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A newsletter for the staff of Everett Public Schools

April 13, 2023

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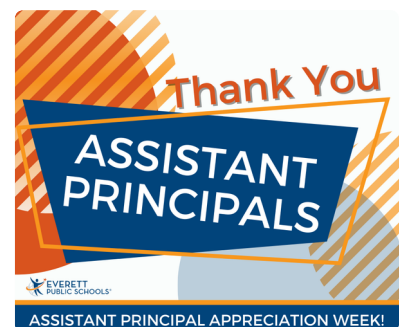
Welcome back from Spring Break!

We are into the last stretch of the school year! I hope you all had a relaxing Spring Break. I am excited to welcome all of you back as we continue learning and growing! –Superintendent Saltzman



Assistant Principal Appreciation Week April 3-7

The first week of April was Assistant Principal Appreciation Week, but we were on spring break! I want to honor and recognize this incredible team for the enormous contributions they make to support, guide, challenge and care for students helping them become their best selves. –Superintendent Saltzman



Public School Volunteer Week April 17-21

Public School Volunteer week gives us an opportunity for schools and families to honor and highlight the powerful contributions parents and caregivers provide to support student success. We are so happy to see our volunteers back in our schools!



Teacher Appreciation Week May 8-12

Just an FYI—historically, Teacher Appreciation Week is the first full week of May, which is shown on the printed student art calendar. However, this year it is the second full week. Remember to celebrate Substitute Educators too, this is their week as well!

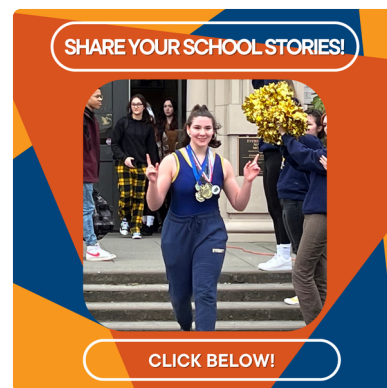


NEWS AROUND THE DISTRICT

Follow us on social media! Visit our [social media directory](#) for a list of schools, club, or teacher accounts.

Want eflyers of student and family opportunities? Go to [Peachjar](#) and register a free account to receive eflyers emailed directly to you!

Do you have news to share? We'd love to share your school stories!
– *It's easy; use this [simple form](#).*



News releases

[2023.03.29 Students recognized for Prodigies for Peace art and essay entries](#)

[2023.03.22 Communication boards create a sense of belonging for all students](#)

[2023.03.16 Early Childhood Education students receive swim lessons and life jackets](#)

[2023.03.10 Everett Public Schools' students adapt toys for kids with special needs](#)

[2023.03.02 High school student leaders are empowered to lead](#)

[2023.03.01 Everett Public Schools celebrates 25 years of student art shows](#)

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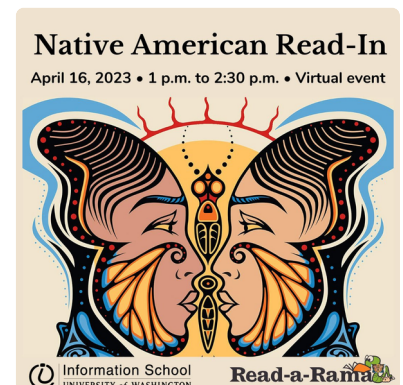
1. [Principal for a Day at Eisenhower Middle School](#)
2. [Bus driver, Christina McVeay-Geyer, dresses up for holidays and the kids love it](#)
3. [North Middle School students placed at TSA State Conference](#)
4. [Spring Bunny visits View Ridge Elementary School](#)
5. [H.M. Jackson High School showcases poetry, dance, music and more at Multicultural Night](#)

OPPORTUNITIES - for staff and students

Native American Read-In is April 16

This family-centered event celebrates Native American heritage and promotes the importance of literacy and lifelong learning. The UW Information School (iSchool), in partnership with Read-a-Rama, will co-host this [FREE family-centered event virtually](#) on Sunday, April 16 from 1-2:30 p.m. showcasing the works of Native American writers and storytellers.

[Register for this free event to get link.](#)



Legislative Youth Advisory Council extends application deadline to April 30

The Legislative Youth Advisory Council (LYAC) aims to be the voice of youth to the Washington State Legislature. LYAC create opportunities for young people to engage in the legislative process while advocating for issues that are impacting young people today

The two-year LYAC program will accept 11+ from across the state to examine key legislation with members of both the state House and Senate, administer an annual day of action for all Washington students to lobby for change, and equip their peers with the skills to promote strong civic engagement in their communities.

