Rainier School District Newsletter



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Graduating Class of 2021

Sandra Carroll Makala Cook Gray Kaiya Craig Jaden Davis Kaeden Earsley Carson Edminster Alia Garner Emma Gayman Steven Gehrig Michael Green Riffe Holmes Colton Howells Emma Hudson Alexandra Ingham **Kayleb Jackson** Meric Jackson Benijamin Johnson McKenzie Justice

Emily Karnes Ashlyn Knaack Amanda Knutz Lillianne Lapine Jason McHan Hailey Nagle Hannah Nieman Isabel Pacheco-Ortiz Evan Polzin **Gabriel Price** Blake Rausch Alexys Rochester-Roe Aden Sandiford Brianna Swearingen Kylie Van Elsacker Victoria Wadsworth **Ethan Watt** Hayden Wiiki



Rainier High School's Top 5











Amanda Knutz

Ethan Watt

Kaiya Craig

Emily Karnes

Hayden Wiiki

Valedictorian Amanda Knutz

Amanda will be attending Montana State University—Bozeman in the fall. She plans to earn a Bachelors of Science Degree in Prenatal Nursing.

Salutatorian Ethan Watt

Ethan will either go into an Apprenticeship for Carpentry in Yakima or join the Armed Forces to work for the Office of Security Investigations.

Kaiya Craig

Kaiya will be graduating from RHS and South Puget Sound Community College.

She has earned an Associates of Arts Degree from SPSCC.

In the fall she will be attending Evergreen College to study Sociology.

Emily Karnes

Emily will be attending Centralia college this fall the finish her AA Degree. She will then transfer to Central Washington University to earn her Bachelor's Degree in Teaching. Her future career plans are to teach Special Education at the high school level.

Hayden Wiiki

Hayden will be graduating from RHS and South Puget Sound Community College.

He has earned an Associates of Arts Degree from SPSCC

Hayden will be enrolling in a technical school for a Degree in Computer Programming.



Rainier High School Mountaineers

Principal John Beckman

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Food Drive Success!

Mr. DesRocher (Tenino HS) and Mrs. Rossmaier (Rainier HS) challenged each other's Leadership Classes to a food drive.

During the traditional November Food Drive, Rainier brought in about 2000 pounds of food, unfortunately RHS fell short of Tenino's 4500 pounds. Therefore, the challenge was on for a re-match.

Collaboratively, both schools decided to run a March Food Drive for the entire month and allow donations directly to the food banks to add to their score. This made it really nice, as many folks delivered directly there.

Chairperson's Alyssa Lofgren and Lauren Pericic did a fantastic job. They put bins at the post office, city hall and outside the high school commons. This was a change from inside Rainier Market and the Exxon. Plus all bins were emptied daily. This time around, folks were able to make cash donations that would count as 1 pound for each dollar.

This sparked Mathis Bosch (a sophomore) to choose his quarter's leadership pride project to contact area businesses to secure some cash to add to our total. He contacted more than 20 businesses and raised over \$800. WOW!! That certainly helped the food bank have money to purchase the needs that were not met through donations of products.

On March 31st, the drive ended with Rainier collecting \$3,022.20 in cash donations and 7,389 pounds of canned goods. For a grand total of 10,411.20 pounds for Rainier. Tenino collected 7,306 pounds/dollars combined. RAINIER WINS!!!

Even though this has been a crazy year, we managed to help feed both Tenino and Rainier Communities!

Thank you to all the businesses that donated!!

Grocery Outlet in Yelm

Target in Lacey

Safeway in Yelm

Farrelli's Pizza Place in Yelm

H & R Block in Yelm

Emerald Car in Yelm

Kohls (Staff) in Lacey

South Hill RV in Yelm

Food Co-Op in Yelm

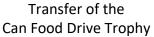
507 Motorsports in McKenna

J & I in Yelm

Rainier Signature Service Real Estate

Stormans Corporation (Bayview & Ralph's Thriftway) in Olympia







Trophy



Alyssa Lofgren and Mathis Bosch with Mrs. Rossmaier

Teacher Appreciation Project

Leadership students: Amanda Knutz and Gabe Miles worked hard to create, produce and deliver a "Teacher Appreciation" gift to each teacher in our district.





