

# NATURAL LEADERS NEWSLETTER

## About Us

### Fall 2023

Natural Leaders are parent leaders in their community that work as a team with family advocates, family support centers, and school staff to:

- Build relationships with families.
- Listen to families ideas on how to help their children be successful in school.
- Bring families and schools together to plan/implement the families' ideas.

When schools struggle with building relationships with families facing language, ethnic and/or cultural barriers, Natural Leaders are able to speak their language, understand their culture, and provide warm, welcoming arms to their schools communities. This allows families and students to have a sense of belonging.



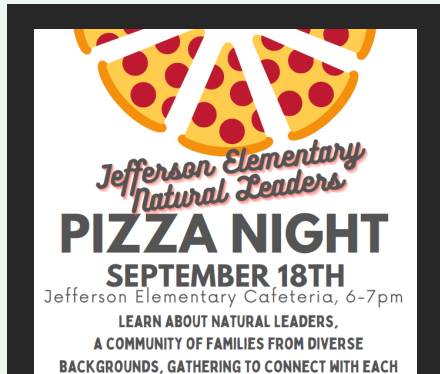
## Natural Leaders Programs Across the District

Natural Leaders programs across our district were present at their school's various back-to-school events including open house, curriculum night, and parent-teacher conferences by providing informational tables to raise awareness of the Natural Leaders program and recruit new families.

**Check out Cascade High School at their annual  
Arena Day!**



# EVENTS CONTINUED...



## Jefferson Elementary

## Emerson Elementary



## Silver Firs Elementary

## MEET & GREETs

Each program hosts annual Meet and Greet for interested and new Natural Leaders families to learn about the program and build community.

- **Jefferson Elementary** hosted a Pizza Night for new and interested families.
- **Emerson Elementary** hosted both AM and PM meet and greets to ensure every interested family had an opportunity to attend.
- **Silver Firs Elementary** hosted a “Let the Good Times Roll” for more informal format where families got to know one another and learned how to make sushi.

Interested in learning more about your school’s Natural Leaders program, attend the annual Meet & Greet or contact your school’s program using the information on page 3!



## Tambark Creek Elementary

## FAMILY EDUCATION EVENTS & DISPLAYS

**Tambark Creek Elementary** hosted their second annual “Celebrations Around the World” event to learn about the diversity within their school through crafts, games, trifolds, and activities created by their NL families. While **Penny Creek Elementary’s** families created displays throughout the school in honor of Diwali.

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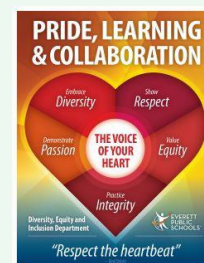
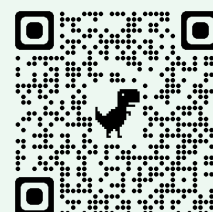
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