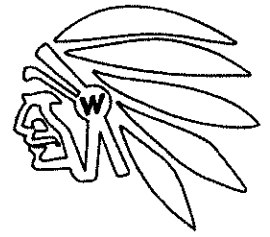


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Wishram School Newsletter

JUNE 2017

Drug Free
Smoke Free
Gun Free

News from the Principal's Office

Well, another month has come and gone at Wishram School, and we have many items to be excited about. We have sent the graduating class of 2017 off on another once in a lifetime trip to Mexico, our students had a tremendous showing at state track this year, and we will be capping off the 2016/2017 school year in just a matter of weeks. We are very proud of our students, faculty, and staff for carrying out another successful year at Wishram School District #94.

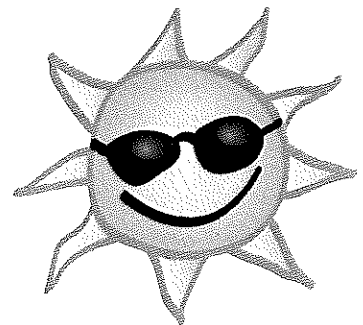
The Senior trip is something that our 12th graders look forward to (and fundraise for) from the first week of school until they depart. This year's class had to carry out an unprecedented fundraising effort in order to reach their goal of going on a Carnival Cruise ship to Mexico. Through hard work, determination, and a tremendous amount of support from Cassie Back (Wishram ASB advisor) the students were able to earn enough money to fund the vacation of a lifetime. This is yet another factor that sets Wishram school apart from most other educational experiences, and we take great pride in being able to provide such a beneficial experience to our (soon to be) graduates. This is only possible through the tireless efforts of Wishram School staff and community support, so a big thank you is in order for everyone involved in the Senior trip process.

State Track just concluded last weekend, and Wishram School had a very strong showing. In total, we had 7 Wishram students earn their way to state, with 2 receiving metals for placing in top positions. For such a small school, it is nearly unheard of to have such a high percentage of athletes make that top tier of competition at the state level. We believe our success in athletics can be attributed to our constant efforts in providing a school culture that encourages each student to do their absolute best, no matter what they are participating in. Please give our track participants some words of encouragement as you engage with them in our community.

June 9th will mark the last day of the 2016/2017 school year, and it's a bittersweet moment for all of us here at Wishram School. We are excited to see our graduates move on to the next stage of their lives, but we are sad to see them leave the everyday lives of our Wishram family. We cannot wait to see what our Seniors do next while we anticipate the return of the next crop of soon to be graduates.

Summer is a wonderful time to re-connect with our friends, family, and loved ones, but the school just isn't the same without students in the building. Please enjoy your summer, and we will be here to welcome you when your students return in the fall. The best has yet to come. All my best.

-Mike Roberts
Superintendent/Principal
Wishram School District #94



EVERYONE HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!

School Board Members:

Chairman, Clyde Rosa
Member, Kandy Churchwell
Member, Jeri Ruefer-Hore
Member, Eugene Wilson
Member, Detmar McCullough



*****School Board Meeting***
June 26, 2017 @ 5:00
School Board Work Session June 15th @
4:00**

Wishram School is currently operating under the CEP (Community Eligibility Program), which was created through the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids act of 2010, and allows qualifying high-poverty local educational agencies (LEAs) and schools to offer breakfast and lunch at no cost to all students without requiring families to complete an annual household application.

AVAILABLE STARTING JUNE 15TH

* USDA Summer Meals Hotline at 1-866-348-6479. Families will receive assistance to find the location, meal times, and contact information based on their full address, city, and/or zip code.

Wishram School District 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 employee has been designated to handle questions and complaints of alleged discrimination: Wishram School Superintendent, PO Box 8, Wishram, WA 98673, (509) 748-2551.

In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. Additionally, program information may be made available in languages other than English.

