



# Corvallis High School

A tradition of excellence; preparation for the future

May, 2005

## Principal's Greeting

Parents,

It's May and the pace of the year is not slowing at all. From our perspective, students are doing very well, staying focused even with spring and the pending move and graduation all weighing on us.

Thank you to the great "dinner" provided by parent volunteers to staff who were busy during conferences. The meal was a great break and staff felt especially appreciated with the wonderfully delicious feast. Conferences went well overall with strong participation from a spectrum of parents.

Move news—It is becoming very clear—unless something very unforeseen happens, we will be moving out of the old CHS in mid-June and into the new building with school scheduled to start in the new building at the regular time in September. Construction is going very smoothly and there is a good chance that much of our present classroom materials will be able to be moved almost directly into the new classrooms that are nearing completion. The gym and theater areas are doing well, but will not be available for moving into until August. The Tech and FACS or H building will be the last to be completed at the very end of the summer.

Staff has undergone a good deal of inconvenience and preparation, especially those who have to move out of Tech and FACS in mid-May into temporary placements in the main building. Students have been very cooperative and curriculum has been adjusted so that activities that do not require specific equipment or facilities can be arranged.

If you're interested in volunteering to help pack especially during the 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> weeks of June, please contact Debbie Begin at 757-5888 who is keeping a list. Individual teachers, as well as general building work crews, are going to be needed.

End of year support for your students is very important. "Support" is needed in helping students finish their courses, in helping them make good choices around good attendance, and in making good choices about appropriate ways to "celebrate" the culmination of their work. Please help them think through the consequences of their choices. We've had a very successful and healthy year so far and want to finish that way.

Rigor, Respect, Relevance, Responsibility and Safety—Those were the key areas of focus for us this year. We will be looking to evaluate our improvement and for areas to work on for next year. We welcome your input and your participation. Please vote for site council and school board members in the coming weeks. Thanks to all of those who have served us so well and to those who have thrown their hats into the ring.

Have a great May and see you at Graduation!

Best wishes,

Jay Conroy, Principal

## Dates to remember

### May

May 4 – Senior Collage Work Party

May 4 – Senior 'kid pics' due to Jan Walker

May 5 – Jazz Night at CHS auditorium

May 9 – Scrip order due

May 11 – Colorado State Univ. @ BCHS

May 12 – Parent Connection – Noon - BCHS

May 14 – BFP Challenge Exam, 2:30, Library

May 14 – Prom – Ashbrook, 8:30-11:30 PM

May 23 – Scrip order due

May 24 – Spring Sports Dessert – 7:00 PM

May 25 – Senior Potluck, 6:00 PM, Cafeteria

May 26 – Spring Band Concert

May 30 - HOLIDAY – NO SCHOOL

### June

June 3-15 – Packing up library for move

June 4 – Graduation seating, Auditorium

June 9 – Last day of school for Seniors

June 9 – First graduation practice, 1:30, Gym

June 12 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Graduation practice, Gill, 10 AM

sent home.

## Student Visitor Rules

- ⚡ Visitation is not allowed if the guest student lives within 60 miles of Corvallis (Valley League principal's agreement).
- ⚡ The guest must be of high school age and a "student in good standing" at their high school.
- ⚡ A "Visitor's Request Form" must be completed by the host student at least 24 hours prior to the visit (available in the main office).
- ⚡ Any violation of school guidelines during the visit may result in both students being

## Attendance Information

Our student count at CHS is growing!

Please make arrangements with your student(s) prior to school hours about Doctor and Ortho appointments, along with their after school transportation.

**"Unless there is an emergency"** – all notes will be posted on student lockers. This also applies to "reminder notes". Please tell your student to check their lockers now and then just in case there may be a note on it.

An "Attendance Record" is posted outside of the Attendance Office. This record shows the student's attendance for the previous day and the current day. If you receive an "Automated" telephone call stating that your student has missed one or more classes – and you feel this is an error, please have your student check the attendance record to see which teacher marked them absent. If this was an error, the student and teacher can resolve it.

