



Einstein News

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Fundraiser at Menchie's!

Menchie's will be hosting two fundraisers to support Einstein ASB activities. Go to Menchie's at Gateway in Shoreline on either November 5 or 18, 8:00 – 10:00 PM, and mention the Einstein fundraiser. They will donate 20% of the proceeds to the school.



november 5 , 8 pm – 11 pm
november 12, 8 pm – 11 pm

SPIRIT WEEK - KNOCK OUT BULLYING!

November 17th – 21st ASB will host a Spirit Week themed around knocking out bullying here at Einstein, which is a place where everyone belongs.

Monday: Superhero Day – Come dressed as your favorite superhero and help Einstein fight name-calling!



Tuesday: Everyone Counts Day – Here at Einstein everyone student counts so come to school with a shirt or jersey with a number on it.

Wednesday: Pajama Day – Put name calling to bed by wearing pajamas to school.

Thursday: We All Rock Day – We are all rock stars! Come to school dressed in your favorite concert shirt or dressed as your favorite musician.

Friday: School Pride Day – To end Spirit Week come dressed in our school colors! Represent Einstein in blue and orange and come ready to cheer on your classmates in a Students vs. Teachers Volleyball game assembly.

"The best way to cheer yourself is to cheer somebody else up."

- Albert Einstein

Volunteer Opportunities

Please sign up [HERE](#) to donate food for the Student of the Quarter breakfast celebration on November 7th. Contact coordinator Mary Rich with questions at richhome@comcast.net.

Please sign up [HERE](#) to donate food for Teacher Appreciation, set for the same day! Contact coordinators Rosemarie Cross (vinegrl2@yahoo.com) and Jen Salvione (salviones@hotmail.com) with questions.



Interested in Joining Einstein Clubs or Afterschool Activities?

An ASB card is required for all students participating in after school activities. They are \$25, and available in the main office before and after school, or during lunch. Please see your counselor if you need help with a scholarship. Club Advisors will be checking to see that all students have an ASB card. Get your card so you are able to attend your favorite Clubs!

ACTIVITIES

Information about clubs and other extracurricular activities can be found on the Activities Page of the website. Students participating in after school clubs or athletics are eligible to take the Activity Bus on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Unless otherwise noted, activities are 3:00 – 4:30

TUESDAY ACTIVITIES:

- Advanced Jazz Band (H-15, Halferty) 7:30-8:20 AM
- City of Shoreline Activities (SAC and Gym)
- AV "SOFA" Club (H-15, Halferty)
- Robotics Club (L-4, Thurber)
- Tiger Tutoring (Library, Teeters)
- GSA (D-5, Flatters & Zwack):
11/4, 11/18, 12/9, 1/13, 1/27



WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES:

- DACB Club (D-11, Moreno)
- Yearbook Club (E-8, Wheaton)
- Video Game Club (A-7, Riley)
- Tardy Tank / Afterschool Detention (B-2, Aspen)
- Pizza and Books (Library, Dame)
- Drama Club



THURSDAY ACTIVITIES:

- Advanced Jazz Band (H-15, Halferty), 7:30 – 8:20 AM
- Latino Club (E-8, Wheaton)
- Math Club (A-7, Riley)
- City of Shoreline Activities (SAC & Gym)
- Newspaper Club (L-4, Thurber)
- Tiger Tutoring (Library, Teeters)



FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- Jazz Combo (H-15, Halferty), 7:00 – 7:30 AM
- Jazz Band / Advanced Jazz Band (H-15, Halferty),
7:30 – 8:20 AM

Lost Something? Check the Lost & Found!

Students, please take a look at the Einstein Lost & Found in the SAC and near the Gym. You may find items you didn't even realize you were missing! Lunchboxes, jackets, silverware, shoes, purses—even student ID cards and cell phones. Don't delay—everything that is left on November 13th will be donated to The Works for local families in need.

