

# Quilcene Weekly Update: 1.23.23

## EDUCATION TRENDS

### True Grit: The Best Measure of Success and How to Teach It

By Vicki Davis

#### True Grit

This week's Education Corner article talks about the importance of Grit (think John Wayne!), going so far as to make the point that it is more of an indicator of student GPA & graduation rates than either emotional intelligence or IQ.

The article then goes on to discuss 11 ways grit can be taught in the classroom. Included in the ways are through reading books, facilitating classroom discussions, working with students on developing growth mindsets, and living "grittily."

One of my personal favorite parts of the reading is the area on the importance of outdoor learning (something inherently important to Quilcene.)

## Academic Recognition



*Congratulations to this week's Students of the Week, Dylan Bowyer & Noah Tirao! Dylan was nominated by his Agriculture teacher for working super hard to catch up as in class as we head towards the end of the semester and Noah was nominated by his MS Stem teacher for great work done in the field of mathematical reasoning.*

## Upcoming...

1/23	Budget Committee Meeting @ 4:00pm
1/24	HSBB vs Ever. Lutheran (BJV @ 4:00, GV @ 5:30, BV @ 7:00)
1/25	<u>Late Start Wednesday</u> SEL PLCs: Student Accommodations
1/25	Board of Directors Meeting @ 6:00pm
1/26	P-5 Staff Meeting @ 7:45am
1/26	Sr. Night vs NWC (GV @ 5:30, BV @ 7:00)

Due to the snow day before Winter Break, Monday, January 30th will be a regular school day

## SOUTH JEFFERSON LITTLE LEAGUE

Registration is now Open!



Register online at  
[www.sjlittleleague.com](http://www.sjlittleleague.com)

JOIN US FOR FIELD DAY  
FEBRUARY 18, 2023 AT  
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FIELDS.

#### REGISTRATION COSTS PER CHILD

\$60 for one  
\$55 for two  
\$50 for three or more

After school tutoring is now available on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3:00pm - 4:00pm for all students in grades 6-12