



# JAMES WELDON JOHNSON COLLEGE PREPARATORY MIDDLE SCHOOL

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Parent Messenger – April 12, 2019

Parents,

## JWJ Night at Adventure Landing

Please join us on April 18th from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm at the Jax Beach ADVENTURE LANDING for JWJ SPIRIT NIGHT! Pre-purchase your ticket for \$16 from Mrs. Peterson in Building 8.

The last day to purchase your ticket is Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

This ticket gets you unlimited go-karts, laser tag, mini-golf, and access to the wacky-worm coaster for 3 HOURS during our JWJ Night. Since we don't have school the next day, this could be a fantastic night to plan to hang out with your JWJ friends and family at Adventure Landing. Email Mrs. Peterson with questions: [browningm1@duvalschools.org](mailto:browningm1@duvalschools.org)

## Sand Art Fundraiser – April 15<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>

International Travel Club is having a Sand Art Fundraiser. Save the dates: April 15th- 18th Sand Art Fundraiser. Please visit the link below to plan your "creation". Cash, checks, and credit cards are accepted.

<http://livinthedreamsandcreations.com/gallery/>

Contact Ms. Mott at [mottm@duvalschools.org](mailto:mottm@duvalschools.org) for more information.

April 15th 3:15 am - 5:30 am

April 16th 3:15 am - 7:30 am - Family Night

April 17th 3:15 am - 5:30 am

April 18th 3:15 am - 5:30 am

## JWJ Quiz Bowl Team

The nationally ranked JWJ QUIZ BOWL TEAM went undefeated for a 3<sup>rd</sup> straight season and beat Mandarin Middle School in the City Championship Match on Monday evening! JWJ is now qualified to compete in the National Tournament being held in Chicago this May.

We need to cover the costs of the team entry into the tournament as well as offset the travel costs for the teacher-coaches and students. This group of 6th, 7th, and 8th graders are not only bright and dedicated, but kind and sensitive. We would love for them to represent our region at the national level. I am confident they will make us proud. If you would like to help send our team to Chicago please visit:

<https://www.gofundme.com/jwj-college-prep-public-school-quiz-bowl?member=1897996>

All donations big or small will greatly be appreciated.

## Student Dress Code



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Students are beginning to ignore dress code expectations. Please remember that all expectations related to student attire will remain in place until the end of the school year. Students who continue to violate dress code policy will spend the day in ISSP. Contact Dean Oglesby at [OglesbyCI@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:OglesbyCI@DuvalSchools.org) for more information.

## Dance and Theater Ensemble

The James Weldon Johnson Dance Ensemble meets on Monday's from 3:15 pm to 5:00 pm. The Theater Ensemble and JWJ Thespians meet on Thursday's from 3:15 pm to 5:00 pm. Contact Ms. Schmid at [SchmidC@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:SchmidC@DuvalSchools.org) for more information.

## Spring Dance Practicum

The Spring Dance Practicum and Performance is May 29<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. Tickets will be \$10.00 at the door. Contact Ms. Schmid at [SchmidC@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:SchmidC@DuvalSchools.org) for more information.

## Robotics

The JWJ Robotics teams meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 3:15 pm to 5:45 pm. Contact Ms. Temples at [TemplesM@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:TemplesM@DuvalSchools.org) for more information.

## Upcoming 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dates

The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Semi-Formal Dance will be held on May 18<sup>th</sup>

Grad-Venture Islands of Adventure trip will be May 10<sup>th</sup>

The 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Celebration Ceremony will be Thursday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am in the Paxon auditorium. There is no cost for this event, but will be limited to 2 guests per student due to capacity issues.

## Upcoming FSA Testing Dates

### 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

FSA Reading - May 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>

FSA Math - May 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>

### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

FSA Reading - May 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>

FSA Math and Algebra I – May 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>

Civics EOC – May 9<sup>th</sup>

### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

FCAT Science and Biology EOC – May 9<sup>th</sup>



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Algebra I EOC and Geometry EOC – May 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>  
FSA Reading – May 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

## District End of Course Exam Dates

Art 1, 2, & 3 – April 15  
Dance and Theater – April 17  
Band, Chorus, and Music Appreciation – April 23  
Health and P.E. – April 25  
Computers and World Languages – April 29  
World History – May 3  
6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Science – May 10  
Algebra II – May 20

## This Week in Sports

Contact Ms. Swearingen at [SwearingeA@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:SwearingeA@DuvalSchools.org) for softball

Contact Mr. French at [FrenchPI@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:FrenchPI@DuvalSchools.org) for baseball

Contact Ms. Menard at [MenardR@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:MenardR@DuvalSchools.org) for swimming

Contact Ms. Burton at [OutingE@DuvalSchools.org](mailto:OutingE@DuvalSchools.org) for track

Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup>

- None

Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>

- Swim meet home versus J.E.B. Stuart and Jeff Davis at Paxon High School pool
- Track meet at Baldwin versus Baldwin and Lake Shore

Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>

- Girl's Softball versus Fletcher at 5:30 pm
- Boy's Baseball versus Fletcher at 5:30 pm

Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup>

- Swim meet at Thomas Jefferson versus Stilwell and Jeff Davis
- Track meet at Jeff Davis versus Jeff Davis and Lake Shore

Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>

- None