Thank you for your cooperation,  
Debbie Begin, Attendance Secretary



**Location & Time:** Our 2005 Senior All Night Party will be held on OSU's campus in the newly remodeled Dixon Center. It begins at 11:00 PM on June 13 (graduation night) and lasts until 5:30 AM the next morning

**Tickets:** Half of CHS's students have tickets to the Senior All Night Party! Is your student one of them? They are still only \$20 and can be purchased from Cindy Gulledge at CHS.

There will be casino games, a climbing wall, dancing with a

DJ, followed by music from the STACK. It is a safe and supervised celebration of graduation your student won't want to miss. Scholarships continue to be available.

**Volunteers:** We still need your help! Be a part of this memory for your student . . . there are many ways you can contribute and we need 88 more volunteers! Please call Terri Emmons at 754-8626 and she will find a time and activity that still needs a parent.

**Donations:** The planning committee is seeking donations to assure the success of the party. We can use your cash or in-kind donation to continue the tradition of terrific door prizes. Your donation is tax deductible. For information on how to contribute, please call Patrice O'Brien at 753-3490.

**Memory Collages:** Want to join a work party to make your son or daughter's memory collage? May 4 is the day. Contact Rebecca Hayes at 753-5816 or [Rebecca.hayes@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:Rebecca.hayes@corvallis.k12.or.us) for information on time and location.

Any other questions? Call Yvonne Gilbert at 757-8626 or Sue Hammack at 758-5858.

## Senior Information Update

Some important Senior dates to remember:

May 4<sup>th</sup> – you need to get your "kid pictures" into Jan Walker so the Potluck Dinner video can be assembled

May 25 – Senior Potluck at 6:00 PM in the cafeteria

June 4 – Graduation seating – in the auditorium (to pick your walking partner), time TBA

June 9 – Last day of school for Seniors.

June 9 – First graduation practice, large gym – 1:30 PM

June 13 – 2<sup>nd</sup> graduation practice, Gill Coliseum, tentatively set for 10:00 AM

June 13 – GRADUATION! 7:30 PM, Gill Coliseum (be in line by 6:50 PM)

\*\*\* ALL SENIOR WORK MUST BE TURNED IN BY 1:30 pm ON JUNE 9<sup>TH</sup>.

The first graduation practice will be held on June 9<sup>th</sup> in the big gym, after lunch. Pick up your cap and gown in the cafeteria after practice. If you did not order your cap and gown before May 1, be prepared to buy one at this time. The cost will be determined by Jostens. Check with Mrs. Gulledge if you don't remember if you ordered your cap and gown. You must have a cap and gown to participate in the graduation ceremony.

The Senior Potluck will be held on May 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM in the cafeteria Parents,

please bring photos of your seniors as they have grown up to Jan Walker by May 4. They will be used to make a video to be shown after the Senior Potluck. Put your student's name on the back of the photo and place the photo in an envelope with your name on it. You may pick up your photos after the potluck.

Seniors graduating with an accumulated GPA of 3.5 or above are eligible to wear gold honor cords at graduation. The cords cost \$6.00 and may be purchased from Mrs. Gulledge in room 100. Students will receive the cords at the second graduation practice. You must order by May 17<sup>th</sup>. Your student will receive a note in class to remind them of this opportunity.

The seniors hate to hear this, but . . . there is no such thing as Senior Skip Day!

**Email addresses:** Staff members may be reached by email for school matters by using the following formula:

[John.Doe@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:John.Doe@corvallis.k12.or.us)

## Prom 2005

Prom is Saturday, May 14, from 8:30 to 11:30 PM. We will once again hold Prom at Ashbrook Independent School on Research Way. Tickets are \$20.00.

At Prom time, some students plan the evening's activities to include such things as alcohol, drugs or co-ed overnights. Sometimes parents furnish alcohol to students at dinner prior to Prom; this is not a good idea and could result in a student being cited for minor in possession (by consumption). Remember, using, possessing or selling drugs (including alcohol) at any school activity is prohibited by both CHS and the State. Unsupervised all-night activities may result in students making poor decisions (including unplanned sexual activity). Please support your children in supervised activities that do not include alcohol or drugs. As parents, we just have to "Just Say No."

