



The Scottie Scoop!



FREEMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Radical Rick shares the science of dry ice in the Extreme Science session Tuesday, May 9.



**LET'S HAVE A
LUAU
PARTY**

SON DANCE
LIVE DJ

WHO: FREEMAN SONS & SPECIAL GUESTS

WHEN: FRIDAY, MAY 19TH

TIME: 5PM-7PM

COST: \$10 SUGGESTED DONATION — STUDENTS FREE — NO ADVANCE TICKET PURCHASE REQUIRED



- May 13 Valleyford Craft Fair, 9-3, 12924 Crisler Road
Freeman FFA Plant Sale, 8-2:00 (or while stocked)
Spokane Junior Lilac Parade, Downtown Spokane, 11:00 am
- May 16 ASB Candidate Applications Due in FMS Office by 11:00 am
- May 17 Fifth-grade Field Trip (all day)
ASB Candidate Notifications
- May 18-26 Approved ASB Campaign Signs May be Posted
- May 20 Baseball Camp Registration Deadline
- May 22 Volleyball Mini-camp Registration Deadline
- May 23 ASB Speeches Due, FMS Office, 3:00 pm
Spring Band & Choir Concert, Grades 6-12, 7:00 pm, FHS Blue Gym
- May 24 FSD School Board, 6:00 pm, K8 MPR
- May 25 ASB Campaign Assembly, Time TBD
- May 26 Spokane Indians Storybook Princess Night, 6:00 pm

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Mrs. Kann (Kindergarten)

I find the backbone of a mother to be the strongest, yet most pliable of them all; to bend over backward and still be a pillar—some call it magic.

Ka'ala



Mrs. Cochrane (2nd Grade)



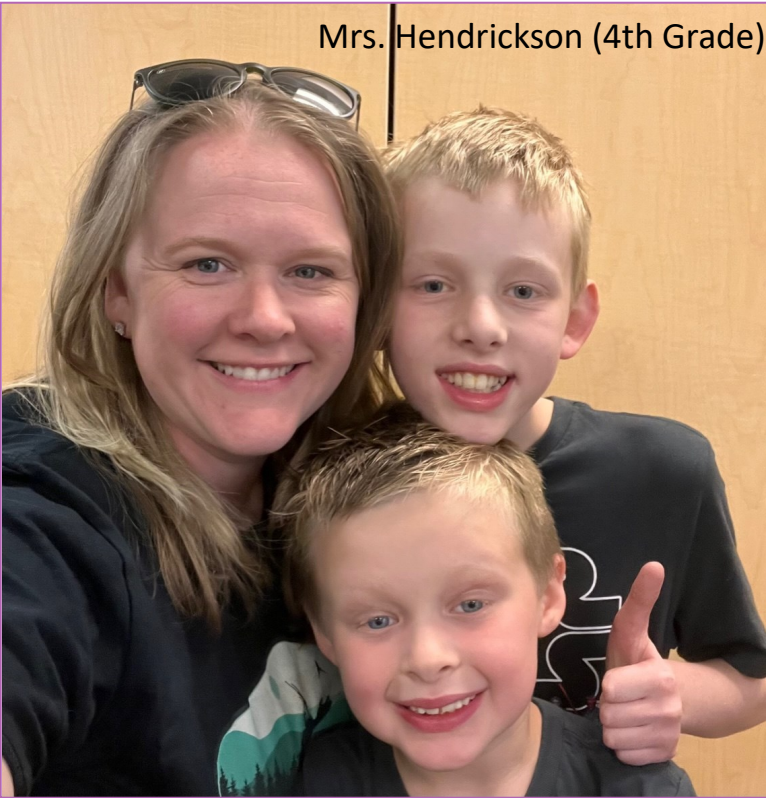
Ms. League (Secretary)



Mrs. Schweiger (1st Grade)

A mother thinks about her children day and night, even if they are not with her, and will love them in a way they will never understand.

