



# BEACON BUGLE

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## The Value of Grit

You may have heard about some recent research on the importance of “grit” in education. In fact, if you google “grit in education” or Angela Duckworth, you will find some inspiring ideas and videos. Here is one good summary sentence I found: “Through extensive research, Angela Duckworth and her team have proven that the common denominator among spelling bee finalists, successful West Point cadets, salespeople and teachers who not only stick with, but improve in their performance is *grit*.”

This time of year, students, parents, and teachers are feeling weary from the daily grind. I hope we can all take courage and encourage each other to “fight the good fight, finish the race, and keep the faith.” (2 Tim. 4:7)

*David Gage*

## Announcements

- ❖ **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation** – May 29, 7:00 p.m.
- ❖ **Save the date** – Instead of a spring golf tournament this year, we have moved to a fall tournament. Our annual golf tournament will be held at the Clarkston Country Club on September 15, 2019.

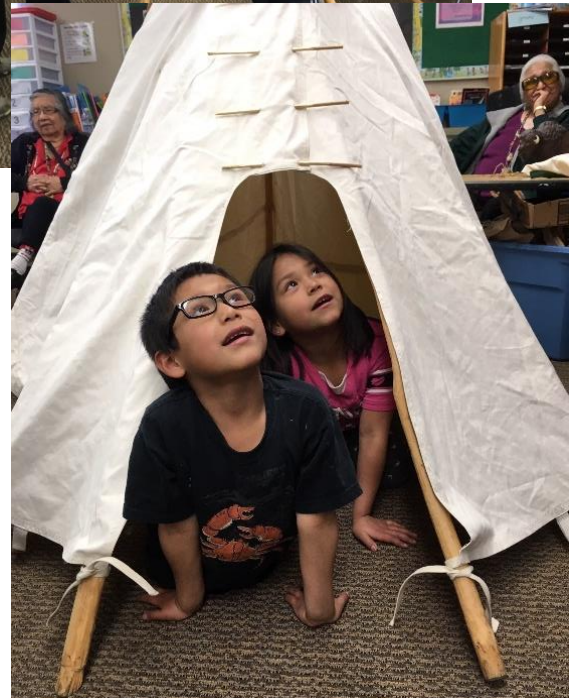
## Upcoming Events

(Please mark your calendars)

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| April 29-May 3 | Outdoor School (Grades 5-8)               |
| May 7          | Food Bank (Gr. 3-5)                       |
| May 9          | 4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Rendezvous          |
| May 16         | Spring Program                            |
| May 20         | 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Trip                |
| May 22         | Track & Field/ <b>Minimum Day</b>         |
| May 23         | BBQ Lunch w/ NAIA players                 |
| May 24         | NAIA Game                                 |
| May 27         | Memorial Day – <b>No School</b>           |
| May 28         | Running Club reward trip                  |
| May 29         | 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation – 7 p.m. |
| May 31         | Last day of school                        |

## Hot Lunch Schedule

May 1	Taco Time
May 8	Pizza
May 15	Pasta
May 22	Subway
May 29	Surprise



Grades K-2 Study Nez Perce History with Special Guests