

# LawtonNews

## Lawton Penny Harvest Grants Awarded

This year, under the leadership of Lawton parent, Barbara Ivester, the children of Lawton collected \$1000 in pennies. Several very worthy charitable causes were proposed as our grant recipients and the children voted on where to send the money.

On Friday May 24th Lawton donated \$600 to the American Red Cross for the Haiti Relief Effort and \$400 to Homeless 2 Renter, a charity sponsored by the Congregation of Beth Shalom.



*Way to go Lawton!*



## CALENDAR

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### Thursday, June 3

Young Authors Day

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### Monday and Tuesday, June 7, 8

Starfish 1 Bake Sale afterschool *(see page 3)*

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### June 9 – 11

Usborne Book Fair

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### Thursday, June 10

Science Fair

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### Friday, June 11

End of Year Unicycle, Tumbling and Hip Hop Presentation. Blaine 6:30pm *(see page 4)*

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### Friday, June 18

Field Day

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## Lawton Principal Update

At last weeks PTA meeting, Michael DeBell passed along the news that Beverly Raines has decided to retire and Lawton will be getting a new principal next year. There will be a hiring committee and details on the formation, process and timeline will be forthcoming. Mr. DeBell indicated that it would likely happen before school is dismissed for the summer. We will keep you posted as soon as we have more information.

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## USBORNE BOOK FAIR June 9 – 11

In the Library

noon - 12:45 and 3:15 - 4:15 Daily

5:00 - 8:30 Thursday, June 10 during the Science Fair!

## Library Book Roundup

Dear Families,

It is that time again! Our year is closing quickly and we need all library books returned. We will be reminding students verbally as well as sending paper notices. Please help us by searching under beds, on book shelves, in the car, etc. Remember.....lost books may be replaced or paid for. We must hold report cards on June 22 for anyone with an account that has not been cleared.

Thanks again for your consistent help and support.

*Kathy Dial, Librarian*

## Hand In Your Reading Logs: SuperStars Pizza Lunch June 8

After months of diligent reading, the participants who completed all 7 months of the Reading SuperStars Program will be rewarded with a pizza lunch in the library and a free book of their choice!!! Look out for your invitation coming home by kid mail this week.

**Mark the date: June 8 at your regular lunch time except come to the library.**



If you have any questions: Marla Master  
marla@masterdesign.ca or 285-0590

## Food and Book Drive

Girl Scout Troop 41164, which includes a number of Lawton 4th grade girls, is having a food and book drive. We chose this as our end of the year project because we heard that food banks are at their lowest during the summer months, and we wanted to help out. We want to collect books (adult and children's) so the people who go to FamilyFirst can have their own books to read this summer. We will put boxes in the main hallway, so please drop off any books of non-perishable food items. The drive ends on June 16.

## SCIENCE NEWS

### SCIENCE FAIR IS COMING!

Have you completed your project? If not, you might want to get on it. Did your experiment not turn out the way you expected (ours didn't!)? That's ok. Just present your data and talk about what you learned.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We could use someone with computer experience to produce labels with the kid exhibitor names on them. The labels identify those who have done a project and are eligible for free ice cream.

There is a need for one more volunteer to hand out labels at the school entrance starting at 5:45pm on the evening of the Fair (June 10th).

We have reserved some boxes of fossils from the Burke Museum to add to our exhibit. Could someone pick them up? We have them for the week, starting Wednesday, June 9th, so they could be picked up Wednesday or Thursday and returned before the following Wednesday. The boxes also need to be unpacked and set up in the gym.

And finally, we will be setting up the kids' science exhibits on the afternoon of Thursday, June 10th, starting around 1:30pm. We could always use help gathering the projects from the classrooms and bringing them to the Commons. Of course, there is clean-up as well. That happens right after the Fair, around 7:30pm.

*Barbara Ivester, Science Fair Chair*  
barbara@ivesters.net or (206)283-8686

## Memories that last a lifetime

**Last chance to order. There is no  
guarantee we will have extra copies.  
This year it is printed in color!  
Cost is \$15.**

Questions: marla@masterdesign.ca  
285-0590



## **1 Starfish Bake Sale** **Monday and Tuesday • June 7-8** **Afterschool on playground**

"1 Starfish" is a charity that Mr. Howard has worked closely with since his first country for the initial World Cultures was Nicaragua. This year, class 209 will be hosting and working the bake sale after school.

The mission is to both equip all impoverished children in San Jorge, Nicaragua, with school uniforms and supplies so they can attend school, and to create sewing jobs within the same community.

1 Starfish is affiliated with International Humanities Center, a non-profit public charity. 100% of your donation equips kids for school — 0% is used for administrative costs.

***Please help us to support this great project and stop by for some yummy treats!***

## **GENERATORS NEEDED**

I am looking for some generators for the inflatable games to use for Field Day which will be Friday, June 18th.