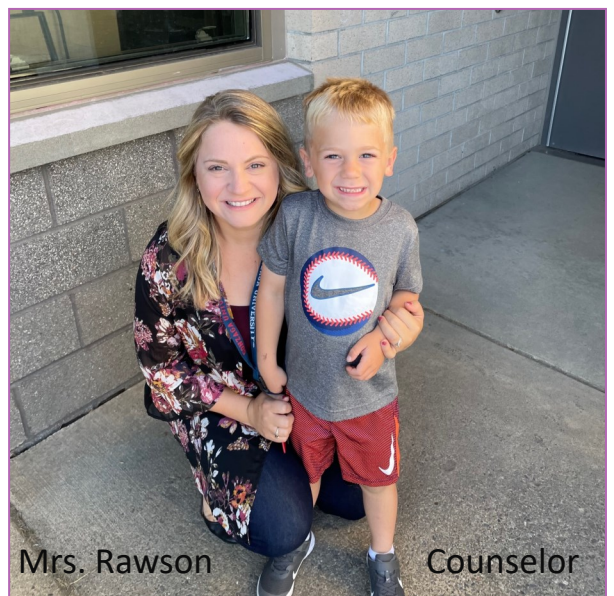
Mrs. Hendrickson (4th Grade)



Mrs. Dexter (3rd Grade)



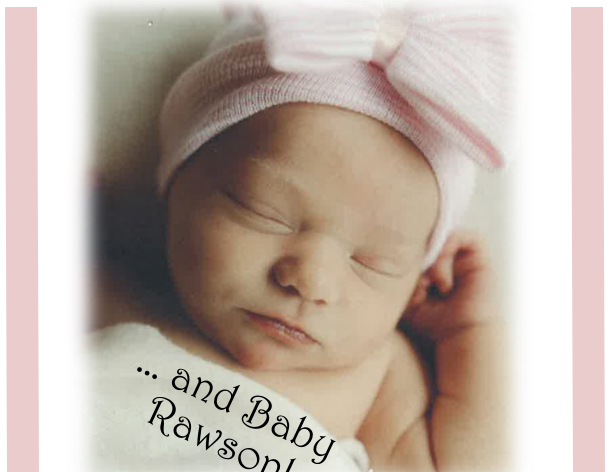
Mrs. Thompson (5th Grade)



Mrs. Rawson

Counselor

... and Baby Rawson!



Mrs. Daniel (Secretary)



To the world, you may be one person.
But to one person, you may be the world.
Bill Wilson

Mrs. Jensen (3rd Grade)



Mrs. Tee (Paraeducator)



Mrs. Gass (3rd Grade)





Mrs. Aune-Ruland (A-R)
(STEAM) & grandson



Mrs. Smith (4th Grade)

Successful
mothers are
not the ones
that have
never
struggled.
They are the
ones that
never give up,
despite the
struggles.

Sharon Jaynes



Nurse Dena & Grandson



Freda (Resident Goose) in 2022



Mrs. Doneen (Transitional Kindergarten)

...A mother
always has to
think twice,
once for
herself and
once for her
child.

Sophia Loren



Meet Freeman's Districtwide Resource Officer



Deputy Ryan Felvarg is the Freeman School District Resource Deputy.



You may see his sheriff's "cop car" parked at any of the school buildings while on duty.

His duty and presence help keep everyone safe and encourage students' trust for law enforcement, through meeting and talking with officers aside from emergency situations.

Deputy Felvarg's childhood nickname was Farva or Felvy.

On his bucket list are to vacation in Europe and to learn to speak Croatian (his wife's family's language).

Some fun facts about Deputy Felvarg are that he has played hockey his whole life and still plays in an adult hockey league. Also, he was on the TV Show, "Cops!"

Nurses Week
May 6 - 12



Thank you Dena Olson and Bitz Willard for continuing to provide great support to Freeman School District students and staff!

The school nurse role includes:

- *providing first aid care and health assessment*
- *writing care plans and coordinating the care of students with chronic or acute health conditions*
- *communicating with teachers and staff to ensure the safety and well-being of students*
- *administering medications and monitoring delegated medication administration*
- *assisting in the evaluation of students for Special Services (Special Education)*
- *coordinating and providing vision and hearing screenings*
- *assisting families in accessing health insurance and health care services, and*
- *educating and training staff on: asthma, life threatening allergies, diabetes, and bloodborne pathogens.*





Looking Forward!

On May 11, Superintendent Russell, along with Freeman board members, students & staff celebrated the groundbreaking of the **Freeman Stadium Upgrades, Phase 1**. The project was awarded to Garco Construction & A.M. Landshaper in April of this year. The planned completion date is August 1 this year. Major elements of the project include groundwork, installation of artificial turf and new stadium lights.



