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Curriculum Nights:

	Wednesday, Sept.13th	Thursday, Sept.14th
5:00-5:45 p.m.	1st & 2nd grades	5th grade
6:00-6:45 p.m.	3rd grade (except Merlin)	4th grade & 3rd grade Merlin

Unless otherwise requested by the teacher, Curriculum Night is parents only

Spirit wear will be for sale at both curriculum nights. We accept cash, check or credit. Youth shirts \$15, adult and youth sweatshirts \$25 and woman's raglan shirt \$20. If you can't make it but still want to purchase something contact Alison Keith alisonvkeith@gmail.com



PTSA Membership Meeting

Mark your calendars for Sept 21st at 7 PM!

We will have our first full Membership Meeting of the year and we need quorum! Come vote on our finalized budget for the year, learn about upcoming events and programs this year, and meet the Board and other members. We are looking forward to meeting more of you, too!



Membership Matters

If you haven't yet, join the PTSA today! Why? Because being a member and volunteering (which is not required for membership) are two of the most direct ways you can support the many extra programs and classroom enrichment that our PTSA provides to the school. Find out more here!



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INTRODUCING THE ORANGE RULER FUN RUN

Get Ready Parents!

We are excited to announce our Fall Fundraiser, the Orange Ruler Fun Run. This program will last for approximately two weeks beginning with our kick-off assembly on 09/15/2017.

The Orange Ruler team has put together a fun-filled experience for our children and school that focuses on teamwork, staying active and believing in yourself. This important program will help us raise needed funds that will be used for Classroom Grants, Science Programs including our Annual Science Fair, the Discover Art Program, Recess and Lunch Support and an abundance of student enrichment programs at Endeavour Elementary.

Please be on the lookout for the Orange Ruler parent letter and donation envelope which will be coming home with your child on the day of the kick-off assembly.

Get ready for our great Fall Fundraiser!

Thank you!

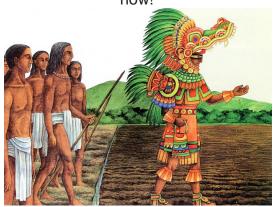
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Orange Ruler

About Orange Ruler | ©2016 Orange Ruler.

Food of the Month

Tomatillos are of Mexican origin and grow wild there. The Aztecs were the first to grow tomatillos for harvest. We have tomatillos growing in our school garden right now!





Garden Harvest Update

Last JP we told you about the school garden and donations to the food bank. Well, here is a photo of our most recent wonderful harvest! To date we have donated 150 lbs of fresh food to the Issaquah Food Bank.

If you'd like to help our fabulous School Garden Chairperson, Taya Montgomery work on extending our garden's season this year (or help in some other way), contact her at tayamo1@yahoo.com





Calling all volunteers!

We are still in need of volunteers to help make our programs a success! From Event Parking & Shuttle Chair to Holiday Gift Chair, Communications Team (work from home), and everyone's favorite, Popcorn Friday, there are roles to fit every interest and schedule.

For more information, email us at <u>volunteers@endeavourptsa.org</u>. Please visit the Endeavour Elementary <u>PTSA Website</u> and select Volunteer for a complete list of opportunities.

Don't forget your <u>volunteer application</u>!! All volunteers in the Issaquah School District must register and complete an application before you can volunteer at school. If you registered last year, you simply need to update your application.



Thank you to all the amazing volunteers who have already signed up to be docents for the Discover Art Program this year! Our training will take place on Tuesday, September 26, from 9:40 - 10:45 in P4, with a makeup training on September 29, from 2 - 3 pm in the MPR. All **new docents** are required to attend a training session.

If you haven't joined our team but are interested, please email blakelybranniff@gmail.com or check with your teacher to see if spots are still available for the Art Docent role. If so, they will ask for signups at Curriculum Night and through the room parents in the coming week.

Check out our Facebook Page for updates and inspirational articles and links (and please 'LIKE' our page!): https://www.facebook.com/Discover-ART-at-Endeavour-Elementary-157367400962369/?ref=aymt_homepage_panel.



Volunteer here

The Endeavour PTSA is looking for volunteers to assist with Endeavour's Reflections Program. The Reflections Program is a National PTA and WSPTA cultural arts competition. The purpose is to provide an opportunity for students to use their creative talents by expressing themselves through their own original works. Specific areas of need are Subcommittee Chairs & Volunteers for the following tasks:

Project Submission Chair

Judging Chair

Student Recognition Chair

Communications Chair

Volunteers supporting each of the above tasks

If you are interested or have questions, please contact Reflections@EndeavourPTSA.org for more information.

WHAT IS JOGGING CLUB?

If you are ready for a challenge to set goals, get exercise, and do so with fellow students, then Jogging Club is for you! Please come if you are willing to give your best effort in running/ jogging/walking around the school for 30 minutes. Jaguar Club kids are welcome to join to!

Jogging Club *2nd-5th grade

* Please note it is ONLY 2nd-5th grade this year <u>Mondays starting September 25th</u> Online Registration:

Jogging Club Registration

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

September 22nd (NO EXCEPTIONS)

The Dates & Times for Jogging Club:

Monday time: 8:15-9:00

Sept. 25, Oct. 2,9,16,30, Nov. 6,13

*We need Parent Volunteers to make Jogging Club Successful. Sign up & Volunteer on Connect

Salena Skogstad

Endeavour Elementary PE Specialist

<u>Endeavour PE Connect Site</u>

Popcorn Friday in just two days!

September 15th at recess

Remember your 50 cents!







After this, each First Friday of the month will be Popcorn Friday. We're still looking for volunteers for 11:30-1:30 this Friday, as well as future shifts. This is a great way to volunteer, see lots of kids, and get huge popularity points on the playground.



The winners that guessed the closest in the expired Box Tops contest at "meet the teacher" day are Aleise Robertson from Ms. Mohney's class (1016) and Trevor Gaspar from Ms. Picardo's class (1544). There were 1,464 expired Box Tops. That is \$146.40 that our school missed out on. Please don't send in expired Box Tops!



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Picture Day!

Monday, Sept 18th is Picture Day

All students will be photographed for the yearbook. Order forms will be coming home today and purchases are optional. Please be sure to read the directions carefully and pay online if possible. The student must have the order envelope in their hand when they see the photographer.



- Sept 13 & 14 Curriculum Nights
- Sept 15 First Popcorn Friday!
- Sept 15 Fun Run Kickoff Assemblies
- Sept 18 Picture Day
- Sept 21 PTSA Membership Meeting, 7 PM
- Oct 3 First Student Banking Day
- Full PTSA Calendar

Did you know that every Friday is Spirit Wear Friday? Wear your favorite team's jersey or your Endeavour Spirit Wear and show your school pride.

Helpful Links:

Endeavour PTSA Website

PTSA Calendar

Past Issues of Jaguar Print

Endeavour Elementary School Website

Principal's Corner



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