Food and Toilet Paper Needed for this Year's Drive

The District wide food drive will be December 1st through December 12th. Please bring all non perishable items to you PRIDE room. No glass jars please. This year, the main item assigned to Einstein is toilet paper. As always, there will be friendly competitions between **PRIDE** rooms. All the items collected will be distributed to local families in need of assistance. Shoreline school district families in need of assistance have first priority in receiving your donations. We will also be collecting cash, gift cards and teen gifts during the food drive. More information will be available in the December newsletter. Families in need of food and other necessities may sign up with a family advocate. The pick-up date will be December 13th at Kellogg Middle School. Pre-registration is required. Please see your family advocate or register [HERE](#).

Einstein Wish List

- Another Microwave for Students to use at Lunch
- Healthy Snacks for Tiger Tutoring and other After School Clubs
- Ping Pong Paddles and Balls for the SAC



Principal Clark's *Comments*

For the last several years, Einstein teachers and students have worked to improve the academic achievement of every student. One of the many ways we measure our successes and find areas we need to improve is by analyzing our results on state, district and classroom assessments. We have consistently scored well above the state average in literacy, math and science on the MSP test. This fall we received our state results in literacy (reading and writing) and have something to celebrate. We improved our scores in reading and writing by three to four percentage points. We also made great improvement with all of our subgroups (Hispanic, Black, Low Income, and Special Education). Some of these subgroups made an incredible 15% point increase from the year before.

For the last few years we have purposefully worked to teach skills to improve literacy in every subject area. Teachers have utilized instructional strategies and provided students learning tools to use on state assessments. These same strategies and tools will help students be successful in future high school and college courses. This year students will learn some of the following strategies in their classes: active reading and listening strategies, note taking (Cornell Note taking and other ways to note and organize important information), questioning strategies, and a variety of tools to solve challenging math problem. As you look at your child's work in class, remember these are tools and processes that will help them learn. The tools they are creating are not the products of their learning. I encourage you to ask your child what they are learning and why. The growth mindset image to the right includes a series of helpful questions students can ask themselves about their work. This is a good place to start when you are working with your child.

This spring all students in the state will take the new Smarter Balanced Assessment. These assessments (tests) were designed to measure students' ability to perform the new Common Core Standards which most of the nation has adopted. The standards ask students to read, interpret, analyze and apply both informational text, as well as information from multi-media or other non-text sources. Einstein teachers have been unpacking these new standards and integrating and implementing them to their current curriculum for the last two to three years. As a school we hope to continue to provide our students with an engaging, interesting and challenging foundation

that prepares them for high school and beyond. This year in our school improvement plan our goal is to outperform the state average by 15.7% in both math and literacy. We hope to do this by working to provide students with meaningful, challenging lessons that ask them to read critically, to support their arguments with textual evidence and to persevere through challenging problems. If you want more information about Common Core Standards or the Smarter Balanced Assessment you may visit the following website: <http://www.k12.wa.us/Corestandards/default.aspx>. Despite our constant desire to improve outcomes for all students we also value and emphasize extracurricular opportunities and work to engage all our students in a middle school experience that is safe and provides opportunity for students to grow emotionally and socially. I am very proud of the additional experiences

