



BARNES BUTTE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
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Teacher Appreciation Week

Thank you for your dedication, hard work and investment in the future of all our students!

Barnes Butte is fortunate to have such an awesome staff!



Over the past 6 weeks, Mrs. Kelly's 5th grade class has been observing, first-hand, the life cycle of steelhead trout. Students have been taking care of 200 eggs, preparing them for their journey to the Pacific Ocean. We took observational notes about water temperature, stages of growth, and characteristics of the trout. The eggs hatched and they became what is called alevin. We watched them use their yolk sacs for nutrition and when those were gone they became fry. The steelhead started swimming around the tank and we knew they needed to be released soon. This past Friday, our class took all of the steelhead trout, dead or alive, to the Ochoco Creek to release them. They are now on their way to the Pacific Ocean!

**ATTENDANCE PIZZA PARTY WINNER
WEEK OF APRIL 24-28
1ST PLACE – KINDERGARTEN 96.2%
ATTENDANCE
WON THE PIZZA PARTY!**

PTO Meeting Wednesday, May 3 - 3:30 WE NEED YOU!

At this meeting **nominations** will be taken for the **2017-18 PTO officers**.

If interested and unable to attend, please contact the office.

Elections will take place at the June 7th meeting.

School **carnival is Friday, May 19th**
Many volunteers are needed!

We need help with games, food, silent auction, bounce houses, set up and clean up.

Bonus Badger Recess This Friday, May 5

Hat Day 25¢ or 1 Badger Buck
Recess Treats 25¢ & 50¢

Barnes Butte Happenings

- Wed. May 3 PTO Meeting 3:15
- Mon. May 8 School Board Meeting
District Office
- Thurs. May 11 PTO Dillon's Night
- Wed. May 17 Fin, Fire, Feather gr. 1 – 3
- Fri. May 19 School Carnival
- Thurs. & Fri. 4th Gr. Overnight field trip
May 25 & 26 to Baker City
- Mon. May 29 No School, Memorial Day
- Mon. – Wed. 5th grade field trip to Oregon Coast
June 5 – 7
- Wed. June 7 PTO Meeting 3:15 Library
4th grade Chimney Rock Field Trip
- Date change Kindergarten Promotion 12:30**
- Thurs. June 8 Field Day – AM Grades K,1,2
Field Day – PM Grades 3,4,5
5th Grade Promotion 10:00
- Fri. June 9 Last Day of School
Dismissal 11:30