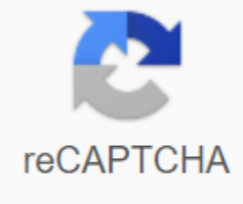




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Team Code: {{:appC.teamCode}} Phillip Davis Director Tim Hodgdon Assistant Director Barry Foley Athletic Director Deane Beman Advisor Laura Bonner Advisor Chelsey Babbin Advisor Guidance Advisor Detective Rob Munson School Resource Officer 155 Parrott Ave, Portsmouth, NH 03801 (603) 436-5781 Participated 1983 - 1986 Latin civil rights leader César Chávez, who caused an uproar when the city renamed 39th Avenue in his honor last year, is about to put his name on another Portland landmark - a North Portland school where community members overwhelmingly favor the Chavez name. Superintendent Carole Smith recommended, and a school board committee agreed on Monday, that César Chavez School should be the new name for The DeScadon-Portsmouth School, the temporary name given when Clarendon Elementary and Portsmouth Middle School were merged into a single school three years ago. Principal Antonio Lopez said Chavez, an American labor leader who advocated for rural workers' rights, food security, restricted pesticide use and Latino civil rights, is a great choice for his school in a working neighborhood with a growing Latino population. He was able to create social change without violence through the power of relationships, Lopez said. We are a multicultural society and we need models from each group. Clarendon-Portsmouth, housed in the former portsmouth middle school building, is the fourth school in Portland to come up to rename after an existing high school and elementary school were merged to make a new K-8 school. The others eventually called themselves Roseway Heights, Beverly Cleary and Harrison Park. A committee of parents, teachers, neighborhood residents and students worked to apply for suitable names for Clarendon-Portsmouth, and reduced it to four options: César Chavez, Portsmouth, Vanport or Willis. As surveys were sent to parents, delivered to students and teachers, and walked door-to-door for virtually every resident of the neighborhood - more than 3,500 ballots on all ballots. César Chávez was the overwhelming preference among the residents of the neighborhood who responded, with about 70% of the more than 800 votes. The students were torn between two main choices, Chavez and Portsmouth, and the teachers favoured Portsmouth, with Chavez in second place, a committee count showed. The building still says portsmouth has raised letters about its main entrance, as since it was built in 1929, one of the few Portland schools to rise between the beginning of the Great Depression and the end of World War II. Susan Landauer, a member of the Portsmouth neighbourhood association and the nominating committee, said she generally dislikes change and favoured maintaining portsmouth's name, which refers to the near the confluence of the Willamette and Columbia rivers. But she acknowledged that the neighborhood's feedback was overwhelmingly in favor of school enrolls about 500 students, almost 60% of them Latino. The next major groups are African-American and white, both about 15%. Board members praised committee members for manually handing over more than 3,000 pamphlets. That explains why there was a much broader contribution from the community to renaming this school than in others, said Matt Shelby, the district's public information officer. Portland schools are nominated for presidents or other prominent national leaders, all of them white men. Shelby noted that Portland has 85 schools, three of which are nominated for African-American leaders and one, Chief Joseph, named for a Native American. The district does not have schools named for Asian-Americans or Latinos. - This section of the center will provide outstanding information for the 2020-21 School Year. Portsmouth Free Meals Flyer Portsmouth calendar 2020-2021 is here OCTOBER CALENDAR PMS is here PMS 2020-2021 ABC Calendar is here PSD YouTube Channel Link is here PSD MASKS POLICY for All is here PMS Reopen Manual here Here The mission of Portsmouth Secondary School is to create a strong and safe learning environment: promoting the social, emotional and physical well-being and provide opportunities for each student, with the best of their ability, meet high academic standards, develop responsibility and achieve positive social values and behaviors to become productive citizens. Director: João P. Arruda Assistant Director: Lisa Goodwin Director of Student Services: Pamela Storme Click here to follow the PMS Twitter page! Dear Families César Chávez, it is with humility and great honor that I can write this welcome back to the letter of the school as its Principal. I've met many of you in the last two years that I've served as assistant principal and I look forward to meeting new students and families when the school year begins. This can be an exciting and nervous time for students and families as we look forward to the 2019-2020 school year. We are working tirelessly at the school to ensure that all students and families feel welcome, safe and engaged at school. Please, please, join me to welcome new employees in our Chavez community: Kim Johns - Assistant Director Sarah Centerwall - 6th ESL Series Kelly Merrill - Art Nancy Perry - 1st DLI series Brenda Bokenyi - 1st DLI series Meghan Gaiero - 2nd Year not DLI Colin Hawkins - Griffith Tovey Math High School - Spanish High School/DLI William Reese - 6th grade DLI We also have some familiar faces in new roles: Obdulia Avila - Reading Interventionist Cindy Ku-Jimenez - Community Agent Welcome back to Kara Johnson!! - Kinder Here are some updates and reminders as we embark on a new school year. The arrival and resignation remain the same as last year. Doors open at 7:52 a.m. and K-5 students will be picked up at the playground. Detailed procedures will be sent on the first day of school. All students (K-8) will receive a backpack full of supplies on their first day of school. Students' cell phones need to be out of sight and turned off during the school day. Sixth graders will be turning between English Language Arts teachers (Mr. Reese), Mathematics (Ms. Armendariz) and Science (Ms. Kong) and will be with her home education teacher for Social Studies and an elective (Spanish Language Arts or AVID). Day of daycare is Saturday, August 24, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Please bring your gardening tools and gloves and help us make our school grounds more beautiful before the school year begins. Class lists will be posted and this is a great opportunity to meet our new deputy director, Kim Johns! You can see lists of classes at this event. I look forward to working with each of you this school year. I am grateful and excited for the opportunity to lead this amazing school community. Please don't hesitate to contact me. Sincerely, Risa Muñoz 503-916-5666 mmunoz@pps.net Dear Families of César Chávez, it is with humility and great honor that I can write this welcome letter to the school as its principal. Over the past two years, I've met many of you as your deputy principal and I look forward to meeting new students and families when the school year begins. This can be an exciting and nervous time for students and families as we wait for the 2019-2020 school year in advance. We are working non-stop at school to ensure that all students and families feel welcome, safe and engaged at school. I would like to welcome the new team of our Chavez Community: Kim Johns - Deputy Director Sarah Centerwall - Sixth Grade ESL Professor Kelly Merrill - Nancy Perry Art - First Degree of Immersion Brenda Bokenyi - First Degree of Immersion Meghan Gaiero - Immersion High School Student Colin Hawk - Griffith Tovey High School Math - Artistic languages in Spanish and High School Spanish William Reese - Sixth degree immersion There are also familiar faces in new roles: Obdulia Avila - Reading Interventionist Cindy Ku-Jimenez - Community Agent Ha vello Kara Johnson! - Kinder Professor Here are some updates and reminders as we embark on a new school year. Arrival and departure procedures remain the same as last year. Doors open at 7:52 a.m. and K-5 students are picked up at the end of the school day on the playground. Detailed procedures will be sent home on the first day of school. All students (K-8) will receive a backpack full of tools on their first day of school. 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