



REACH is a program of Educational Service District 112

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NEWSLETTER



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Wishram



In collaboration with the Wishram School District



GRANT PARTNERS AND ACTIVITIES

Before winter break, elementary and secondary students made ornaments and gifts to give to their loved ones. This opportunity was a big hit, and it was great to see students get excited about having something to give to those they love and cherish.

We have been working on teamwork, and elementary students have built some fantastic Lego communities. There were fire halls, homes decked out with furniture and fireplaces, and farms with tractors.

Secondary students are working on their CO2 cars. We have had to postpone the races due to sports and poor weather but be on the lookout for a Facebook post with the rescheduled date.

On a cold day in November, we met Trout Unlimited, led by Laurie Wilhite, on Mile One of Klickitat River. We learned abundant knowledge about the different types of trees and bushes native to this area. We then had the privilege of planting many of these native plants to help restore the area to its original beauty.

We enjoyed dinner and Game Night with our partner KLASAC, and WAGAP also showed up. It is always wonderful to hang out with our families.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

September kicked off with an exciting night of circus FUN! Games, face painting, and prizes. We thank Washington Gorge Action Programs (WAGAP) for providing gift certificates for shoes to all our families.

In October, in partnership with Wishram ASB and Wishram School District, we hosted our Fall Family Movie Night and a Halloween Carnival. The "Fall Family Movie Night" was topped off with nachos, hot cocoa, and popcorn. What a fun night for all. The following Tuesday was the Wishram School Halloween Carnival—loads of candy and games made for a fun night.

With winter break approaching, December was a short, fast, and furious month. We celebrated December with a "Family Craft Night" and our annual Winter Program.



Game night is always fun!



Let's build something fun!



Creating a colorful poster.



Lets build a house!



Everyone loves crafts!

K-5 Student Highlight

ESPY SOTO
(4TH GRADE)

What is your favorite thing about REACH?
"We get to work with Perler Beads, I really like Perler Beads."

What is something fun you did at REACH recently?

"I really like painting. I did a painting of a tree and a flower. I liked the tree the best."

What have you learned at REACH recently?
"When Ms. Barnhart does Makers Club on Thursday I have been learning about science, mixing solutions and how to use science equipment carefully."



6-12 Student Highlight

ROSELYNNE DUKE
(8TH GRADE)

What is your favorite thing about REACH?
"My favorite thing is that I can just chill!"

What is something fun you did at REACH recently?

"Completing 5 three-dimensional wood puzzles. They were a: gumball machine, roller coaster, film projector, and a Rube Goldberg marble run."

What have you learned at REACH recently?
"Something I have learned in REACH is that anything can be fun...if you choose to make it fun."