## Message policy

Telephone messages for students will be placed on the student's locker unless there is an emergency. This is to minimize class interruptions. Please remind your son or daughter in the morning before school of

appointments during the day. Sorry, and thank you for your patience and politeness towards our attendance office personnel.

## **2004-'05 Yearbook Fees**

After Spring Break - distribution - \$50.00

At the yearbook signing party - \$55.00

**Yearbooks are limited. Buy early and guarantee that you will get one and save money!**

## **Library News**

Help is needed to pack library books for the move to the new school. Calculations from other library moves indicate it will take approximately 108 volunteer hours. Training will be provided when you arrive. Packing will take place from June 3 – June 15 (M-F). You can sign up for the following times on these days: 8:00-10:00 AM, 10:00-12:00 PM, and 12:30-2:30 PM. If it is more convenient to come at 7:30 AM or stay after 2:30 PM, that works, too. Bring a friend. Please call 757-5900 to sign up.

## **Beyond CHS News**

### **Scholarships**

There are many scholarships that are now coming into Beyond CHS, so please have your students stop by every week.

### **AP Exams**

Students need to have their balance of \$75 paid NOW! Exams are held during the school day and students are excused from class. Morning exams will start at 7:30 AM in the library unless otherwise noted on the board in the main hallway. Afternoon exams will start at approximately 12:15 in the library unless otherwise noted on the board. IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO LISTEN TO ANNOUNCEMENTS AND TO CHECK THE BOARD IN THE HALL FOR TIMES AND LOCATIONS. Students have been given the schedule of when the tests are being given.

On the day of the test, the students will need: proper identification, social security number (optional, but it does help keep records together if taking more than one exam), pencils, pens – black or blue, calculator and a ruler or straightedge if taking AP Physics exam.

Students may NOT bring into the testing room: snacks, water, cellular phones, books, notes, etc. no headphones and no clothing with subject-related information.

### **ACT & SAT**

All juniors should be signed up for these exams. Please ask your students to come to Beyond CHS if they need help or fee waivers.

### **College Visit to Beyond CHS**

Colorado State University will be visiting Beyond CHS on May 11 at 11:15 AM.

### **Corvallis Community Calendar Scholarships**

This will be the LAST June that scholarships will be given to high school seniors by

the Corvallis Community Calendar unless we can find volunteers willing to fill key positions.

Please help us continue this worthy half-century tradition. Please contact Kip Worley at 745-2044.

### **Old Graduation Gowns**

If you have any CHS graduation gowns you no longer need or want, please bring them to Beyond CHS. We will make sure they are put to good use for some of our CHS families.

### **OSU Pre-college K-12 Summer Program**

The OSU Pre-college K-12 program offers a wide variety of camps and courses for students from Kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. These offerings vary from day camps to residential camp and from Art to Science to Athletics. All of these offerings provide students the chance to improve skills, make friends and learn new things. Please visit the website for more information and a PDF copy of the summer brochure.  
<http://oregonstate.edu/precollege/>

### **Math Tutors**

Math tutors are available at CHS on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at noon in Room 310, and from 10:50 – 11:20 AM in Room 109.

### **Notice to Parents of Juniors:**

Soon, your student will receive an invitation to meet with staff and volunteers at CHS's Beyond CHS. We strongly encourage students to take advantage of these resources.

Our goal at BCHS is to prepare and assist students through the set of challenges they will face as they approach graduation. You may already know that this is the year when students typically take a series of college entrance examinations, such as the PSAT, SAT and ACT. Students who do not plan to attend a four year university also have many options and opportunities to explore. During your student's meeting at Beyond CHS, staff and volunteers will assist

students in looking at their options and career goals and negotiating the many steps they need to get there.

Beyond CHS is located in Room 209 in the main hall across from the attendance and athletic offices. It is open during school hours and staffed by friendly volunteers who will do their very best to guide you and your student. We encourage your student to visit and check out our resources, including college viewbooks and catalogs, scholarship information, financial aid forms, test prep materials, summer and internship opportunities and the internet-based "Career Information System" (CIS), which enables students to find colleges and financial aid information based on a set of criteria.

