

# Jefferson Times

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## A note from the Principal ~

Dear Jefferson Families,

These next few weeks it is crucial that your child attends school daily and is on time. CAASPP testing officially starts on April 12<sup>th</sup> and will conclude the first week of May. Our 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will be testing April 12 – April 22 and the 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> grade students will be testing April 25 – May 6. Jefferson School will be providing snacks for the students and entertainment during the week to keep them motivated and commend them for their hard work.

This week the district will be hosting a special event at the Board Meeting. We will be honoring our Employees of the Year. Jefferson School is fortunate to have outstanding employees and honored to announce that Mr. Paul Fern and Mr. Mario Aguirre are our 2015-2016 Employees of the Year. Please join us at the District Office, located at 1219 Whispering Wind Drive, to congratulate them on Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

We are already half way through the third trimester. Progress Reports will be sent home this week. There are less than 35 days left of school.

Please read our newsletters and visit our webpage for the most current information. Thank you for your continued support! Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions or comments.

Thank you,

Alyssa Wooten

Principal

## **CAFETERIA NEWS!!!**

THERE WILL BE NO MORE CHARGING FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SCHOOL YEAR. THIS WILL ENSURE ALL STUDENT ACCOUNTS WILL BE PAID IN FULL BY THE END OF THE YEAR. STUDENTS WILL NEED TO HAVE A MINIMUM OF \$2.80 ON THEIR ACCOUNT IN ORDER TO PURCHASE A MEAL. **THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING.

## Jefferson School District Writing Camp

Incoming 4<sup>th</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup> grade students

June 13<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> 8:30am to 11:30am

Optional Publication week

June 13<sup>th</sup> – July 1<sup>st</sup> 8:30am to 11:30am

\$175: 2 weeks / \$225: 3 weeks

Registration link:

<https://jsdcamp.eventbrite.com>

**Held at Hawkins Elementary School**

**475 Darlene Lane**

## ~ Weekly Information ~

**Monday: 4/11** ~ MINIMUM DAY

**Tuesday: 4/12** ~ BOARD MEETING 6:30pm

**Wednesday: 4/13** ~ Progress Reports mailed home, ASB meeting, Talent Show 6:00pm

**Thursday: 4/14** ~ MJPFA meeting 3:15pm @ Monticello in cafeteria

**Friday: 4/15** ~ Magic Club, Spring Play 6:30pm

**Saturday: 4/16** ~ Spring Play 5:00pm

## ~ WORD OF THE WEEK ~

### “SEQUENTIAL”

se-quen-tial

sə'kwɛn(t)SHəl/

*adjective*

1. forming or following in a logical order or sequence.  
“a series of sequential steps”

#### **COMPUTING**

performed or used in sequence.

“sequential processing of data files

## ~ MJPFA NEWS ~

We are looking for BOARD MEMBERS. Please come to our monthly meeting Thursday, **April 14<sup>th</sup>** @ Monticello for more information!!!

**April 15<sup>th</sup>** – Last day to turn in carnival banner, sponsor and vendor forms

## “EX MARKS THE SPOT”

Ex-traordinary Ex-perimentation, Ex-ploration, and Ex-citement!  
Jefferson/Monticello Family Science Night

Save the date for the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Jefferson/Monticello Family Science Night. It will be held in the Monticello Multi-purpose room on Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 to 7:00pm. Be prepared for EXtraordinary night of family fun in scientific Exploration, Experimentation, and Excitement! Entrance is free

**Let your Jefferson Wildcat spirit shine this carnival season by becoming part of our first MJPFA**



**Your family's name will be beautifully displayed on a professionally printed banner, listed in good company with all of our other wonderful Jefferson Family Banner sponsors for just a \$20 donation. One big banner for one big family! This one of a kind banner will hang proudly at our Monticello-Jefferson Carnival this May and at Jefferson School throughout the remainder of the school year.**