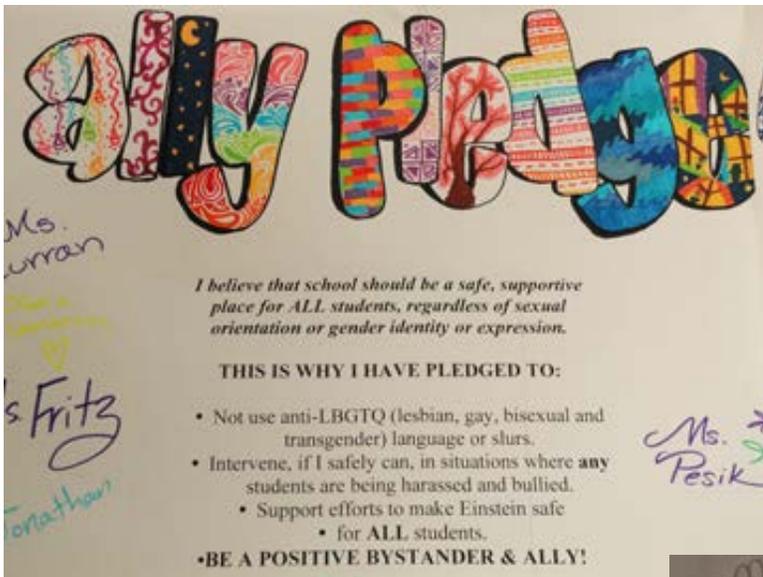




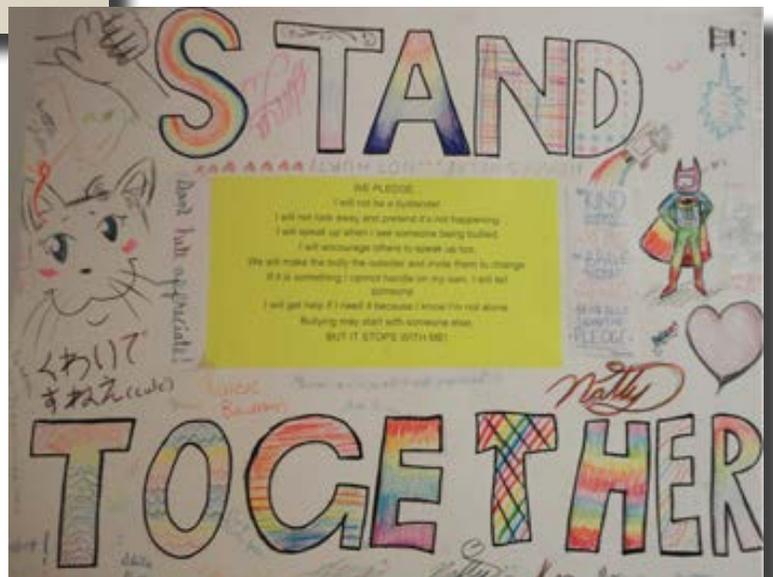
we provide students throughout the school day in their **PRIDE** classrooms. This year students will have several opportunities to discuss respect, kindness, empathy; we will provide students with the charge to lead change in our school and community. Seventh graders are mentored and supported by trained 8th grade leaders in their PRIDE classes. We also attempt to provide a variety of extension activities after school through our ASB budget to engage students in school. We have opportunities in athletics, music, science, robotics, video game design, sound and audio, drama, math, literacy (Pizza and Books, the Write Stuff, Online Newspaper and Yearbook Club). We also have clubs or organizations that allow students to lead change or lead important school events like ASB, WEB, Latino or International Club, and GSA. Lastly we have

clubs and organizations that are purely social. Students can join clubs called Video Game Club, Chess, Drawing/ Anime/Comic Book Club, Magic the Gathering Club, or hang out after school in the SAC with Shoreline Parks and Recreations.

If your child is struggling academically, socially or emotionally we are here to help. Please feel free to reach out to me, their counselor or one of their teachers for assistance. IF you have any additional information that can improve our school please feel free to send me an email stephanie.clark@shorelineschools.org



Ally Week - Support for LGBT students at Einstein





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PTSA President's Message

Anne Alonzi-Aw and Patty Austin, PTSA Co-Presidents

As our kids splish their way to school and back, it's clear that fall is here to stay! Whether you love the rain or hate it, our wet weather is a distinctive part of living in the Northwest. In addition to the rain, fall brings some exciting PTSA supported events.

Students of the First Quarter will be honored with a celebration breakfast on Nov 7th at 7:30am. Volunteers are needed to bake goodies. If you are interested, contact Allison Taylor at einsteinvolunteers@gmail.com.

Our annual food drive to support Holiday Baskets for families in our community will kick off in early December. Please consider purchasing and donating an item or two.

We are starting our search for a nominating committee. This committee helps to find the PTSA board members for next year, and is vital in keeping a strong PTSA going. We could really use the help of parents who can call people to talk about PTSA, especially those who know incoming 7th grade parents. If you are interested, please contact Patty at paustin820@gmail.com.