All students have a folder in BCHS where they can keep their papers and resumes as well as their college materials. We help review college applications, financial aid forms, scholarship forms, test sign-ups, NCAA registration, resumes and much more.

Junior year is a busy time when students are involved in many challenging academic and extracurricular activities. However, it is also the time when they need to begin to make ready for life after graduation. Waiting until fall to start this process often eliminates many choices.

## Spartan Earrings for Sale!

The CHS Booster Club is selling silver Spartan earrings for \$10 per pair. Earrings make a perfect gift for birthdays, Valentine's Day or "just because". Purchases can be made in the Athletic Office during the school day. The office is closed for lunch between 12:15 – 1:00 PM daily.

## Community Educational Offerings:

### May 5<sup>th</sup> – **“Positive Behavior Support for Parents & Families: Keeping Children Safe, Respectful and Responsible at Home”**

The presenter for this session is Dr. Dale R. Myers

Description: Did you know that effective parents and effective teachers use many of the same strategies to make sure that children are successful? You can use them to help make your life as a parent easier. In this session, you will learn the strategies of Positive Behavior Support to help your child be safe, respectful and responsible at home. Please join us for an evening of fun, friendship and learning.

Time & Location: (5:30 to 6 PM Pizza – RSVP is necessary in order to have the right amount of food – please call 757-4434 and leave a message if you're able to join us). Presentation is 6:00 to 7:15 PM. No RSVP necessary. Linus Pauling Middle School.

### May 12 – **“What Works: Reinforcement, Recognition and Punishment – What Do I Do?”**

The presenter for this session is Dr. Dale R. Myers

Description: Many parents wonder about how to help their children learn important life lessons, while also building positive and healthy relationships. In this session, you will learn how to use behavioral feedback to help your children learn the skills and lessons they need to be successful at home, at school, in life. Please join us for another evening of fun and learning.

Time & Location: 6:00 to 7:15 PM at Linus Pauling Middle School. No RSVP necessary.

## Scrip helps CHS and costs you nothing

Earn money for CHS while buying groceries, gas, prescriptions, coffee, books, renting movies, eating out. How? Use scrip. It costs you nothing but a little time to purchase it. What is scrip? It is a gift certificate or card provided by many businesses

which donate a percentage of the amount to CHS. Scrip is available in various denominations. Which businesses participate and how much do they donate? Fred Meyer (5%), Safeway (5%--good for gas & prescriptions also), Richey's Market (5%), Bi-Mart (5%), Beanery (10%), Starbuck's (7%), Book Bin (10%), Border's (8%), Hollywood Video (15%), Burger King (10%), McDonald's (25%), Woodstock's (10%), and Home Grown Gardens (6%).

How do I buy scrip? Order forms will be available in Beyond CHS (Room 209) or on-line at the CHS website in the CHS Newsletter. (It is too expensive to send order forms with the newsletters as they are mailed out, so please print out your own form). Or, we can mail you forms (contact Anne at 929-5292).

Orders and checks (made out to CHS Parent Connection) can be put in the SCRIP order box in Beyond CHS or mailed to the CHS Parent Connection, CHS, 836 NW 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Corvallis, OR, 97330. Orders are called in through the Corvallis Public Schools Foundation on the first and third Mondays of the month. When your order is filled (usually by the next Friday) you will be notified by phone or email and a parent or student can pick the scrip up in Beyond CHS. The only trick to scrip is getting into the routine of buying it. It's easy to use. Make a commitment to CHS and make the effort to buy and use scrip every month! More info? Call or email Anne at 929-5292 or schustea@peak.org

### **Scrip orders are due May 9 and May 23.**

You can now designate which department you wish your profits to go to. These include: Language Arts, World Languages, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, Fine Arts, Athletics and Activities, Computer Science & Industrial Engineering, Business and Family Consumer Sciences, Health and PE, Library, Special Ed/Alt Ed, ESL, or Student Services.

A Scrip order form is available online by going to the CHS website and accessing the CHS Newsletter.

