Happy November, Hawks! In my work with students during November & December I am supporting our school-wide place based theme of Community. Students will build social skills by engaging in community-focused work through the following topics:

- My People Who Care - Who are the people in my personal community that I can go to when I need help?
- What is a Friend? - What does real friendship look like? How can I be a good friend and neighbor in my community?
- Generosity: How do I care for those in my community?

Thanks for supporting your students in learning these life skills that serve a lifetime!
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**2019 Powell Butte Community Charter School Holiday Program!**

**Thursday, Dec. 19th, 9am & 6:30pm**

Hello wonderful PBCCS parents! The Holiday program is a month away. I cannot wait to see your students’ shining faces up on stage. I hope you bring friends and family and enjoy the show!

**COSTUME**

Our musical is called THE GREAT BIG HOLIDAY BAKE-OFF! It’s a t.v. show style performance with songs all about holiday sweets and treats. So fun! The following are acceptable costumes and props:

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<td>Whisk</td>
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*NO hats!* The exception would be if you are chosen to play a character and it’s a part of your costume! I want the audience to be able to see every child’s face clearly!

*Kinder Parents, your kiddos are wearing their Holiday Best, not baking wear*

**SPEAKERS**

Please practice your parts! This includes gather necessary costume items and performing your lines loud and proud for friends and family!

Thank you so much for your continued support of the music and art program at PBCCS!
Mrs. Rhoderick, Art/Music teacher, lrhoderick@powellbuttecharterschool.org
Place Based Education Update

In keeping with November’s core virtue of wonder, I must take a moment to appreciate the bounty in the world around us. Specifically, I’m continually amazed at the generosity of our community and your commitment to the school. PBCCS runs two main fundraising events: Exercise-a-Thon and Casino Night. The funds raised at these events allow us to complement classroom learning with field studies: fall trips to explore community in Prineville, 4th overnight to Tumalo State Park, 5th overnight to Newport, 7th grade overnight trip to Hancock and the 8th grade trip to the Gorge & Willamette Valley.

Upcoming Field Studies:
These trips are a ways off; please mark your calendars and consider if you will be available to chaperone. We will need many dads for both our 4th and 5th overnight trips!

- Grade 3: February 19  Project SNOW at Mt. Bachelor
- Grade 4&5: February 26  Project SNOW at Mt. Bachelor
- Grade 5: April 22-24 Overnight Trip to Newport, Oregon
- Grade 4: April 30 -May1  Overnight at Tumalo State Park

BIG NEWS: With generous support from community sponsors, Friends of Powell Butte School is hosting a Thanksgiving Feast at school on 11/28 from 12:30 to 2:30. Bring the family and spend Thanksgiving with the greater community. Please RSVP by 11/22: text or call 541-408-0256 or email info@friendsofpbschool.com

Happy Thanksgiving! Enjoy the time with your friends and families.
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