

Critical Truth

From: don grotting
Sent: Thursday, June 24, 2021 9:38 AM
To: ALL Cabinet
Cc: Tom Colett;Becky Tymchuk
Subject: Fwd: Protests erupt over teaching of critical race theory in schools | KATU
Attachments: COnttract for Equity firm BSD aquired.pdf; IntlSchoolBeavertonProm.6.5.21.doc


Just FYI. ODE called yesterday as they are getting complaints also.
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Date: June 23, 2021 at 6:12:36 PM PDT
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Hi Don, FYI
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Sent: Wednesday, June 23, 2021 5:01:25 PM
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You better believe us parents are not gonna allow Oregon public schools to teach hatred and ideology based on the color of my skin.
You better nip this in the bud now ODE.

BSD has already hired a center for equity inclusion. End that contract now. Start teaching our kids the knowledge they need to advance in life, NOT holding them back by making them feel bad about being white!

If you truly believed in inclusion and equity then you would end this agenda, this indoctrination now.

See below

Good afternoon,

I have been busy on the back end trying to get FOIA's sent to the school district to get a better grasp of what is happening in BSD. One FOIA returned this contract the district has made with Turning Point Initiatives d/b/a Center for Equity and Inclusion to train teachers for next school year. If you notice the contract is in phase I mode, and even more interesting it is costing us tax payers \$304,800 to pay them to train district personnel in CRT ways that will go down to our children. This HAS to be approved by school board as it is over \$150,000 contract. I am wondering if the approval is coming tonight as I did not see it in the May school board meeting.

Pat McCreery is the district administrator over the Equity and Inclusion department. Myself and a group of parents met with him last week. We do not have any more time to sit and be silent. This is getting worse. Please pass this on and let others know.

Also, if you can contribute, the district is asking me for more than \$1300 to get the emails I am requesting. Please go to buildbackbasics.com and contribute what you can. My PAC is up and ready to take donations. I am working hard to get to the bottom of this and how bad it is in the district and it is scary what I am finding. Please pass this on to your friends and family as well to see if they can help. I will pass on any information I find as I am doing here. Some things are given freely while others they are charging me for stating man hours @ \$45 an hour. I cannot get the emails, unless I pay in advance. I hope you all can help.

Lastly, I am attaching the invoice that was paid to Poison Waters, a Portland drag queen, who was invited in "secret" to the International School of Beaverton Junior/Senior prom that happened on June 4. The teacher who worked to ascertain this person for the prom used the word "secret" as she

felt the students would be so excited. I am of the opinion that the admin asked it to be kept "secret" so they would not receive backlash from the parents. I will let you decide for yourselves on that one. IF you want those emails, I can forward them onto you. Thankfully, I wasn't charged for those ones. This is all information we need to know and keep asking for through FOIA's. It is our right to know as tax payers, parents, and staff.

Thank you for your support,
Jeanette Schade

<https://nbcmontana.com/news/nation-world/protests-erupt-over-teaching-of-critical-race-theory-in-schools>

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On Jun 11, 2021, at 11:38 AM, █████ <████████████████████> wrote:

ODE and BSD certified and hired this teacher with full knowledge of her position, activism, and racist beliefs.

1. You know damn well she was "let go" from Aloha High for complaining about a campus police flag(anyone can google her to find story)
2. This article states her video was made in August 2020, well BEFORE the school year started! 🙄

Your actions are a disgrace to our kids. Not only has ODE kept my kids out of school for 1.5 yrs, now I have to be constantly afraid of what garbage is being thrown at them in their classrooms.

We are being forced into looking at other schooling options that we cannot afford because My own tax dollars cannot be trusted in your hands.

Just despicable .

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On Jun 11, 2021, at 11:23 AM, █████ <████████████████████> wrote:

ODE and Governor,

Stop the Watkins of the schools districts. There is NO place for her or anyone like this near a kid.

Do your job and teach my kids.

Grotting has made it clear he will continue indoctrinating my kids with his twisted race and equity agenda.

*****Principal Shannon Anderson at Cedar Park has not supervised Watkins during class time after she was made aware of Watkins curriculum and complaints by parents. She has encouraged her rants and inappropriate curriculum.**

***Because of Watkins, Principal, and Grotting, my daughter's 8th grade has been a waste.

Remove Grotting, Anderson, and Watkins. Employ real educators who are qualified and care about teaching , not preaching.

https://amp.thepostmillennial.com/oregon-teacher-american-dream-students-activists/?_twitter_impression=true

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On Jun 7, 2021, at 1:43 PM, █████ <████████████████████> wrote:

And another thing. We will not be sending our girls to public schools next year if masks are required. This needs to end now.
Get with the Governor and ban mask requirements in ALL Oregon schools.
My body, my choice.

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On Jun 2, 2021, at 1:33 AM, █████ <████████████████████> wrote:

Please read this. Enough is enough. My impressionable young daughter's deserve better. My tax dollars demand you do better.

<https://www.dailywire.com/news/leaked-audio-superintendent-tells-teachers-crt-isnt-optional-anymore-if-youre-not-willing-then-maybe-this-isnt-the-right-place-for-you>

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On Jun 1, 2021, at 9:07 PM, █████ <████████████████████> wrote:

I'm tired of feeling scared to speak out as the climate within BSD has prevented many of us parents from doing so. If any of you have children, and yours had a teacher like this, you too would be more than upset.

This is my daughter's teacher at Cedar Park. She does NOT belong around children. She is pushing a political

agenda in class NOT enriching my child with the solid education she deserves.

We have complained about her in the beginning of year and BSD nor Principal could care less.

Please remove her ASAP.

It pains me to see our daughter robbed of a quality education while the other Humanities teachers seem to have NONE of this curriculum in their classes. Our daughter will end her 8th gr. Middle school years on a very low note. We hoped she would go out in a positive manner, yet this teacher, BSD, and Principal have encouraged Watkins attack my child's culture, an activist curriculum, and indoctrination that has NO place in a classroom.

— — —> We know of at least 1 other student who has withdrawn from Cedar Park because of her.

I don't know who else to talk to, but this is wrong.

Teach CRT or you'll be fired, woke teacher warns colleagues

<https://mol.im/a/9640189>

