



**FERN RIDGE  
HIGH SCHOOL**

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*...to reach and teach  
each student, all students,  
every day...together.*

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Dear Fern Ridge Families,

It is hard to believe that our 8<sup>th</sup> week of class is coming to a close. It has truly been a pleasure getting to know our new students as well as getting reacquainted with our veterans. By now, you have received your student's 6-week progress report and hopefully, it met you with good news. I have been in classrooms and have witnessed teachers and students engaged in many types of learning activities so I know first-hand that your students are receiving a quality education. Being on time and attending all classes each and every day will only serve to enhance the teaching/learning process, so please encourage your student to be mindful of this.

We have many exciting school activities this month. On October 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> some of our students, with the expert guidance of Ms. Easterby, are putting on a delightful school play. The doors will be open at 6:30 pm and the play will start at 7:00 pm. Please join us for fun and refreshments. All proceeds will be donated to various charities. The following week on October 24<sup>th</sup>, we have our annual Alumni Homecoming. It will be here at Fern from 3:00-5:00 p.m. We would love to see all Fern students join us for this celebration.

As the November 4 election day draws near, I would like to remind you that Parkway has Proposition S on the ballot. This is a NO TAX INCREASE bond issue that is designed to help keep Parkway's 29 schools up-to-date for students. Specifically, the project list for Fern Ridge includes: Upgrade classroom technology, upgrade electrical infrastructure for technology, install air conditioning in our gym, replace existing east parking lots, driveways and stairs and replace aged chemical cabinets.

Please visit the following websites for more information -

Bond issue Home Page (includes FAQ's and the 4 minute video we showed at Open House): <http://www.pkwy.k12.mo.us/bond08/index.cfm>

Master Project List <http://pkwy.k12.mo.us/bond08/masterProjectList.cfm>

School-by-School Project List:  
<http://www.pkwy.k12.mo.us/bond08/projectList.cfm>

We have also included a voter information sheet about Prop S at the end of this newsletter.

Thank you for your continual support.

Sincerely,

Becky Warren

Rebecca Warren  
Principal

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