

# **Evaline Weekly News**

10-18-2024

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# Evaline Paraprofessional Position Open

If you or someone you know may be interested in working as a para at Evaline, please have them apply at

https://jobs.redroverk12.com/org/EdJobsNW/opening/111124
Position Details

Salary: \$18.29- \$20.68 hourly, Depending on experience Work schedule: 6.5 hours per day/191 days 8:15 am to 3:15 pm with ½ hour lunch break

Benefits:

8 paid holidays; sick leave and personal leave; health benefits through the <u>School Employees'</u> <u>Benefits Board</u> including medical, dental, vision, life insurance, and long-term disability insurance; State retirement through <u>DRS</u>

# Pumpkin Patch Field Trip Friday October 25th

All of our students will be going to the Goodrich Pumpkin Patch this year. Parents/Guardians and younger siblings are invited to join! The Booster Club will pay for younger siblings and parents/guardians are free. Parents/Guardians can meet us at the Goodrich Pumpkin Patch at 1:00 p.m. 513 Goodrich Rd, Centralia, WA 98531



# PLEASE HAVE YOUR STUDENT(S) WEAR APPROPRIATE CLOTHING

#### Winlock Fire Dept. Smoke House

On Thursday, Oct. 24th The Winlock Fire Department will be bringing over their smoke house and teaching our students how to be safe and get out of a house safely in case of a fire. Students will also get to check out the ambulance, other vehicles and ask all sorts of questions.

# School Spirit Week Mon. Oct. 28th - Fri. Nov. 1st

Monday - Crazy Hair Day

**Tuesday** - Superhero Day

<u>Wednesday</u> - Beach Day

<u>Thursday</u> Halloween Costume or Favorite Book Character

<u>Friday</u> - Blue Out! Evaline School Spirit Day, Deck out all in all Blue

### Important Dates!!



### OCT.

Fri. 18th: Booster Club Meeting, 3:15 in ¾ classroom Wed. 23rd: Student Hearing Screening

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Thurs. 24th: Winlock Fire Department Smoke House Fri. 25th: All school field trip to the Goodrich Pumpkin Patch Fri. 25th: Wreath sales will begin - Packets will go out 10/25 Mon. 28th - Fri. 1: School Spirit Week, more details to follow Thurs. 31st: Fall Festival Party, 11:30 Dismissal

#### Nov.

Fri. 1st: Lion Paw Day, 11:30 dismissal

Sun. 5th: Daylight Saving Time ends, set clocks back one hour Mon. 4th - Fri. 8th: 11:30 dismissal for Conferences Fri. 8th: Veteran's Day Assembly at Boistfort, details to come

Mon. 11th: No School, Veteran's Day

Fri. 15th: Wreath Orders Due

Tues. 19th: School Board Meeting, 6:30pm

Wed. 20th: 3rd - 6th grade Field Trip, Museum of Flight

Tues. 26th: Thanksgiving Feast Wed. 27th: 11:30 Dismissal

Thurs. 28th - Fri. 29th: No School, Thanksgiving Break

(No Good News Club on early release days)

### Conferences 11/4 to 11/8

We will dismiss at 11:30 every day during conference week.

Conferences will be held

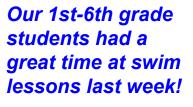
November 4th - November 8th.

Your student's teacher should be contacting you to schedule your conference(s). Students will be dismissed at 11:30 every day of

conference week. A "sack" lunch will be sent home with your

student(s) on these days if they order one.









Thank you to the Booster Club for making it all happen!

#### Be Safe, Be Responsible, Be Respectful and Be a Positive Learner



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#### **TK and Kindergarten**

Mrs. Tinnin

Kindergarteners learned the letters 'c', 'o', and 'g'. They are starting to sound out simple CVC words with the sounds we have learned this year. Each child has their own set of cards with the letters. As we learn a new letter, they get a new card. They also learn ASL for each letter and a chant to help them remember the sound. Every day kindergarten has Listen and Learn activities. Right now they are learning about the five senses. They are learning the parts of the eye and how they help us.

Kindergarten finished the third chapter in math learning about the numbers 6 through 9. Part of this chapter is finding number pairs for the number we are learning so students understand how numbers are related.

TK is learning about Families and Communities. They continue learning about the numbers 1 through 5 by doing different hands-on activities.



### **Third and Fourth Grade Classroom**

Mrs. Mars

Students were introduced to water testing this week and then finished the year with a quick field trip to conduct our tests. This is something that is done every year with my 3rd and 4th graders. We test the water a Winolequa Creek to determine if it is a healthy salmon habitat. Later in the year we will take our results and what we learned to the GREEN Congress to share with other students and schools from around Western Washington.

This week we wrote our first multiple paragraph essay of the year. I was impressed with students' enthusiasm for their writing and their willingness to make changes in order to improve their writing. I will be saving this piece to share with you at conferences in November. This is the first of many writing pieces we will do throughout the year.

Students have been working hard on their reading both in and out of school and it shows. We only have three more students before all students have reached Leap 1. Check with your student to see how many points they have earned. Ideally students should be around 15 points now if they want to be on track to make it to the Leap 10 Extravaganza at the end of the year!