We would like to take this moment to thank all of you who donated to our Pass the Hat fundraiser. We are not quite at our goal, so if you have not yet contributed, stop by the office and donate. We are also grateful for all our wonderful volunteers. We could not do what we do without parents who are willing to give of their time to help our kids.

It's not too late! Please consider joining PTSA if you haven't already. We need members to be a strong PTSA and keep supporting our kids. Becoming a member does not mean that you have to volunteer or donate money. It's just about supporting the things we do for our school. PTSA programs benefit every student! Did you know PTSA is a lobbying organization? We send representatives to Olympia to advocate for all children's rights to education, health care, safety, just to name a few. National PTA does the same in Washington DC. Joining PTSA helps to give us a stronger voice for every child.

Happy Fall... stay dry out there!

Anne and Patty

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Join the PTSA

... Become part of the largest child advocacy association in the state!

The Einstein PTSA was recently recognized by the Washington State PTA with a Bronze Membership Award for enrolling 50% of the previous year's membership by September 30th! This would not have been possible without the generous support of those that have enrolled and without the dedicated work of Craig Yamane, Einstein PTSA Treasurer and Adriana Cunningham, Einstein PTSA Membership Admin. THANK YOU!! It is not too late to join...we need your support! Our goal is to reach 400 memberships by the end of the school year and we are currently at 282. With a school population of close to 700 students, this goal is achievable but only if you join. Thank you for your support!

Pass the Hat Fundraiser

The good news is that we're slowly making progress on our Pass the Hat goal to raise \$10,000 for our students and teachers. The bad news is that we're not quite there yet! We can still do this! Any donation is appreciated. Just drop it off in the office and tell the staff that your money is for the "Pass the Hat" fundraiser. Don't forget that your work might be able to match your donated funds. Watch for our next update!



PTSA Meetings

PTSA meetings are typically on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, although the schedule may change from month to month. Dates will be posted in the newsletter, and also on the PTSA and school websites. Everyone is welcome to attend these meetings. Please join us!

Upcoming meeting dates:

- Tuesday 11/11/14 – Because of the school holiday, this meeting will be held at one of the co-presidents' homes. If you would like to attend, please email einsteinpresident@gmail.com for the address and directions.
- Tuesday 12/9/14 – Einstein Staff Lounge

Cut here and return to Einstein PTSA via the school office: 19343 3rd Ave NW, Shoreline, WA 98177



PTSA Membership and/or Pass-the-Hat Donation Form

(Einstein's ONLY PTSA Fundraiser!) You do not have to be a PTSA member in order to donate to Pass-the Hat!

Name(s) _____	Membership for individual \$15.00	\$ _____
Address _____	Membership for two \$25.00	\$ _____
Student's Name _____	Pass-the-Hat (your donation)	\$ _____
Student's 6th period teacher _____	Total amount in envelope	\$ _____
If you would like to receive PTA legislative updates via email, please provide your email address: _____		

Membership Cards and Student Directory will be sent home with your student.

Please make checks payable to Einstein PTSA. The Einstein PTSA is a 501(c)(3) organization. Donations are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. To double your impact, check with your employer about matching donations.

Thank you for your support! Mail to: 19343 3rd Ave NW, Shoreline, WA 98177



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Respect

Our Einstein community focused on the **PRIDE** theme of **Respect** during the month of October. Together we have identified ways to address and reduce problems of bullying and harassment that occur in middle schools. Educating students, parents and staff is an essential part of the prevention of bullying, harassment and cyber-bullying.

DEFINITION OF BULLYING: Bullying happens when someone keeps hurting, frightening, threatening or leaving someone out on purpose. Bullying is one-sided and happens more than once.

TIPS FOR DEALING WITH BULLYING/HARASSMENT:

- Name what they are doing; "You are bullying/harassing me..."
- Tell them to STOP (look them in the eye and use a strong voice).
- Tell them you will report them if they don't stop.
- Bystanders (those who witness or join in while someone is being bullied): Start to stand up for others! Be an "Upstander" and "Ally" and report the incident.
- Report to a trusted adult: Classroom teacher, Counselors, Principals, Security, Parent/Guardian, etc.

