

Sisters' Memorial Scholarship

The Sisters' Memorial Scholarship is a Vernonia High School scholarship that was set up for a graduating senior with a GPA of 2.5 who has a strong community connection, a desire to help others, and be genuine and honest.

This scholarship was established by Dana Hyde and Jana Titus. Both are employees of the Vernonia School District and are two friends who believe good will come to those who treat others with kindness and respect. The scholarship is in memory of their sisters, Kari Jo Titus (Berberick) and Sheri Lynne Wilson (Hiveley) who died of cancer and were women of faith who touched lives beyond comprehension.

"A few years ago while Jana

and I were talking about our families we realized how much we had in common," says Dana Hyde. "Our connection was strong and we felt a memorial scholarship would be a great way to give to our youth while honoring our sisters."

The goal is to offer a \$500 scholarship for a deserving student. If you feel you are able to help reach this goal by contributing any amount, please do so by mailing it to: Vernonia High School c/o Dana Hyde 1000 Missouri Ave, Vernonia OR 97064. All monies will be handled through the school's bookkeeping. Please make checks out to: Sisters' Memorial Scholarship. For tax purposes, please use ID#93-6000336.

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Vernonia Students of the Month February 2018 Elementary School



Front Row: Tyler Bryson (K), Emmerson Dennis (K), Michael Wheelock (1)
Back Row: Wyatt Woodall (5), Kylee Ladd (3), Archer Cutright (3), Celia DeField (4), Kaydence Eide (5)

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Vernonia Students of the Month March 2018 Elementary School



Front Row: Logan Barnes (K), Dillyn Rich (K), Thalen Ovall-Down (3), Preslie Hartman (1)
Back Row : Morgan Schneck-enburger (4), Justin Rice (5), Julia Busch (3), Keianna Meyers (5), Joshua LaBelle (2)

Torey Tolonen Grade 7
Torey is known as a student who has a hard work ethic and does good quality work. She has a positive attitude, is willing to help other students, and has a good sense of humor. Torey says her favorite subject is language arts. She is running track this year and may go out for volleyball. In her free time Torey says she likes to read.



Alura Byler Grade 12



Alura is an involved and talented student who says her favorite subject is art. She is part of the Project Based Learning class that is working to purchase a reader board for the community. She is part of the equestrian team and runs track. She is also a member of the United States Pony Club, competing regionally, and just qualified for championship competition. Alura says she plans to attend Portland State University next year to study psychology.

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Oregon Primary Election May 15, 2018

An Oregon Primary Election will be held May 15, 2018. At the Primary Election major political party candidates are nominated for partisan offices to be filled at the General Election the same year, and party precinct committeepersons are elected. Additionally, nonpartisan offices are on the ballot for election or nomination to the General Election and there will be two local measures to be decided on (City of St. Helens 5-266 and Clatskanie RFPD 5-267). All active registered voters in Columbia County (approximately 37,000) will receive a ballot tailored to their party affiliation, precinct and/or district.

Election details can be found on the Columbia County Elections department page of www.co.columbia.or.us.

Voter registration - The last day for a new registrant to register to vote for

this election is April 24. Already registered voters can review and update their registration information at www.oregonvotes.gov by clicking the "My Vote" tab.

Ballot Mailing - Ballots will be mailed Thursday, April 26. The last day ballots will be mailed to households will be May 10.

Returning voted ballots - Ballots must be received by the county clerk or delivered to an official drop site no later than 8:00 pm on May 15, 2018 - postmarks do not count. The United States Postal Service has stated that ballots could take up to 5-7 days to reach county elections offices once they are put in the mail. If you cannot return your ballot by mail by the Thursday prior to Election Day, you should plan on returning your ballot to a drop site.

Drop sites for the election will be as follows:
Columbia County Courthouse
24-Hour Drive-up Drop Box
230 Strand St., St. Helens
Clatskanie Library
11 Lillich St.
Scappoose City Hall
24-Hour Drop Box
33568 E. Columbia Ave.
Rainier City Hall
106 B St. W
Vernonia Public Library
701 Weed Ave
Closed April 30 - May 6
Mist Birkenfeld RFPD
12525 Hwy 202

Public Certification Test
- The Public Certification Test of the counting equipment for the Special Election will be held on Tuesday, May 8, 2018. The testing will begin at 10:00 am in the County Elections Department. The public is welcome to attend.

Vernonia School Board Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. The next School Board Meeting is scheduled for May 10 at 6:00 pm in the Schools Library.



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