desserts by Lorane Grange.



Make Movie Night your goal with this soccer season opener. Join your neighbors, dinner at 6, followed by Perils of Pauline. Door prizes include a soccer ball, a pair of tickets to a UO Women's soccer game, a beer flight certificate for Alesong Brewing and more! Suggested donation of \$7/evening or \$35/season supports the local arts.



Wanted: High School Helpers for Half Days of Art

We are looking for a few students to help the artists and elementary students with art projects on half days. This is a good way to earn community service credit. Contact ruralartcenter@gmail.com with questions.

2018-19 Half Day of Art

FRIDAYS

3.	Make a set of juggling balls and learn to juggle with Sirk, the professional juggler.		Oct. 25
4.	Donna Crispin brings character weaving to life using yarn and simple materials. Self-portrait? Superhero?		Nov. 2
5.	Join Maria Sollo to make a variety of holiday crafts. Gifts?		Dec. 7
6.	Join Maria Sollo in making a treasure box. You will learn to decoupage with magazine cut outs and other papers.		Jan. 18
7.	To be scheduled!		Feb. 8
8.	Steam Punk Flying Contraptions. Design your own with Marianne Walker. Use light tables to transfer drawings.		Feb. 15
9.	Bring a t-shirt! Learn stenciling with Tina D! Make a design and apply it to your own t-shirt.		March 8
10.	Rope making with BJ Coleman. (We're working on the rope machine in hopes to have it ready for spring!)		May 3
11.	Stretch your sketching skills with Esteban Camacho-Steffensen, the public mural artist.		May 17
12.	Paint with acrylics on wood with Esteban Camacho-Steffensen, the public mural artist.		May 24

The Rural Art Center is pleased to present a full line up of TWELVE Half Days of Art, all on Fridays!

Join us for 3 hours of creativity with professional artists, and a healthy snack when school lets out early. (No half days on the Friday before winter or spring breaks.). Affordable at suggested donation of \$15/ afternoon. Help us plan and sign up for the series to get one session courtesy (\$130). Scholarships available. For information contact Betsy (ruralartcenter@gmail.com). Sorry, there is no bus service so children must be picked up promptly at 3PM. Thanks! Please return the tab below to Donna Willits @ Applegate Elementary with payment.

Please sign _____, grade _____ for half day on _____. I will pick up my child at _____
child's name *grade* *date*

3PM. It is ok to take photos of my child for publicity reasons. Enclosed is my check made to the Rural Art Center for \$15/session or \$130 for the whole season.

 Parent Signature _____
 Emergency Phone #