



JOG-A-THON 2010

And the winner of Jog-A-Thon 2010 is....Mary Woodward students! Our amazing Mary Woodward families helped us reach our goal by raising over \$27,000 (after expenses)! Thank you to everyone for all of your generous support and participation. These important funds will cover our estimated classroom expenses for Art Literature, science fair and other classroom activities for the year!

We had an incredible group of volunteers serve on the Jog-A-thon committee. Among them are Suma Raviprakash, Bron Carter, Clair Swain, Jennine Follett, Jenna Smith, Susan Liles, Lisa McKinney, Deborah Anderson, Jill Weinstein, Tracy Sanford, Holly Chesler, Emese McConnell, Tanya Steele, Bonnie Duncan-Winn, Julie Riggs, Denice Portwood, Molly Smith, Lisa Rice, Tracy Wandersheid, Jeff Woodhouse, Stephanie Brown and Thomas Mooney. There are several MW staff we would like to recognize as well they are Mrs. Darr, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Sweeney, Mrs. Mullins and of course Danielle Niemi whose tremendous contributions we couldn't do without. Thanks you also to the Ambassadors for helping with the Jog-A-Thon posters and to our entire MW staff who encouraged all the kids to participate in a variety of ways. We would also like to thank several area businesses that contributed to our event namely Red Robin, Chuck E. Cheese, Safari Sam's, and Bullwinkle's. Last, we would like to thank all of the parents who are too many to list but who helped with many of the details of the event before, during and after Jog-A-Thon. This is truly a group effort and we so appreciate your work.

Individual and Class Results for 2010 Jog-A-Thon

On October 28th, at lunch, we awarded our top pledge earners and top boy and girl lap runner for each grade. We also awarded three classes for top pledge earnings and they will receive a sundae party from Red Robin.

And the winners are:

Top Lap Runners:

Kindergarten: Corry Gavin, Melissa Areolla Botello, Karlina Christianson, Olivia Poulivaati and Lillian Herman

1st Grade: Thomas Mconnel, Megan Pileri and Ainsley Davis

2nd Grade: Spencer Kuffel and Rachel Billings

3rd Grade: Lukas Netzlof, Elizabeth Brands and Abigail Nelson

4th Grade: Brandon Amos, Eric Belden, Robert Carter and Amber Boone

5th Grade: Marc Webb, Thomas Forsythe, Ali Briles and Anna Billings

Top Pledge Earner Overall:

Alex Bledsoe

Top Pledge Earner by Grade Level

Kindergarten: Harold Steele

1st: Brock Sanford

2nd Jake Seelig

3rd Owen Switzer

4th Eric Belden

5th Haley Tiedemann

Top Pledge Earning Classes

Sheffels, Miller, Otto

Congratulations Everyone!

Katy, Heidi and Kathy

Making Our School Better, Together. The Mary Woodward Parent Support Organization (PSO) was established to promote quality education, communication and understanding among the students, parents, faculty and the community of Mary Woodward Elementary School. The PSO sponsors various academic and social programs, coordinates volunteer activity and conducts fundraisers, all in the spirit of providing enrichment for our students and assistance for the work in the classroom. All parents and legal guardians of enrolled Mary Woodward students are invited to participate in the PSO. There is no cost for membership. Meetings are usually held the second Monday of each month from 9-11am in the cafeteria. For more PSO news online, visit www.marywoodwardpso.com.

BOOK FAIR!

BOOKFAIR A SUCCESS

Thank you to everyone who came and bought books for themselves, their children, and their teachers. The Book Fair was VERY successful, due in large part to the parent volunteers who helped setup the fair, sell books, and pack everything up. Thank you for all your support, it is GREATLY appreciated!

Lots of books were purchased for our wonderful teachers from the Classroom Wish List Display. I know they appreciate every one of their new books. Our library will also benefit greatly from all the hard work our parents have done to contribute to the book fair.

The students and teachers had fun with the Super Hero theme and guessing game.

Thank you to all our parents for making this a fun and rewarding event! And

a great BIG thank you to all our volunteers many of them working 2-3 shifts! We couldn't have done it without you!