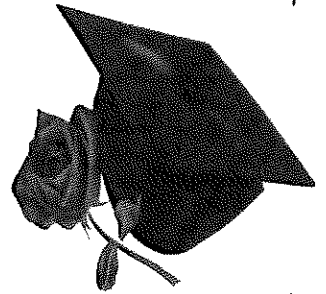
To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, (AD-3027) found online at: http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, and at any USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested in the form. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9992. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; fax: (202) 690-7442; or email: program.intake@usda.gov.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.





**Graduation June 3rd @
11:00 in the Gym-**



SECONDARY AWARDS

June 8th at 1:15 pm

ELEMENTARY AWARDS

June 9th at 10:00 am

STUDENTS LAST DAY OF SCHOOL - JUNE 9TH 12:00 DISMISSAL

REACH SUMMER PROGRAM
K-8TH FROM June 12th thru July 10th
9th thru 12th June 12th thru July 12th

(Call the school for more information)

This program is only for students that are eligible and have signed up for REACH by January 7th

SURVEILLANCE EQUIPMENT

Our surveillance equipment will be taking pictures of all the school grounds all of the time, north, south, east and west, as will the camera in the front hallway.

Wishram School videotapes teachers periodically as a tool to improve our teaching. We look at how we teach and how our students respond. These videos are for in-school use only. If you do not want your child/ren to be a part of this process, please call Ms. Chantler at the school at 509-748-2551.

Life Tip!

Anonymous tip line for school safety

1-866-LIVE-TIP Ext. 940

(1-866-548-3847, ext 940)

Report anonymously 24 hours a day/365 days a year:

Congratulations, GRADUATES

You are invited to attend
Graduation for the Class
of 2017 on June 3rd, at
11:00 am in the

