



# Sunset School



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Visit our website: <http://sunset.cbd9.net/>

November 8, 2012

## Principal's Pad –

Thank you all for coming this week to your child's conference. We had a great turnout and very positive feedback as we begin to roll out our new system for you to view your child's educational information online. If you didn't make it, we will send out a letter with your password so you will be able to access the information in ParentVUE. Our 5<sup>th</sup> grade classes have been going to Mingus Park this week and swimming, which is a part of our PE for exercise as well as making sure our students learn to be safe in the water.

I'd like to thank all the veterans and guests who came to our Veteran's Assembly this morning. It's a special time to thank our folks in our community who have served in the military and have helped make our country so great. Our students were very respectful and I received several compliments on our assembly and our school from many of our guests. I was proud to be a part of our assembly and proud to be an American. I'd like to give a special thank you to Mrs. Stinson for all her hard work and coordination in making our assembly so great.

Please remember that next week we will go to school Tuesday through Friday with Monday being a holiday for Veteran's Day.

Have a wonderful holiday weekend,

Dale Inskeep



## November



- 1-19 Canned Food Drive
- 12 Veteran's Day– No School
- 14 Parent/Community Mtg. Sunset Library 5:30-7:00
- 15 Common Core State Standards Mtg. Milner Crest 6pm
- 16 Yes-school Friday
- 19 TAG Mtg. Milner Crest 6pm
- 22-25 Thanksgiving Holiday– NO School
- 29 Web 2.0 Seminar Milner 6pm

## December



21-Jan 6 Christmas Break



### Talented and Gifted Parent Night (TAG)

Join us for A Night of Learning About Gifted Children, Monday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2012 6 p.m. at Milner Crest Education Center, 1255 Hemlock Ave in Coos Bay above Mingus Park.

This will be our first in a series of monthly TAG meetings discussing what parents need to know about recognizing and encouraging the interests, strengths and talents of their children. Learn what parents need to know about Talented and Gifted. Childcare will be provided.

For more information, please e-mail Theresa Hart at [theresah@coos-bay.k12.or.us](mailto:theresah@coos-bay.k12.or.us) or call 541-267-1318.



### Come and join us November 29<sup>th</sup> for a night of Web 2.0 Tools!

Web 2.0 is a term used to describe a new generation of Web services and applications which allow students to create, collaborate and communicate. Your child will be exploring Web 2.0 tools at school, and parents should get involved, too! **Join us November 29<sup>th</sup> 6 p.m. at Milner Crest Education Center**, 1255 Hemlock Ave. above Mingus Park, for everything you need to know about Web 2.0. Childcare will be provided.

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Go to <http://cbd9.net/public-meetings-schedule> to link to all the public meetings currently scheduled. The schedule is subject to change. All Coos Bay School District Board Meetings are subject to the Public Meetings Law (ORS 192.610-192.710). The public is welcome to attend. Contacts: Dawn Rae Granger, Superintendent, (541) 267-1309 Peggy Ahlgrim, Board Secretary, (541) 267-1310

# Canned Food Drive

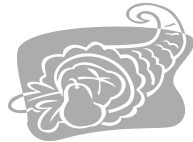
When: November  
1-19

Grade Level competition! Winning grade level will win a pizza party!

Examples:

- ◆ Stuffing
- ◆ Apple Cider/juice
- ◆ Canned Cranberries
- ◆ Canned/Jar Olives
- ◆ Pickles
- ◆ Canned Sweet Potatoes
- ◆ Rice
- ◆ Canned Vegetables
- ◆ Chicken Broth
- ◆ Gravy Mix or Canned Gravy
- ◆ Instant Potatoes or bags of potatoes
- ◆ Canned Yams
- ◆ Mini Marshmallows
- ◆ Brown sugar, sugar, flour

Bring your food items to your teacher/ advisory every day to be counted before storing the items on the stage in the commons. Winning grade level will be determined on the 21st.



Non-Thanksgiving items also accepted

Parents: **ParentVUE** is a wonderful tool to monitor your child's education. It will provide you with the latest information about your child's attendance and grades. ParentVUE will be available on the Coos Bay School District website. <http://cbd9.net/> You can also access ParentVUE directly at the following web address:

<http://portal.coos-bay.k12.or.us>

## What's on the menu: Nov. 13-16, 2012

**Tuesday:** .Corn dog or bean & cheese burrito

**Wednesday:** Sweet & sour chicken

**Thursday:** Chunky turkey gravy & potatoes

**Friday:** French toast with sausage

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



Please take a look at our **REVISED SCHOOL CALENDAR** at [cbd9.net](http://cbd9.net). You will find it under Parents & Community, District Info. We will have school on the following Fridays: 03/8/13, 04/26/13 & 05/10/13

## What's happening at the Boys and Girls Club...

Basketball registration has started at the Boys & Girls Club of Southwestern Oregon. All boys and girls, 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade are eligible to participate. Teams will be formed based on school and grade. Games start Saturday, January 12, 2013. The fee is \$70.00 with a current Club membership. Fee reductions, for those who qualify, are available through December 1, 2012 and the last day to register is December 15, 2012. All players must be registered and paid in full prior to attending a practice. Please call 541-267-6573 for more information.

## City of Coos Bay Library

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Contact: Pat Flitcroft

### THE TOM QUESTION SHOW AT COOS BAY LIBRARY

STILTWALKING, WORLD CLASS JUGGLING, CHINESE YO-YO, COMEDY AND LOTS OF AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION – ALL THESE COMBINE TO CREATE THE HIGH-ENERGY, WONDERFULLY ENTERTAINING, FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT THAT IS **THE TOM QUESTION SHOW**.

THE SHOW WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE LIBRARY ON SATURDAY NOVEMBER 17, AT 11:00AM. THE 45-MINUTE SHOW IS FREE AND ALL AGES ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT THE LIBRARY OR CALL 541-269-1101. THE FRIENDS OF THE COOS BAY LIBRARY SPONSOR ALL PROGRAMS.

Something big is happening in education in Oregon on November 15th, something that all parents will want to know about - the Common Core State Standards (CCSS). These newly adopted standards in English Language Arts and Math are important for your student's future success! Currently, each state has a separate set of education standards that students are expected to do by the time they graduate each grade. However, in response to concerns about American student achievement education leaders in 45 states have written a set of standards (CCSS) for students across the U.S. The CCSS provide a consistent, clear understanding of what students are expected to learn, so teachers and parents know what they need to do to help them. They are designed to be robust and relevant to the real world, reflecting the knowledge and skills that our young people need for success in college and careers. **Join us on November 15th at 6 p.m. at Milner Crest Education Center** and learn about what your child is learning in school. Childcare will be provided.

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