School Board votes to put bond on May 19 ballot

Wednesday evening, the Centennial School Board voted to place a bond before voters in May. The proposed bond is for $65 million. If the proposed bond is approved by voters in May, it would fund school facility capital projects, including: repairing and replacing roofs, boilers, foundations, windows and flooring, and other school facility improvements; upgrading school safety and security systems; adding gymnasiums to four schools that have no dedicated gyms; and repurposing Oliver Elementary back into a middle school, including library, science, locker rooms and career technical improvements. More information will be available in the next few weeks on the district’s website.

Centennial High School robotics

New this year, students have been participating in robotics at CHS, through the SUN after school program. We have been focusing on getting underserved and ELL students involved in STEM programs. Robotics is off to a nice start thanks to the advisor, Jade Robinson, the SUN supervisor, Damein Roache, and some super cool students. Students had a chance to compete Saturday, January 11 against approximately 25 schools from around the state. The tournament was held at Sandy High School and things went great. The Sandy High School Robotics teams has been helping our new Centennial Robotics, by sending over experienced teams and experienced advisors to get us up to speed. This help was crucial to get us competitive. Our two teams placed well for our first try, getting 20th and 28th respectively out of 30 teams. Thanks to everyone who has helped this program get off to a great start!

CHS Drama students do well at Mt. Hood Conference League Acting Competition

On Saturday, January 11, Centennial High School hosted about 250 Mt. Hood Conference (MHC) actors for the MHC League Acting Competition. Twenty-four Centennial actors participated in Solo and Duo Acting Scenes. Several CHS students were recognized at the end of the day for their performances. A superior is the top 10 percent and honorable mention is the top 20 percent of competitors. Congratulations to the following:
FBLA members compete at Canby High School to qualify for state

This past weekend, several Centennial High School Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) members competed at Canby High School to try to qualify for the Oregon FBLA state conference in April. Students must place in the top 10 to qualify, below is the list of Centennial FBLA state qualifiers. Go Eagles!

- First Place - Coding & Programing – Matthew Vu
- First Place - Global Business – Sadie Cochran & Hailey Rosenblad
- First Place - Graphic Design – Brian Chut
- Second Place - Agribusiness – Ava Fischer
- Second Place - Accounting – Tyler Marston
- Second Place - Political Science – Sadie Cochran
- Second Place - Public Speaking – Tyler Marston
- Third Place - EBusiness – Adabell Martinez-Ordonez & Shea Parker
- Third Place - Public Service Announcement – Becca Crosse & Ava Fischer
- Third Place - Sales Presentation – Hailey Rosenblad
- Third Place - Securities & Investments – Kameron Berry
- Fourth Place - Intro. to Business Presentation – Adabell Martinez-Ordonez, Shea Parker & Matthew Vu
- Fifth Place - Entrepreneurship – Becca Crosse
- Sixth Place - Personal Finance – Kameron Berry
- Seventh Place - Accounting – Brian Chut
- Eighth Place - Hospitality Management – Emilee Pease

Time to sign up and join the Centennial Team for the 2020 Shamrock Run

Join the Centennial Team for the 2020 Shamrock Run on Sunday, March 15, 2020. Centennial is one of the longest running teams in the event. Teams are just by name. The team registration deadline is Friday, January 31st at midnight.

You can run any distance – 5K run or stride, 8K, 15K or Half Marathon.
• Running on a team does not mean we have to run together. Running on our team means: Your bib, timing chip, and shirt are conveniently shipped to CMS a couple of weeks before the run.
• You’ll have fun stories to share with your co-workers about your experience, and
• If we reach 75 members, part of our entry fee goes right back to the Centennial community
• To sign up: Go to http://www.shamrockrunportland.com/
• Select your event
• When it asks for a team name, we are Centennial.

Sign up today! If you have any questions, email ashley_madison@csd28j.org

B-I-N-G-O tonight at Powell Butte Elementary School

Powell Butte Elementary School is holding a BINGO night in the school's gym, tonight, Friday, January 24, at 6 p.m. (doors open at 5:30p.m.) Bingo cards for purchase are: one card for .50 cents, three cards for $1.00 or 20 cards for $5.00. Cash and Major Credit Cards accepted.

There will be lots of great prizes to win! There will also be a food vendor selling food and refreshments. Cash only for food purchases. Join us for Fun for the whole family! Please note - Bingo Night is not a “Drop Off” event. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Enjoy a burger and support Food for Families

Food for Families is holding their monthly fund-raiser at Five Guys Burgers and Fries, 2595 SE Burnside Road, Gresham on Tuesday, January 28, 10:30 a.m. – 10 p.m. For more information, see the attached flyer.

Around the district:

It’s all in a day’s work for Patrick Lynch Elementary School’s Principal Jeffrey Cerveny. Recently the retirement of one of the school’s custodians coincided with the other custodian being out sick – so when no subs were available, Principal Cerveny took on the task of taking the school’s garbage out. Thanks to all our employees who jump in when they see something that needs to be done.
Food for Good

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10:30am-10:00pm
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