All staff are here to help students learn and be safe at school!

We would like to share some events that are happening at Einstein to bring awareness to our anti-bullying efforts and encourage students to be a part of the solution:

- Counselor class visits and questionnaire with follow up check-ins with students who reported that they are being teased or picked on at school or online.
 - GSA (Gay Straight Alliance) sponsored "Ally Week" activities to promote taking a stance against bullying and the importance of standing up for each other.
 - 7th & 8th Grade PRIDE classes participated in a school-wide lesson and discussed the power of "Upstanders and Allies" vs. bystanders in dealing with bullying and making Einstein safe for all students. Each PRIDE class designed an Upstander/Hero pledge poster that will be displayed in the SAC so all can see our commitment to a safe school "Where Everybody Belongs"!
 - 8th grade WEB Leaders presented the "Heavy Stuff" lesson to their 7th grade WEB groups in PRIDE classes. The purpose of this class visit was to discuss how putdowns, name-calling and teasing weigh someone down and make life difficult. Students brainstormed what they can do each day at Einstein to help lighten someone else's load; smile and say "hi", include others, give compliments, give them a high-five/hug, listen to them, etc.
- It is important to realize that bullying is not a normal part of growing up. We all deserve to be treated with dignity and respect! Please contact your school counselors or administration with any questions or concerns. ■

Talking with Children about Violence

Our hearts go out to all those impacted by the events at Marysville-Pilchuck High School last month. It can be challenging to know how to talk with students about acts of violence such as this. According to the National Association of School Psychologists (NASP), children will look to adults for information and guidance on how to react. Click [HERE](#) for information published by NASP about ways to talk with your children that are developmentally appropriate and that help them feel safe.



LINES FROM THE LIBRARY

Anne Dame, Librarian

JOIN A CLUB!

- **The WRITE Stuff** - November is National Novel Writing Month (NaNoWriMo). When we meet on November 12th we will be encouraging all of our aspiring writers who are participating in NaNo as they strive to write up to 50,000 words in one month. We'll also be hosting Anne Doe-Overstreet, a published poet and editor this month.
- **PIZZA AND BOOKS** will be meeting again on November 19th. It is so much fun to hear the enthusiasm from our students as they talk about the books they have read. Some of them have even said that if we could meet weekly, they wouldn't even need the pizza! How's that for dedication?! As always, we are grateful to the generosity of the Richmond Beach Friends of the Library Association for sponsoring these clubs and enabling Aarene Storms to join me in leading them.

SCARY STORIES: Aarene Storms from the Richmond Beach branch of KCLS was here on October 20th. She told a ghostly story set in Bellingham around the Whatcom Falls Park and the Bayview Cemetery. Then she opened up the mic to allow students to share their own creepy tales. A lot of fun was had by all 235 students who were able to participate.



Student shares scary story at Richmond Beach Library

OVERDUE BOOKS: The library recently sent out email notices about overdue books. Please take a moment to help your student locate and return their books so that other students may borrow them. Thank you for your help!



NEW BOOKS:

His Majesty's Dragon by Naomi Novik: An alternate history about the time of Napoleon that includes dragons!

It Gets Better by Dan Savage: Many people, including celebrities, write letters to GLBTQ (Gay, Lesbian, Bi, Trans, and Questioning) teens to assure them that while things may be really difficult now, things do get better and not to give up hope for the future.

Fourth Down and Inches by Carla Killough McClafferty: A look at football history in regards to injuries and concussions

Family members are always welcome to check out books from our library, too. It is not limited to current students. Please feel free to browse in person or online (there is a link to the catalog on the library website: einsteinlibrary.wordpress.com). We'll be happy to set up an account for you.

