

Thank You

Hailey Einck...

for donating \$222 to Griffin Creek Elementary to purchase physical education equipment. Hailey earned this money by putting on the Run for Obesity. With these monies we were able to purchase a Kin-Ball. In the coming months your children will be learning fun activities using this ball.

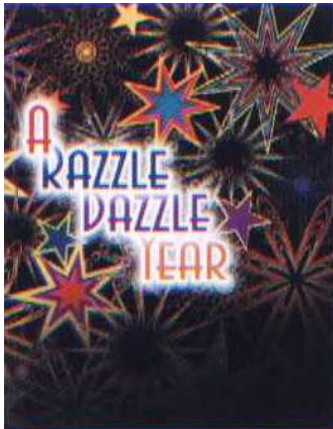


Susan Holt & The Couple Truffle Shuffle...



for donating \$327.45 to Griffin Creek Elementary to help support our monthly 2K runs. April we gave away Griffin Creek water bottles to the top three runners in each grade level. We will continue to give monthly awards for different levels of winners.

Yearbooks



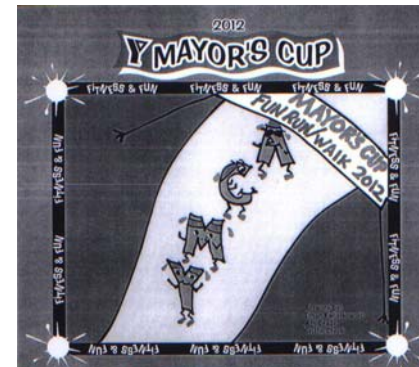
Presales for 2011-2012 are going on now. Price this year will be \$13 each or 2 for \$25. Reserve your copy now! We will be ordering a limited supply so when they are gone, that is it!! **Don't miss out!**

Yearbooks will be here the end of May or the first of June.

April 20, 2012

Congratulations!

Ethan Kwiatkowski
1st Place
2012 Mayor's Cup T Shirt Design



2012
Griffin Creek
Spelling Bee Winners

| | |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Justin Watson | 5th Grade/Mr. Smith |
| Liliana Huizar | 5th Grade/Mr. Sullivan |
| Nicholas Cramer | 3rd Grade/Mrs. Larson |
| Vanessa Vega | 6th Grade/Mr. Hagy |



Battle of the Books Winners

1st Place
Purple Nerds

Ella Bloom
Abby Easton
Phoebe Larson
Tayla Ritchie

2nd Place
Totally Awesome Fire Breathing Colts

Jase Graham
Quinn Morell
Caden Munroe
Jacob Ramsay

What's Happening in the Community...



Please Join Us To
**Shoot For The Stars
 In Our Youth's Education**

Medford Schools Foundation Presents
 The Annual

KIDS COUNT FUNDRAISER

Thursday, May 3
 5:30 pm
 Rogue Valley Country Club

RSVP: Your Table Host or
 Andrea Childreth, 541-944-2591, andrea@spotlightmkg.com



ROGUE VALLEY YOUTH CHORUSES AUDITIONS

Rogue Valley Youth Choruses provide opportunities for talented young singers in Southern Oregon in grades 3-12 to participate in a choral organization of the highest quality. If you would like to be part of our organization, then come and audition with us. We will hold auditions for 3rd - 9th graders Wednesday, May 9, 2012 in the South Medford High School Choir Room between 4:00-6:00 pm. For more information and to download an application, please visit our website – rvyouthchoruses.org. If you have questions, please call Donna Barrett 541-878-2214.



What's Happening at Griffin Creek...

| April | | |
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| 25 | | Administrative Professionals Day |
| 27 | 1:50 | Arbor Day Run |
| May | | |
| 3 | 6:30-8:00 | Art Show |
| 7 | | School Closed |
| 8 | | National Teachers' Day |
| 9 | | Mid Quarter |
| 11 | 8:05 | Assembly |
| 16 | 2:00 | Kindergarten Roundup |
| 22 | 6:30 | PTO Meeting - Board Elections |
| 31 | 5:00 | Agony of DeFeet |
| June | | |
| 5 | | 6th Grade Fun Day - Emigrant Lake Waterslides |
| 7 | 6:30 | 6th Grade Recognition |
| 8 | | Last day of Instruction |
| | 8:05 | Assembly |
| | 9:00-10:00 | Primary Field Day |
| | 10:00-11:00 | Intermediate Field Day |
| | 1:30 | 6th Grade Softball Game |



Box Tops for Education

Turn in 25 Box Tops to the office during morning recess the month of April and receive a Smencil.
 Additional Smencil's can be purchased for \$1.00



Family Reading

~Make reading together a family value~

Read to, or with a parent or guardian throughout April and be entered into a drawing at the next assembly!

Student Name

Parent/Guardian Signature