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Progress, Pride, & Possibilities

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City of Pilot Rock

City Council Meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 16, in Council Chambers. at 5:30 pm, in order to allow Council members/staff to support the Booster Club Chili/Soup Cook Off.

The next flu clinic will be held on Saturday, Nov. 6, from 10 am-12 noon in Council Chambers. Please call City Hall to get on the list for that day.

*****Burn Ban Reminder*****

Please call 541-278-6397 prior to burning anything, including your burn barrels , to see if it is a burn day!

Special thanks to Chief Richman, Tim Britain, Adam Ruiz, the Football team and Troy Jerome for all of their help in taking down and storing the canopies used throughout the summer in the Community Garden area

Pilot Rock School District

Pilot Rock schools Receive High Marks on Statewide Report Card

Pilot Rock Elementary School received an "outstanding" rating on the Oregon State Report Card for the 2009-2010 school year, released by the Oregon Department of Education in October. This is the highest rating a school can receive. Pilot Rock High School scored a "satisfactory" rating, the second-highest ranking.

The Oregon State Report Card takes into account a district's ratings on the federal Adequate Yearly Progress report and the statewide Oregon Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (OAKS) assessments when determining a district's rating.

The entire district "met" Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) for 2009-2010, which is the annual federal designation in accordance with the No Child Left Behind Act. This requirement is an annual determination of whether or not schools meet rigorous academic goals in math, reading, attendance and participation. Schools must "meet" AYP as an overall school or district by 2014 and reach targeted benchmarks annually. Currently, at least 60 percent of all students in a district must "meet" AYP for a district to meet the designation.

At the elementary level, 99.28 percent of all students "met" AYP benchmarks in the academic status category; at the middle school level, 77.91 percent of students "met" AYP; and 82.26 percent of all high school students "met" AYP in the academic status category.

In the statewide OAKS tests, Pilot Rock students fared well, meeting or exceeding the statewide average in most levels and categories. For example, in 5th grade reading, 95 percent of Pilot Rock students met or exceeded statewide benchmarks, while only 78 percent of students statewide managed to do so. In 3rd, 4th and 5th grade math, 95 percent of Pilot Rock students met or exceeded benchmarks, while only 80 percent of students statewide did so.

Congratulations to the Pilot Rock School District students and staff for such outstanding results on these tests! For details about Pilot Rock's achievements on the federal AYP and statewide OAKS tests, please visit the Oregon Department of Education's Web site, www.ode.state.or.us.

Support Your Local Merchants

Pilot Rock High School Greenhouse

Annual poinsettia sale starts November 29, 2010.

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- 10-17 UEMV NW Alder Dr.
Area Checks
- 10-18 Area Checks
Abandon Vehicle Hwy.395
UEMV NE 4th
Citizen Contact SW Birch Pl.
Agency Assist NE Cherry
- 10-19 Area Check
Dog @ Large McGowan Dr.
- 10-20 Follow-up SE Cherry
Driving Complaint NE 2nd
Theft SE 3rd
Area Checks
- 10-21 Public Nuisance NE Fir
911 hang-up SE Cherry
Abandon Vehicle NE 4th
Citizen Contact W. Main
Area Check
- 10-22 Area Check
Civil Issue SE Cherry
Noise Complaint SE Douglas
Follow-up
- 10-23 Area Check
Suspicious Person W. Main
Trespass SW Birch Pl
Citizen Contact NW Cedar
Agency Assist E. Birch Cr.
Public Nuisance SW Cedar
- 10-24 Death Investigation SW 10th
Citizen Contact SE Cherry
Area Checks
- 10-25 911 Hang up NW 3rd
Criminal Mischief NE 5th
Area Check
- 10-26 Suspicious Circumstance NE Gumwood
Agency Assist NE Gumwood
Suspicious Vehicle R.A. Koch Rd
Area Check
- 10-27 Public Works Assist SW Birch
Animal Complaint SW 2nd
Area Check
- 10-28 Alarm SW Birch St
Agency Assist Pendleton
Criminal Mischief N. Alder St.
Criminal Mischief SW Cedar
Criminal Mischief NE Elm
Area Check

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- 10-29 Area Check
Follow-up
Burglary McGowan Dr.
Driving Complaint Birch Cr.
- 10-30 Open Door NE Cherry
Noise Complaint SW Birch
Area Check
- 10-31 Information
Area Check
Follow-up



**Remember to change your clocks
back to Standard Time Sunday
a.m. ---Nov. 7 "Fall back" 1 hour!**

PRHS Happenings

**Monday, November 8th - Parent
Teacher Conferences from 4:00 - 8:00**

**Tuesday, November 9th - Parent
Teacher Conferences from 4:00 - 8:00**

**Wednesday, November 10th - Picture
Retakes**

**Thursday, November 11th - NO
SCHOOL - VETERAN'S DAY**

**Friday, November 12th - SCHOOL IN
SESSION**

**Saturday, November 13th - JHBB home
against Weston, Stanfield & Boardman**

**Monday, November 15th - JH & HS
Football Awards @ 6:30 in the
Cafeteria.**

Project 0

Project 0: Zero Tolerance for Bullying is a group of Pilot Rock High students who have accepted the challenge to foster a school culture of mutual respect, kindness, and safety.