### **SCRIP IS GREAT FOR ANY REASON!**

**Now, needed more than ever! Use Scrip. Support CHS teachers and programs. New, extended version with many more businesses from which to choose – American Dream Pizza, The Gap, Sears, Home Depot, Bed, Bath & Beyond – to name a few. Great for gifts!**

## Partners In

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## Education

The Partners in Education program involves individuals and businesses in the community that contribute to our schools when we patronage their establishments. One such business is Franklin Press, located at 5655 SW Philomath Blvd, just past 53<sup>rd</sup> Street. Their phone number is 753-0303. To participate, all you have to do is sign a register in the store to designate the recipient school and receive a numbered contribution card. 5% of all future purchases made will be donated to the designated school. The customer only needs to provide their card donation number prior to placing a printing or copying order. If the customer is representing a company, anyone from their company can use the donation card number after the initial registration is made.

If you have any questions or want more information about the "Partners in Education" program, please contact Tammy Bailey at 753-0303 or email at [FranklinPress@exchangenet.net](mailto:FranklinPress@exchangenet.net)

## Albertsons & Office Max Donations

An Albertsons "partner's card" lets you donate 5% of purchases to CHS (up to \$1800 per quarter). The cards are available in Beyond CHS and the main office. When you purchase groceries at Albertsons, just hand the clerk your partner's card to scan.

Office Max donates 3% of your purchase to CHS if you mention this before they've processed your purchase at the register.

## French News

Felicitations to the French students of the Month for March: in French 1 - Alice Anderson and Karin Bucht; in French 3 - Miryam and Ruth Hamlyn; and in AP French - Katie Boom. Merci pour le travail excellent!

There is still time to sign up for the Grand Tour of France in the Spring of 2006. They have extended the price guarantee deadline.

This 16-day educational tour provides an excellent panorama of France and French history. We visit Paris, the castles of the Loire Valley, the Alps, the Riviera, the roman ruins of Provence, the walled fortress city of Carcassonne, Bordeaux, the island abbey of Mont-St.-Michel, the Allied landing beaches of Normandy and more. Please contact Mary Langlois for more information. Parents are also welcome on the tour.

[Mary.langlois@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:Mary.langlois@corvallis.k12.or.us) .

## SPORTS INFORMATION

### Spring Sports Recognition Night

There is a new look to the old Sports Dessert. The Booster Club is changing the format for recognizing our athletes. Each sport will have their own opportunity to recognize and talk about their athletes in a more informal setting where everyone can opt to bring their own food to eat, and have a designated location for meeting.

Everyone would need to finish their gatherings and meet at 8:00 PM in the auditorium for a more formal recognition of upperclassmen. Rotary members will be present at the formal recognition to hand out the Rotary awards (previously called Ambassador Awards). Seniors and their parents will also be recognized. We encourage all team levels to attend the 8:00 presentations. Coaches and team parents will need to communicate to their parents and athletes the time and location in which they will meet. The Spring Recognition night will be held on Tuesday, May 24, 2005.

### Sports Hotline

We encourage parents to use the PARENT HOTLINE. Each day's events will be

put on the hotline by 8:00 AM. Please call 766-4877, extension 8073, for information about events scheduled each day. The hotline is updated daily sometime between 2:15 and 3:00 PM. When the hotline is used, the regular office phone lines are kept free for making necessary calls due to cancellations.

Remember, if a game is cancelled, a practice is usually scheduled. The students are to check outside the Athletic Office door for their final instructions. Maps and schedules are also available outside the Athletics Office. Reminder - Golf and Track events do not rain out.

