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UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH		
Sunday, 3/12	Daylight Savings Time Begins	Spring Forward 1 Hour
Tuesday, 3/14	Earthquake Drill/Fire Drill	10:45 AM
Thursday, 3/16	Partner's Board Meeting	Library, 5:30 PM
Monday, 3/20	Online Registration Begins For Spring Enrichment	9 AM
Tuesday, 3/21	New Family Tour	Library, 10 AM
Wednesday, 3/22	Early Dismissal	1:45 PM
Thursday, 3/23	Project Playground and Family Health & Fitness Night	Cafeteria, 6-7:30 PM
APRIL		
Monday, 4/3	Spring Enrichment Begins	
Mon-Fri, 4/10-14	Spring Break	No School
Sunday, 4/23	Dine Out For Hay's Playground	Thackeray

SCHOOL NEWS

Lunchroom News

Thank you for keeping your child's lunch account with a positive balance. I can accept cash or check (payable to CNS) or you can pay with a credit card on PayPams.com.

It's what your mom always told you. Breakfast is the most important meal of the day! Your child needs to get a balanced nutritious meal in the morning so their brain can start working. Educators have long recognized the importance of breakfast for helping children learn and stay focused.

Join the Breakfast Club at John Hay starting at 9:00. Enjoy hot entrees such as pancakes, eggs with sausage & toast, yogurt parfaits and homemade blueberry buckle. A selection of cold cereals, toast, orange or apple juice, milk and fresh fruit are also available.

Join the Cafeteria Parent Volunteer Team for a quick, action-packed two-hour shift once a week or once a month – whatever works for you. Sign up here <http://signup.com/go/nCDwRq>. Lots of fun and so important so our kids have time for lunch and recess!

Download the app!

Find updated breakfast and lunch menu and nutrition information on our new app. Here is the link:

<http://seattleschools.nutrislice.com>.

Parents are welcome to join their child for lunch. Adult lunch is \$4.75. There are three lunch periods; 5th & 1st at 11:20, Kindergarten & 3rd at 11:55 and 2nd & 4th at 12:30.

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's account, please call or email me.

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DISTRICT NEWS

Family Survey

SPS will be conducting a survey between April 17-May 19. Please look at this [flyer](#) to make sure you can participate.

Impact On SPS Of Trump Rescinding Protections For Transgender Students

On Wednesday, February 22, Trump rescinded protections for transgender students that allowed students across the nation to use bathrooms corresponding with their gender identity. The administration indicated that the directive that was issued under President Obama was improperly and arbitrarily devised, "without due regard for the primary role of the state and local districts in establishing educational policy." This action will have no impact on the rights and protections offered by Seattle Public Schools.

Seattle Public Schools established rights for transgender students prior to the directive under President Obama and will continue to work every day to provide safe, welcoming, and inclusive schools for all students. Under [Superintendent Procedure 3210SP.C](#), Non-discrimination and Affirmative Action: Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Students, all students have the right to:

- Be addressed by the name and pronoun corresponding to the gender identity consistently asserted at school.
- Access the restroom and locker room that corresponds to the gender identity consistently asserted at school.
- Participate in physical education, club sports, and interscholastic athletics in a manner consistent with the gender identity consistently asserted at school.
- Be assigned to overnight accommodations in accordance with the gender identity consistently asserted at school.
- Dress in accordance with the gender identity consistently asserted at school.

- Have their educational record reflect the gender consistently asserted at school.

Please direct questions to [Ronald Boy](#), Senior Assistant General Counsel, Phone: 252-0114

VOLUNTEER OFFICE NEWS

Spring Before and After School Enrichment Programs

Online* registration for the Spring session will open on Monday, March 20th at 9:00 AM (*some will require paper registration). The Spring session will begin the week of April 3rd and end the week of June 5th, with possible make ups the week of June 12th. Please check your student's red folder for the enrichment flyer on Friday, March 17 or check the John Hay website for program descriptions and registration information.

Pre-Order the John Hay Yearbook

Every year we sell out of yearbooks. Don't wait until it's too late. Pre-order your school yearbook today. Go to <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/> and enter code # 11338217. Individual yearbooks are \$16 each.

Yearbook Photos

Do you have candid photos from class field trips, parties, assemblies or other school activities? I need photos to include in the yearbook. You can email them to me or upload them directly to the yearbook website by going to community.lifetouch.com and entering the code: EJHMZZ

Auction Items

Lynn Baker still has a number of auction items in her office that need to be picked up.

Company Matching

Did you know that many companies will match your donation to John Hay? Be sure to check and see if your company matches your school donations. Let me know if I can help with any paperwork.

PARTNERS NEWS

Dine Out For John Hay: Save the Date!

Thackeray Café & Bar (the newest addition to the Heavy restaurant Group) will be hosting a “Dine Out for John Hay” on Sunday, April 23rd for the entire day. See below for more information:

- Website - <http://thackerayseattle.com>
- Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/ThackeraySeattle>
- Instagram - <https://www.instagram.com/thackerayseattle>
- Basic description - Thackeray is a neighborhood restaurant and bar with a warm and inviting atmosphere that combines welcoming service with an eclectic interior. The menu at Thackeray is broad, eclectic, and combines northwest ingredients with Mediterranean influences.
- Dine Out Basics - Our staff will be aware that Sunday, April 23rd, is ‘John Hay PTA Day’ so to speak. Your parents, supporters, teachers, etc, will simply need to tell our staff that they are there to support John Hay Elementary and we’ll do the rest. This will be for the ENTIRE day so everything from brunch/lunch to take-out, and dinner.

Thackeray is located at 1311 N 35th Street in Fremont. [206-737-8743](tel:2067378743).

Partner Meeting

The John Hay Partner Board is our school’s version of the PTA. We hold monthly meeting and all parents are invited to attend. The March meeting will be held on Thursday, March 16th at 5:30 pm in the John Hay library.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Participate in the first annual **Running of the Beavers** at Ballard’s very own **Golden Gardens Park!**

A 5k Run and Kids’ Dash, on Saturday, April 1, to benefit Ballard High School Athletics.

To get more information or to register you can visit this link: www.RunningoftheBeavers.com

Event Day Schedule 9:00 am - 5kRun, 10:30 am - Kids’ Dash

Kids’ Dash: \$10, Student Registration: \$20, General Registration: \$40

Registration is open through March 29.

Parking is available south of the bathhouse at Golden Gardens Park and in the upper lot.

One on One Basketball Seattle Presents...

Player Development Program (PDP) - Spring Session is color-coded skill levels for Boys and Girls Ages 6-15 at the Queen Anne Community Center Mondays or Wednesdays. Program begins week of March 27th!

Spring Break Hoops Camps and all of our Summer Camps now OPEN FOR REGISTRATION at:

<http://seattle-washington.1on1basketball.com/programs-listing/classes-clinics>

Do you have children in elementary school? Or friends that have elementary school aged children?

Hilltop's Big Kids Summer Camp includes swimming, climbing, art, outdoor adventures, reading, and more, all in one! And, it's lead by educators who will support your child to make friends, grow as leaders, and think more deeply about the world! (Plus, you won't have to run all over the city to hundreds of different camps all summer....) Registration is open- [Sign up here!](#)