

SUMMER 2016 KEACH NEWSLETTER



Dallesport Elementary Lyle Secondary

GUEST PRESENTERS: We welcomed several special guests to our program – Will Hornyak from the Fort Vancouver Regional Library came to tell us stories, Artist Janet Larsen from Arts in Education of the Gorge (AIEG) shared Japanese art and we created recycled art with Artist Cynthia Caudill from AIEG.

FUN ACTIVITIES: Included in the daily schedule were STEM activity centers with architecture, building, and math projects and games. We went on lots of fun field trips, including the Trout Lake Nature Preserve and the Columbia Gorge Airport with Cascadia Adventure Education School and we got to visit the Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI) in Portland, OR. We also had a chance to buddy up with the Wishram REACH students for a field trip to the Oregon Coast Aquarium to "Sleep with the Sharks." It was an amazing trip and we learned so much!

Upcoming Events!

REACH FALL EXTRAVAGANZA KICKOFF

WHEN:

Saturday, Sept. 17, 2016 10:30am - 12:30pm

WHERE:

Horsethief State Park (Columbia River Gorge) with Cascadia Adventure Education School

WHAT:

We invite you to join us in a family fun day with food, activities for the family and educational opportunities for all!

Join us for the Great Race!

GUEST PRESENTERS: Marlowe Lyddon from AIEG came to visit and do a variety of art and writing challenges. We were able to experiment with watercolors, acrylics and sketching, and also explored different methods of storytelling and listening. Rita Pinchot and Rettai Reppy from Klickitat-Lyle Against Substance Abuse Coalition (KLASAC) also made special appearances, where they lead us in healthy activities and focusing on our healthy selves – we even built a time capsule with letters to our future selves!

FUN ACTIVITIES: Our summer program offered the opportunity for students to make up a credit that they did not finish or earn a future credit. Four students finished online classes and earned that credit, and one student earned an elective credit for volunteer work here at the school during program hours. We had an awesome multi-sport day with Cascadia Adventure Education School, where we hung out at the Hood River Waterfront Park, had a cookout, saw a kiteboarding demonstration and got to kayak and paddle-board!

A BIG THANK YOU to all of our wonderful partners for helping to make our summer program such a huge success. We had a fantastic year and look forward to more great things in the fall!









Register for Fall!

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