## Getting Cleared for High School Sports

It is not too soon to begin preparing for next year's fall sports season. Conditioning week begins on Monday, August 15 (optional) and official practice will begin on Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>. To start practice on August 22, you must first be cleared for sports in the Athletic Office during the period between August 15 and August 19. The Athletic Office will be open 7:30AM to 12:15 PM and 1:00 - 3:30 PM. Each athlete must:

- Read and sign the code of conduct (with parents), including academic requirements, training rules and citizenship expectations.
- Have a sports physical if a freshman or junior (also, sophomores and seniors if no physical is on file from the previous year)
- Everyone must complete a health history/emergency information form yearly for the athletic trainer
- Complete either A or B of the travel permission form
- Pay an athletic user fee - TBA
- Carry medical insurance and purchase a student body card at registration

## Questions regarding summer possibilities?

Football - Chris McGowan: 758-8134

Girls Soccer - Dan Finnen: 739-8341

Boys Soccer - Tony Vandermeer: 758-4251

Volleyball - Amy Sanders: 752-3563

Cross Country - Mark Hulburt: 928-9544

Boys Basketball - Greg Garrison: 753-0154

Girls Basketball - Scott Lasswell: 753-4172

Wrestling - Ron Sather: 754-7634

Baseball - Eric Dazey: 754-3633

Softball – Scott Lasswell: 753-4172

Girls Tennis – Karen Hughes: 929-7035

Boys Tennis – Ken Stevenson: 745-7127

## Summer Baseball

There are three levels of baseball offered during the summer season for high school athletes ... AAA Legion (Richey's Market), Legion A, and Oregon Junior Baseball Division 2.

AAA Legion holds tryouts for athletes wishing to play at an advanced level. Tryouts will take place immediately after the spring baseball season. Legion A Baseball is for returning high school players. It will start one week after spring league season. Oregon Junior Baseball Division 2 is primarily for this year's freshmen. The season will also begin the week after spring league for high school. For more information, contact Eric Dazey at 757-3801.

## Host Families Needed!

Are you interested in having a new member of your family from another country? Cultural Homestay International is seeking host families to host a grateful child from a far away land. Cultural Homestay International (CHI) is a non-profit educational organization founded in 1980 to promote international understanding, friendship and goodwill through cultural homestays.

Students are here to experience the "American Family", which is extremely diverse and cannot be easily defined. CHI students are 15-18 years old and they must pass English proficiency tests. They come to attend local public High Schools and become a member of an American family. Students will pay their own expenses and come with their own insurance.

Being a host family is like traveling to a different country without leaving home! By inviting an exchange student into your home, your children have a better understanding of other cultures. Often close ties are formed with the entire family and host members are excited to visit their students in their own country as a result.

CHI is willing to accommodate any family's needs if they would like to host a student, but feel they are facing obstacles. For those considering this extraordinary opportunity, please call our local Coordinator, Dale Draeger, at 745-9007. Also, visit the website at [www.chinet.org](http://www.chinet.org).

## Challenging Biophysical Foundations

Attention: Freshmen Wishing to Challenge Biophysical Foundations Course

Biophysical Foundations ( BPF) is a comprehensive preparatory course in science which covers three areas of science ( biology, physics, chemistry) and teaches students how to be successful in future science courses including study habits, personal management CIM preparation. It is required that all students take BPF as an introductory course before taking biology, chemistry, physics, or any other college prep science at CHS.

Some advanced science students may wish to challenge this course. It has been shown that students who challenge the course and are successful are a very small portion of incoming freshmen. In order to identify those students CHS has set

up several requirements. The four requirements which a student must meet prior

to being allowed to challenge and bypass BPF are:

1. A in 8th grade science
2. 8th Grade Science Teacher Recommendation
3. Successful completion of Algebra 1
4. Passing score on the BPF Challenge Exam

All four requirements must be met for a student to be scheduled in a college prep science rather than BPF as a freshmen.

The BPF Challenge Exam will be administered from Noon to 2:30 PM on Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, in the CHS library. Students who have been recommended by their eighth grade science teacher and expect to meet the other requirements, are welcome to take the test. Please call to register at (541) 757-5881 before May 10, 2005.

## CHS Site Council needs parent members!

The CHS Site Council needs parent members. The Site Council will meet once each month from 3:20 – 5:00 beginning in September. It is composed of CHS staff, students and parents and is responsible for serving as a sounding board for the CHS community focusing on School Improvement and Staff Development. Parents are encouraged to self-nominate or to nominate others. Please complete the form below and **return it to CHS by May 16** for inclusion in the June newsletter. Voting will be conducted using the June newsletter and ballots will be available in the main office. Questions— contact Jay Conroy, 757-5871 or ([jay.conroy@corvallis.k12.or.us](mailto:jay.conroy@corvallis.k12.or.us).)

