



HARBOR SCHOOL



Annual Report

2015-2016

MISSION

Inspiring young scholars to contribute their wisdom, compassion, and personal best in the classroom, the community, and the world.

HIGHLIGHTS

Harbor School celebrated its 20th anniversary as an independent school this year!

2015 was our first year as an expanded K through 8 independent school.

Our Service Learning program has partnered with more than 20 non-profit organizations since 1995.

In April, we received a \$10,000 grant from Harvest Foundation for our Arts Initiative.

Students travelled to Arizona, Iceland, Oregon, Washington D.C., and throughout the Pacific Northwest as part of our Travel Study program in 2016.

2015-16 Board of Trustees

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Interim Head of School

Norine Martinsen

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Leadership Transitions

The start of the 2015-16 school year signaled the transition of our outgoing Head of School and the immediate task of undertaking a search for a new leader. Harbor School's board of trustees quickly began the process of engaging with a consulting firm to bring expertise and guidance to the search process. Norine Martinsen, outgoing Board Chair, assumed the role of Interim Head of School to assist us in stabilizing the infrastructure of the daily operations while the board focused on the urgent task at hand - *creating a search committee made up of former trustees, faculty, parents and alumni.*

With a record number of applicants, a pool of finalists was selected based on the recommendations of the search committee. By January 2016, three finalists came to campus over several days to interview, meet our families, hold Q&A sessions and learn about our school community and the

outstanding academics and programs we provide to our students.

Post-interview surveys were gathered from our teachers, parents and trustees at the conclusion of the finalists visits.

By early February, an offer was made to candidate Mark McGough, who promptly accepted the appointment.

At the start of the search process, the task before us seemed difficult - *how do you find a Head of School who embraces the values and mission of Harbor School?* And just as importantly - *can we find a new leader who has built a kindergarten through 8th grade program?* The purchase of Carpe Diem Primary (*grades K - 3*) created a unique opportunity for a new Head of School to unite and build a strong and vibrant K - 8 program. Mark was by far the most qualified choice and we are very pleased to begin a new chapter in Harbor School's history.

- Norine Martinsen, Interim Head of School

Please Welcome Our New Head Of School

Harbor School's Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that Mark McGough has been appointed as Harbor School's next Head of School. Mark will officially begin his tenure July 1, 2016.

The Board's unanimous decision to appoint Mr. McGough was based on the endorsements and positive support of the Search Committee and the participation of the school's parent, faculty and alumni community. With the professional guidance of Terry Macaluso of New Thinker LLC, a search consultant firm, a national search was conducted which led to extensive interviews with many highly qualified applicants. Three finalists were chosen to visit Harbor School for further interviews, and to meet members of the community. Alumni, parents, and faculty participation played a vital role for the Search Committee to determine their recommendation to the Board of Trustees.



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Welcome!
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Twenty Years Strong

In the fall of 1995, a group of islanders, led by Toby and Ellen Welch, poured their hearts and souls into founding a new independent school on Vashon, believing that quality education must challenge and celebrate each child's innate desire for learning. They strove to create a school dedicated to child-centered curriculum, academic excellence, intellectual curiosity, character development, and community building. Two decades later, the integrity and values that launched Harbor School continue to resonate in our classrooms and throughout our school community.

Harbor School has experienced much change through the years since our founding along with significant growth. More than 300 students have graduated from the 8th grade in that time. Most of those students are now successful college graduates, building independent lives and rewarding careers throughout the world. Some of these students now have young families of their own - soon we may have a second generation of Harbor School students among us!

We have welcomed accomplished teachers into our classrooms, including some who have been with us for more than a decade. We have watched with gratitude as every teacher shares his or her own unique experience and passion for learning. And now we have the talents of Carpe Diem's teachers as we realize the merger of our schools. One of those teachers, Jaffrey Clark, is an alumni himself - *of both Carpe Diem and Harbor School!*

Through all of these years, and all of our growth, our Cornerstone Values remain the heart of our school. They guide our work every day and shape our actions toward ourselves

and others. Travel Study is a pillar of every child's time here, from the Utah desert to the thermal pools in Iceland! Service Learning remains a vital source of community building and social responsibility for all of us, from filling bags at a food bank for homeless neighbors to painting post-Katrina homes in New Orleans. The academic rigors of a Harbor School education continue to thrive, as every year honors-level, highly capable students embark on the next phase of their educational journey, whether that be Vashon High School or the private schools of Seattle and Tacoma.

