

The Scottie Scoop!

FREEMAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Children/Graduates of Freeman Staff Members

Back: Tyler Berryman, Zach Hayek, Hunter Hawk, Gunnar Reed, Caleb & Nathan Cochran, Adam Rae
 Front: Evelyn Coyner, Jorja Jensen

Congratulations Graduates and the Entire Class of 2023!

Happenings...

- June 10 HS Graduation
Flag Day, Fairfield
- June 14 Talent Show, 1:00 pm
- June 15 FES Play Day
ITK Graduation
8th Grade Promotion, FMS Gym, 6 pm
Yearbooks Distributed to Elementary Students
- June 16 Early Release for Students, 12:30 pm (Last Day)
- June 23 All-community Barn Dance, Rockford Town Park, 6-9:00 pm
- June 23-24 All-school Reunion, Rockford Town Park
- June 29 FSD Board Meeting, 6 pm, TK-8 MPR

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Happy Father's Day to our elementary teachers—(left) 5th Grade Teacher **Mr. Gady** with his daughter and our Substitute Teacher, Krystal Gady, and (below) 2nd Grade Teacher **Mr. Reed** with his daughter, Aspyn; son, Gunnar; and wife Monica.

One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters. *George Herbert*



Anyone who tells you fatherhood is the greatest thing than can happen to you, they are understanding it.

Mike Myers





Farewell Mr. Lysek!

As the year winds down, so too winds down Mr.

Lysek's work as substitute K-8 Counselor. While Chayce is sad to leave Freeman, he is pleased to have a new, full-time position at Newport School District—home of the Grizzlies. He will be the new K-8 Counselor for Stratton Elementary and Sadie Halstead Middle Schools.

Before he leaves, it is appropriate to share two fun facts about him—he has played guitar for 14 years, and he likes rock climbing...just not simultaneously.

On his bucket list is to travel to Australia, and also he has aspirations of writing and recording a song.



Flag Day in Fairfield.



Come support the Freeman Scotties at Flag Day in Fairfield on Saturday, June 10, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. These ballers (left) will be swishing around, scooping ice cream cones to raise money for the upcoming basketball season!



Our **STEAM** classes would welcome supply donations for the 2023-24 school year. See link, right.



ART + SCIENCE = PROGRESS

www.signupgenius.com/go/70A044CAFAE22A6FB6-steam



NEAR-PERFECT ATTENDANCE ALL YEAR 2022-2023

ATTENDANCE ROCKS!



Corbin Brantz



Collin Duncan



Ethan Dreyer



Elliana Bidondo



PERFECT ATTENDANCE SEMESTER 2 2023



Evalea Bessire



Elliana Bidondo



Henley Brown



Maxwell Florence



Wyatt Florence



Ahava Kann



Evelyn Kann



Landon King



Lachlan Robison



Hailey Santman



Reece Talley



**Snippets from June 9
Pastries with Parents**



Integrity

Drew Admire
Justin Boring
Beckett Chambers
Emma Croskrey
Mason Higgins
Ezra Horlacher
Kamden Ketel
Jaxton League
Madison McConnell
Emerson Northrop
Clark Rawson
Norah Smith
Karlee Stephens
Charlee Tenner
Reed Thompson
Evolett Toftdahl
Evelyn Walter
Harry Wilkinson

Gratitude

Marley Branon
Emmett Brantz
Jayce Calkins
Shailyn Church
Bree Fatherree
Gillian Gonsalves
Levi Hendrickson
Kensi Hill
Maverick Jessop
Timothy Kopets
Penelope Munck
Holden Newcomb
Layla Ortiz
Clara Paxton
Beckham Peil
Lukas Poirier
Brooke Robison
Anthony Weathermon



TRUSTWORTHINESS

Taitum Aselton
Kambree Beck
Charles Bowen
Isaac Bruno
Casey Conciencie
Jace Cotton
Morgan Curtis
Jameson Derkatch
Adalyn Eden
Chloe Hill
Harlow Johnston
Liam Kidd
Jack Kindred
Millabelle League
Benjamin Lonam
January McKee
Miranda Schott
Nora Wiker

PACE
Character Traits
Elementary
students were
recognized for
good character at
this week's PACE
Assembly.

Good job
students!