If anyone has a generator that they can loan for the day, please contact me via email ([stanleynw@comcast.net](mailto:stanleynw@comcast.net)) or phone (601-4404) or talk to Cheryl Parks.

**Thanks! Kathy Stanley**

## **Debate Team Roundup**

The Coe team had 12 students and was coached by Coe teacher, Kelli Munro. The Lawton team had 13 students and was coached by Lawton teacher, Steve Reddy. The John Hay team had 7 students and was coached by a teacher who substitutes for Seattle Public Schools and other districts. The Blaine team had 6 students and was coached by Blaine parent and former substitute teacher, Bentley Alberts, currently a teacher for Washington Virtual Academies.

### **SSIA Debate Tournament Medal Winners:**

#### **TOP 8 TEAMS**

1. Coe: Anthea Guthrie-Honea and Pauline Harrington
2. **Lawton: Zac Costa and Ethan Amundson**
3. Blaine: Aiden Sheckler and Nathan Schmidt
4. John Hay: Olivia Sutherland and Isabella Wagner
5. Blaine: Lily Whipple and Cameron Doyle
6. **Lawton: Eli Wolk and Marika Kromberg**
7. Coe: Hanna McNamara and Katelin Romano
8. **Lawton: Maureen Brown and Kristina Johnson**

#### **TOP 15 SPEAKERS**

1. Coe: Pauline Harrington
2. Blaine: Aiden Sheckler
3. Coe: Anthea Guthrie-Honea
4. Coe: Hanna McNamara
5. **Lawton: Marika Kromberg**
6. Blaine: Lily Whipple
7. **Lawton: Zac Costa**
8. **Lawton: Ethan Amundson**
9. John Hay: Olivia Sutherland
10. Coe: Chance LittleBoy
11. John Hay: Isabella Wagner
12. **Lawton: Kristina Johnson**
13. **Lawton: Mackenzie Skogland**
14. Blaine: Madison Nichols
15. **Lawton: Royce Pearson**

**Congratulations  
Lawton  
Debaters!!**

#### **Check it out!!**

<http://www.queenannenews.com/main.asp?SectionID=5&SubSectionID=5&ArticleID=30290>

**UNICYCLE  
TUMBLING  
HIP HOP**

**End of the Year  
*Extravaganza!***

**The event is free!**

**Blaine K-8, June 11 at 6:30 pm**

Join the Unicycle, Tumbling, and Hip Hop Clubs for a rolling, flipping, and groovin' good time!

The students in these clubs have worked hard this year learning new skills and refining previously learned skills. They are excited to share this evening with their families but wanted to invite friends as well since there will not be an end of the year assembly at Lawton.

***Hope you can make it!***

*Ms. Parks, Mrs. T, and Mrs. Schumer*

**Beaver Soccer Camp is back!**

Come join the Girls Varsity Soccer coaching staff and players at Ballard High School for a week of soccer this summer. New this year is our Middle School camp geared toward the middle school soccer player wanting to take their playing ability to the next level. At all of our camps the coaches will work with the players to improve their technical, tactical and mental skills needed for high level soccer. Our goal at the Beaver Soccer camp is to provide great role models for the campers, help each camper build a road map for future success and have FUN! Get more information at our website:

**<http://beaversoccercamp.com>** and download a registration form today! The camps fill up quickly so act now to reserve a spot for your budding soccer player.

*\*\*Bring a friend and get \$25 off of your registration fee. Teams with a minimum of six players registering receive \$30 off of registration fee.*

**Interbay Football  
Recruiting and Registration**

Sign-up Now! Registration is now open and space is limited to 20 players per team for the Interbay Eagles football & cheerleading. Please register online at **<http://www.seattleinterbayfootball.org/register.htm>**.

For 2010, the Seattle Interbay Eagles will field youth football teams in the 89er, Midget, PeeWee & Bantam divisions (ages 7–14). In addition, the Eagles will field one Cheerleading squad ages 6–11.

To learn more about our teams review our Programs (**<http://www.seattleinterbayfootball.org/programs.htm>**) The Eagle's recruiting zone in Seattle spans from the Ship Canal south to Yesler street and from Lake Washington to Puget Sound. Practices start on August 9th and run daily from 5–7pm. Practices are held at Interbay Field 3027 17th Ave W, Seattle, WA (*across from QFC and west of Red Mill*).

**DISPLAY SHOWCASE**

THIS WEEK  
**John Dreher, Room 207 • Rocks**

If you have a collection you would like to display for the school, sign up with Mrs. Thomas in the office.

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*When sending submissions please put the word **LAWTON NEWS** in subject line. Thanks!*

**Deadline: Friday 5pm**  
For the following Tuesday's edition