Our families remain our most tremendous asset. The incredible dedication and commitment each family brings has kept our school vibrant, strong and solid, through challenges ranging from economic recessions to changes in leadership. Harbor School has many gifts and strengths to celebrate and honor, even in times of uncertainty. We may wonder what lies ahead - but we continue to have faith in our purpose, and we are buoyed by our twenty years of shared experience.

Our school has always held one thing most dear: our children and the exceptional education they receive from a devoted faculty and staff. With this as our cornerstone, we embrace the new beginning that is upon us. Let us be inspired to celebrate the 20 years of our history, and look with confidence into the future. Let us envision a legacy that grows another 20 years into the future, one that aligns with our mission in every way: *to inspire young scholars to contribute their wisdom, compassion, and personal best, in the classroom, the community, and the world.*



Elias Winnard with his father James at graduation, June 2016.

Elias Winnard, class of 2016, was the first West Seattle student to graduate 8th grade at Harbor School. He was among the first group of commuter students to start at Harbor School in 2013.

Class of 2016



More than 300 capable and confident students have graduated at Harbor School since 1995.

Looking to the Year Ahead

All About Math

"If I were again beginning my studies, I would follow the advice of Plato and start with mathematics." - *Galileo Galilei*

As a core component of curriculum across the ages and the foundation of much of our thinking about how the world works, it seems like a good idea to take Galileo's advice and "start with mathematics." Before I arrived at school in July, a small group of teachers had already met to talk math. Since arriving, I have had the opportunity to continue those discussions with faculty and to hear from parents.

Regular curriculum review is important for any school that strives to be the best it can be. As our understanding of the brain changes and knowledge becomes available in so many different formats, it is important that we too take the opportunity to look at what we do with a critical eye. That process began with the goal of articulating a developmentally appropriate and challenging set of math benchmarks across all our grades.

I am happy to confirm with you that we have adopted the **Singapore Math Curriculum** for our math program at Harbor School. This allows us to begin to articulate a developmentally appropriate math curriculum from Kindergarten through Grade 8 and provide a structured approach to the delivery of that curriculum for all of our students.

Many Carpe Diem families will be familiar with Singapore Math as the key text currently used to deliver the math program for our students in kindergarten through grade 3.

We are a school committed to **Personal Best**. I believe the new curriculum alignment in math will give us a greater ability to allow all students to reach their personal best in mathematics. The adoption of a core text provides us with a highly respected resource that will allow us to teach with renewed purpose.

- Mark

New Faculty

Meet Todd Wooster



Harbor School is pleased to announce that we have hired **Todd Wooster** as our new Middle School English teacher for the 2016-17 school year. Todd comes to us after four years of teaching at Seacrest Country

Day School, an independent school in Naples, Florida. Todd has a Bachelor of Art with a Major in English from Dartmouth College and is completing a Masters in English Studies from the Universite de Lyon 2 in France - *his thesis is 20th Century American Poetry*.

For the past two years Todd has taught Middle School English at Seacrest. He relocated to Seattle this past summer and has a great-uncle who lives on Vashon.

Todd brings much more than English instruction to our school. In the words of his Middle School Head, Todd "exudes the same energy whether he is teaching 8th grade literature, spearheading the organic garden, working with his advisory group or introducing French to 6th grade students."

Todd will continue the fine work that has been a hallmark of Harbor School's English program but he will also bring his own experience and knowledge to further develop what is already an excellent curriculum.

Meet Kim Thal



Harbor School welcomes **Kim Thal** to the Middle School faculty team as our new **Geometry** teacher.

In our further efforts to enrich our mathematics program, Kim will be taking over the responsibility of teaching Geometry this year and will be on site three times a week to teach those students who are enrolled in this course. Kim taught high school Algebra and Geometry for a number of years at Lathrop High School in Alaska and has worked as a private math and music tutor on the island for many years. Kim also facilitates the Rock Island String Collective (*RISK*) - a string ensemble for children on Vashon.

Spanish Plans

Meet Russ Ray

We are pleased to announce that **Russ Ray** will be our new K-8 Spanish teacher.



