



# MAY NEWSLETTER

## **Main Office**

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## **Maggie Heater**

*Principal*

## **Marguerite Moskat**

*Assistant Principal*

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pennycreek@everettsd.org

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## **Diane Roberts**

*Counselor*

## **Website**

www.everettsd.org/pennycreek

## **Connect-ED**

## **Messages**

## **Missed a Call?**

1-877-737-5291

## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Greetings Penny Creek Families,

Many of our students arrive and depart from Penny Creek on assigned school buses. For those families that transport students to and from school by cars, we have designated specific arrival and departure options. Student safety is our number one priority here at Penny Creek and we ask that you read through and follow each of the parking lot safety guidelines.

When **driving** through our parking lot we ask that you do the following:

- Keep your speed limit at or below 5 mph
- Be aware of your surroundings when pulling in and out of a parking spot
- Be cautious of pedestrians
- Park in designated areas

When **walking** through our parking lot we ask that you do the following:

- Use crosswalks and sidewalks when they are available
- Do not cross between cars, especially parked cars
- Hold the hands of your children or keep them very close to you

To learn more about our pick up and drop off procedures, you can access our Penny Creek Student Handbook on our website at: <http://www.everettsd.org/pennycreek>

Sincerely,  
Maggie Heater  
Principal

## **NEW Penny Creek Assistant Principal**

Please help us in welcoming Ms. Cheshire as our new Tuesday/ Thursday Assistant Principal. Ms. Cheshire has worked for Everett Public Schools for many years and most recently at Cedarwood Elementary. She will be joining us through June.

## Home Access Center

You can sign up online for access to view attendance, registration, grades and Fall 2017 homeroom teacher assignments (in September). To sign up, you need to send an email request for a login/password from [lms@everettsd.org](mailto:lms@everettsd.org). Be sure to include your student's name, school ID and/or date of birth, parent/guardian name and your relationship to the student.



## Everett Public Schools News

### **Graduation dates**

Graduation ceremonies for each of the four high schools are coming soon!

Everett High School: June 17 at noon at Xfinity Arena

Cascade High School: June 17 at 4 p.m. at Xfinity Arena

Henry M. Jackson High School: June 17 at 8 p.m. at Xfinity Arena

Sequoia High School: June 15 at 6 p.m. at Everett Civic Auditorium

### **Looking for a job?**

Join us for the Everett Public Schools Job Fair:

May 24, 2017

Community Resource Center

3900 Broadway, Everett

3 – 6 p.m.

Staff will be available to discuss position details for paraeducator, custodial, food and nutrition, trades (e.g., plumbers, carpenters, HVAC, etc.) transportation driver, school nurse and security positions.

Bring a resume. Bring a friend.

**Attention fifth-grade parents:** Now is the time to plan for the vaccinations that your child will need before he or she enrolls in the 6th grade next fall. Students over the age of 11 entering 6th grade require one booster dose of Tdap (Tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis) vaccine before the first day of the 6th grade. We encourage you to obtain these vaccinations this school year and report them to the school nurse or office staff at your child's school. We'll track that information in the school database, which will help you avoid getting calls and overdue letters in the fall.

The district shall provide equal educational opportunity and treatment for all students in all aspects of academic and activity program without regard to race, color, national origin, creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender expression, gender identity, veteran or military status, the presence of any physical, sensory or mental disability or the use of a trained dog guide or service animal by a student with a disability. Affirmative Action Office – Carol Stolz, cstolz@everettsd.org, 425-385-4106 Title IX Officer – Randi Seaberg, rseaberg@everettsd.org, 425-385-4104 504 Coordinator – Becky Ballbach, rballbach@everettsd.org, 425-385-4063 ADA Coordinator – Becky Clifford, rclifford@everettsd.org, 425-385-5250 Address: 3900 Broadway, Everett, WA 98201

## May and June Penny Creek Classroom Concert Series

Family and friends of first through fifth grade classes are invited to come and watch their students perform with their music class. The music classroom will be transformed into a stage and students will perform and demonstrate the many things they have learned this year. The performances will be on their regular music day and time. If your child has music on Mondays at 12:25 then that is when their concert will be. Classroom performances will be on:

**Monday, May 22    Tuesday, May 30    Wednesday, May 31**

**Thursday, June 1    Friday, June 2**

Contact your classroom teacher or Mr. Coble, our music teacher, if you have any questions.

## Penny Creek Office Check In Policy

When coming into the office, please check in with the front desk before going back to classrooms, the health room, or other office areas. Once you check in, the office staff will let you know if the person you are meeting is available. It is important to us that we have all visitors accounted for and that we are able to protect student confidentiality in some areas of our school.

## SBA TESTING DATES

### **Third Grade**

Tuesdays

5/2 & 5/9

### **Fourth Grade**

Wednesdays

5/3 & 5/10

### **Fifth Grade**

Thursdays

5/4 & 5/11

Also Monday, 5/15

## MAY IMPORTANT DATES

REMEMBER THAT EVERY FRIDAY IS 2:15 DISMISSAL!

**May 5:** Spirit Day- Hat Friday

**May 12:** PTA Morning with Mom  
7:30-8:30 a.m.  
Cafeteria

**May 12:** PTA Movie Night  
6:30 p.m. Cafeteria

**May 15:** PTA Penny Creek  
STEM Fair  
6:30 p.m. Cafeteria

**May 15:** PTA Meeting  
7:00 p.m. Staff Lounge

**May 19:** PTA Science Day

**May 29:** Memorial Day  
No School