WISH LIST:

- Parent volunteers
- Hearty plants that like fluorescent lights



Upcoming Concert Dates

Fall Concert

Wind Ensemble, Concert Choir, Symphony Orchestra
Wednesday, November 5 @ 7:00 PM, Einstein Gym

Fall Concert

Concert Band, Concert Orchestra, Symphonic Band
Tuesday, November 18 @ 7:00 PM, Einstein Gym

Holiday Assembly

Concert Choir, Jazz Band, Symphony Orchestra, Wind Ensemble
Friday, December 19 @ 9:00 AM, Einstein Gym

Getting Large Instruments to School

Children who play larger instruments in orchestra or band can no longer take their instruments on the school bus. Lorraine Flaherty, a band parent, is trying to organize car pools to help out. If your child needs a ride or you can offer a ride, please email her at lmf7b@yahoo.com, and we can try to put together a list.

Did You Know?

Students of the arts continue to outperform their non--arts peers on the SAT, according to reports by the College Entrance Examination Board. In 2006, SAT takers with coursework/ experience in music performance scored 57 points higher on the verbal portion of the test and 43 points higher on the math portion than students with no coursework or experience in the arts. The Student Descriptive Questionnaire, a self--reported component of the SAT that gathers information about students' academic preparation, gathered data for these reports.

Source: The College Board, Profile of College-Bound Seniors National Report for 2006.





CROSS COUNTRY



As summer gives way to fall, Einstein Cross-Country is off and running! The 2014 season was a tremendous success! This year, we had over 100 runners who worked hard to consistently improve and compete at the highest level. The boys' team went undefeated during their four meets leading up to the championships, while the girls' team enjoyed one first place finish and three very close second place finishes. At the 13 team League Championship meet at Shoreline Stadium, the 8th grade boys took 1st, 7th grade boys took a close 2nd, and both 7th and 8th grade girls took 4th place overall. Congratulations to the entire cross-country team for an outstanding season! Thanks for a great season, Running Tigers! Who are we?!?...Cross Country!!!

AWARDS CEREMONY

Come celebrate our Einstein fall sports teams at the end of the year party, November 4th, 3:15 PM in the cafeteria. We will be featuring Softball, Cross Country, and Football.



SOFTBALL

Einstein's super seventeen softball players have maintained positive attitudes, improved their skills, and had a lot of fun. The girls have enjoyed having former Einstein players, Bonnie Paulson and Allison Namba help out during the season, as well as other Shorewood High School players and their future high school coaches cheering them on during games. SW Varsity players gave them matching Einstein-blue personalized hair ties.

A huge thank you to Mr. McDowell who has given many hours throughout the season to help with practices and games.





EINSTEIN FOOTBALL 2014

Einstein Tigers Football team got a head start with our first ever 3 day football skills camp in June. This was a great way to introduce the players to the season. This year we had nearly 30 players turn out, and for most of them it was their first time suiting up and playing competitive football.

We kicked off the season as we faced off with Evergreen MS from Everett for the first time in our history. This unknown opponent got the win in a tough battled home game. Next was Harbor Pointe, and the Tigers would not let down the home crowd as we won 49-14! Kaden Graves threw a series of long touchdown passes to different players while Noah Keys ran for tons of yards. This was the largest victory for Einstein during Coach Jason's 8 year tenure here at Einstein. "Everyone played well in all aspects of the game," said Coach Jason Thordarson. Another set of firsts would come the following week: The 1st time playing Brier Terrace and the first time having a 0-0 score at half time in tough battle



on the road. Brier-Terrace would emerge the victors, but Einstein had now a tough gritty band of players that could battle the whole game.



College Place, the Tigers old nemesis, came to Einstein and snatched a victory in the last minute by chewing up the clock and not letting the Tigers' high powered offense back on the field. So with character, strength, and more offensive weapons then wins the Tigers headed to Alderwood MS in the rain and mud. According to Coach Jason, "This game was going to be 'Old School', grass, mud, rain...good stuff." Nelson Gibbs, Christo Brandt, and Joseph Williamson all had long runs for touchdowns! Assistant coach and defensive coordinator Gary Namba saw Murad Atayev record at least 3 sacks and 3 extra point conversions. "You guys have to stay on your blocks, run hard and tackle low" Coach Namba said. A familiar saying around practice as well.

