

The Falcon Flyer

Distributed to Falcon Ridge Families

The Falcon Ridge Public Charter School's mission is to develop students who are competent, confident, productive, and responsible young adults who possess the habits, skills, and attitudes to succeed in life and be offered the invitation of a post-secondary education and satisfying employment.

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The next school board meeting is scheduled for Tues., May, 11th at 6:30



Meetings have been changed to 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, unless otherwise announced. Come and be informed with the decisions of our school.



Dates to Remember

- April 26th ~ Shirt orders will be in
- April 30th ~ 7th & 8th Field Trip Eagle Island Park
- May 6th ~ PTO Meeting
- May 11th ~ School Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.
- May 21st ~ Campbell's soup labels due

The next PTO meeting will be Thurs., May 6th, at 2:45 PM in the kindergarten room. During this meeting, we will be holding our PTO elections for next year. We will be voting on a PTO President, Vice President, Secretary & Treasurer. We would love to get more people involved with the PTO! If you are interested in any of these positions, please come to the PTO meeting. If you cannot make it to the meeting, please contact a member of the PTO board to express your interest. If you have questions about the positions, please contact a member of the board. Thank you!

PTO Pres.: Edina Willis, edinabw@aol.com
 PTO Vice Pres: Becky Morrison, july12th02@yahoo.com
 PTO Sec: Addie Ashton, addie@falconridgepto.com
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ISAT TESTING ...

ISAT TESTING HAS BEEN GOING VERY SMOOTHLY. THANKS TO ALL THE PARENTS THAT HAVE PROVIDED HEALTHY SNACKS FOR THEIR CHILDREN'S CLASSES. TESTING WILL CONTINUE THROUGH MAY 7TH. PLEASE BE SURE THAT YOUR STUDENTS GET PLENTY OF REST DURING THOSE WEEKS. ALSO, MAKE SURE THAT THEY EAT PROTEIN FOR BREAKFAST AND SEND HEALTHY SNACKS TO HELP THEM PERFORM TO THE BEST OF THEIR ABILITY.



7th & 8th graders are going on a field trip April 30th from 10:30-2:30. They will be going to Eagle Island State Park for a Civil War reenactment. Kids need to bring \$5 and a sack lunch.

Lottery Application Deadline is Today April 23rd

All prospective students, including siblings of existing students, will need to be registered for the lottery. In the past, the office staff has manually entered current students into next year's lottery. This year, we need parents of current students to fill out the on-line application. Idaho state lottery laws require existing students to be placed in the lottery drawing. As always, returning students will still have the highest priority in the lottery, which guarantees their place at our school until the space is given up. If you do not have internet access, forms are available in the office. **Deadline for applications is: April 23rd**

Campbell's Soup labels points are due by 5/21/10. Also, watch Albertson's receipts for bonus points! Please have them all into the office by May 21st.

Falcon Ridge

Citizens of the Week

1st gr. ~ Scout Hines

2nd gr. ~ Braden Ashton

3rd gr. ~ None this week

4th gr. ~ Nick Hopson

5th gr. ~ Amelia Negomir

6th gr. ~ Jessica Fisher

7th gr. ~ Chase Nielsen

8th gr. ~ Colby Pawson

PTO



Check out the PTO website for more information:
www.falconridgepto.com
 Sign up on our site to receive email reminders.

Next PTO Meeting
 Mark your calendar for:
Thurs., May 6th
at 2:45
 ~ Right after school ~

SCRIP ORDER INFORMATION:

Some gift cards can be purchased in the school office. (list →)
 If paying for the gift cards with a check, please make the check out to Falcon Ridge PTO. If there are other gift cards you would be interested in having the PTO pre-purchase, or if you have any questions about the Scrip program, please email Addie Ashton addie@falconridgepto.com

Scrip is an ongoing fundraiser and we are hoping that, with its success, it will help to decrease the need for other PTO fundraisers. Thank you to all those who have participated so far and are continuing to participate! Much appreciated!

Sweatshirt/T-shirt order will arrive Monday, April 26.



