



The Eckstein Weekly

March 6, 2020

PTSA News

Monday Night PTSA Meeting Canceled

Meet Your Legislators: Save the Date for Monday April 20th, 6:30 to 8:00pm

State and City representatives will be in the Eckstein library, answering questions and speaking about their legislative agenda. Come, listen, and get involved. Anyone can advocate for schools, our kids, and for our teachers. A one-hour meeting of the EMS PTSA will follow.

Garden Club After School on Tuesdays 3:45-4:45 pm

The weather is warming (slightly) and it's time to start making the Eckstein garden beautiful again! Stay after school on Tuesdays to work together in the garden. Permission slips are in the office. Also, save the date for a sale on vegetable starts and a garden work party on April 25.

Quick Links:

[Eckstein Middle School](#)

[Eckstein PTSA](#)

[The Source](#)

[Attendance Email](#)

Attendance Phone:
206-252-5014

Main Office Phone:
206-252-5010

Eckstein News

Annual Eckstein Band Rummage Sale: Save the Date for April 25!

The Rummage Sale will be Saturday, April 25, 9am-3pm! We need your donations to make this event a success. Please set aside your gently used clothing, household items, books, music, furniture, sporting goods and more. All donations accepted on Friday, April 24, from 1:30PM to 5:30 PM in the Eckstein Cafeteria. All funds raised go directly to our incredible Eckstein Music Program. Funds are used to help support off-campus music performances, repair and maintain instruments and provide much needed student scholarships. Our goal is to make music accessible to all. If you have any questions, please contact [Gretchen Ludwig](#).

From the Office

If you shop at Office Depot/Office Max, give them Eckstein's school code – 70107353. Eckstein gets money back every quarter. The Main Office uses this as their 'supply' money so we don't have to use other school money. The checks have ranged from \$12 to over \$700.00 at times. It is an easy way to give back to the school!

All Spring Athletes Need to Complete Athletic Paperwork

This includes a physical form signed by your doctor in order to turn out for any sports. Forms are available [here](#) and across the hall from the front office.

Boys Soccer Tryouts

Boys Soccer Tryouts will continue Monday, March 9th from 4:00-5:30 PM on the Eckstein field. Practices will start on Thursday, March 12th and run Mondays and Thursdays after school from 4:00-5:30 P.M.

Girls Volleyball Tryouts Next Week

Girls Volleyball Tryouts will be on the following dates/times in the Eckstein gym:
Wednesday, March 11th from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM for 7th & 8th graders
Friday, March 13th from 4:00-6:00 PM for 6th graders
Monday, March 16th from 4:00-6:00 PM by request
Practices will start on Tuesday, March 17th, and follow these dates/times:
Varsity: Tuesdays & Thursdays 4:00-5:30 PM
JV: Tuesdays and Fridays, 4:00-5:30 PM
JVC: Mondays and Fridays, 4:00-5:30 PM

Eckstein Track

Be a part of the Eckstein track program! Practices will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30-5:15 on the Eckstein track/field. The first day of practice will be Tuesday, March 10th.

Boys' Varsity Soccer and Track Schedules

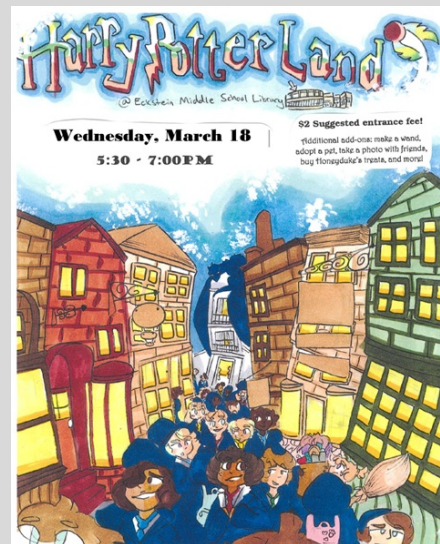
Click [here](#) to find the complete schedules for Boys' Varsity Soccer and Track. Scroll to the bottom of the Athletics page to see the spring sports info.

Donut Forget to Read Book Club Rescheduled

Donut Forget to Read Book Club will be rescheduled to April. The date will be decided in the next few weeks. In the meantime, more time to get the book, [Maybe He Just Likes You](#) by Barbara Dee, which is a highly recommended read from students and adults alike! RSVP to the librarian Erin Sterling at emsterling@seattleschools.org.

Harry Potter Land is Coming!

Come to the Eckstein Library Wednesday, March 18th from 5:30 – 7:00pm. Eckstein students have been working hard on creating Harry Potter Land and families/community members are invited! Try out activities at different areas of Harry Potter Land, including the Leaky Cauldron, a Quidditch field, Zonko's, and more. Students need to come with adults or get a permission slip from Ms. Sterling to attend. There is a \$2 suggested donation to enter.



Calendar

- **Mar 13:** Orchestra Concert, 7:30 pm
- **Mar 18:** Harry Potter Land, Eckstein Library 5:30-7:00 pm
- **Mar 19:** Concert Band Fest, 7:30 pm
- **Mar 21:** Varsity Boys' Soccer Game, Eagle Staff MS, 9 am
- **Mar 21:** Band Solo and Ensemble Festival, 9 am-12 pm
- **Mar 25:** Eckstein Talent Show and bake sale
- **Mar 28:** Saturday School, Eckstein Middle School
- **Mar 28:** Varsity Boys' Soccer Game, Franklin HS, 9:30 am
- **Mar 28:** Track Meet, NE Athletic Complex, 10:30 am
- **Apr 25:** Eckstein Band Rummage Sale, Eckstein, 9 am-3 pm

Community News

Roosevelt High School Engineering Summer Enrichment

July 6 - July 31, Monday through Friday, 11:30-4:15p.m.. Open to Roosevelt bound incoming 9th graders. High School level content. Industry standard software. No cost. Allows incoming RHS freshman to bypass the prerequisite introduction course

and start freshman year with specialty courses in Architecture, Robotics, Aerospace, Digital Electronics, Computer Integrated Manufacturing, and Project Management. Enrollment is limited. For questions, contact [Karl Ruff](#). To preregister, fill out the [summer program interest form](#).

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