

Four teachers will leave 47J, new classes added at high school

Vernonia High School students will have the opportunity to choose from two new classes during the 1995-96 school year.

A construction class will involve removing one of the old modular buildings on campus, which are currently used only for storage, and constructing a new storage building.

The second new class will be Math 111, a college-level algebra course. It will be taught by Bob Finnell, a full-time math instructor at Portland Community College. High school students who complete the course will receive transferable college credits for the course.

Students planning to enroll in Math 111 must take the ASSET test prior to registration. August 21 has been tentatively set for the test. Cost of the 4-credit course is \$33 per credit, plus a textbook. For more information, call Finnell at 978-5205.

One teacher will be added

at Washington Grade School to reduce fifth/sixth grade class size. Another classroom will be developed by moving some non-classroom functions to the school basement, opening a room on the main floor for the additional class.

Macintosh computers now

at VHS will be moved to WGS for elementary students to use. When that transition is complete, said school Superintendent Ellis Mason, the district hopes to make the Mac lab available evenings for the use of the community.

Seven teachers will not re-

turn in the fall. Resignations were accepted from Dorie Barrall and Ken Brown, both from Lincoln Grade School; Rebecca Bruns, special ed teacher at VHS, and Susann Ragsdale, who taught beginning algebra and computer programming at VHS.

Three teachers will be taking unpaid leave: Robin Dennis, WGS, and Cindy Simonson, LGS, will each take a year of leave. Debbie Rosen-treter McConnell will take leave for the fall semester, then teach half-time during the second semester.

Washington Grade School Honor Roll announced

Washington Grade School has announced the seventh and eighth grade academic Honor Roll for the final quarter of the 1994-95 school year.

Receiving Principal's Honors for straight A grades was eighth grader Linda Schill.

High Honors went to Ellie Prpich, Don Benedict, Laura Jackson, Amy Rosendahl, Joshua Vaughn, Allison Krahn, Pennrhynn Nelson, Danita Angell and Nicole Sleezer.

Honors were earned by Jesse White, Matthew Behnke, Lily Daniels, Craig Enneberg, Ethan Everett, Jason

Landers, Emily Plews, JR Squires and Andrew Waltz.

Receiving Progressive Honors were Tony Seager, Simon Acton and Ken Parker.

Seventh Grade students earning Principal's Honors were Rachel Bobbitt, Jason Busch, Rachael McAlvage,

Randee Parker and Casey Weller.

High Honors went to Britney Brewer, Kirsten Hyde, Jared McWhirter, Bridget Titus, David Brush, Kristin Francis, Rebecca Grebenc, Andrea Pinedo, Carie Connelly, Brian Collins, Alicia

Smith and Jessica Weller.

Honors were awarded to April Bamburg, Heather Sargent, Gregg Budge and Tabettha Kintz.

Progressive Honors went to Kelly Baska, Gregg Budge, David Frame, Jeff Kyser and Stephen Serafin.

PCC course on writing planned at VHS

Writing 115, a course in English composition, will be taught Mondays, from 6-9 p.m. at Vernonia High School, starting Sept. 18 and concluding Dec. 4, 1995.

The Portland Community College course will cover grammar, sentence structure,

basic essay and punctuation. It is a transferable, non-remedial course.

The instructor will be Lorraine Teegarden, who has taught at the University of Idaho and Shasta College, in addition to PCC.

The cost is \$33 per unit for

the 3-unit class, plus a textbook. Teegarden will bring the books to VHS so students won't have to go to the PCC campus bookstore. Registration will take place at the first class.

For further information, call Teegarden at 357-5997.

Vernonia High announces Honor Roll

The fourth quarter Honor Roll for Vernonia High School includes six students with 4.0 grade point average.

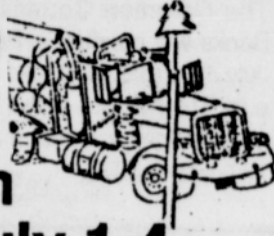
4.0 GPA—Chris Behnke, Jessica Jones, Keith Ochoa, Tarah Pond, Molly Skidmore

and Takashi Tomii.

3.50 - 3.99 GPA—Theresa Brunk, Petr Burda, Terri Crawford, Brenda Devlaemink, Corey Dinger, Tom Enneberg, Sarah Flynn, Kristin Grimsbo, Quincy Knowlton, Dustin Kofsted,

Nacole Kretschmer, Russell Lambach, Rebekkah McAlvage, Adrian Ruvalcaba, Emily Schmidlin, Greg Schmidlin, Ksenia Sergeeva, Jamie Stacklie, Mikko Vahatalo, Justin Ward, Ashley Weller and Leslie Weller.

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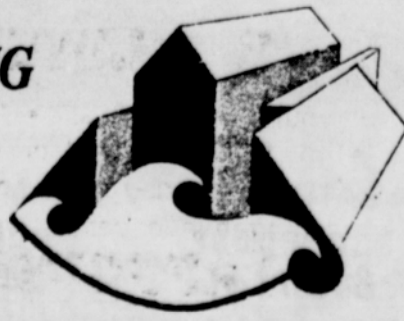
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