NewsLinks

A newsletter for the staff of Everett Public Schools

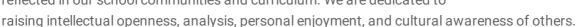
June 2, 2022

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June is LGBTQ+ Month

PRIDE flag is flying for the month of June at the Community Resource Center!

Everett Public Schools is leading with our commitment to creating a sense of belonging and presence for all students. We believe that all students, inclusive of race, ethnicity, gender, ability, beliefs, sexual orientation, and identity, have the right to see themselves and others reflected in our school communities and curriculum. We are dedicated to







All Everett Public Schools staff and their guests are invited to join the fun as the Everett AquaSox take on the Eugene Emeralds at Funko Field. Tickets are only \$8 and the AquaSox will a donate \$2 per ticket purchased with the ESD22 promo code to the Everett Public Schools Foundation!



Tickets must be purchased online using promo code ESD22 (or in advance at the AquaSox box office) to be discounted to \$8. Game day will be regular price of \$15 per ticket.

Click to purchase tickets and join your co-workers for some great family entertainment including Pride Night and fireworks!



Retirement celebration on June 9

On June 9 from 4-6 p.m., friends and family will be able to gather together at the Community Resource Center and celebrate our coworkers who are retiring!

Come celebrate these folks and send them off with best wishes! Please arrive by 4 p.m. so you may enjoy our younger students from Madison Elementary perform playing their ukuleles!



Congratulations to the Class of 2022!

For our more than 1,300 high school seniors, graduation marks the culmination of 13 years of hard work and persistence. Graduates will remember this special day forever and know they can accomplish anything with effort and determination.

"Thank you and my sincerest gratitude to our Everett Public Schools team," shared Dr. Saltzman. "This is our future heading out into the world and each of you played a part in their educational journey whether directly or indirectly. Thank you for your dedication, commitment and caring."



We're Proud!

Each year we salute staff and their family members celebrating educational milestones. Check out these awesome graduates!

It has busy year and if you missed your opportunity to submit your great news, it's not too late. To recognize a staff or family member (or yourself!), with graduation news, please answer these <u>brief questions</u>. We will upload an updated version at the end of June!



Collection of diverse literature heading to our school libraries

One of our strategic plan initiative asks for students to see themselves in the learning environment through literature and resources.

Through a partnership with district librarians, the Equity & Access Advisory Council, and the <u>Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion</u> (DEI) department, these teams followed and met the districts selection guidelines and policies through a multi-step vetting process to create a booklist of developmentally and culturally relevant literature.



Click to learn more.

Music4Life refurbishes and passes back to our students!

Did you know Music4Life has passed along 500 donated and refurbished instruments for our students to use?

Some of our students may have never learned the joy of playing an instrument if not for these donations. <u>Click to learn how you can donate</u> your unused instrument or financially support this incredible program.



Everett PTSA Council 7.3 is Outstanding PTA Council of the Year

Our Everett PTSA Council 7.3 is Outstanding PTA Council of the Year in Washington state. In addition, they also earned seven Awards of Excellence!

Click for news release.



Summer break is almost here!

"June is an exciting time in our schools. At every grade level, days are filled with award ceremonies, concerts, sporting events, field days and those last few weeks of classroom learning," shared Superintendent Saltzman in his June message. Celebrating accomplishments together builds connections, creates positive school memories, and enhances a sense of belonging and joy at school.



"After all the excitement of June, I want to encourage our students, staff and families to pause and enjoy the summer. One thing these last few years have taught me is you have to take advantage of the downtime to recharge, reconnect and relax. Well rested, rejuvenated students, staff and families will be better prepared to greet the next school year with energy, passion and enthusiasm."

NEWS AROUND THE DISTRICT

Like knowing what's happening in the district? Follow us on social media! Visit our <u>social media directory</u> for a list of schools, club, or teacher accounts.

Want eflyers of student and family opportunities? Go to <u>Peachjar</u> and register a free account to receive eflyers emailed directly to you!



News releases

<u>2022.05.27 Collection of diverse literature heading to school libraries</u> <u>2022.05.27 Everett PTSA Council is Outstanding PTA Council of the Year</u> <u>2022.05.25 School board process for new board member appointment</u> <u>2022.05.16 Family Engagement Advisory Council seeks members</u>

Do you have news to share? We'd love to share your school stories! - It's easy; use this simple form.

OPPORTUNITIES - for staff and students

Multicultural Training Tour on Saturday, June 4

Multicultural Ministries offers an educational opportunity to visit a Muslim Mosque, Sikh Temple, Hindu Temple and a Buddhist Temple on Saturday, June 4 from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. These bridge-building experience have been described as a fascinating, educational and enriching experience.

Multicultural Training Tour provides Clock Hours approved by OSPI. Click to learn more and to register.

New technologies integrated into our classrooms--showcase on June 6

Please join us on June 6 from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Community Resource Center to learn from and engage with staff as they showcase new technologies integrated into our classrooms to improve student learning, such as the flat panels and classroom sound enhancements, and learn and ask questions about parent supports.

Click for more information.

Gateway MS choir singing National Anthem at June 16 Mariners game

The Gateway 8th grade choir was recently chosen to sing the National Anthem at a Mariners Game on June 16th. Tickets are on sale now; students, families, and friends are invited to purchase tickets at a discounted price. Click to learn more and how to order tickets.

FREE sports physicals for middle and high school students

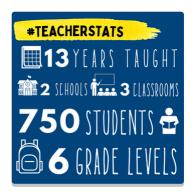
FREE sports physicals for middle and high school students on Saturday, July 16, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. in the Everett High School gym.

Kaiser Permanente medical staff members are coming to the Everett High School gym to provide free sports physicals, with no appointment necessary. Any middle or high school student who is participating in sports is eligible.

To help protect against COVID-19, attendees are required to wear a face mask and follow physical distancing guidelines. QUESTIONS? Contact: Katie Shaffer at 425-261-1500, option 3 or option 4 or email kathryn.j.shaffer@kp.org

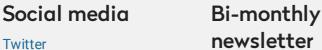
#TeacherStats

Celebrate the school communities you've been a part of by sharing your #TeacherStats! Take a moment to <u>answer a few questions about your educational journey</u>, then customize your graphic and share it on social media.



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Important dates, observances, and holidays

Policies and procedures

All policies and procedures are available online.

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