**Show your love and "Wildcat Pride" for our school by adding your name to the Jefferson Family Banner today!**

**\*All donations are tax deductible and go to support Jefferson via the MJPFA.**

**\*Questions? Text or call Anna Chase at 209.815.1329**

**\*\*Complete and return to teacher/ office with payment by 4/15\*\***

Family Name ( example: The Smith Family) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone/Email \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student's Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

\* Please make checks payable to MJPFA Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\* MJPFA Federal Tax ID #37-1507478

# MONTICELLO-JEFFERSON ANNUAL SCHOOL CARNIVAL

May 13, 2016 3:00-7:30pm at Monticello Elementary

20+ Fun Carnival Games & 5 Awesome Jumpers *NEW!* Wrecking Ball Jumper. Cakewalk. *NEW!* Flip-a-Chick Game. *NEW!* Potty Toss Game  
Giant Teacher Basket Silent Auction! *NEW!* Jungle Fruit Bar *NEW!* Student Stage Contests. Dunk Tank. *NEW!* The Baker Boutique  
*NEW!* Zorb Hamster Ball Races *NEW!* Silent Auction - WIN! 4 Disney Tickets, WIN! PS3 Console + 3D Display+ Rock Band Set & Much More!

Pre-Sale Tokens, Wristbands & Meal Deals

## NOW ON SALE!

APRIL 4-25

Unlimited Jumper Wristband  
VALUE DEAL

**\$8**

Hot Dog, Chips & Drink  
MEAL DEAL

**\$3**

60 Game Tokens  
VALUE DEAL

**\$20**

OR

\$20 for 50 Tokens (at door) \$10 Jumper Wristband (at door) \$4 Meal Deal (at food tent)

\*\*Pre-Sale Tokens, Wristbands & Meal Deal tickets will be distributed at will call booth on day of Carnival\*\*

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

School ( Monticello / Jefferson) Student's Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name : \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\$20 Token Deal Qty. ( ) \$8 Jumper Wristband Qty. ( ) \$3 Meal Deal Qty. ( ) Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\* MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO MJPFA

\* SUBMIT THIS FORM WITH PAYMENT TO JEFFERSON OR MONTICELLO OFFICE/TEACHER

MJPFA USE ONLY  
CASH AMOUNT OR CHECK NO \_\_\_\_\_

To The Parents/Guardians of 8<sup>th</sup> grade students

Below you will find a schedule of events in the order that they occur and committee chairperson. The phone number is included if you would still like to volunteer please contact that chairperson.

**HONORS NIGHT**  
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**6:30 – 8:00 PM**  
**Jefferson Gym**

Honors Night is an evening of awards. Each 8<sup>th</sup> Grade teacher presents traditional academic and extracurricular awards. All students and parents are encouraged to attend this event. Invitations will be sent to the students receiving awards.  
“BEST DRESS ATTIRE” is required.

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL – KECIA VALDEZ (209)329-40374, kvaldez32@gmail.com**  
**TUESDAY, MAY 24<sup>TH</sup>**  
**1:00 – 2:35 PM**  
**Jefferson School Cafeteria**

The Ice Cream Social is a very special Jefferson Tradition. The 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade students will sit together and socialize about their experiences at Jefferson School. “NICE SCHOOL CLOTHES” are required.

**GREAT AMERICA – TRICIA REZENDES (209) 456-6748, twinsrfun1@netzero.net**  
**FRIDAY, MAY 20<sup>TH</sup> Santa Clara**  
**7:15am – 8:15pm**  
Permission Slips will be sent home with additional information.

School dress code applies  
NO Tank tops  
NO Short Shorts  
NO Bathing suits

**GRADUATION CEREMONY – TRICIA REZENDES (209)456-6748, twinsrfun1@netzero.net**  
**Thursday, May 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:30 – 9:00 PM**  
**Jefferson Gym**

The BIG Event!!! Each family will receive 6 tickets.  
Gowns will be worn.  
“BEST DRESS ATTIRE” is required.