The Tigers finished the season with a win against our old rival Kellogg. Matthew Bangsbert forced a fumble on a QB sack, deep in Kellogg territory. Tigers tried to power it in and even passed it for the score, but kept coming up short. Finally on 4th and 1, at the 1, with 40 seconds left, Murad Atayev and the Tigers' front line powered it in for the winning score! We took home the 7-0 victory and ended up with a .500 record of 3-3!

According to Coach Jason, "We have seen our team come together, grow, learn and win. We have risen up to the many challenges that have been a part of playing football: Learning new social skills, physical prowess, and balancing school work with sports. Everyone will have moments where we get knocked down. But not everyone gets back up and rises to another tough challenge. RISE UP!"

2ND SEASON SPORTS

We are gearing up to start Einstein's next sport season! Tryouts for Girls Volleyball and Boys Basketball start on November 6th. All students need to have their paperwork turned in and complete prior to the start of the tryout period. Because we have four sports requiring gym space for practice, we do rotate practices. A calendar of all practice dates will be given to athletes at tryouts and will also be available online. We encourage all students to try out, even if the sport is new to them! We had a great first season for Einstein student athletes and we're looking forward to a fantastic second season as well!



Community activities and events are included as a service to our families and students. These activities are NOT sponsored by the School District and the District assumes no responsibility for conduct or safety of the activities.

Fallen Heroes Project

Meet Michael G. Reagan, internationally acclaimed portrait artist, and learn about his mission to create portraits of the fallen heroes who have died in service to their country. A combat veteran of the US Marine Corps during the Vietnam War and a portrait artist for more than 30 years, Mike began drawing portraits of fallen service members after receiving a request for a custom commission from the wife of a soldier killed in Iraq. He has now drawn approximately 2,700 portraits free-of-charge for American and Coalition families who have lost a loved one in either Iraq or Afghanistan, and those who have committed suicide after their service. For more information about his project, go to www.fallenheroesproject.org.

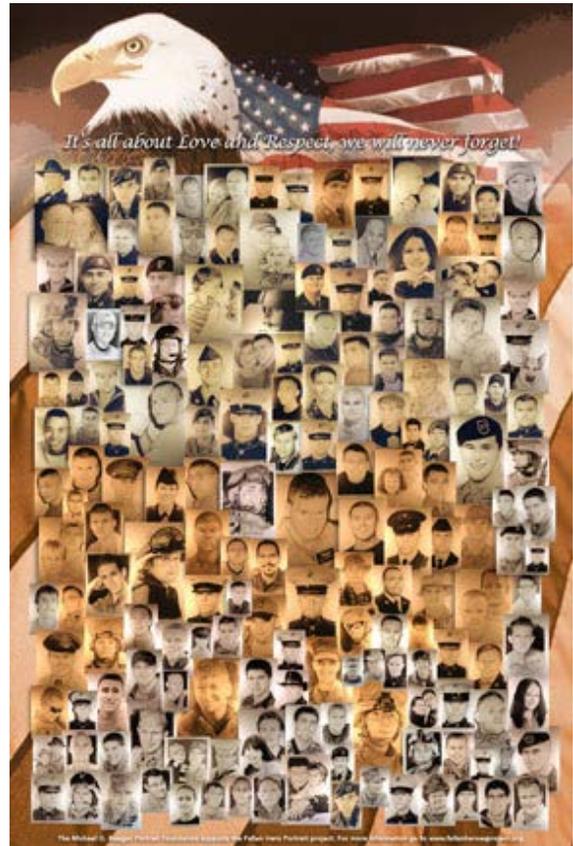
Thursday, November 13 at 7:00 PM
Third Place Commons

Common Core Information Night

The Common Core State Standards, or "Common Core," are academic learning goals for grades K-12 in math and English language arts. The Common Core replaces Washington's learning standards in math, reading, communication and writing. Common Core was conceived by educators and representatives from individual states to identify and develop college- and career-readiness standards for grades K-12. In Washington, we will replace some of our state tests with new exams aligned to the Common Core in math and English language arts. The new exams are a part of a comprehensive system called "Smarter Balanced."

