

OTTER READ IT

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We have had another busy month here at Driftwood. We are talking with community members about safety requirements, the Oregon Department of Education and plans to make changes here at Driftwood. I have been talking individually to people as they come into the school. I have been assuring people that no firm decisions have yet been made. Our first community forum, back on May 10th, went well. A lot of ideas were shared. Many people left the meeting with ideas that they planned to draw up and bring to our next community forum. That next community forum is scheduled for May 23rd at 7:00pm in the Driftwood cafeteria.

We have received the materials for our paper-pencil tests. These are replacing the TESA testing that had been cancelled earlier this year. The students are only being tested in math and reading. Teachers have told me that their students seem very confident and appear to be doing well as we begin those paper pencil tests.

Ms. Nye and her students put on a very successful Science Fair back on Friday, May 4th. It was open to the community. There were lots of interesting displays and information packed display boards set up in the hallway for people to look at and learn from. Congratulations to everyone on the success of this wonderful event.

Working together we can do great things.

Scott Greenhow, Principal