



The Cougar “Paws”

The Journey Begins Here!

An AVID Certified School
A Blue Zones Project School

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In the Know

If one were to walk down Conger's hallways you would see evidence of the **AVID** program front and center. Each week classroom teachers focus on enriching the learning of his/her students through the use of AVID strategies. Right now our hallways are beautifully decorated with One Pagers. A One Pager is a strategy for helping students demonstrate their understanding of what they have read. This is done using words and pictures and is a great way for students to organize their thoughts. Come check them out!

Attendance Counts!

Congratulations to our February and March Attendance Winners! April's Attendance Prizes are Cat in the Hat board games. Remember, in order to be eligible to win you must only miss 1 or 0 days of school for the month and be on time and in class all day.

Here at Conger we have many ways that we celebrate and encourage strong school attendance. When a classroom has 25 days of 100% attendance, students are treated to a class party. At the end of each quarter, students above the 92% Attendance Rate for the quarter are eligible to win a Family Dinner Gift Certificate.

When dropping your children off in the morning, please be mindful of our school buses that arrive between 8:00-8:10 am. Please do not block the red zone areas. This will allow the buses to turn around safely and drop children off by our playground.

Upcoming Events!

Full STEAM Ahead!

Please join us for a fun evening of learning and laughter on April 5th from 6:00-7:30. This **completely free event** will include dinner, science, technology, engineering, art and math adventures for students to explore with their families. We will be drawing for some amazing prizes, including Gift Certificates to OIT Summer Kids Camps and Family Passes to the museum and art studios!

First and Second Grade students will be attending the **Ross Raglund production of Henry and Mudge** on April 4th at 9:30 am.

All City Track Meet at KU on April 12 from 2:15-3:15 pm.

TAG Saturday Event for grades 4-8 at Conger on April 21 from 1:00-4:00 pm. The topic will be Earth's Place in the Universe.

All City 4th/5th Grade Band and Recorder Concert 7:00 pm at Pel Court.

Come join us for the **PTO Family Bingo Night** on May 4. More information coming!

Kindergarten Round Up will be on May 8 at 6 PM. Spread the word to incoming kindergarten families!

Important Reminders

Supervision of students does not begin until 8:00 am. Please do not drop off or send your children to school before that time. Breakfast is served beginning at 8:00 am and continues until instruction begins at 8:30 am

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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<p>2 Welcome Back!! Student Council Meeting 8:19 am</p>	<p>3 Mrs. Gray's 3rd Grade Class Field Trip to Moore Park 8:45-12:00</p> <p>4th/5th Track Meet at Pelican 4:30 pm</p>	<p>4 1st/2nd Ross Raglund Field Trip 9:30-11:15 am</p>	<p>5 Family STEAM Night & Dinner 6:00-7:30 pm</p>	<p>6</p>
<p>9 School Board Meeting 6:00 pm</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11 Early Release—2:00 PM</p>	<p>12 Mrs. Gray's 3rd Grade Class Field Trip to Tulelake Refuge 8:45-2:15 pm All City 4th/5th Grade Track Meet at KU 2:15 pm</p>	<p>13 Mrs. Bird's 3rd Grade Class Field Trip to Moore Park 8:45-2:15 pm PTO Meeting 4:00 pm</p>
<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18 Early Release—2:00 PM</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20 Mrs. Bird's 3rd Grade Class Field Trip to Moore Park 8:45-12:00</p>
<p>23 4th/5th Grade COED Soccer begins</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25 Monthly Gotcha Store Early Release—2:00 PM</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p>
<p>30 Student Council Meeting 8:10 am All City 4th/5th Grade Band and Recorder Concert 7:00 pm Pel Court</p>				