Subscribe Past Issues View this email in your November 4, 2023 Tyee Times unit # 0053 <u>browser</u> TYEE PTSA YOU BELONG • STAY CONNECTED Tyee Middle School PTSA (#2.3.145) is dedicated to enriching the educational experience for children and their families through collaborative efforts with teachers, educational staff, and the local community. We are committed to our mission and goals, which aim to foster a vibrant learning environment and strengthen the bond between school and community. PTSA/School Calendar Friday, November 10: Veterans Day No School Sunday, November 12: Reflection Submission Deadline Monday, November 13: Winter Clubs & Sports Season Starts Friday, November 17: Principal's Coffee, Topic "Student Safety" Thursday-Friday, November 23-24: Thanksgiving No School Read this message in: <u>Español, 简体中文</u>, <u>Pусский, Tiếng Việt, 한국어, العربية</u> To access a list of all languages, please view here and click "Translate" in the top right corner. PTSA Calendar Tyee MS Calendar WalkAbout Volunteer Library Volunteer Principal Lillie wishes all Tyee family a happy autumn. Don't forget that the clocks will "fall back" one hour at 2 a.m. on Sunday, November 5, 2023. **PTSA NEWS** Thank You For You Support **MOD Pizza Fundraising Recap** We want to express our heartfelt gratitude to all the Tyee families who participated in the MOD Pizza fundraising event on October 29, 2023. The total sales amounted to an impressive \$706.61, resulting in a generous contribution of \$141.33 (20% of the total sales) to the Tyee PTSA. This support is truly remarkable. We hope that our wonderful Tyee community will continue to stand by and support the Tyee PTSA. Thank you all for your unwavering commitment! BSD Middle School Consolidation Plan Take Action Now **Taking Actions After the BSD MS Consolidation Forums** Dear Tyee Families, we want to update you on the recent BSD middle school consolidation forum held on Monday evening, where approximately 100 parents came together to discuss important matters. If you have any questions and concerns, please contact: MSConsolidation@bsd405.org Now, as a community, we need to come together and take action to keep all 5 middle schools open for our Tyee community. Here are some essential steps we can take: • Step 1: We intend to purchase and create 100 yard signs featuring the slogans "No Middle School Consolidation" and "Keep Tyee Open." Please consider contributing to help make this happen. You can donate using the following link: https://tyeeptsa.org/Packet/KeepTyeeOpenDonate. • Step 2: We urge parents to attend the upcoming BSD board meetings and express our collective thoughts. It is essential that more families voice their support for Tyee Middle School, ensuring that BSD does not cut off Tyee Middle School or any of its programs. For meeting details and schedules, visit BSD Board Meetings. If you would like to make a public comment for a meeting please follow the public comment policy as outlined here. • Step 3: Keep a close watch on this parent initiative website: Keep BSD Schools Open. Your feedback is valuable and can help us in our efforts. We deeply appreciate your support and dedication to keeping Tyee Middle School open. Together, we can make a difference and ensure the best educational experience for our children. Thank you for being a part of our Tyee community! Request to Make Public Comment at the BSD Board Meeting Fundraising GOAL: \$35,000 Goal \$35,000 \$30,700 87% \$28,000 80% TYEE \$21,000 60% 40% \$14,000 YOU BELONG • STAY CONNECTED 20% \$7,000

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SCHOOL NEWS

programs, and more.

we sincerely thank you for your support.

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Tyee Bucks Fundrasing

We're grateful for the support from our Tyee families in our Tyee Bucks Fundraising

Campaign. So far, we've raised \$30,700, which is 87% of our \$35,000 goal. These funds

directly support Tyee field trips, classroom supplies, teacher grants, student events, PTSA

Tyee Bucks is an ongoing fundraiser, and you can donate at any time for your

convenience. While we suggest a \$150 contribution per Tyee student, we appreciate

donations of any size that fit your budget. Your generosity makes a significant impact, and

Seeking

During Lunch Time

Volunteers for

Tyee Library!

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

email anfangh@bsd405.org with any questions. Please sign up via this link if you can help, thank you for your support. https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0D44AEA92AA1F49-45427116-fall **BSD NEWS**

Middle School Consolidation Timeline

Please note that these time frames are estimates and may be updated throughout the

• Share draft recommendation with community through a School Board meeting, email

• Conduct community forums and surveys to gather feedback on the recommendation

• Superintendent revises recommendations based on community feedback

• Superintendent presents recommendation to the School Board for approval

questions,

comments and

feedback

Library Volunteers Needed

The Tyee Library Specialist, Holly Anfang, is looking for volunteers to help in the library

during lunch. The first lunch is our busiest and volunteers are needed to help kids find

books on the shelves, walk around and make sure students remember the rules of the

library. It is a great way to be involved at the middle school. Volunteers need to have

completed their BSD Volunteer Background check prior to volunteering. Please

November to December 2023 • Synthesize community feedback • Share summary of feedback and considerations from community forums through additional community engagement

• Equitable and targeted outreach to specific groups

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• Superintendent and team develop a draft recommendation

Middle School Consolidation Study

Middle School Consolidation Study process.

