



# Sunset School



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**Principal's Pad** – Tomorrow is a busy day...Actually, every day this time of year is a busy one! We are honored to be hosting a proficiency grading conference at Sunset tomorrow. All of the staff from our district will be working with similar grade levels and experts from out of our area to learn more and become more proficient at 'proficiency grading.' Our staff, for the most part, has been using some proficiency grading techniques and I'm sure many of you have noticed, particularly in the report cards and conferences, that things are a little different than when you were in school. Proficiency grading makes perfect sense to me and it fits in much more appropriately with our school wide intervention/extension model we will be using next year. Instead of getting a grade because a student is a nice person or has had great attendance, we use assessments and other evidence that lets all of us know whether or not a student is able to demonstrate the skills for each of our Common Core Standards. You, as parents, will continue to see more examples of proficiency grading through your child's educational career. If you ever have questions or would just like to talk about proficiency grading and how it's different than ways we have used grades in the past, please don't hesitate to call or stop by and I would be more than happy to share what I know and answer any questions that I can for you.

Following the conference tomorrow, we are having for the first time, a carnival planned and set up together by both Madison's PTA and Sunset's PTSA. This should be an exciting and fun opportunity for all the friends and families from both schools and I hope you are able to come and enjoy. Sunset's PTSA is a very small group of hard-working, dedicated people who work tireless hours to support our school and our local community. We are also in need of some more people in our PTSA. If you are interested, please let us know and we'd love to have you join. Thank you to both Madison's and Sunset's parents and staff to provide this fun opportunity in our neighborhood.

I hope you all are enjoying the blue skies, sunshine and 'light' breezes. Thank you for all you do and have a fantastic weekend!

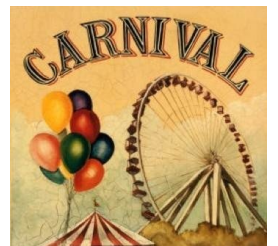
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## SPRING CARNIVAL



**May 3rd 5:30-7:30**

Sponsored by the **MADISON BOOSTER CLUB & SUNSET PTSA**. Family passes on sale now \$15.00 for up to 5 family members includes food & drink & 20 tickets! Available now at both Madison & Sunset School offices. Planned events include games, photo booth, cake walk, Jump4fun, air hockey, face painting, silent auction, bingo prizes, and more! If you are interested in volunteering or donating a store bought for the cake walk please contact Rose Stinson at Sunset School.

### 5 Days of School the Week of May 6

There will be 5 days of school the week of May 6. This is a result of complying with the length of school-year language in the licensed contract that was ratified after the calendar was adopted. The **last day of school for students will be June 13**. Mark your calendars!



## LET'S WALK & TALK TOGETHER!

### CELEBRATING & PROMOTING WOMEN'S HEALTH ON MOTHER'S DAY WEEKEND!

Hosted by Coos County Women's Health Coalition. To learn more e-mail [womenshealthcoalition@gmail.com](mailto:womenshealthcoalition@gmail.com) or call Lindi Quinn at (541)297-0421.

Bring Your Mom, Daughter, Sister, Friends and Neighbors to this FREE Community Event! Rain or Shine~ We'll be there!

#### Schedule of Events

**SATURDAY, MAY  
11TH**

- 9:00 Registration-Next to Stage Area
- 9:30 Dr. Gail McClave-Better sleep. How to get more pillow time!
- 10:00 Walk & Talk Together!
- 11:30 Prize Drawings

## MINGUS PARK

Stepping up for  
Women's Health!!

SPONSORED BY: Zonta Club of Coos Bay Area, Southwestern Oregon Medical Society, Bay Area Hospital,

South Coast Striders, Bay Cities Ambulance, Pacific Source, Southwestern Oregon Community College

\*MUSIC\* FUN \* FREE RAFFLE PRIZES\*

A Great Big **THANK YOU** to the following Coos Bay -North Bend & Charleston businesses who have donated items for the Sunset School Carnival. A majority of donated items will be given as Bingo Prizes. Bingo games (adults only) will be held in the Sunset School cafeteria during the school carnival 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Your contributions are greatly appreciated. These generous donations help make our carnival a success. The Sunset School carnival is a great opportunity for our students & their families to enjoy a fun, affordable evening together.

Wal-Mart      Bay Burger Inn      Cranberry Sweets  
Organic Glass & Art & Gifts      Memories of Time  
Wendy's      Abby's      NAPA  
Shark Bites      My Yarn Shop      The Fellowship  
Always Beautiful by Stacey G      Bay Grooming  
La Costa      Skin Deep Tans Studio Hair  
Mossy Rose      Bay Area Ink      Ciccarelli's Restaurant  
Beau's Flowers House of Bounce Inflatables  
Pepsi Cola Bottling Co.      Domino's Pizza

### What's Happening at the Boys & Girls Club...

All girls in grades 1-8 may register for Fast Pitch Softball at the Boys & Girls Club of Southwestern Oregon. Players will be placed on teams based on their age as of December 31, 2012. The fee is \$65.00 with a current Club membership. Registration will end April 26, 2013. Games start May 11, 2013. Call 541-267-6573 for more information.

### What's on the menu: May 6-May 10, 2013

**Monday:** Teriyaki Chicken w/Rice, Beef & Broccoli

**Tuesday:** Beef Taco, Cheeseburger w/Fries, Pizza

**Wednesday:** Chicken Parm Melt, Sweet & Sour Chicken

**Thursday:** Chicken Alfredo, Beef Teriyaki

**Friday:** Toast Chees Sand., Orange Chicken

**Daily Items:** Grab & Go Salads, Fresh Veggie & Fruit Bar, "Build Your Own Sub Bar."



## FAMILY NIGHT – MAY 7th

**Groundbreaking Reads!! Go beneath the surface and explore!**

Coos Bay School District is hosting Family Night on May 7th from 6:00 – 7:30 PM at Madison Elementary School in the Library.

Join us for a night of talking about books, book recommendations, short book talks, list of great summer reads, bookmark making and more.

Childcare for kids under 5 will be provided and snacks will be available. We hope to see you there!

Hosted by the TAG Program. For more information, contact Theresa Hart at 541-267-1318 or [theresah@coos-bay.k12.or.us](mailto:theresah@coos-bay.k12.or.us)