Gymnasium

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Rebecca
7/24, 1/20

Alex Cloud

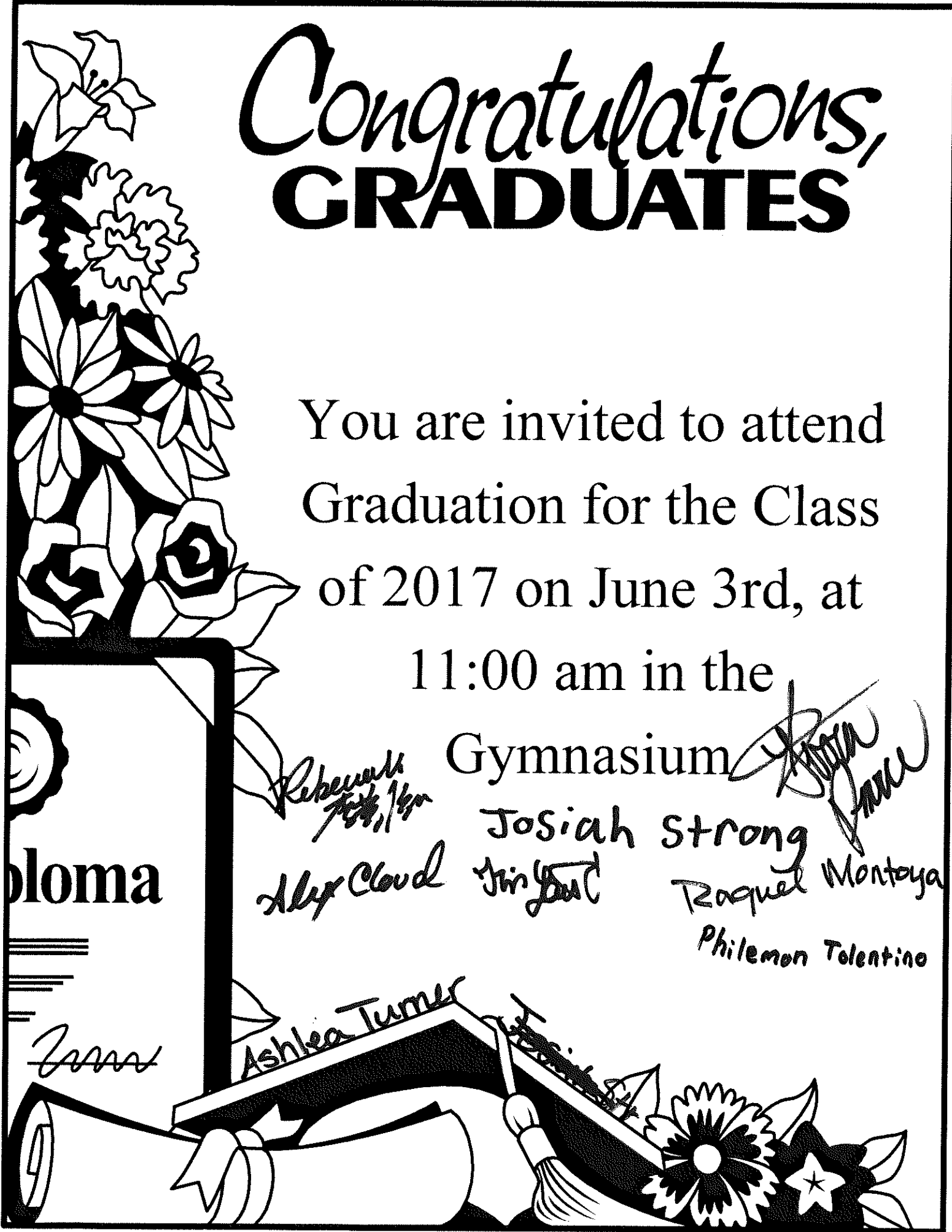
Josiah Strong
Jim Bout

Raquel Montoya

Philemon Tolentino

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Ashlea Turner



Wishram High and Elementary School Calendar

June 2017

Highlight						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	1 JH Track Awards at Spooky's at 6 WATER JAM 3rd and 4th Grades LV 830	2 Graduation Practice at 10	3 GRADUATION At 11
4	5 NURSE VISIT	6	7 2 Dismissal Teacher Inservice HS TRACK AWARDS -6PM AT SPOOKY'S HS Track Awards at Spookys at 6pm KaNeeTah 7 thru 12th	8 Elementary End of the Year Swim Trip Secondary Awards at 115	9 Elementary Awards at 10 Student Last Day 12 Dismissal	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 BOARD MEETING AT 5	27	28	29 STEM MATERIAL PICK UP	30	1

June 2017							
May 2017	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	
					1B-Cereal, toast, fruit & milk. L-Chicken & white bean chili, cornbread, salad, veggie, fruit & milk.	2B-Blueberry muffin, cereal, fruit & milk. L-Nachos, refried beans, salad, veggie, fruit & milk.	3
4		5B-Pancakes, fruit & milk. L-Chef salad, garlic bread, veggie, fruit & milk.	6B-Breakfast buddy sandwich, fruit & milk. L-BBQ pork flatbread, salad, veggie, fruit & milk	7 2:00 DISMISS B-French toast, fruit & milk. L-Hamburger, BBQ beans, salad, veggie, fruit & milk.	8B-Maple oatmeal, toast, fruit & milk. L-Turkey sandwich, salad, veggie, fruit & milk.	9 12: DISMISSAL B-Caramel apple salad, toast, fruit & milk. L-Chef's choice, salad, veggie, fruit & milk.	10
11		12	13	14	15	16	17
18		19	20	21	22	23	24
25		26	27	28	29	30	Notes:

More Calendars with US Holidays: [Jul2017](#), [Aug2017](#), [PDF Calendar](#)

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SEE COMPLETE NON-DISCRIMINATION STATEMENT ON OUR WEBSITE www.wishramschool.org

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SOLAR SATURDAYS

View the surface
of the sun!
(Weather & clouds permitting)



with **BOB YOESLE & FRIENDS OF THE GOLDENDALE OBSERVATORY**

☉ **SATURDAY, JUNE 3**

11 am to 4 pm

☉ **SATURDAY, AUGUST 12**

11 am to 4 pm

FREE TO THE PUBLIC!

