

# Valley Newsletter



May 2018

## Social Media & Internet Awareness for Teenagers—Mr. Anderson

Valley School District hosted a presentation on the dangers of social media communication on April 5th, 2018. Mark Dalton from the State Attorney General's Office presented an interactive discussion with our students and parents that covered issues of sexting, cyber-bullying, and Internet predators. The presentation was informative and eye-opening. As a parent, if you missed the presentation there is a website that provides information on how our children navigate through the Internet and preventative steps to keep your children safe. Please check out the site: [www.netsmartz.org](http://www.netsmartz.org)

## Getting a Full-Time Resource Officer— Mr. Anderson

We are excited to announce that our schools will be seeing a new face around the campus next August. Our school board and our county commissioners have graciously approved funding for a full-time student resource officer who will be housed in our building for the 2018-2019 school year. Because an emergency response can take nearly 15 minutes in some instances, feedback from many people indicated having a law enforcement presence on our campus would be an advantage. We agree, and look forward to having a SRO join our staff.

## Athletic Physicals— Mr. Hardy

It is that time of year again to update your athletic physicals for the 2018-2019 school year. All 7th, 9th, and 11th graders need updated physicals on file before they can participate on school athletic teams. Any 6th graders participating in cross country or wrestling will need one also. The Urgent Care facilities are offering this to you for a reduced fee of only \$10 and they generously donate all of that money back to our school. This will be at all three of their clinics: Urgent Care of Twin Falls, Urgent Care of Jerome, and Riverview Urgent Care in Burley. No appointments are necessary. Students can walk in anytime during clinic hours to receive this special.

The dates are:

May 3-5 (Thursday through Saturday) & August 1-4 (Wednesday through Saturday).

Hours are:

Twin Falls: Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Burley: Monday-Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Jerome: Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and Saturday and Sunday 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

I encourage you to get it done in May because something always comes up in August when everyone is rushing to finish everything before school starts.

## SCHOOL BOARD

ZONE 1: Elizabeth Jones  
ZONE 2: Dusty Standlee  
ZONE 3: Jim Ritchie Jr.  
ZONE 4: Mark Okelberry  
ZONE 5: Kattie Carlquist

## CONTACT NUMBERS

Superintendent: 829-5333  
High School: 829-5353  
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## ON THE WEB

[valleyvikings.org](http://valleyvikings.org)

## Monte Andrus Athletic Award Banquet—Booster Club

The Monte Andrus Banquet will be on May 8th at 6:30 p.m. Booster Club will provide chicken, rolls, and drinks. Please bring your own table service, a covered dish, and a dessert or salad. Thank you!

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## Greenhouse-Mrs. Meyer

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The Valley Greenhouse flowers and tomatoes are ready to be bought and taken to a loving home. We have coral, cardinal, and white geraniums; violet petunias; Roma and big boy tomato plants.

Flowers	Cost
Geranium: White	\$1.25/Plant
Geranium: Cardinal	\$1.25/Plant
Geranium: Coral	\$1.25/Plant
Petunia Wave: Violet	\$1.25/Plant
Moss Rose: Color Mix	\$1.00/Plant
Plants	
Tomato: Big Boy Hybrid	\$1.50/Plant
Tomato: Roma	\$1.50/Plant

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## Volleyball-Mrs. Clark

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Gold Medal Squared will be coming to Valley High School to host a volleyball camp from July 16-19. The cost is \$225 and it will go from 8-5 each day. Anybody in 7<sup>th</sup> grade-12<sup>th</sup> grade for the 2018-2019 school year can participate. Please go to [www.goldmedalsquared.com](http://www.goldmedalsquared.com) and click on the Registration Center to sign up. You can either give a check (written to Valley School District) to me or pay online. If you have any questions please contact me at (208)316-7097. Checks and signing up on the website have to be done by May 16<sup>th</sup>. More information once the camp gets closer. Hope to see everyone there!

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## 8th Grade Open House— Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Van Sickle

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The Eighth Grade Class will be hosting their Open House on May 11 from 8:15-9:30 a.m. Please come see everyone's project and all the hard work they put into it.

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## Music Notes— Mr. Eiler

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What a great year! I can't believe the end of the school year is already here. This has been a great year for the band program. The students have been challenged and have met these challenges very well. I am very pleased with your student's progress.

A huge thank you to the community and businesses that helped out for our dinner and auction. On May 12th the band will enjoy a trip to Lagoon but also have enough money to help pay for fees and meals for next year's activities. We could not have done it without your help.

I look forward to working with your students next year. Thank you so much.

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## Hazelton Park Walk-Mrs. Lukes

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The elementary students will be ending the school year by walking to the Hazelton park on Thursday, May 17th. Once at the park we will be participating in some fun activities. Parents are needed to help run stations, if you're willing to help please let Mrs. Lukes know. Also, please consider walking with your child to and from the park. This is a great way to start the summer!

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## Summer Traveling Library

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The Jerome Public Library will be bringing books to the Hazelton City Park this summer on Thursday mornings beginning May 24th from 10-11 am for anyone living in the Eden/Hazelton area to check out and read. As a trial this summer, Valley Viking Foundation will be sponsoring SUMMER library cards (one per household) to Hazelton/Eden area community members for FREE! (The usual charge is \$10.) Interested adults can complete an online registration before May 24th by going to the website [https://burley.ent.sirsi.net/client/en\\_US/default/?dt=listm](https://burley.ent.sirsi.net/client/en_US/default/?dt=listm) where there is a link to register. OR you may call the library at (208) 324-5427 to register over the phone. (Your card will be available at the park, not at the Jerome Library as the site says.) Library cards can also be obtained at the park May 24th and May 31st only. The FREE card is for this summer only. If you register online or over the phone in advance, individuals can place items on hold-meaning the specific books would be brought the following week for a card holder. This service will be available through the summer. An adult will need to be present the first time to sign permission for their child to checkout materials as they would be responsible for any lost or damaged books. Having a library card also means that all family members not only have access to the library's books, they will have access to all digital content as well, i.e. eBooks, eAudiobooks, Tumble Books and Rosetta Stone for the Summer.

All community members are invited to get a family library card whether online, on the phone or at the park and start a summer filled with reading!

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## Lunch Bills—Mrs. Kelso

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Lunch charges must be paid in full by the last day of school. No exceptions. For balances owed, please call Mrs. Kelso (208) 829-4107 between 6:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Los costos del lunche deben estar pagado en su totalidad el último día de clases. Sin excepciones. Por lo deben, llame a la Sra. Kelso (208) 829-4107 entre las 6:30 a.m. y 1:30 p.m.