Russell comes to us from The Bush School in Seattle where for the last three years he has taught Kindergarten through 5th Grade and has also served as Head of the K-12 World Languages Department. Prior to his work with The Bush School, Russell worked at Heritage Hall School in Oklahoma City where he taught pre-school through 3rd grade. Russell has also worked as a Spanish instructor at the University of Oklahoma and as a High School Spanish teacher prior to that.

In addition to his teaching, Russ is a Certified Master Teacher with the Oklahoma State Department of Education, a National Board Certified Teacher (*World Languages Other than English*) and in 2008 and 2009 was recognized as **Teacher of the Year** by the Oklahoma Foreign Language Teachers' Association and the Southwest Conference On Language Teaching respectively. Russ currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Washington Association for Language Teaching and has presented at various national conferences.

Russell has lived on Vashon for the past three years and also serves as a trustee on the Board for Vashon Center for the Arts.

We are delighted that someone with Russell's knowledge and experience has accepted this new position at our school and our faculty are eager to work alongside him as we lay the foundation for a strong, dynamic K-8 Spanish program.

Start of Something New

We are laying the foundations for a new approach to language instruction that will begin as soon as students enter our school and end when they graduate 8th grade. The main goal of our new Spanish program is to provide an opportunity for students to listen to and speak Spanish in a safe and encouraging environment from an early age. The program will develop the skills required to master a language as well as instill in students a respect and love of culture, and a deeper and more empathetic understanding of the differences that make up the world around them.

Adela Thompson Page, Class of 2017, was the recipient of the 2016 Cornerstone Value Commendation for Personal Best.

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2016 Financial Statement

	Fiscal Year 2016
INCOME	
Tuition & Fees	\$ 1,117,278
Harbor Fund	\$ 37,690
Benefit Auction	\$ 129,300
Grants	\$ 22,800
Other Income	\$ 37,611
Total Revenue	\$ 1,344,679

EXPENSE	
Faculty/Staff	\$ 923,160
Financial Aid	\$ 157,389
Administration	\$ 106,379
Programs	\$ 59,403
Buildings/Maintenance	\$ 77,922
Fundraising	\$ 34,337
Total Expenses	\$ 1,358,590
Net Operating	\$ (13,911)

From the Board Chair

Dear Community,

I want to welcome Mark McGough, our new Head of School. Mark arrived in early July and is already working hard to prepare our school, our faculty, and our staff for the 2016-17 school year. His engagement and enthusiasm was evident the moment he arrived – greeting families at our Strawberry Festival booth, sitting down with our Board’s Executive Committee, initiating reviews of our math curriculum, meeting with faculty and parents, and sifting through all the feedback from our parent and student surveys. I know I speak for all of us on the Board of Trustees when I say, “Welcome aboard, Mark!” We look forward to the start of the school year and working with you to further the mission and vision of our school.

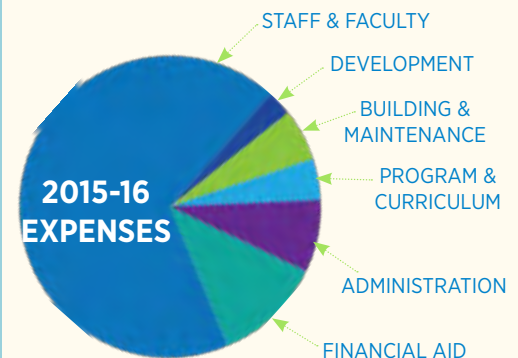
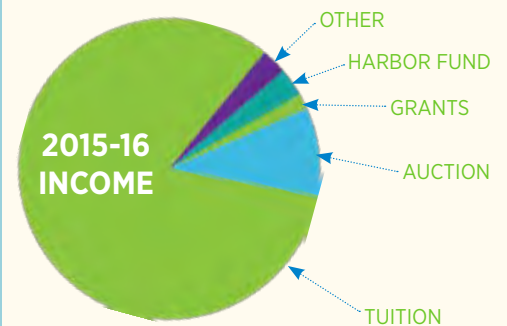
I encourage all of you in our school community to join me in supporting Mark’s efforts. Together, we can continue to strengthen and build upon our academic programs, travel study, service learning and cornerstone values, and make Harbor School a nurturing and vital part of each child’s journey.

I’d also like to welcome **Lisa Pearson** who recently joined the board. Lisa and her husband Christian are parents to Max. Lisa serves as Deputy Regional Commissioner for the United States General Services Administration. She has a Master in Public Policy from the JFK School of Government at Harvard University and completed her undergraduate degree at Northwestern University.

