Congratulations Student Leaders!

Your dedication has not gone unnoticed!

The Outdoor School Student Leaders have been given the Philanthropy Award for Outstanding Volunteer Group by the Oregon & SW Washington Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals!

Hooray, Student Leaders!

Interested in attending the awards luncheon in November?
Email me at Kim@FriendsOfOutdoorSchool.org

Want to Get Involved?

The Student Leaders have come together in full force! Look up, and join, their Facebook group “Save Outdoor School” to find ways to help!

Do you know any schools in the Salem, Corvallis, or Albany area that aren't going to ODS, but want to go? If so, send those people my way! Kim@FriendsOfOutdoorSchool.org

Also, be sure to check out the All Trails Challenge! All Trail Challengers can choose to hike, ride, or run the complete trail system that explores Forest Park’s more than 5,100 acres of forested terrain. Raising pledges will benefit The Forest Park Conservancy and partnering nonprofits like Friends of Outdoor School! Check out the events page on the Friends of ODS website for more information.

Our daughter loved her weeks of Outdoor School. Now she’s gone off to the Forestry School at UW. I suspect Outdoor School encouraged her current career interests.

- Outdoor School parent and donor

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Did you know that Outdoor School serves more than just 6th graders?  
Well, yes, high school students, but also other grades!

4th grade: The fun and innovative Oregon Trail Overnight program is a blast for 4th graders and their parents. Students experience learning based on the theme of the Oregon Trail and the adventures faced by pioneers. Students study Oregon history as part of their social studies curriculum. The Oregon Trail Overnight program is a wonderful multi-disciplinary experience that complements the regular classroom curriculum.

7th grade: Passages through Time program for seventh grade students is a five-day, four-night program designed to incorporate their science and social studies curriculum into a field experience. During a week of exploration, students visit a goat farm and learn how to milk, transport and handle boar goats, learn how to use a compass, discover how to apply a GPS system, learn primitive camping skills and participate in a city-wide “Amazing Race.”

Any grade: The STARLAB is a portable, inflatable planetarium that can be set up in a large classroom. Students crawl inside the 16 ft. dome to experience a 360° astronomy lesson. Stars and constellations can be seen in their true three-dimensional relationship to each other, and can be viewed from different geographic, cultural, and temporal perspectives.

For more information on any of these programs, contact Dan “Teal” Prince at 503-257-1618

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