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THE BULLDOG BARK

Earl Boyles Elementary School | (503)256-6554 | 10822 SE Bush St., Portland, OR 97201



CALENDAR

Event Title: Food Pantry Date: 5/29, 6/5 and 6/12 Time: 5:30 PM – 7 PM Location: Cafeteria

Event Title: May Challenge Month

Date: 5/31

Time: During Recess

Location: Meet at the basketball court. Contact: Linda Nguyen, 503-505-

8340, lindamn@irco.org

Title: Assembly: Growth

Mindset/Favorite College Day/Bulldog

Visit

Date: 5/31/19 Time: 1:45 PM Location: Gym

Title: Jog-A-Thon Date: 5/31/19 Time: 2:30 PM

Location: Ron Russell Middle School

Track

Title: Marimba Festival

Date: 6/4/19 Time: 4:30 PM Location: Menlo Park

Title: Last Day for Field Trips

Date: 6/7/19

Title: Last Day for Preschool

Date: 6/11/19

Title: Last Day for Library and Music

Date: 6/12/19

Title: Last Day for Computer Lab, PE,

and Music Date: 6/13/19

Title: All Traits Award Assembly (Fun in

the Sun Day)
Date: 6/13/19
Time: 2:00 PM

Title: 5th grade Student's Promotion

Celebration Date: 6/14/19

A Message from Our Principal

Dear Families,

It's hard to believe that there are only two weeks of school left. We are working hard to finish up this year. Students are taking summative assessments and finishing their end of the year projects. 5th grade is working on transitioning to the middle school. We will have an end of the year 5th grade recognition at our Awards Assembly on Thursday, June 13 at 2:00, and a celebration on Friday, June 14 during Field Day. Some of our 5th grade families are planning this special celebration for our 5th grade students on Friday, June 14, and you will hear more about that from them, so please look for a flyer in the Wednesday folder.

As we finish this year we are already looking into next year. We have started the student placement process for next year. Students will be assigned to a classroom teacher for next year by the last day of school. As a staff we go through a thorough process to place students so classes are balanced and equitable. Please keep in mind that changes may occur over the summer based on students moving in or moving out of the area. It will be important that you double-check class lists that are posted at our Back to School Night on Thursday, August 29 at 5:30pm to see if your child's teacher has changed.

We will have some staffing changes next year. Mr. Darnell is moving to California, and Ms. AnneMarie Reyes will replace him as our PE teacher. Mr. Rey Drew, our SUN Coordinator, is moving closer to his family in Pennsylvania, and Erika Levison was appointed to take over as our SUN Coordinator starting this summer. Elaine Kristensen will be retiring after 30 years in the David Douglas School District. Sody Fearn will be taking over for her in Title 1. Both Mrs. Rauch and Mrs. Burch have decided to pursue a different path to allow them more time with their families, and Mrs. Loew will move into a third grade position. Based on our current information our classroom teacher staffing configuration for next year will be:

Preschool: Katie Nordstrom, Natalie Stemler, Andreina Velasco Kindergarten: Cynthia Casteel, Crystal LeGallo, Vickie Saula First Grade: Sara Doherty, Heather Gerritz, Karen McDonald Second Grade: Heidi Buckner/Megan Larsen, Matt Marlia Third Grade: Holly Loew, Linda Long, Deb McGowan

Fourth Grade: Fanny Bretsch, Jen DiFrances, Patrick Farinholt

Fifth Grade: Kim Graham, Kayla Thomas

Your child's report cards will be mailed home to you on, or around June 19. In that mailing you will receive a note stating your child's assigned teacher for next year. Thank you for all you have done to support your wonderful child this year. I appreciate you, and I hope you can join us at either our end of the year Awards Assembly at 2:00 on Thursday, June 13, or for Field Day on Friday, June 14 at 9:30-11:30.

Also as we come to the end of the year it is important that all fees are paid prior to the start of summer. If you owe money towards your child's lost library book, lunch account or classroom fees please make sure you put money towards that account. If you need assistance, please come see me to see what we can do to support your needs.

If I don't see you before the end of the year, I hope you all have a restful, fun summer and we look forward to seeing you at our Back to School Night on Thursday, August 29, 2019 at 5:30pm.

Warmly,

Ericka Guynes

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Title: Field Day Date: 6/14/19 Time: 9:30 AM

Title: Last Day of School

Date: 6/14/19

School Hours: 9:00 to 11:55 AM (Please

pick up your kiddos on time)

Parents United Group

Parents United Group Last Movie Night of the year -Friday, May 31st, doors open at 6pm.

NO SCHOOL ON:

• 6/17/19 – September 2019 (Summer Vacation)



SUN Corner



The last day of Spring SUN – Thursday, May 30th. July 15th-August 8th, Summer SUN - Monday-Thursday 9am-1pm at Earl Boyles. Summer SUN is free but there is no bus transportation. Please find the form in your child's Wednesday folder or in the EB main office, and turn it in as soon as possible.

Overdue Library Fees & School Expenses

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School Based Health Center

- > The David Douglas Student Health Center is located at the Health Clinic Building, which is by the Aquatic Center off of 130th. The address is 1034 SE 130th Avenue, Portland, OR 97233. The phone number is 503,988,3554.
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 They are open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday, from 7:30-3:45pm with lunch 1:20 2:00, and on Wednesday from 9:30 -5:45pm. Please check them out at the following link: https://hs.ddouglas.k12.or.us/school-based-health-center/

Multnomah County Health Centers

For youth ages 5-18 there is no cost. Even if you don't attend school, you can still get care. We have 10 locations at elementary, middle and high schools in Multnomah County. Appointments are recommended but walk-ins are welcome. Below is more information from the Multnomah County Student Health Center, can be found at the following link: https://multco.us/health/student-health-centers

Message from Title I

Families, please check your child's Wednesday folder for information from Title I. Our Parent Compact and Parent Involvement Policy are being sent home, along with a slip for you to sign and return with any feedback for these documents. If you have any questions or concerns, you can email me at elaine_kristensen@ddsd40.org or call at (503)256-6554 ext 5087 and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Thank you, Elaine Kristensen, Reading Specialist / Title I

ParentVUE Information

- > If this is your fist time accessing ParentVUE you will need to create an account for the first time.
- > Synergy ParentVUE is a tool to help families stay informed about their student's progress. This tool can be used to access your student's grades, attendance information, and also to communicate with teachers.

For more district information please go to link:

https://www.ddouglas.k12.or.us/parents/parentvue/

To Access your account or to make a new one go here:

https://parent-daviddouglas.cascadetech.org/daviddouglas/PXP2 Login.asp

➤ We have also included a ParentVue letter in your child's Wednesday folder for you to follow step-by-step directions on how to access and set up your ParentVue account. Please give us a call if you have any questions 503-256-6554.

A Message from our LIBRARIAN! Summer with Multnomah County reading program starts June 14 – Reading over the

Summer with Multnomah County reading program starts June 14 – Reading over the summer goes a long way toward maintaining reading skills so students return in the fall ready to pick up where they left off in June. Our students are all registered for the free Summer Reading game at Multnomah County Library. Look for game boards and event flyers coming home in backpacks soon. Kids who complete all levels will receive a glow-in-the-dark T-shirt this year. And each finisher has a chance to win the Grand Prize: Experience Portland Family Fun Package, with tickets to sporting events, music, museums, and more, with an overnight stay for four in a downtown hotel. One runner up from grades K-5 will also win a bike, helmet, and lock from Seven Corners! Bicycles. You can learn about the free summer reading game here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4P3nZ9Ez0gQ