Courage

Jaymie Alsup
Timothy Cochrane
McKinley Flake
Parker Gass
Easton Hagen
Luke Jones
Coltyn Jorgensen
Charlotte Loosmore
Henry Mendenhall
Dane Peters
Nova Pierce
Kadyn Pilon
Henry Sapier
Thor Sapier
Tanner Seely
Alexis Serrano
Synnove Thosath
Scarlett Winchester

Generosity

Kennedy Clerget
Perry Drake
Maxwell Florence
Audrey Gilrein
Nicholas Hames
Penny Heidt
Luke Hendrickson
Rowan Lavoie
Hope Loggains
Lillian Marchand
Mason Marchand
Everly Mendenhall
Sophia Mulligan
Hudson Peil
Charley Shaw
Wyatt Svelmoe
Jude Thompson
Anthony Truett

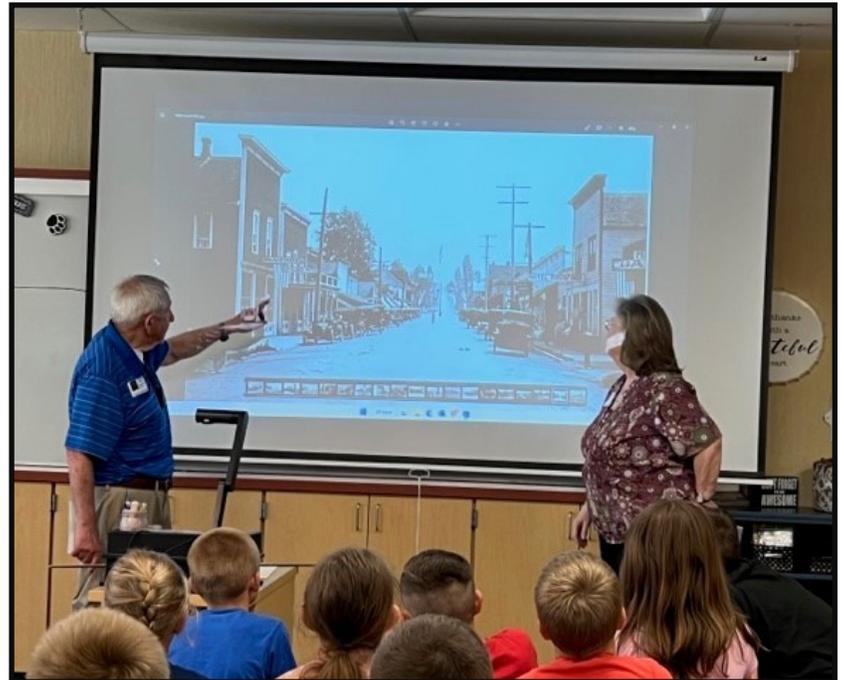


85th Spokane Lilac Festival
 Armed Forces Torchlight Parade
 20 May 2023

Lilac Sweepstakes Award

**BEST COMMUNITY
 FLOAT**

Good Job Fourth-grade Float Committee—Students & Parents!



**Third-grade Students Enjoy a Visit from the
 Rockford Museum & Historical Society
 (Paul Gillespie & Gail Kopp)**

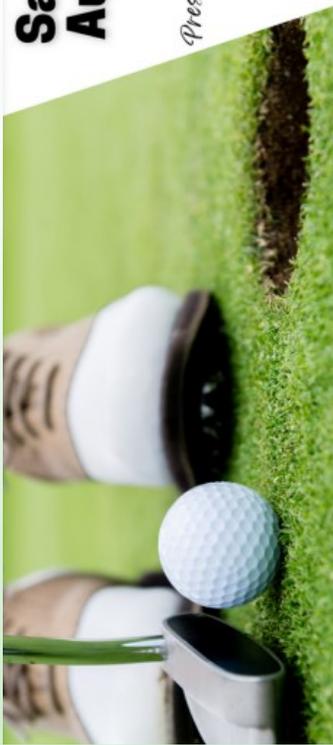
Class of 2027 Fundraiser

Our Freeman Class of 2027 is selling pajama pants! They would make a great gift for graduating Seniors or end-of-year teacher gifts! Is your child going to overnight camp? Is your family going camping? Are you going to have some lazy summer days? If so, make sure to have Freeman Pajama Pants and support the

Freeman Class of 2027!

Please contact Brianne Wineinger (509) 979-0155 if you would like to purchase. \$35 Venmo @Freeman2027 or Cash or Check (**Mediums Sold Out**)





**Saturday
Aug 12th
1pm**

Presented by:



Design IT Solutions



**5TH ANNUAL Freeman Athletics
Golf Tournament**

Prizes: 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place Teams

Side Games: Closest to pin (\$5) on par 3's and more

Sponsorship: Contact Chad Ripke cripke@freemansd.org

Registration: [Register online](#)

Questions...
509.291.3721

Registration opens May 31st

Team Registration \$320
(includes golf, cart & dinner)

Links Golf Course
10623 Chase Rd.
Post Falls, ID 83854

Special thanks to our corporate sponsors:
Stepping Stones Pediatric Therapy, Dream Team/Synergy Properties, Devan Schlager Insurance, Access Unlimited & Security, Inc., Evergreen Heating & Cooling, Fusion Architecture, Lilac City Septic Services, BTS Concrete, Lexar Homes