Save the Date... Pastries for Parents

June 9

7:30-8:10 a.m.

K-8 MPR

Parents With Freeman
Students , Grades P-8

Please join us!

Leo's Photography will be on hand to take photos.

\$10 for two 3x5's

ASB Campaign & Election Time! [Grades 4-5 May Run; Grades 3-5 Vote from Elementary]

Tuesday May 16 All candidate paperwork is due to Middle School Office, 11:00 am (no exceptions)

Thursday May 18 Campaign signs may go up (following approval by Mr. Straw)

Tuesday May 23 Speeches due to Mr. Straw, 3:00 pm, in order to remain eligible

Thursday May 25 Assembly for nominations & candidate speeches (must be present if running)

Questions: (509) 291-7301

jstraw@freemansd.org



Free Summer Meal Program

(All Children Under 18 Years)

Town of Fairfield, WA

Lunch Service Times: M-F 12:00 – 1:00 PM

June 26 – August 18

(No Service July 4)

Fairfield Community Center, E 304 Main Street
Fairfield, WA 99012

Contact Information: Fairfield Town Hall
509-283-2414 or La Donna Kelly 509-291-3962



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obstacles and challenges

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**Will you have a kindergartener
enrolling Fall 2023 (age 5 by 8/31/23)?**



Interest also accepted for
Inclusive Transitional
Kindergarten (ITK) age 4 by
8/31/2023

If so, please alert the
elementary office with student name, birthdate and your
email address so
we may follow up with you. (509) 291-4791

*Those currently attending Freeman's
preschool or ITK do not need to call.*



Acts can include, but are not limited to, singing, dancing, acting, joke telling, juggling, playing musical instruments, different tricks and other entertaining talents.

Show Time

Wednesday, June 14

1:00 pm

K8 Multi-purpose Room

Auditions

May 30-June 2

To Audition...

- ⇒ Sign up beforehand with Mrs. Thompson, Elementary Room 134 (see next page)
- ⇒ Plan to attend just one date to audition.
- ⇒ Limit your act to 3 ½ minutes. YOU need to time your act to make sure you do not go over.

Be Prepared

- ⇒ Bring your completed permission slip to the audition. (required)
- ⇒ If you are using music, be prepared to communicate how to access it during the audition.
- ⇒ Your complete act should be ready to show the judges on your audition day. NO changes in your act after that day unless you have permission from your talent show director.

Some Rules

- ⇒ **Absolutely no suggestive movement or inappropriate language.**
Suggestive dancing seen in most music videos is not appropriate for school. Please think about this BEFORE the audition.
- ⇒ All songs & dances should be appropriate for *all ages* to see & hear at school.
- ⇒ If your act is not appropriate, you will not be cast in the show.



Talent Show Submission

Act Description

Student Name: _____

Grade/Teacher: _____

Other group members' names: _____

Name of act: _____

Type: (dance, singing, etc.) _____

Song name: (if you have one) _____

Parent/ Guardian signature: _____ date: _____

To be completed by Mrs. Thompson

Audition Permission Slip

Name: _____

Act: _____

Audition Date: _____ Audition time: _____

Reminders:

Happy Mother's Day from the Elementary Staff!



Sports Opportunities

See the
May 5 issue
(email and at
www.freemansd.org)
of
The Scottie Scoop!
for registrations
for
*Run the
Palouse
Mini Scotties
Volleyball Camp
Baseball Camp*



Spokane Lilac Festival Schedule

Community Military
Golf Tournament (May)
Lilac Legacy Art Show
& Competition (May 16)
Spokane Lilac Festival
President's Gala (May 19)
Spokane Lilac Festival Brewfest
(May 20)
Cruzin' The Falls Car Show
(May 20)
Armed Forces Torchlight Parade
(May 20, 7:45 pm)

Breakfast

15	Dutch Waffle ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Gala Apple Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	16	Omelet -with- Biscuit ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Gala Apple Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	17	Breakfast Pizza ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Fresh Orange Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	18	Breakfast Cookie ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Banana Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	19	Cinnamon Roll w/Icing ----- Cereal & Goldfish ----- Fresh Pear Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk
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Lunch

15	Spring Roll ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	16	Chicken Alfredo ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	17	Pretzel w/Cheese Sauce ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	18	Hot Dogs ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk	19	Chicken Burger ----- Alternate Lunch ----- Chocolate Milk White Milk
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