# First and Second Grade Explorers Mrs. Mittge

We began our week with a thematic study on scarecrows. Did you know farmers who could not afford to hire children to scare predators away from their crops made scarecrows? Students completed their scarecrow study by making adorable scarecrow faces out of paper bags!



First grade students began their first ELA reader this week and have been doing an exceptional job of text diving and writing complete sentences to demonstrate understanding! Second graders began their second ELA unit.

First graders should be reading more than 10 words per minute with the goal of reading 50 words per minute this winter. Second graders should be reading 30-80 words per minute with the goal of reading more than 100 words per minute this winter. Most students are well above these goals!

In math first graders are flying through their chapter on modeling addition. Second graders are studying equal groups. Second graders are also rocking their problem solving skills! Students are modeling problems with labels, developing number sentences to match the models and solving story problems like pros!

# Fifth and Sixth Grade Classroom Mr. Burlingame

As the seasons shift, so do the temperatures and weather patterns, making it essential to adapt our wardrobes accordingly. In autumn and winter, cooler air and shorter days call for cozy layers, warm coats, and sturdy footwear to protect against the chill. Please make sure that students are coming to school with appropriate clothing for the season so they don't get sick from playing outside at recess.

Our studies in science have led us to properties of air and causes of weather. The recent severe storms on the east coast have been prime examples of how those properties of air, temperature, and pressure work in a weather system. We will be continuing to learn about air and how will soon be looking at how airplanes work and the forces that are exerted on them as they fly.

We are having our fall conferences from Monday, November 4th through Friday Nov 8th. Please write your preferred time on the included sheet and send it back to me with your student. I will do everything I can to accommodate your preferences. Once conferences are scheduled I will notify you of your time.



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### Special Education-Title1/LAP- Social Emotional Learning (SEL): Mrs. Duren

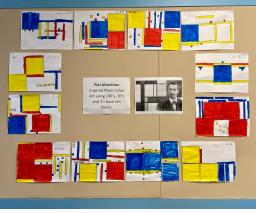
Evaline students are busy this fall learning not only reading, writing, and math, but also many other important skills as well. This can be seen in some of our fine examples of student art being displayed in our main hallway. We also have been learning about being

Responsible in SEL class, as Responsibility is our focus character trait for the month for October. We have identified that Responsibility connects well with other character traits such as Respect and Kindness (September's focus character traits), and is more than just following directions, but it can also be about having healthy communication- including listening skills, setting healthy goals, being organized / focused, and being actively involved. Our students sometimes learn best by having skills modeled by others, and this month we have had a great example of this demonstrated by a local organization, Carly's Closet, which contacted us to donate a box of new extra clothing items to the school for use as needed. We are grateful for this donation and for the added community support for our students and their needs. Their sense of responsibility to lend a helping hand in our community is not only appreciated as supplying a resource, but is also a great visual example for our students of being responsible people of character. Happy Fall, and Good Job Everyone!

















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# **CANDY FOR THE FALL FESTIVAL PARTY**

The Booster Club is asking each family to donate one bag of individually wrapped candies or a bag of small prizes for the party on October 31st. It can be dropped off in the office. Please have the candy at the school no later than Friday, October 25th.

For questions please contact: evalineboosterclub@gmail.com



# <u>FALL FESTIVAL PARTY</u>

The Booster Club will put on a Fall Festival party on Thursday, October 31st during school hours. Students are encouraged to dress up. All students will have an opportunity to play carnival games and do a craft. There will also be a costume contest and a pumpkin carving/decorating contest. The party will begin shortly after 8:30. Pre-school students and parents/guardians are encouraged to dress up and join us. **School will dismiss at 11:30.** 

#### **Costumes**

Please make sure costumes are in good taste: **No blood, knives/weapons, or scary masks.. etc.** Prizes will be awarded to preschoolers and students in each grade for the best costume.

#### Pumpkin Carving Contest

All students can work with or without a parent/guardian's help to create a masterpiece. Due to limited space and number of pumpkins, we will be doing the pumpkin judging in the bus garage. You can take your pumpkin(s) directly to the bus garage before school on Thursday, Oct. 31st.

Prizes will be awarded in the following pumpkin categories:

- 1. Funniest
- 2. Scariest
- 3. Cutest
- 4. Best Non-Carved
- 5. Open Class Dream up one you think would be a prize winner.
- 6. Best Student Solo (no parent help)
- 7. Sweetest
- 8. Most Clever



Please don't carve or decorate pumpkins in poor taste: Blood, knives, etc will be disqualified. The judges will decide the category in which each pumpkin will be judged. This can be a family project. Students can have mom, dad, sister, brother, etc. help carve and decorate your pumpkin. (Except for the Best Student Solo Pumpkin) If your beautiful pumpkin needs a candle to show the full effect, put the candle inside the pumpkin and the judges will light it. Please take pumpkins home at the end of the party. Any pumpkins left after the party will be thrown out.

The Booster Club needs volunteers for this fun event to take place. A parent volunteer form was sent home last week. Please fill it out and drop it off at the school office if you are able to help out, we really appreciate it! Thank you!!