

**Jim Matthews Scholarship Project  
by- Elizabeth McLauchlan**

My name is Elizabeth McLauchlan and I am a senior at Butte Falls High School. I am currently working on a community service project for the Jim Matthews Mem. Scholarship. This project is an opportunity for me to give back to the community and I have chosen to implement the SMART program at Butte Falls Elementary School.

SMART (Start Making A Reader Today) is a book and reading program for kindergarten through third grade children. Former Oregon governor, Neil Goldschmidt, founded the program through the Oregon Children's Foundation. Children involved in the program read with a community volunteer twice a week. This program is designed to create enthusiastic readers who can read at or above grade level by the time they leave elementary school.

I am working hard to get this program started for the coming school year. In order to reach this goal I will need assistance from members of the community. I am also greatly in need of a school coordinator to make sure the project runs smoothly. The role of coordinator is a paid position that would require a commitment of about 10 hours per week. Responsibilities include recruiting volunteers, scheduling reading sessions, training volunteers, preparing progress reports, and other related activities. In addition

**Tanner's thinking  
about crawling.  
But would rather  
be walking.....**

to the coordinatiior position, there are several other opportunities for community members to be involved with the project. Volunteers are needed to make a commitment of one hour per week to read to two students for one half-hour at a time. Anyone who is interested in providing financial assistance or in volunteering for one of the above stated openings, please feel free to contact me at school (541) 865-3563 or at home (541) 865-3678.

I am excited about the opportunity to implement the SMART program at Butte Falls Elementary School and I am sure that you are too. This program will not only improve the children's reading skills, but will help bring our community closer to our youth!

**Benefit for Upper  
Rogue  
Matching Fund Project  
for  
Senior Handicap  
Accessible Van  
Sunday June 10, 9am-  
2pm  
Pancake Breakfast  
\$4.50 Adults  
\$2.50 kids  
Community Center  
Shady Cove**

**Howdy Partner!  
It's Kindergarten  
Round Up Time!**

June 11, 12 and 13th...  
Must be 5 yrs old by  
September 1st.  
Bring your birth  
certificates and  
immunization records  
if ya got em.  
Call to schedule your one hour  
visit.. 865.3563.



Great time to meet the teacher, see the classroom and share some fun activities. Participation in this here "round up" makes the children feel at ease over the summer and on the first day of school....

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