

Sister's Memorial Scholarship and Fun Run

Dana Hyde and Jana Titus, two Vernonia School District employees, are again seeking contributions for the Sister's Memorial Scholarship, to be given to deserving Vernonia High School graduating seniors this spring.

The Sister's Memorial Scholarship was started in 2014 and honors Hyde's sister Sheri Wilson and Titus's sister Kari Titus, who both lost battles with cancer.

This year the scholarship is starting what they hope will be a new tradition with the Sister's Memorial Fun Run, a 5k walk/run and 10k run, on June 6, 2020. The run is being organized by VHS junior Jenna Handgard (right) for her senior project next year.

To support the Sister's Memorial Scholarship and this year's Fun Run, send checks to Vernonia High School, c/o Dana Hyde, 1000 Missouri Avenue, Vernonia, OR 97064. Tax ID # 93-6000336



Super Scorers!

A big shout out to Cathy Ward and Karen Roberts for their dedication to the Vernonia Schools Athletic programs, helping run the scoreboard, clocks, and keeping stats for the teams. Karen has been helping with statistics

and scoring for volleyball, basketball, and baseball for over 30 years, and says in all those years she's only missed one game. Cathy has been helping out for about 15 years. Let's give a big Vernonia "Thank You" to these two!



ASSE Seeks Host Families for High School Exchange Students

ASSE Student Exchange Programs is now looking for American families to host high school students from Eurasia, Germany, and countries with significant Muslim population. All these exceptional students have received scholarships through the U.S. State Department-sponsored programs: Future Leaders Exchange Program (FLEX), Congress Bundestag Youth Exchange Program (CBYX), and Kennedy Lugar Youth Exchange and Study Program (YES). These scholarship recipients will spend an academic year in the U.S. The historic U.S. State Department programs seek to foster democracy and values inherent in a free market economy. Your support of these students and programs like this reinforces the United States' commit-

ment to education and opportunity throughout the world.

ASSE is currently seeking host families for these well-qualified, bright, motivated and well-screened students coming from various parts of the world, including; Latvia, Ukraine, Poland, Egypt, Jordan, Ghana, and Germany. By living with local host families and attending local high schools, these scholarship students acquire an understanding of American values and build on leadership skills.

If you are interested in opening your home and sharing your family life with a young person from abroad, please contact ASSE today for more information, call (800) 733-2773, go online at www.ASSE-hosts.com or email asseusawest@asse.com.



Vernonia School Board Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, April 9, 6:00 pm at the Mist School.

Please check the District's website for updates/changes www.vernonia.k12.or.us

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