



JAMES WELDON JOHNSON COLLEGE PREPARATORY MIDDLE SCHOOL

Parent Messenger – April 18, 2019

Parents,

School Advisory Council Meeting

Our next S.A.C. meeting will be on May 14, 2019 at 8:20 am. This will be our final S.A.C. meeting for the year.

Math Mania

Help us celebrate the accomplishments of our students in math this school year by supporting Math Mania. We are need of donations of Capri Suns and napkins. Contact Ms. Polsen at PolsemM@DuvalSchools.org for more information.

Parent Academy: Understanding Your Gifted Child

May 1st, 6:00 pm - 7: 30pm, Celebration Church Annex Building 10302 Deerwood Park Blvd., Jacksonville, FL 32256

We are excited that Parent Academy has teamed up with Dr. Wilson at UNF to offer an informational night about "Understanding Your Gifted Child." Dr. Wilson, a former JWJ parent, is a fabulous speaker who is extremely knowledgeable and passionate about gifted children. We hope JWJ parents will take advantage of this resource that is specific to parenting gifted children. Gifted children are a unique population of students with specific personality traits and distinct learning needs. This Parent Academy will focus on the nature of gifted children and characteristics that are associated with giftedness. Parents will learn about these traits and how they impact their child's behavior and learning.

JWJ Art Club Mural Project

This Saturday, April 20th, the JWJ Art Club will be painting four murals at the Earth Day Art Festival at Jarboe Park in Neptune Beach from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. There will be all kinds of activities, booths, jewelry, workshops and food. Please come out and support your JWJ Trojan artists. The event is free to the public, so bring the whole family!

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 for more information.

Spring Dance Practicum

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



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Beautification Club

The Beautification Club is in need of volunteers after school on Friday, April 26th. The club has a lot of projects going on and needs assistance in completing them this year. If your student is in need of NJHS volunteer hours, this is a great way to get their hours and support our school. Please see Ms. Mott or contact via email at MottM@DuvalSchools.org to sign up.

Upcoming 8th Grade Dates

The 8th Grade Semi-Formal Dance will be held on May 18th.

Grad-Venture Islands of Adventure trip will be May 10th.

The 8th Grade Celebration Ceremony will be Thursday, May 30th at 9:00 a.m. 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

6th Grade

FSA Reading - May 1st & 2nd

FSA Math - May 7th & 8th

7th Grade

FSA Reading - May 1st & 2nd

FSA Math and Algebra I – May 7th and 8th

Civics EOC – May 9th

8th Grade

FCAT Science and Biology EOC – May 9th

Algebra I EOC and Geometry EOC – May 14th & 15th

FSA Reading – May 16th & 17th

District End of Course Exam Dates

Art 1, 2, & 3 – April 15

Dance and Theater – April 17



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Band, Chorus, and Music Appreciation – April 23

Health and P.E. – April 25

Computers and World Languages – April 29

World History – May 3

6th and 7th Grade Science – May 10

Algebra II – May 20

This Week in Sports

Contact Ms. Swearingen at SwearingeA@DuvalSchools.org for softball

Contact Mr. French at FrenchPI@DuvalSchools.org for baseball

Contact Ms. Menard at MenardR@DuvalSchools.org for swimming

Contact Ms. Burton at OutingE@DuvalSchools.org for track

Monday, April 22nd

- None – School Closed

Tuesday, April 23rd

- Track meet at Stilwell Middle School at 5:00 pm
- Swim meet at J.E.B. Stuart versus J.E.B. Stuart and Lake Shore at 5:00 pm

Wednesday, April 24th

- Boys' baseball versus J.E.B. Stuart at 5:30 pm
- Girls' softball versus J.E.B. Stuart at 5:30 pm

Thursday, April 25th

- Track meet at J.E.B. Stuart at 5:00 pm
- Swim meet at Paxon versus Stilwell and Baldwin at 5:00 pm

Friday, April 26th

- None