MISSOULA CHILDREN'S THEATER

To The Shining Stars

Thank you to the kids and parents who helped to make

King Arthur's Quest a huge success. Without all of you it would not have been the fantastic show that it was. We really appreciate all of you! Thank you, Lisa Stroud

BOX TOPS and LABELS Contest Update

As of October 14, we have raised over \$368!! We have some early leaders in the Donut Party contest:

- K – Orchard
- 1 – Rask
- 2 – Bell and Waufle – too close to call!
- 3 – Pederson
- 4 – Otto
- 5 - Sheffels

This contest continues until December 3, so there is still plenty of time to collect those Box Tops and Labels! Look for the display in the cafeteria to see how many your class has collected.

Questions? E-mail me at karenemerson@frontier.com.



PSO MEETING
Monday, November 8th
9:00 am in the Cafeteria



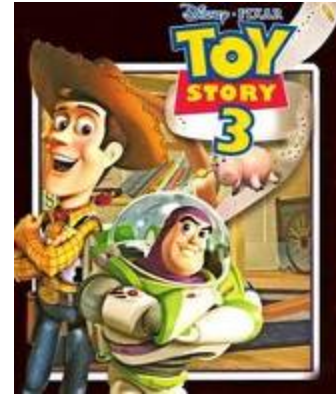
Dedicated to keeping kids healthy, in school and ready to learn! Did you know the School Based Health Center at Tigard High is a designed to ease access to healthcare for ALL students and staff in the Tigard Tualatin School District? The SBHC provides comprehensive physical, mental and preventative services such as:

- Routine physical exams: sports physicals
- Treatment of minor illnesses and injury
- Mental health counseling
- Diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic illnesses
- Immunizations and lab tests
- Substance abuse assessment and referral

This valuable community resource accepts most private insurance, the Oregon Health Plan and will provide services to students and staff regardless of their ability to pay. Urgent health concerns are seen on a walk in basis. Appointments are recommended for non-urgent concerns. 503.431.5775

Mary Woodward PSO Family Movie Night

and the movie is...



**Friday, November 19th
Doors open at 5:45
Movie starts at 6:15**

Don't forget to bring your low beach chairs, blankets, and pillows and pick out the perfect spot for your family on the floor.

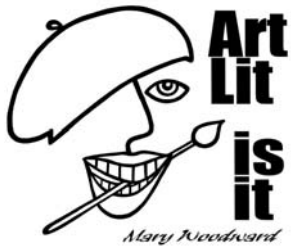
ADMISSION:

**FREE with a
non-perishable food item
or \$2.00 donation/family**

GREAT FAMILY NIGHT OUT!

Popcorn, juice and candy concession stand will be waiting for you! (for low prices)

Volunteers Needed
Please contact Donielle Brown
classroom_mama@yahoo.com
(503) 590-8891



Want to Make an Impression?

Berthe Morisot was a member of the circle of painters in Paris who became known as the Impressionists. She exhibited tremendous ambition and

fierce independence in pursuing her painting career and is now considered one of the most important Impressionist painters.

Do you know some of the characteristics of Impressionist paintings?

- visible brush strokes
- emphasis on light and dark
- ordinary subject matters
- pure unmixed complementary colors to achieve the effect of intense color vibration
- outdoor painting (“en plein air”)

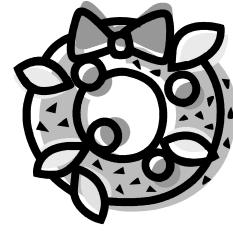
For the month of November, students will learn about Morisot and Impressionism and get to paint an impressionistic styled painting.

Be sure to check out the artwork on display in the hallways throughout the school.



If you still haven't signed up to help with Art Lit, it's never too late! Please contact artlitchairs@gmail.com for more information.

Make your list, check it twice,
then come to the Mary Woodward



Holiday Bazaar

Saturday, December 4th
9am – 3pm

Kids will have a great time shopping for the whole family. We'll have a special Kids' Craft Area for making holiday cards, ornaments and more. They can even have a FREE professional picture taken with Santa Claus! This year's vendors are all excellent crafters, including our talented 4th and 5th grade vendors. We hope you and your family can share in the fun and magic of this holiday event.



We still could use some help!

Do you like to decorate?

Come help decorate, Friday the 3rd from 3pm – 5pm. Call Natasha Ryan at 503-579-8139.

Enjoy crafts and working with kids?

Volunteer in the Kids' Craft Area on Saturday. Call Tanya Steele at 503-521-1608 to sign up.