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COMMUNITY ART PROJECT IS REVEALED AT HARVEY SCOTT SUN SCHOOL

Portland –

Impact NW's Harvey Scott SUN Community School and the Scott PTA have received grants from the Regional Arts & Culture Council (RACC), Central Northeast Neighbors Coalition (CNN) and the National PTA to **install a permanent mural in the gym!** Portland State University (PSU) professor and artist Sabina Haque have been leading a SUN class of PSU and Scott students (grades 4th-8th), who are designing and paint the mural with community support. The mural will be installed on the walls of the school building, broadcasting students' images, voices and dreams for today and tomorrow.

On **Thursday, June 6, 2013 from 5:30-7:30pm** Scott SUN and PSU students will showcase the final wood panels before they are mounted in the gym. Join us to admire students' work and see their personal digital stories. Dinner will be provided.

This project is a collaborative effort between Scott SUN/Impact NW, Scott School/PPS, Scott PTA, PSU Capstone and Art Department. It is made possible by over 4000 volunteer hours.

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