January 2024

February 2024

March 2024

district encourages your emailing MSConsolidation@bsd405.org.

and on the district website

Join the Bellevue Strategic Planning Team for an Innovative Future

Join the Bellevue Guiding Coalition to shape our educational future! Apply by November

15, 2023. Selected applicants will meet on November 29, 2023, to design our next 5-year

Watch Superintendent Aramaki's invitation

strategic plan. Celebrate Bellevue High School's 100th Anniversary and be a part of the next 100 years of innovation in education. Apply here for the Strategic Plan Guiding Coalition. More details will be on the district website soon. Exciting times ahead for the Bellevue School District! **COMMUNITY NEWS** Join Girl Scouts Our volunteer run Weebly page has info on Girl Scouts in Bellevue. You can submit your contact information and we'll reach out to you about troop The world's best leadership development formation, answer any questions, and have upexperience for girls in K to 12th grade dates on other info nights at other locations. It also has the link to the council website. Come to a Girl Scout Information Night. We'll have a fun activity for the youth. Date: Thu, November 9 Time: 6 pm to 7:30 pm **Location: St. Andrew's Lutheran Church** 2650 148th Ave SE SouthBellevueGirlScouts.weebly.com (By Bellevue College and the fire station). 1st floor in the Education Wing (left building) GIRL TESTED. GIRL APPROVED. SINCE 1912. girl scouts of western washington **Join GIRL SCOUTS** We invite you to our information night on Thursday, November 9th, from 6 to 7 pm. The location will be St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, located at 2650 148th Avenue SE, next to

the fire station, and across the street from Bellevue College. Please join us in the

Education Hall (the South entrance). Bring your daughters and any siblings. We will have

an activity for the children. Feel free to invite your daughter's friends to the meeting, as this

is the easiest way to form a troop. For information on Girl Scouts in

For questions, you can reach out to: mjvossler@msn.com and angela@liad.org

Bellevue: southbellevuegirlscouts.weebly.com

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• Unbelievable deals!

jackets, pants and much more!

• Got gear? Pre-register items online

• 10,000 + items for sale (new & used)

www.newportskiswap.com

Newport Ski Swap

Mark your calendar! The 37th Annual Newport High School Ski Swap will be on November

10-11, 2023. It's the largest ski swap in the Seattle area. Clear out your garage and bring

your snow sport gear to sell at the swap (pre-register items online). There will also be

several retail ski vendors selling new gear. You can find thousands of new & used items

available at unbelievable deals! Skis, snowboards, boots, poles, jackets, pants and

more! See attached flyer or visit www.newportskiswap.com for more information. Get

Bellevue Downtown Ice Rink

The Bellevue Downtown Ice Rink returns for its 26th year to the picturesque Bellevue

Downtown Park from November 17 through January 15, 2024! Known as the Eastside's

largest open-air seasonal ice-skating experience, the ice rink is open daily, including

holidays, and features 9,000 square feet of ice, a spacious viewing area, concessions, free

parking and more. From free skate lessons to special events, this holiday tradition is

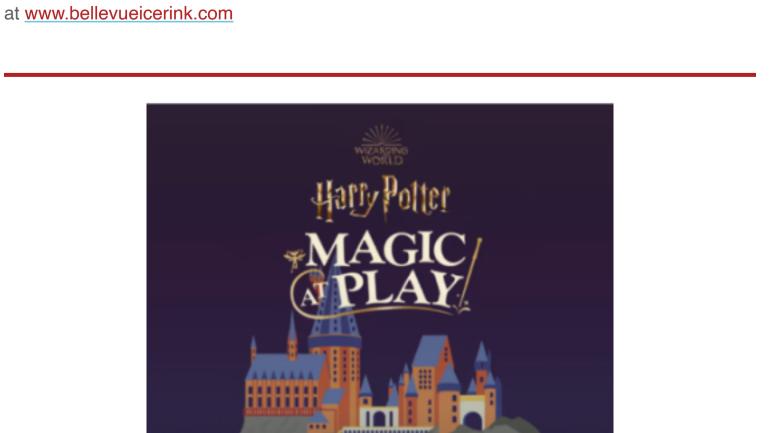
Rink opening times vary. Plan your visit and purchase online tickets. Walk-up tickets are

limited, so visitors are strongly encouraged to purchase in advance

perfect for friendly get-togethers, celebratory outings, or family gatherings.

Friday, November 17, 2023 — Monday, January 15, 2024

ready for the snow season!



Discover the Wizarding World and celebrate Harry's adventures in this new hands-on experience, filled with magical moments and active play for witches and wizards of all ages! Harry Potter™: Magic at Play is a unique experience that will engage the imaginations of all ages to bring out the young witch or wizard in all of us. Explore, climb,

and play your way through multiple rooms of fun packed with playful celebrations of your

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ON ADVOCACY

Friday, November 10, 2023 — Thursday, November 30, 2023

favorite places and moments! Get your Tickets

Event Website

The Shops at The Bravern, 11111 NE 8th St. Bellevue, WA 98004

Harry Potter: Magic at Play

in person 1/15/24

Focus on Advocacy Day will take place on Monday, January 15, 2024 at the Capitol Building in Olympia. Stay tuned for details and registration. Don't miss out on this in-person opportunity to connect with WSPTA advocates.

Common Links:

Volunteer Interest Form

Washington State

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Tyee PTSA Website

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Who can come to Focus Day? PTA members and students are welcome!

Tyee PTSA Executive Committee

Secretary: Lesley Tay-Chung

Washington State

President: Stella Chen & Sandy Zhang

Save the Date: Focus on Advocacy Day on 1/15

Programs: Lalitha Subramanyam & Prasetha Warrier Bellevue School District Ways&Means: Ting Li & Jenny Chen Bellevue PTSA Council Communication: Peggy Wang & Sarah Washington State PTSA National PTSA O'Brien Contact us: tyeetimes@tyeeptsa.org Treasurer: Xiao Liu & Kelly Wong

Washington State

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