**Corvallis High School Site Council Application**

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Parent Name

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Student Name and year

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Address

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Phone

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E-Mail

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## da Vinci Days Totem Pole Project

The da Vinci Days festival invites all creative individuals and groups to create **Totem Poles** for this year's Community Art Project. Poles will be displayed along the Avenue of Imagination during da Vinci Days, July 15-17, 2005.

Large cardboard tubes are available for free at the Corvallis Arts Center, 700 SW Madison Avenue. You can use one of these tubes as your base, or you can make a pole of your own – from natural materials, found objects, or any favorite art medium. The theme of your pole can be anything that represents your culture or interests.

You will install your pole on Friday, July 15, and remove it by 6:00 PM on Sunday, July 17. Participation is free. For ideas, guidelines, and general information, stop by the Corvallis Arts Center or contact Hester 15 754-1551, or [hester@artcentric.org](mailto:hester@artcentric.org).

## Youth Garden Project

The YGP is a project of the non-profit Corvallis Environment Center (CEC). The YGP's mission is to educate youth about sustainable food production and community food needs by involving them in all aspects of food production. All produce grown at the YGP is donated to local food aid providers. All programs are located at Sunset Park. Transportation is not provided. Call Cynthia King at CEC for registration information, 753-9211.

**Memorial In-Service Day: Grades 6-12.** Help jump start the 2005 growing season! Participants will help with the planting of spring crops. **Monday, May 30, 10 – 3 PM.** Free. Bring lunch!

**Summer Service Program: Grades 6-12.** Participants will take part in all aspects of garden work from planting to harvest, in addition to exploring a topic of interest each session. Youth can sign up for up to 4 two-week units. Programs are scheduled from 9-2 PM on Mon, Wed, Fri of each week.

June 27-July 8: Farming with the Wild!

July 18-29: Saving Seeds!

August 1-12: Garden Art!

August 22-Sept 2: Garden Literature!

\*\* \$7/unit (\$5/unit if registered for multiple units). Scholarships available. Bring lunch!

**Volunteer Work Parties: All Ages** A great service opportunity for youth volunteers to work with community members to grow healthy produce! Workdays are held from 10:-3 PM.

**May 7, May 28, June 25, July 30, and August 27.**



# Corvallis High School — May 2005

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Odd</b>  AP Testing  Assembly Sched. #5	<b>3</b> <b>Even</b>  AP Testing	<b>4</b> <b>Odd</b>  AP Testing  Staff Luncheon  Collage Work Party	<b>5</b> <b>Even</b>  AP Testing  Jazz Night CHS Auditorium	<b>6</b> <b>All</b>  AP Testing	<b>7</b>
<b>Teacher Appreciation Week!</b>						
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> <b>Odd</b>  AP Testing  Scrip Order Due	<b>10</b> <b>Even</b>  AP Testing	<b>11</b> <b>Odd</b>  AP Testing  Dept. Chairs/ Site Council meeting	<b>12</b> <b>Even</b>  AP Testing  Parent Connection 12:00 Room 209	<b>13</b> <b>All</b>  AP Testing	<b>14</b>  Prom – Ashbrook 8:30-11:30 PM  BFP Challenge Exam 2:30 PM CHS Library
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> <b>Odd</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Even</b>	<b>18</b> <b>All</b>	<b>19</b> <b>Even</b>	<b>20</b> <b>All</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> <b>Odd</b>  Scrip Order Due	<b>24</b> <b>Even</b>  Spring Sports Dessert 7:00 PM	<b>25</b> <b>Odd</b>  Senior Potluck 6:00 PM - Cafeteria	<b>26</b> <b>Even</b>  Band Concert 7:00 PM	<b>27</b> <b>All</b>	<b>28</b>

<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>  <b>HOLIDAY NO SCHOOL</b>	<b>31</b> Even				
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