We are excited to have Lisa’s involvement on the board level. Her wisdom and insight will be a great asset to our community and school.

And, it is with great thanks that we say goodbye to two departing board trustees at the end of this school year: **Leif Ormseth** and **Erik Assink**. Leif and Erik have served Harbor School’s school community as trustees for the past three years. Their commitment and dedication to advancing our school’s mission and representing our school have been deeply appreciated. Thank you for your service. *You will be missed!*

- Scott Shawver, Board Chair



2016 ANNUAL GIVING

Harbor Fund

The Harbor Fund is Harbor School's annual fundraising campaign that directly supports the programs and services during the school year. During the course of the 2015-16 school year, over \$37,000 was raised.

Thank you to all the individuals and organizations below that made a gift in support of the Harbor Fund:

Melissa Aaron & James Winnard
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 Gerrit & Aimee van Roekel
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 Wells Fargo Matching Program
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 Anonymous (3)

2015-16 Fast Facts

Grades Served:
Kindergarten - Grade 8

Students Enrolled:
95

Families Enrolled:
88

Financial Aid:
25%

Faculty & Staff:
16

Curriculum Highlights:
 Integrated Arts Program
 Outdoor Education
 Travel Study for Grades 4 - 8
 Service Learning
 Spanish Language
 Electives

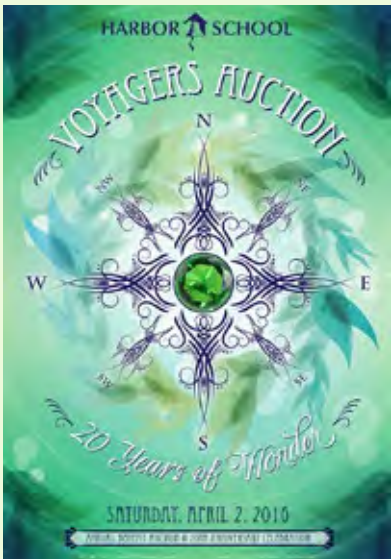
Special Events:
 Camp Niwana Variety Show
 Dia de los Muertos
 Poet's Afternoon
 Winter Celebration
 Big Wide Wonderful Question
 Voyagers Auction
 Grandparents & Special Friends
 Voyagers Week Presentations
 Rising Up Day!
 Garden Potluck
 Spring Performance
 Annual Egg Drop
 8th Grade Graduation

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2016 Voyagers Auction

Harbor School families, alumni, teachers, staff and friends came together on Saturday, April 2, 2016, for a memorable night of celebration and support! With over 200 guests in attendance, our 2016 Voyagers Auction raised over \$125,000 in support of our students and programs.

We wish to express our utmost gratitude to everyone who supported and participated this year. Thank you for enriching the lives of our students and allowing our teachers to continue to provide an outstanding educational experience.

Our 2016 Special Appeal was dedicated to our Financial Aid & Scholarship programs. We raised \$43,000 during the Paddle Raise! It is a testament to our alumni, families, faculty and friends, who believe deeply in supporting an inclusive experience by providing educational opportunities for families who might not have the ability to afford an independent education for their children.

2016 Special Appeal Donors - In Support of Financial Aid Programs

Alex & Terra Archaro & Bouse-Archaro	Naomi Goldick & Andy Davis	Amy Kessel	Bruce & Juli Moser	Jane Radke & Max Slade
Erik & Erica Assink	Alice & Russ Dorr	Kim & Ken Kirschling	Caroline Nelson	Byron Springer
Priscilla & Colby Atwood	Callie Deegan & Patrick Dunn	Tom & Jean Kraabel	Erin Roberts & Jeffrey Nelson	Ellen Parker & Jason Staczek
Baker Foundation	Erika & Steve Ellison	Bernadette LaCarte	Haley Collins-Odegard & Eric Odegard	Brian & Deja Starr
Amy Baldinger & Emily Belshaw	Dylan & Elizabeth Fitterer	Damon & Rebecca Lanphear	Jennifer & Carl Olsen	Howard & Jill Stenn
Mary O'Leary Bryant & Dennis Bryant	Mark Freda	Tim Lockhart	Leif & Martha Ormseth	Stacey Hinden & Jeff Stevenson
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Janice Campbell	Julea & Kevin Gardener	Deborah Reilly & Thomas Martin	Samara Ressler	Stan Voynick
Dinah Campion	Janet McAlpin & David Godsey	Anna & Nick Martinsen	Anita Halstead & Kelly Robinson	Pam Stenerson & Peter Walker
Bob Castonguay	Willoughby Greenwood	Norine Martinsen	Danny & Taj Rock	Anthony & Gina Winkler
Laura & Wes Cherry	Jake & Stacey Guadnola	Danielle McCutcheon	Charley & Lanora Rosenberry	Melissa Aaron & James Winnard
Kevin & Linda Crayton	David & Suzanne Hattery	Mark McGough	Dunja & Mark Ruljancich	Ken & Donna Zaglin
Jon & Beatrice Crouch	Kael Balizer & Aaron Hendon	Foss Miller	Leslie Ferriel & Evan Simmons	Jennifer Lindsay & Seth Zuckerman
	John James			

