

Jefferson Times

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Dear Jefferson Families,

We have an exciting week coming up... COLLEGE WEEK! College week will be Monday, September 19th through Friday, September 23rd. This is a fun week in which each grade level will adopt a college. Students will become familiar with their adopted college throughout the week and also learn about the importance of college at an assembly and through classroom activities. Furthermore, we will have a culminating College Week Rally on Friday, September 23rd. The spirit days and adopted colleges for the week are as follows:

Monday 9/19 Wear any college

Tuesday 9/20 Wear your 1st period teacher's Alma Mater

Wednesday 9/21 Wear UCLA to represent Dr. Bridges' Alma Mater

Thursday 9/22 Wear Fresno State to represent Mrs. Wooten's Alma Mater

Friday 9/23 Wear adopted college (per grade level)

5th Grade – Ole' Miss, Rebels

6th Grade – Louisiana State University, Tigers

7th Grade – University of Kentucky, Wildcats

8th Grade – University of Auburn, Tigers

Please use this as an opportunity to talk with your child about their interest and understanding of the importance of college and higher education. Whether children are interested in attending a vocational school, community college, or university they need to begin planning and working towards that goal now.

We encourage your child to participate in spirit, but it is not required to.

Please do not hesitate to come by and visit or contact me at 209-835-3053 or awooten@sjcoe.net.

Alyssa Wooten, Principal



~ Library news ~

Book Fair is Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8:00 – 3:15. Be sure to join us Wednesday night from 6:00 – 8:00 pm for Family Night at the Book Fair. The library will be closed for checking out books all week. If you need to check out books or renew books please do that this week. Online sale date September 7th through September 20th, <http://bookfairs.scholastic.com/homepage/jeffersonmiddleschl>



BAND

JAZZ BAND – Monday, Wednesday & Friday @ 7:15

CHOIR – Tuesday & Thursday @ 7:15

COLOR GUARD – Monday 4:00 – 5:00pm



Our school offers breakfast in our school cafeteria from 7:30-8:00am. Our school cafeteria also offers 2nd chance breakfast at recess. Breakfast is \$1.50 and includes milk and/or juice as well as food items. Questions, please call Debbi Rogers at 209-839-8759

BOARD GAME MEET-UP: Fridays from 3:00 – 4:00pm

- Anyone is welcome to come. Students will have the opportunity to learn new games, and meet new people

~ VOLUNTEER INFORMATION ~

Our school nurse has to administer the risk assessment questionnaire in person; our district nurse (Tina) will be available the last Wednesday of every month from 3:00 to 4:00 in the student services office. Anyone needing a TB test can drop in during that time for her to administer the questionnaire. Please come in when you get your first reminder 3 months before it expires, so that you have enough time to obtain a test should you not pass the questionnaire.

The dates will be:

September 28, October 26, and November 30

PICTURE RETAKES:



Thursday, September 15th



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Mr. Lopez – Tuesday, September 13th



Thanks to all our families who turned out for the Aldo's Family Fun Night in August. With your support Aldo's kindly donated \$200 back to our schools!

Thanks Wildcats for the huge lunch turnout for Kona Ice! Your love of shaved ice generated a \$155 donation back to our schools! Kona Ice will return to Jefferson lunch on Thursday, 9/29.

SAVE THE DATE! The next MJPFA Family Fun Night will be at Menchie's Frozen Yogurt on Tuesday, 9/27. Flyers coming home soon!

The Book Fair Is **ONLINE!**

Find even more
great books at



 **SCHOLASTIC**
open a world of possible



**Come
to Our
Book
Fair!**

Tuesday, Sept. 13- Thursday Sept. 15

8:00 AM-3:15 PM

Join us for: **Family Night!**

Wednesday, September 14, 6:00-8:00