Join Teri Poff (Director of Teaching and Learning for Shoreline Schools), Michael Power (Director of Assessment and Student Learning) and district instructional specialists for an informative and interactive evening of learning about the Common Core State Standards and Smarter Balanced Assessments.

Wednesday, November 12, 7:00 PM
Shoreline Room, Shoreline Center
18560 1st Ave. NE, Shoreline 98155



College Bound Scholarship Program

The College Bound Scholarship program encourages low-income, middle school students to choose a path that will lead to educational success after high school. The program promises tuition (at public institution rates) and a small book allowance for income eligible students who sign up in the 7th or 8th grade, graduate with at least a 2.0 GPA, stay out of legal trouble, and successfully apply to a higher education institution when they graduate. Students may sign up in the 7th or 8th grade, and need only apply once. The deadline for all applicants is by June 30 at the end of their 8th grade year. Visit the College Bound website for more information.





November 2014

November

11/2	SUN	Daylight Saving Time ends
11/4	TUE	Fall Sports Awards, 3:10 PM
11/5	WED	Concert (Wind Ensemble, Concert Choir & Symphony Orchestra)
11/5	WED	Menchie's fundraiser, 8:00 – 10:00
11/6	THU	Shoreline Special Needs PTSA meeting, 6:30 PM
11/7	FRI	Veteran's Day Assembly
11/7	FRI	Student of the Quarter
11/7	FRI	Teacher Appreciation
11/11	TUE	Veteran's Day – No School
11/11	TUE	PTSA Meeting – 6:30 PM, email presidents for location
11/12	WED	Common Core & Smarter Balanced Information Night, 7:00 PM, Shoreline Center
11/18	TUE	Concert (Symphonic Band, Concert Band, Concert Orchestra, & Mixed Chorus), 7:00 PM, Gym
11/18	TUE	Menchie's fundraiser, 8:00 – 10:00
11/21	FRI	Spirit Day Assembly – Staff versus Students
11/25	TUE	Boys basketball @ Kellogg, 3:45 PM
11/25	TUE	Girls volleyball @ Einstein, 3:45 PM
11/26	WED	Early Release
11/27	THU	Thanksgiving – No School
11/28	FRI	No School



Happy Thanksgiving!

December

12/1	MON	No School – staff work day
12/3	WED	Boys basketball @ College Place, 3:45 PM
12/3	WED	Girls volleyball @ Einstein, 3:45 PM
12/4	THU	Season 2 Sport Team Photos, 3:15 PM
12/9	TUE	PTSA Meeting, 6:30 PM, Staff Lounge
12/10	WED	Concert (Einstein & Shorewood Orchestras), 7:30 PM
12/11	THU	Boys basketball @ Einstein, 3:45 PM
12/11	THU	Girls volleyball @ Olympic View, 3:45 PM
12/15	MON	Boys basketball @ Heatherwood, 3:45 PM
12/15	MON	Girls volleyball @ Heatherwood, 3:45 PM
12/18	THU	Boys basketball @ Einstein, 3:45 PM
12/18	THU	Girls volleyball @ Voyager, 3:45 PM
12/19	FRI	Holiday Assembly, 9:00 AM

12/20/14 – 1/4/15 – Winter Break

Athletic Schedule

Here is a link to the [Fall Sports Schedule](#).

Lunch Menu

Here is a link to the [Middle School Breakfast and Lunch Menus](#)

After School Activities

Information about clubs and other extracurricular activities can be found on the [Activities Page](#) of the website. Students participating in after school clubs or athletics are eligible to take the Activity Bus on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

Activity Bus

4:45 PM	Bus parks in front of Einstein gym
4:45 PM	Depart Einstein
4:50 PM	Richmond Beach Library
4:58 PM	Shorewood High School
5:04 PM	Highland Terrace Elementary
5:11 PM	Parkwood Elementary
5:18 PM	Meridian Park Elementary
5:22 PM	Echo Lake Elementary
5:26 PM	Dale Turner YMCA
5:32 PM	Shoreline Center