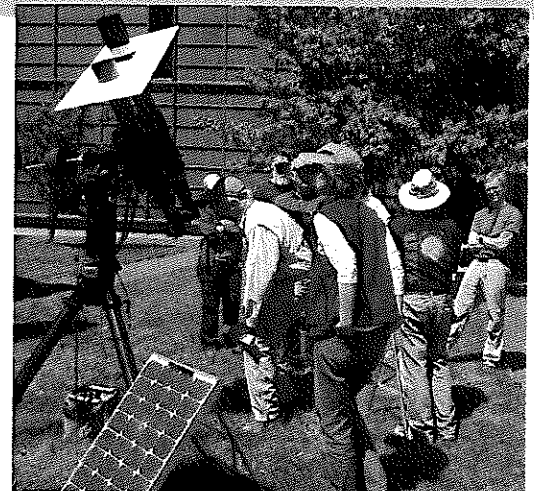
(Admission fee still applies for visitors who wish to see the exhibits)

☉ **THE GREAT AMERICAN ECLIPSE**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12

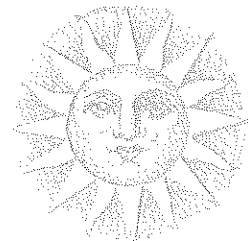
12:30-1:30 pm

Get ready to witness the greatest solar event in 40 years! Learn what you need to know about the August 21, 2017 Total Solar Eclipse in Central Oregon.



Friends of the Goldendale Observatory will present a solar viewing free to the public, using special safely-filtered telescopes. See the surface of the sun and learn about the fascinating physics which power our incredible star!

(PLEASE NOTE: Never look directly at the sun - especially using a telescope without approved filtration.)



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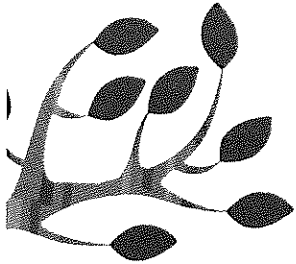
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In this fun summer program, your child will learn to read independently. Children learn phonics and sight words, build fluency and comprehension, and develop a love of books and reading. Your child will be excited about reading and get off to a great start in first grade.

Program for Entering 2nd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a fluent, confident reader. Children build solid phonics and word-attack skills and develop reading fluency and strong comprehension. Your child will be excited about books and reading and get off to a great start in second grade.

Program for Entering 3rd Graders

In this fun summer program, your child will become a fluent, confident reader. Children develop long-word decoding skills, reading fluency, and excellent comprehension. Your child will develop a lifelong love of books and reading and get off to a great start in third grade.

Program for Entering 4th Graders

Program for Entering 5th Graders

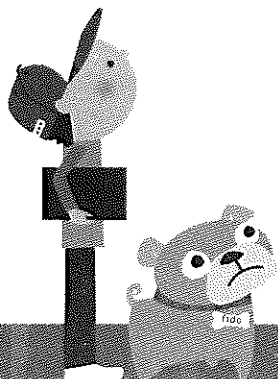
In these fun and effective summer programs, your child will become a skilled, enthusiastic reader. Students develop strong comprehension skills in both fiction and non-fiction and learn how to read and study textbooks. Your child will gain confidence and develop a lifelong love of books and reading.

Program for Entering 6th-8th Graders

Program for Entering 9th-12th Graders

In these effective and enjoyable summer programs, your child will improve comprehension in both fiction and non-fiction and learn to read twice as fast. Students learn the best way to read and study textbooks and take notes. Your student will complete homework more quickly and easily and enjoy reading more.

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– Parent of 3rd grader

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– Parent of 5th grader

“I liked tracking my reading speed and seeing it go up from week to week. It is much easier for me to study and take notes now. I don’t put off studying until the last day because I know I can get through it fast.”

– 6th-grade student

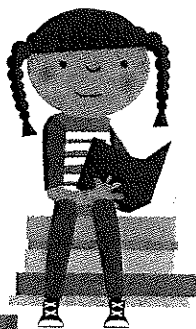
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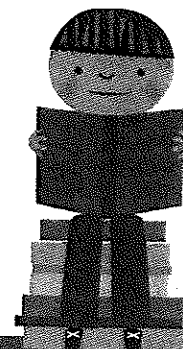
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