**DANCE –**  
**Chair- SHANE DAVIS (209)914-1973 djsuashane@gmail.com**  
**Co chair – ROANN**  
**THURSDAY, MAY 26<sup>th</sup>**  
**9:00 PM – MIDNIGHT**  
**Outdoor Library Reading Area**

The Graduation Dance starts following the Graduation Ceremony. There will be time between the Ceremony and the Dance to take pictures and visit. Only the Graduates, chaperones and teachers are invited to the dance! There will be no In and Out privileges.

“BEST DRESS ATTIRE” is required.

#### **“BEST DRESS ATTIRE” RECOMMENDATIONS:**

##### **GIRLS**

- **Dressy clothes**
- **No shorts, miniskirts, strapless, backless or halter top dresses. Undergarments MUST be worn and not visible**
- **Dress shoes – low to medium heel, no flip flops**
- **If you have any questions regarding your graduation outfit, please see Mrs. Beith in the office.**

##### **BOYS**

- **Dressy sport clothes or suits/ sports jacket**
- **Long pants, preferably slacks.**
- **Shirts with collar – ties optional**
- **No jeans or shorts**
- **No sandals or flip flops**
- **No tuxedos**

##### **BOTH**

- **NO LIMOS**

I would like to take this time to let you in on another Jefferson Tradition. Every year the 8th grade parents and students make a “collage”. The students will be given a shaped poster board through their English class that you will plaster with pictures of your graduate!! These collages are great fun! A more detailed letter will accompany the poster board! What you can do now is start looking through pictures!!! The point of the collage is to show how your child has grown over the years!! Have fun.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact the office, 209-835-3053.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation Committee

# Jefferson School District

## DELAC Meeting/Reunión de DELAC

Wednesday, April 13, 2016

District Office Boardroom 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Please Post

Colocar en un lugar visible

### AGENDA

- Welcome and Introductions
- Purpose of DELAC
- Review EL Data
- Review Criteria for Reclassification
- Review of LCAP plan
- Schedule meeting dates for 16-17

### ORDEN DEL DÍA (AGENDA)

- Bienvenida y Presentaciones
- Algunas palabras de los candidatos para ser representantes de DELAC
- Revisar datos del EL
- Revisar criterios para reclasificación
- Revisar el plan de LCAP
- Planiar fechas para las juntas del 16-17

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Notes\Notas:



## DRESS AND GROOMING

In cooperation with teachers, students and parents/guardians, the principal or designee shall establish school rules governing student dress and grooming which are consistent with district policy and regulations. These school dress codes shall be regularly reviewed.

The following guidelines shall apply to all regular school activities:

### Jefferson School District DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

Jefferson District is noted for the outstanding appearance of its students. Wearing extreme fashions is not conducive to a quality educational atmosphere and has no place in Jefferson School District. In keeping with this philosophy of good style and taste, the following rules apply to all regular school activities:

1. Clothing should be in good repair and reflect modest taste.
2. Students are to come to school dressed for learning and for playing.
  - a. Shirts are not permitted to be low-cut, strapless, off the shoulder, halter top or backless. Shirts without sleeves must have a strap that is equal to or greater than four of the student's fingers. All shirts must be long enough (without having to be pulled into place) so that they could be tucked in (and would realistically remain tucked in) if necessary. This rule applies regardless of changing weather throughout the warmer months.
  - b. All pants, shorts, skirts and dresses need to be an appropriate length and size so as not to expose a student's posterior or undergarments. Pants, shorts, skirts and dresses shall not be tight fitting or shorter than a student's extended fingertips. Pajama pants are not allowed except on designated spirit days. Leggings and yoga pants are allowed with an over garment that is fingertip length. Pants must fit at the waist and should not be more than one size too large, sagging is not permitted. Pants, shorts and skirts shall be free of holes above the extended fingertips.
  - c. Students need to wear shoes that will allow them to run and play. All footwear must have straps or enclosed backs. Flip flops and slippers are not allowed.
  - d. Students are not permitted to wear baseball caps, hats, knit caps, visors, and hoods in class, assemblies, or in any indoor school function. Outdoors, hats must be worn forward facing.
3. All clothing, jewelry, backpacks, and other personal items shall be free of writing, pictures and/or other insignia which are crude, vulgar, profane, sexually suggestive, gang related, or depict nudity or weapons. In addition, clothing or personal items shall not exhibit drug, alcohol or tobacco references, or advocate racial, ethnic or religious prejudice.
4. Any clothing or accessory that may be deemed dangerous, i.e. wallets with chains, steel-toed boots, items with spikes or studs, and belts worn long are unacceptable.
5. Any clothing which may be disruptive to the school environment or deemed offensive by school personnel is prohibited.