2016 Auction Donors - Sponsors, Item Donors & Advertisers

8 Bells Winery	Coco Banks	Harley Beck	Kim Buchanan	Open Space	The Hardware Store Restaurant
A Contemporary Theatre	Connie Cunningham	Gregg Erickson	Kim & Ken Kirschling	Palladian Hotel	The Kitchen Imp
Adam Kratz	Core Centric	Gretchen Aro Spranger	Darlene Rupert	Pacific Market International	The Museum of Flight
Advantage Graphic	Cosmic Cove	Hinge Gallery	Kimi Healey	Pam Ingalls	The Zoo Society
Alana Estate Jewelry	Cowbelle Industries	Holley Designs	Kirsten Frandsen	Partners Crackers	THS Class of 2016
Alderbrook Resort & Spa	Curious Kidstuff	Hotel Murano	Kraig & Lora Marini Baker	Patty's Tamales	THS Class of 2017
Alice & Russell Dorr	Curtis Matsko	Howard & Jill Stenn	Kris Thompson	Perry's Burgers	THS Class of 2018
Alli Lanphear Vineyard	Daher Jorge & Tina Shattuck	IGA Vashon Market Fresh	Kronos	Plum Forest Farm	THS Class of 2019 & 2020
Allison Crain Trundle	Danielle McCutcheon	Island Center Farm	Kurt Timmermeister	Pollard Coffee	Toby Welch
Amelia Prince	Dannielle Carbone	Jackie Mollison	Lake, Kennedy McCulloch	Ken C. Judd	Topics Entertainment
Amy Baldinger	Danny & Taj Rock	Jaffrey Clark	Langley Fine Gardens	PRAHM	Emma Hathaway
Amy Kessel	David Blad	Jake Johnson	Laura & Mark Hansen	Precept Wine	UMO Ensemble
Amy Salling	David Erue	Jak's Grill	Laurel Saville	President of Me	VARSAs
Andrea Braganza & Danny Newcomb	David Nguyen	James Griswold	Lavender Hill Farm	Radiator Whiskey	Vashon ACE Hardware
Andrew Will Winery	Deborah D'Artell	Jamie Clapperton	Leah Mann & Ela Lamblin	Randy Kirk	Vashon Athletic Club
Angela Polin	Debra Heesch	Jane & Max Slade	Le Oustititi French School	Raven's Rock Farm	Vashon Bikes
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Annie Roberts	East Dinners West Seattle	JB Enterprise	Lewis Roggenbuck	Rock Island Pizza	Vashon Golf & Swim Club
Anya Perret	East West Roadside Produce	Jean Bosch	Life in Balance	Rod Smith	Vashon Island Baking Co.
Bakery Nouveau	Ed Vedder	Jean Emmons	Lin Holley	Roxy Hathaway	Vashon Market Fresh IGA
Baldinger Piano Service	Edward Jones	Jean Okimoto	Linda & Kevin Crayton	Sam Brenner	Vashon Opera
Bellarmino Preparatory	Eight Bells Winery	Jeb Koogler	Lisa & Christian Pearson	Sander & Meade	Vashon Pharmacy
Blake Denherder	Eladio Braganza	Jeff Larson	Lisa Betz	Sandrhyne	Vashon Recess Lab
Bernie O'Malley	Eldritch Massage	Jeff Nelson & Erin Roberts	Lisa Defaccio	Sarah Alexander	Vashon Sand and Gravel
Bob Horsley	Electric Lady Bike Shop	Jeffery & Allison Reid	Lisa Jaguzny	Sarah St. Germain	Vashon Sheepdog Classic
Bob Roggenbuck	Elizabeth & Dylan Fitterer	Jennifer & Carl Olsen	Liz & Andrew Naumann	Savannah Johns Pedrocchi	Vashon Theatre
Braia Weis & Michael Sennott	Elizabeth Klob	Jeri Jo Carstairs	Lodges on Vashon	SAWBONES	Vashon Thriftway
Brian & Deja Starr	Ellen & Pat Call	John & Indigo Lewis	Luna Bellas	Scott & Miranda Hudson	Vashon Watersports