CARDS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE FOR SALE IN SCHOOL OFFICE

- Applebee's 2 - \$25.00
- Autozone 1 - \$25.00
- The Children's Place 2 - \$25.00
- Edwards Theater 1 - \$25.00
- Kohl's 1 - \$25.00
- Papa John's 6 - \$10.00
- Pizza Hut 5 - \$10.00
- Starbucks 3 - \$10.00
- Tully Coffee 1 - \$10.00
- Wal-Greens 1 - \$25.00

Roaring Springs Ticket Sales
 Information will be sent home on Monday

LUNCH MENU & PRICES

Milk \$0.35
 Lunches:
 1st-6th \$2.25
 7th-8th & adult \$2.50
 Extra slice pizza/entree`
 7th-8th & adult \$1.75

April 26th

Jamwich
 String Cheese
 Veggie/Fruit
 Cookie
 Milk / Chocolate

April 27th

Nachos's
 Beans Cheese
 Salsa/Fruit
 Cookie
 Milk / Chocolate

April 28st

Pizza Hut Pizza
 Salad
 Fruit
 Cookie
 Milk/Choc. Milk

April 29th

Corn Dog
 Fruit
 Veggie
 Cookie
 Milk/Choc. Milk

April 30th

McDonald's
 Cheeseburger
 Fruit/Veggie
 Cookie
 Milk/Choc. Milk

Yearbook

If you have any pictures of Falcon Ridge events (Fall Festival, Ski Trips, Skate Nights, etc.) the yearbook would greatly appreciate you sharing those with us. Also, pictures of FR students doing community service would be appreciated. Please email pictures to surbina@falconridgecharter.org or place digital copy (CD or thumb drive) in Mrs. Urbina's box in the office along with your name. Your CD or thumb drive will be returned to you the next day. Thank you for your help!

Order forms and Money due 4/28



Expressions Night (the school talent show & cake auction) will be Fri., May 21st. Please put this on your calendars so you can attend! Watch for more information in the coming weeks!



Thanks to everyone for their generous support of our school store! We've made almost \$300 so far, and we hope you're enjoying all you've bought. We'll have our last school store of the year next Friday, so come ready with change for some great deals on all our leftover items! 8th grade

Average Daily Attendance: Week of April 12th–16th
Classes highlighted below have reached our Weekly Attendance Goal of a minimum of 96% in attendance.

CLASS	TEACHER	%
Kindergarten	Mrs. Olsen	98.33%
1st Grade	Ms. Thurston	96.55%
2nd Grade	Ms. Strack	98.62%
3rd Grade	Mrs. Wierschem	100.00%
4th Grade	Miss Sterling	98.79%
5th Grade	Mrs. Moore	95.15%
6th Grade	Ms. Smith	95.76%
7th Grade	Ms. Grill	98.26%
8th Grade	Mrs. Tripp	100.00%



Help our school Join the March!

Our school has joined the **Samsung Mobile March to a Million** – a movement to collect and recycle 1,000,000 used mobile phones in 2010.

We need your help!

There are millions of old, outdated and unused mobile phones out there and our school could turn them into cash! For every 25 phones we collect, our school is entered to win one of 50 \$1,000 Green Grants. We could even win a concert by Hey Monday!

So not only does recycling mobile phones help the environment, but it could also help our school!

Just bring your old phones into school before June 1st and put them in the collection box. It's that easy! Don't forget to ask your parents, their friends, people you work with, friends on your sports team – anyone in the community – to hand over their old mobile phones.

Samsung Mobile will reuse the materials they can and properly dispose of the materials that can't be reused. This helps keep harmful chemicals out of landfills and our groundwater, while also reducing the need to use unnecessary finite natural resources.

Join the March today! By collecting old phones, our school can enter to win one of 50 \$1000 Green Grants or a concert by Hey Monday! Help our school become one in a million!

Mobile Phone Recycling Instructions

1. If your phone has a SIM card, remove it and store it for safe keeping
2. Erase all personal information on your phone (phone numbers, text messages, etc.)
3. Let the battery completely run out of power and keep the battery in your mobile phone