The goal of Project 0 is to reduce bullying and harassment by discouraging the acceptance of inappropriate behaviors by others and creating a school climate of mutual respect and support.

The first step toward Project 0's goal is to provide education about bullying and how to stop it. Project 0 plans to sponsor a day-long motivational program that will feature a one-hour motivational assembly for the entire school followed by smaller workshops for students, parents, and staff. This day-long program will teach students to communicate effectively, to understand the perspectives of others, and to influence others with kindness.

Project 0 students are currently raising money to bring in a nationally recognized motivational speaker to provide the assembly and workshops. They have already designed and printed their logo on tee-shirts to sell at events. They have submitted a student grant application and are now appealing to community organizations and businesses for small donations to help reach their goal of \$3500.

To support Project 0, contact Troy Jerome, Principal of PRHS, or Jean Guidry, at 541-969-4610.

PR Fire Dept. Run Log



10\18\2010 QRT Medical

10\20\2010 Fire Training

10\21\2010 Qrt Medical

Also a reminder to check/change your smoke detector batteries when you change your clocks..... if you need assistance in doing this please contact the Fire Department

@ (541)443- FIRE

Captain Jeff C Hemphill

Pilot Rock Fire District 7-401

Senior Center News

The Senior Center will be having a Pre-Christmas and Baked Food Sale Dec 4, 2010 from 9 am to 2 pm at the Pilot Rock Senior Center . All proceeds from this sale will go to add on to the \$500.00 Pilot Rock 2011 Senior High scholarship already in place. Pilot Rock Seniors will be going to the Pendleton Senior Center on Wed. Nov. 17th. Meet at the Pilot Rock Senior center at 11:00 am if you need a ride. Pinochle will start at 1:30 pm that day instead of 1:00 pm. Be sure to join us for pinochle every Wed. , Bingo every Friday and Game Day every Monday all starting at 1:00 pm. The Senior Center will be opening it's doors Dec. 10 th & 11th to Shop with a Cop. Linda Hill

Booster Club

Pilot Rock Boosters annual Chili/Soup CookOff and Auction. Tuesday, Nov 16 at the PR Community Center.

6pm - Chili/Soup CookOff
6pm - Silent Auction begins
7pm - Silent Auction ends
7:30 - Oral Auction begins



Chili/Soup Info - Cindy Leasy 276-1418
Laura Byrnes 443-5681

Auction Info - Robyn Deter 443- 2041
Joan Harrison 443-2041

Cash prizes are awarded for the 1st and 2nd places in the Chili and Soup Cookoff

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Georgina O'Connell 541-443-2231

Food Pantry

Saturday, November 13, 2-5 pm

PR School District

No School on Thursday, Nov. 11, 2010. Students and staff will observe Veteran's Day. There will be school on Friday, Nov. 12 to complete the four day week.

PILOT ROCK School Bond Project Update



October 18, 2010

Winding down work on Pilot Rock bond project

Completion of the heating and ventilation system is upon us. Right now the work revolves around the testing and "commissioning" which is complicated and involved. This should be wrapped up soon. Commissioning involves ensuring that the various pieces of equipment do exactly what the control system software tells it to do. There are thousands of data points that need to be checked against the various settings on dampers, fan speed, CO2 settings, and many others. Commissioning looks at simple things like condensation pump operation, whether a gas furnace is really firing at full capacity or something less, whether the economizer mode is working when, and how, it should be, and a host of other items. The software that controls all of this new equipment allows great control of all of the systems, making them much more economical than in past years. One of the things that should really change students' ability to concentrate is control of the CO2 levels in each classroom. There has been quite a bit of time spent working on calibrating these sensors to ensure they work properly. Mike Grush from Innovative Air understands the software he's written specifically for our systems, and continues to make adjustments as we go through the test sequences.

The YMC crew has completed all of their work. They installed covers over exposed refrigerant piping, and built a "crab pot" to cover some of the equipment in the elementary covered area to protect it from bouncing balls and other damage. YMC wrapped up their job by installing some flashing work to repair roof damage done in wind storms.

Bids for attic insulation at the elementary school, and exterior paint for the junior high/high school, have been received and awarded. Rainwater drainage at the elementary and junior high cafeteria has been provided to protect installed equipment. A dropped ceiling in the elementary hallway to hide the equipment in the ceiling is on the project list.



Above, two examples of covers in place to protect the new equipment.



At right, a wall was added in the boys locker room to protect the equipment there.

