

Press Release



Battle Ground Public Schools

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Wanted: Photos of Central School fire

Battle Ground Public Schools is seeking dramatic and unusual photos of the Jan. 21 controlled burn of the old Central School. The plan is to print a few in the school district's quarterly report to residents, which will be inserted in the March 14 Battle Ground Reflector.

"We're looking for pictures that are substantially different than those on the school district's Website (battlegroundps.org), said Gregg Herrington, the district's director of communications. "That was an historic day and it marked the end of a building that meant a great deal to a great many local residents. This is another way to help memorialize and dignify the significance of Central School over the decades."

As many as four photos may be submitted by any one person to centralschoolmemories@battlegroundps.org. The school district retains the right to use any submitted photo, at no charge to the district, in The Reflector insert. Respondents are asked to include their name and phone number and whether they are a current employee or student of the school district. Each photo published in the insert will be accompanied by the photographer's name.

Written Central School memories submitted by former students and employees can be seen at battlegroundps.org/central-school-memories.

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