



◆NEWS RELEASE◆

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE BOISE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Friday, September 11: PTO Spaghetti Spectacular, Trail Wind Elementary School, 6 p.m. Trail Wind families are invited to enjoy an evening out with a spaghetti dinner (\$2/plate or \$10/family), door prizes, PTO information and displays, and more!

Monday, September 14: Boise School Board meeting, 7:30 p.m., District Services Center, 8169 W. Victory Road. Agenda items include presentation of Red Apple Award to **Lori Conlon-Khan**, music teacher, Horizon Elementary School; Introduction of ASB Representatives; Personnel Report. Public is invited to attend.

Monday, September 14: PFA (Parent Faculty Association) meeting, Hidden Springs Elementary School, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, September 15: PTO meeting, Mountain View Elementary School, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 16: PTA meeting, Washington Elementary School, 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, September 16: PTO meeting, East Jr. High School, noon

Wednesday, September 16: Lifetime Movers Event, Hillcrest Elementary School, 12:15-1:00 p.m. Five PGA golfers from the Albertsons Boise Open will be working with PE specialist **Roxy Therrien** and First Tee of Idaho to put on a golf clinic for 4th grade students at Hillcrest. Albertsons/SuperValu representatives will also be in attendance. The Golf Channel and local media will cover the event.

Thursday, September 17: PTO meeting, Trail Wind Elementary School, 70 p.m.

Thursday, September 17: PTO meeting, Owyhee Harbor Elementary School, 3:30 p.m.

Friday, September 18: Koelsch Elementary School will host **Anne Audain**, co-founder of the Women's Fitness Celebration, at a special assembly at the school beginning at 10:30 a.m. Audain underwent reconstructive surgery on both feet at age 13 and went on to become a professional female distance runner and qualified for the Olympics six times, among other accomplishments.

Saturday, September 19: School Carnival, Wm. H. Taft Elementary School, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Tuesday, September 22: PTA meeting, Maple Grove Elementary School, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 24: Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser, Marian Pritchett School, 5:30 p.m.

Friday, September 25: School Carnival, Washington Elementary School, 5:30 p.m.

Friday, September 25: School Carnival, Collister Elementary School, 5:30 p.m.

Friday, September 25: PTO Harvest Hoedown, Mountain View Elementary School, 5:30-8 p.m. Fun for the whole family! Enjoy Idaho haystacks for dinner, gunny sack races, bean bag toss and more! So, Mountain View families, don your western attire and join the fun!

Friday, September 25: PTA Potluck Social, Cynthia Mann Elementary School, 5:30 p.m.

Plan to Attend Back to School/Open House Nights: Mark your calendar and make plans now to attend Back to School/Open House Nights:

Boise High: Back to School Night September 15, 7 p.m.

Borah High: Back to School Night September 14, 7 p.m.

Capital High: Open House September 22*

Timberline High: Back to School/College Information Night September 14, 6:30 p.m.

Frank Church High: Open House/Conferences September 30, 4:00 p.m.

Dennis Technical Center: Back to School Night October 13, 6:30 p.m.

TVMSC: Open House/Back to School Night September 24, 7 p.m.

East Jr. High: Back to School Night September 10, 7 p.m.

Fairmont Jr. High: Open House September 10*

Hillside Jr. High: Back to School Night September 10, 7 p.m.

Les Bois Jr. High: Open House September 17, 7 p.m.

North Jr. High: Back to School Night September 17, 7 p.m.

Riverglen Jr. High: Open House September 15*

South Jr. High: Back to School Night September 10, 7 p.m.

West Jr. High: Back to School Night September 10, 6 p.m.

Adams Elementary: Open House September 15, 6 p.m.

Amity Elementary: Back to School Night September 10, 6 p.m.*

Collister Elementary: Back to School Open House September 17, 6:45 p.m.

Cynthia Mann Elementary: Parent Orientation Night September 10*

Garfield Elementary: Open House September 9*

Grace Jordan Elementary: Back to School Night September 10, 6:00 p.m.

Highlands Elementary: Parent Night September 15, 6 p.m.

Horizon Elementary: Parent Orientation Night September 10*

Jefferson Elementary: Back to School Night September 15, 6:30 p.m.

Koelsch Elementary: Open House September 15*

Liberty Elementary: Parent Orientation/PTA Ice Cream Social September 10, 6 p.m.

Lowell Elementary: Open House September 10, 6:30 p.m.

Maple Grove Elementary: Back to School Nights September 14, 15, 16*

Morley Nelson Elementary: Back to School Night September 17, 6 p.m.

Pierce Park Elementary: Open House September 10, 6:30 p.m.

Roosevelt Elementary: Back to School Night/PTA Ice Cream Social September 24, 6 p.m.

Valley View Elementary: Back to School Night September 10*

Washington Elementary: Open House September 10*

White Pine Elementary: Open House September 10, 6 p.m.

Whitney Elementary: Open House September 10, 5:30 p.m.

Wm. H. Taft Elementary: Open House September 10, 6 p.m.

**contact school for grade levels/times*

Borah Students Recognized: In July, **Sydney Kearns** and **Brenna Mansfield** participated in Students Taking Action with Recognition (STAR) at FCCLA's (Family, Career and Community Leaders of America) 2009 National Conference in Nashville, Tennessee. Kearns, a 2009 Borah High School graduate, took gold in Illustrated Talk. Mansfield, a senior at Borah, took silver in Early Childhood.

BSD Teachers Receive Sponsorship: **Julia Zarbnisky**, Title I teacher, Morley Nelson Elementary School, and **Jenny Gibbons**, 1st grade teacher, Grace Jordan Elementary School, received the Teachers as Researchers sponsorship from Optimize: Professional Development in the fall of 2008. After nine months of engaging in action research, Zarbnisky and Gibbons presented their findings at the National Staff Development Council's (NSDC) Summer Conference on July 21, 2009 in Boston, Massachusetts.

Mobile Rec Van to Visit BSD Elementary Schools: Boise Parks & Recreation invites kids in grades 1-6 to join them for sports, art, fitness, and nutrition education programs after school this fall. The Mobile Recreation Van provides safe, supervised fun right in your neighborhood! The Van will be at the following BSD schools from 3:15-5:15 p.m. on the dates listed:

September 14-17
Hawthorne Elementary
2401 W. Targee St.

September 28-30
Whittier Elementary
301 N. 29th St.

October 26-29
Horizon Elementary
730 N. Mitchell St.

September 21-24
Jefferson Elementary
200 S. Latah St.

October 5-8
Mountain View Elementary
3500 N. Cabarton Ln.

November 2-4
Garfield Elementary
1914 S. Broadway Ave.

November 9-12
Hillcrest Elementary
2045 S. Pond St.

A free, healthy snack is provided daily by the Freedom Resource Center, a non-profit local food bank. All participants must submit a waiver signed by a parent or guardian. The waiver is available at the site. For more information, contact **Roseanne Daily**, rdaily@cityofboise.org or (208) 854-4917.

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