Home of the MOUNTAINERS

Spring Fling

Spring Fling at RHS was a week full of dress up days, lunch competitions and royalty.

RHS Spring Fling Royalty: Junior Princesses: Isabella Holmes and Natasha Salinas Wood. Junior Princes: Ian Sprouffske and Kyle Peterson. Senior Princesses: McKenzie Justice and Amanda Knutz. Senior Princes: Gabriel Price and Riffe Holmes.

Spring Fling Week King and Queen: Carson Edminster and Emily Karnes.

Congratulations!!

SkillsUSA Club

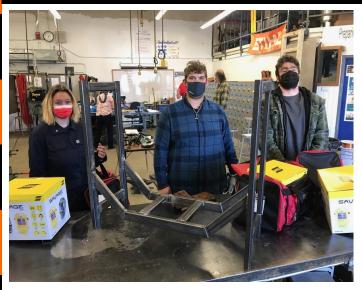
The SkillsUSA Club members of Rainier High School made good on the delivery promise.

John Schock and Ida Crigger donated some fir trees this year to REF auction for firewood. Ed Kenney was the winner of the firewood.

Pictured is the group that chopped, stacked and delivered the cord of wood to Mr. & Mrs. Kenney.

Pictured left to right: Sloan Fulton, Abigail Avery Guill, Emily Ziemathis and Jeremiah Nubbe.





Congratulations!!

This team competed in the welding fabrication contest in Rochester on May 22nd and Won!!

Team members include Abigail Avery Guill (Rainier), Aaron Livingston (Rochester) and Harbor Lees (Rainier). They did the best work constructing the wood rack which won each of them over \$270 worth of prizes.

On May 22nd, Mr. Lybecker took five high school students to a welding fabrication contest held at Rochester High School. They completed their project (a firewood rack) on time and received some great prizes.

Pictured:

Sloan Fulton, Autumn Kenney and Josh Maggard.



Rainier Middle School Mountain Lions

MIDDLE SCHO

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Mark Aguilar Keira Anderson Ryan Arnold Bryn Beckman Ivan Billings Janess Blackburn Denaliann Blizzard **Toby Borman** Sebachtaan Bravo **Dominic Charles** Taylee Clare **Matthew Collins** Lilyauna Covington **Wesley Crum** Kaleb DeCremer Jenna Diaz Orion Dobson Tessa Dunkley Lance Egge Carolyn Ferguson Gavin Foley Dayton Gardner Mireya Guzman-Rodriguez

Liam Hentze Olivia Hizey **Hunter Howell** Moroni Jackson Steven Johnston Dylan Jordan **Russell Karnes** Elizabeth Kinahan Richard Klumpp Braxton Koski Jace Lavender Sadiee Lora Brayden Lynch Ella Marvin Emma Mathson Jacob Meldrum James Meldrum Joshua Meldrum **Angel Miles Boyer Conner Mounts** Acacia Murphy Landon Neal Olivia Osborne

Nicole Paddock Ollokot Pluff Tristan Potts **Connor Power Emily Sandiford Gavin Scheidt** Parker Scott Mikkie Shaw Zeike Smith Nicholas Speer Jaylynn Stubblefield **Brooklynn Swenson David Taylor** Matigan Van Elsacker Lilly Ventura Kaiden Vickers Brayden Walker Brayden Waltman Jetta Watkins MaKenna Wayland Loren Wellman Annabelle Whiteman

Middle School Spotlight!

Mr. Holterman's Science Class

Congratulations to the Top 5 in the Plant Kahoot!

5th Place-Enrique Gallardo 25,005 points

4th Place-Nathaniel Maggard 25,483 points

3rd Place-Jordyn Jeske 27,664 Points

2nd Place-Alexander Kittleson 31,325 points

Champion Jordan Pringle 31,974

Mrs. Summer's Science Class

Observations of Eclipses and Movement of the Sun!







Rainier Elementary School Coupars

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Solar System by Ms. Ratkie's 1st Grade Class















Thank you Officer Blankenship





ABC Count Down

Book Day









Career Day







Hat Day









SOLAR SYSTEMS BY MRS. MOUNTS' THIRD GRADE CLASS



