Students who are considered to be in violation of the Jefferson School District Dress Code shall be referred to the principal or the designee.

- a. First offense: The student's parent/guardian shall be contacted and may be asked to meet with school staff. The student will be required to wear loaner clothes or call home for a change of clothes.
- b. Second offense: The student's parent/guardian shall be contacted and may be asked to meet with school staff. The student will be required to wear loaner clothes or call home for a change of clothes. The student shall be assigned detention as determined appropriate by the principal or the designee.
- c. Third offense: The student's parent/guardian shall be contacted and may be asked to meet with school staff. The student will be required to wear loaner clothes or call home for a change of clothes. The principal or the designee shall assign the student ten hours of community service to be performed within thirty calendar days.



d. Fourth and subsequent offenses: The student shall be suspended for a period of 1-5 days as determined by the principal or the designee.

**In order to discourage the influence of gangs and gang related apparel, Unauthorized Group Apparel is prohibited and the following rules shall apply:**

1. Jewelry, accessory, notebook or manner of grooming (including haircuts) which by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark or any other attribute denotes membership in an unauthorized group or group is prohibited.
2. Clothing or articles of clothing (including but not limited to gloves, bandanas, shoestrings, wristbands, hats, lanyards, belts, jewelry) related to unauthorized groups that may provoke others to acts of violence are prohibited.
3. Belt buckles with initials or red, blue, or brown web belts, belts hanging out of pants are prohibited.
4. Gloves, towels, suspenders or other items hanging from rear pants pockets or from belt are prohibited. Students may not wear one pant leg rolled up.
5. Excessive clothing items (2 or more) of predominately one color that symbolize unauthorized group apparel are prohibited.

Because symbols are constantly changing, definitions of unauthorized group apparel may be reviewed and updated whenever related information is received by administrators and/or school safety committee. If a student is determined to have violated the dress code by wearing unauthorized group colors, he/she will be banned from wearing specific colors or any unauthorized group related apparel.

The following consequences will be implemented for a violation of any one of the above:

- a. First Offense: Parent/guardian contact. Student sent home to change clothes or provided with alternative clothing, Confiscation of unauthorized group-related jewelry accessory, notebook etc. Possible 1-5 day suspension.
- b. Second Offense: Parent/guardian conference and 1-5 day suspension.
- c. Third Offense: Parent/guardian contact. Minimum of five (5) day suspension Report to law enforcement agency.
- d. Fourth and subsequent offenses: Parent/guardian contact. Minimum of five (5) day suspension and recommendation for expulsion. Report to law enforcement agency.

No grade of a student participating in a physical education class shall be adversely affected if the student does not wear standardized physical education apparel because of circumstances beyond the student's control. (Education Code 49066)

The principal, staff, students, and parent/guardians at each school may establish reasonable dress and grooming regulations for times when students are engaged in extracurricular or other special school activities.

Students who participate in a nationally recognized youth organization shall be allowed to wear organization uniforms on days when the organization has a scheduled meeting. (Education Code 35183)



## JEFFERSON SCHOOL DISTRICT DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

### ACCEPTABLE TOPS



### NOT ACCEPTABLE TOPS



### ACCEPTABLE BOTTOMS



### NOT ACCEPTABLE BOTTOMS



### ACCEPTABLE SHOES



### NOT ACCEPTABLE SHOES