To be eligible for the program, applicants must be:

- 14 to 18 years of age when applying;
- be in 8th, 9th, or 10th grade; and
- Applicants can submit one letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor, coach, mentor, or community leader

Applications close April 30th, 2023 at 11:59 p.m., so turn in your applications soon! For more information, please visit [LYAC website](#) or call the Lt. Governor's office at 360-786-7700.

Calling all high school student artists!

The 2023 Congressional Art Competition is open to all high school students who live or attend school in the Second District. [The deadline to submit art pieces is May 1.](#)



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25th Annual Student Art Shows!

Everett Public Schools, in partnership with the Everett Public Schools Foundation, is celebrating 25 years of student art shows. High school art is currently displayed for public viewing during business hours at the CRC. Middle school art will be exhibited in May and the elementary art show can be [viewed virtually](#).



Online AP Summer Institute 2023 is August 14 - 17

Everett Public Schools Online AP® Summer Institute is a content-rich professional development, designed to include both synchronous and asynchronous learning. Workshops are for new and experienced AP teachers to refine their practice and to teach the following courses:

- AP Art and Design
- AP English Language and Composition
- AP English Literature and Composition
- AP Environmental Science
- AP Physics
- AP U.S. Government and Politics

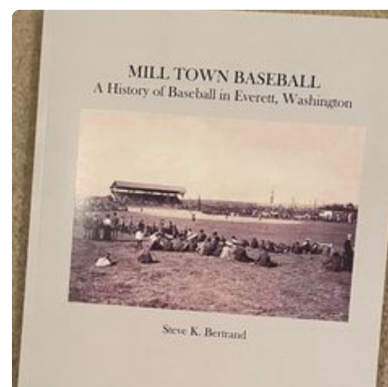


- AP U.S. History
- AP World History

[Click to learn more and/or register.](#)

Mill Town Baseball by Steve Bertrand

Cascade High School's own Steve Bertrand recently published a historical look at baseball in Everett. His new book, [Mill Town Baseball](#), provides a glimpse into the people of this community whose passion for baseball has continued to bring our national pastime to the sandlots and diamonds of Everett for nearly 150 years. Available to purchase through the [Everett Museum of History Van Haley House](#) or contacting Steve at 425-530-2732.



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KEY DATES AND CELEBRATIONS

[Important dates, observances, and holidays](#)



Arab American Heritage Month

We recognize and honor the histories, achievements, and cultures of Arabs, Arab-Americans, and people who



Autism Acceptance Month

Autism Acceptance Month, previously named Autism Awareness Month, emphasizes the need for public awareness



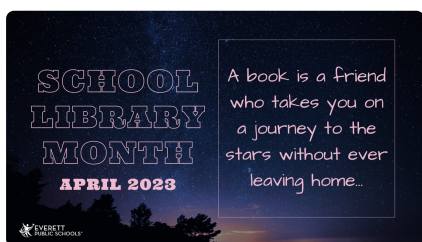
Poetry Month

National Poetry Month a celebration of poetry which takes place each April to increase awareness and appreciation of poetry. "The

trace their lineage back to Southwest Asia and North African regions. We celebrate diversity!

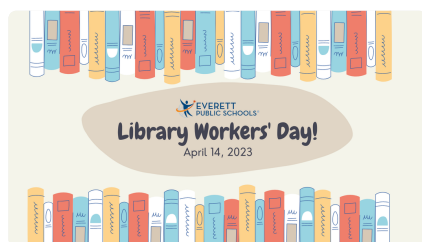
to promote acceptance, celebrate the differences, and be more inclusive towards autistic individuals around us. Let's continue to help spread acceptance and increase autism awareness during the month of April.

teacher who is indeed wise does not bid you to enter the house of his wisdom but rather leads you to the threshold of your mind." –Khalil Gibran



School Library Month

What a haven a school library can be! "Librarians nourish our minds and feed our souls. They have the ability to save lives with the power of reading and the love of storytelling." Let's celebrate!



Library Workers' Day

Join us on April 14 as we celebrate National Library Workers Day, a great time to thank library employees for their contributions and celebrate the valuable contributions they make! "Librarians do so much more than just check books in and out."—Seth Godin, American author.



Earth Day

Earth Day is April 22. May you enjoy nature and appreciate its beauty every day.

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

[All policies and procedures are available online.](#)

Non-discrimination

Everett Public Schools does not discriminate in any programs or activities on the basis of sex, race, creed, religion, color, national origin, age, veteran or military status, sexual orientation, gender expression or identity, disability, or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following employees have been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination: **Title IX/Civil Rights Compliance Officer**, [Kevin Allen](#), 425-385-4100; **Section 504 Coordinator**, [Dave Peters](#), 425-385-4063; **ADA Coordinator**, [Randi Seaberg](#), 425-385-4104.



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