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SCOTTIES

FOOTBALL

YOUTH CAMP

GRADES 1-8 JULY 10-12 5:00-7:00 PM



PLEASE PRINT:

Student Name _____
 Address _____
 Parent/Guardian _____
 E-mail _____
 Cell # _____ 2023-2024 Grade _____
 Allergies or Medication _____
 Doctor and Insurance Company _____

In case of emergency, the supervisor on site has my permission to obtain medical treatment for my child. I understand this activity is voluntary and my child's participation is not mandatory. I understand the Freeman School District does not purchase or have medical/dental/hospitalization insurance to cover an injury while participating at this event. Further, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Freeman School District.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date _____

COST: \$30
 Cash/Check Registration and Payment
 Please sign, return, or mail with camp fee, one student per form. You may register the first day of camp. Please make checks to Freeman High School

CAMP T-SHIRT
 The camp includes a t-shirt. To insure your child's preferred size, order early.
 Circle Size: YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL



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

Past-due School Meal Balances

We would like your assistance in bringing your child/ren's food service account balance current.

Under OSPI Child Nutrition guidance, schools did not charge for meals during Covid. Please note that negative balance(s) on meal accounts are due either to pre-covid negative balances, or from meals charged during School Year 2022-23.



Impending Loss of Federal Reimbursement for School Meals

See Link:

<https://schoolnutrition.org/sna-news/impending-loss-of-federal-reimbursement-for-school-meals/>

On June 30, 2023, a \$0.15 cent reimbursement per breakfast, and a \$0.40 cent reimbursement per lunch will expire. These are federal reimbursements to the district. A link to the article is noted above. About halfway down the page, there is a link for a form you may complete to contact Washington State Legislators to let them know this would have a severe negative impact on School Food Service. A cell phone number is required to submit the form. Please take a few moments to help us communicate to Washington State Legislators that these reimbursements are critical for supporting nutritious, quality meals for students in all grade groups.



Breakfast

12	Dutch Waffle Cereal & Goldfish Gala Apple Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	13	Chocolate Chip Muffin String Cheese Cereal & Goldfish Craisins Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk Gala Apple	14	Breakfast Pizza Cereal & Goldfish Fresh Orange Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk Gala Apple	15	Breakfast Cookie Cereal & Goldfish Banana Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk	16	Cereal & Goldfish Banana Juice Variety Chocolate Milk White Milk
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Lunch

12	Egg McFreeman Alternate Lunch Chocolate Milk White Milk	13	Teriyaki Chicken -with- Noodles Alternate Lunch Chicken Caesar Wrap Chocolate Milk White Milk	14	Totchos Dinner Roll WG Alternate Lunch Chocolate Milk White Milk	15	Teriyaki Chicken Noodles Turkey Sandwich Alternate Lunch Chocolate Milk White Milk	16	EARLY RELEASE Turkey Sandwich Alternate Lunch Baby Carrots Applesauce Chocolate Milk White Milk
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Valleyfest invites your school, parent association and school clubs/activities to join with Valleyfest the weekend of September 22, 23 and 24th, 2023.

Parade

Join the wide variety of parade entries, including animals, custom and classic cars, floats, bands, clowns, Miss Spokane Valley Royalty, and more! Valleyfest Parade is Friday night September 22, 2023 stepping off at 7:30 pm from Sun City Church on Sprague Avenue and ending on the corner of Perrine and Sprague, near Chase Bank.

This year Valleyfest will provide a school banner for the first 10 schools that register for the parade. The link for registration is located at www.valleyfest.org

The rules and regulations for the parade are located on the registration page. Be creative and invite your parents and kids to walk, ride, scoot or kazoo in the Valleyfest parade.

Saturday September 23

Events continue at Mirabeau Point Park and CenterPlace Regional Event Center. Schools and school districts, organizations, can register for a booth, volunteer and inform your families of all the activities at Valleyfest. It's all there at www.valleyfest.org

Saturday CenterPlace will host the STEAM activities including the Pacific Science Center and two planetariums. There will be three entertainment stages, 250 booths with many free activities for families and the expanded Culture Fest in Mirabeau Park Meadows.

Sunday September 23

Multi-Sport Sunday starts at Plantess Ferry Park at 8:00 am The Valleyfest Foundation is sponsoring 30 children for the 5K run. Please see www.valleyfest.org for more details.

Of course there is much more to Valleyfest than the activities listed, however, our committee wanted to have this information out prior to the end of this school year.

Valleyfest is looking forward to answering your questions, and working with you so that your school is included in this community festival and celebration.

Peggy Doering, Valleyfest Executive Director
509-922-3299

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