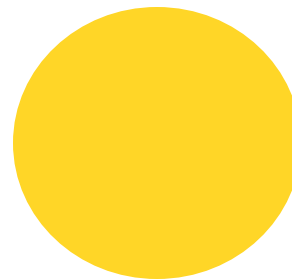
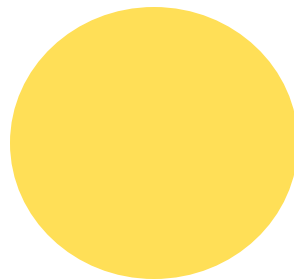
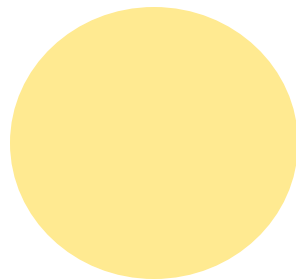


SUN Community Schools End of Year Work Session

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Making a Difference

(2008-09 Outcomes for SUN regular attendees)

Attendance

- SUN Students attended school **95%** of the time

Academics

- **75%** increased state benchmark scores in Reading
- **77%** increased state benchmark scores in Math
- **80%** improved classroom academic performance

Youth Assets

- **67%** behaved better in class
- **74%** had a more positive attitude toward school
- **94%** feel there is at least 1 thing they are good at
- **86%** knew at least one caring adult



SUN Community School Timeline

2002: Portland Children's Investment Fund levy passes

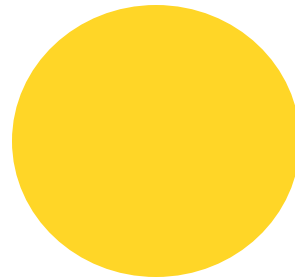
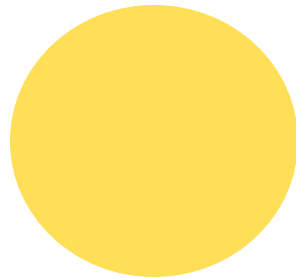
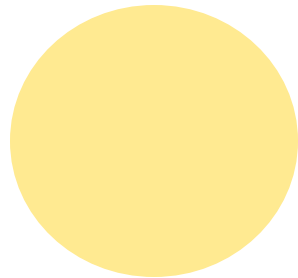
March 2004: SUN Service System implemented

Every School a SUN School



*people served in family and community social service and educational events

Selected SUN CS Financing Examples



Educational/School Sources

Alder Elementary

The School Specialist Team have flexed hours, working 8:30am to 4:30pm to enable them to offer academic support to students in the extended-day program.

Clarendon-Portsmouth, Rigler, Woodlawn, James John

At the district level, PPS partnered \$15,000 in general funds to enhance academic support in the extended-day.

Educational/School Sources

Clear Creek Middle

Faced with the possible loss of competitive sports, funds were blended to run intramural sports through the Community School.

Earl Boyles Elementary

Title 1 teachers and assistants lead an extended-day computer-based literacy and math enrichment/remediation class four days a week for students just below benchmark in grades 3-5.

Educational/School Sources

George Middle

Through building-based and central Title I funding, this Community School served 300 students each term by providing safe transportation home for approximately 40 students a day (\$6,000), supported summer programming for 60 students (\$20,000 each summer), and provided snacks and meals for SUN CS events (\$2,000).

Grout Elementary

The school leverages "Run for the Arts" funds to pay for Ethos and other art based extended-day classes.

Educational/School Sources

Lane Middle

Title I funds pay for an activity bus, on average \$3800 per SUN CS session.

Marshall High

All three principals contributed a total of \$4800 in Title I Family Involvement funds to support SUN CS family events, including Multicultural Night, Bike Fix-it Fair, College Preparation Event, Harvest Party, and Translations.

Educational/School Sources

Marysville K-8

Title I Family Involvement funds support events such as Family Write Night, Math Night, Multicultural Night, and Parent Teas. Family Write Night and monthly Parent Teas are written into both the SUN CS Annual Plan and School Improvement Plan.

Roosevelt High

Educational funding sources (\$30,000 Title I, SES funding) are aligned to provide extended-day tutoring and credit retrieval.

Educational/School Sources

Scott K-8

A Spanish family literacy event with 136 attendees was funded through a blending of Title I and SUN CS dollars.

Shaver Elementary

School-day educational assistants worked an adjusted schedule to allow them to teach extended-day academic classes. \$18,900 of Title I funds also supported six additional educational assistants in the extended-day program this year.

PTA Sources

Rigler K-8

SUN CS partnered with the PTA to sponsor the Rigler School Carnival where a silent auction was held that raised \$6,000. Half of the funds will support a year-long family nutrition program through the Community School.

Roseway Heights K-8

The PTA donates \$2,000 annually to support extended-day performing arts classes.

Higher Education Sources

Faubion K-8

A partnership with Concordia University provides tutors in the extended-day.

Lane Middle

A partnership with Reed College have brought mentorship and internship programs to Lane SUN CS.

Markham Elementary

A Partnership with PCC's America Reads program provides up to ten year-long work study staff to support SUN CS services and activities.

Faith-based Sources

Woodmere Elementary

A partnership with Mt Scott Church sends home backpacks with food to 12 families a week.

Work Session Suggestions

At your age-level table (45 min)

Talk with other schools and work on aligning & refining your schools' SIP and SUN Annual Plans.

- What are the identified priority efforts & gaps for the school next year?
- What are all the possible resources to deploy? Are there new creative ways to use resources?
- What will it take to make the plans happen ?
- Addressing required elements: advisory body, structure for collaborative referral/staffing of students, adequate space for programming, etc.

Circulate & consult (15 min)

Touch base with others



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Coming Year: Principals Mtgs at a Glance

- Late September/Early October
Collaborative Agreement Meetings
- Winter/Early Spring
Optional Principal Gathering(s)
- End of Year Work Session
Late May/June