Brian & Jaculin Dougher	Ellen Parker	John & Beth de Groen	Lyra Shannon	Scott Shawver & Mariette Spence	Vashon Wilderness Program
Bright Shannon	Emerald Water Anglers	John James	Margaret Tylczak Heffelfinger	Seattle Distilling	Vashon Winery
Britt Freda	Emily Burns	John L. Scott	Mark Freda	Seattle Fish Company	VashonLiquor Store
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Burton Auto	EMP Museum	John Yates	Mark McGough	Shauna Ahern	Wabi Sabi Studio
Burton Coffee Stand	Ericka Wolf	Joleen McCauley & Ian Moore	Marla Smith Photography	Shawn Hoffman	Wendra Lynne
Callie Deegan & Pat Dunn	Erik & Erica Assink	Jon & Beatrice Crouch	Martha Johnson	Sindy Rice	Wes Brenner
Carpe Diem Hawks	Erika & Steve Ellison	Jonathan & Carol Buchter	Massage Motion	Snapdragon Bakery	West Seattle Bowl
Carpe Diem Owls	Erika Ellison	Jorge Ramirez	Matthew Parrish	Sophia Ressler	Westside Children's Dentistry
Cary & Jessica Bran	Erin Blaser	Josie & Pippa Slade	Melanie Salonen	Spiceberry Home	Westside Stables
Campbell Foster	Erin Lemons	Julie Montagnet	Melinda Powers	Spider's SKI & SPORTS	Whispering Bog Books
Case Foster	Erin Schulz	Julie & Darryl Shannon	Mid Life Crisis Farms	Spoke Vashon	Will North
Cedarsong Nature School	Essentials 4	Julie Thielges & Greg Kruse	Mik Kuhlman	Stenn Design	Wildermerie Vashon
Charley & Lanora Rosenberry	Fatcat paddleboarding	K2	Minglement	Stephanie Halstead & Tom Baker	Windi Pinogues
Chau Luong	FortunaLux	K's House Cleaning	Morgan Brig	Steve & Margie Butcher	Woodland Park Zoo
Chop Shop Barber Salon	FortunaLux	Kael Balizer	Nadine Meeker	Straight on Strength	Young Living Essential Oils
Christine Iavarone Nelson	Foss Miller & Linda Sferra	Karlyn Hoffman	Norine Martinsen	Stringthyme Music & Herbs	Zamorana
Christopher Haskins & Joy Horgan	Gerrit & Aimee van Roekel	Karin Choo	Northwest Sports	Tacoma Symphony	Zoe & Tom Hughes
Claudine Kim-Murphy	Great Harvest West Seattle	Kathy Larsdotter	Oakley Reid	Tammy Thomas	ZOMBIEZ
Cliff's Beer	Gwen & Marc Gavin	Kathy's Corner	OCCU	Teatro Zinzanni	Zuzko Jewelry
	Harbor Mercantile	Ken & Donna Zaglin			



Grandparents & Special Friends Day was held on Friday, April 29, 2016, for all grades K-8. Visitors arrived at both campuses and joined together for a community luncheon.



Snapshots of our Year

Planting trees with Vashon Maury Land Trust.



Caring for our garden bee hives.



8th grade takes on First World Problems.



Spending time with our elders at Vashon Community Care.

TRAVEL STUDY Voyagers Week, Class Trips & More!



Retreating glacier in Iceland.



Voyagers at the Grand Canyon.



6th Grade studying geology in Southwest Washington.



Meeting President Obama's dogs in Washington DC.



7th Graders on an urban hike in Portland, Oregon.



8th Grade in Iceland.



4th & 5th Grade learn about alternative energy at a wind farm.



On top of Alder Dam.



Voyagers Week to Victoria BC.