



Jeffreys Grove Magnet | PTA NEWSLETTER

Jeffreys Grove families,

Sunday, February 23, 2020

We hope you can join us at United Skates of America **this Tuesday, February 25th** from 6pm to 8:30pm for [Skate Night](#) (click for more information). All money raised from Skate Night is applied to the PTA Guidance budget. This budget is approximately \$900 and includes Character Education, the Mentor/Mentee program, and PBIS (Positive Behavioral Intervention and Support).

Admission is \$5 per person and \$3 for skate rentals. [Food is available for purchase](#); a cheese pizza, pitcher of drink and 4 cookies is \$20. We have asked them to precook pizzas for the event.

If your child(ren) would like to attend but are unable to due to cost, please **contact** [Mrs. Jacobs](#), **the school counselor, by 12pm Tuesday**. Any information you share with Mrs. Jacobs is confidential; she will give you further details.



From the desk of... **Principal Ventura!**

JG Families,

WRAL visited our school last week after the Wake County Board of Education voted to convert Dillard Drive Elementary and Middle Schools to Spanish Immersion Magnet schools, and East Cary Middle School to a K-8 Chinese Immersion Magnet school.

[Click here](#) to see WRAL's report.

I am so proud to be a part of this school and I am excited that more Wake County students will have the opportunity to learn in another language!

[Click here](#) for past Newsletters from Mrs. Ventura.



Save the Date!

February 24th - [BAC Meeting](#) 6:30pm at Hilburn Academy

February 25th - [Skate Night](#); 6:00pm - 8:30pm
United Skates of America

March 9th - Teacher Work Day - No School

March 11th - First in Fitness

March 11th - Kinder APTT; 5:30-6:30pm

March 12th - 3rd Grade APTT; 5:30-6:30pm

Stay up to date with our [MemberHub calendar](#).

[Click here](#) for the **Safety Patrol** list

[Click here](#) for past PTA Newsletters

Advocacy

Winter Symposium

NCPTA invites you to attend the [Winter Symposium](#) this Saturday, February 29 from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM at the DPS Staff Development Center in Durham, NC. Tickets are \$10 each and registration is required; [click here](#) to register.



Weather & Anxiety

After the extreme weather we have had, some children have experienced anxiety. Mrs. Jacobs shared the following link with information on how to help your child overcome their anxiety: [Weather Anxiety in Children](#). If your child needs someone to talk to concerning this, or any other issue, contact Mrs. Jacobs at bjacobs@wcpss.net

Warm Fuzzy's & Saving Grace

Warm Fuzzy Sales were a huge success. We hope your children enjoyed receiving them as much as our JGE Esteemed Eagles (5th Grade Ambassadors) enjoyed handing them out!

Mrs. Jacobs, the school counselor, worked with our JGE Esteemed Eagles to organize this fundraiser from start to finish. With your help they were able to raise \$771 for [Saving Grace Animals for Adoption](#)!

Saving Grace is a non-profit animal adoption organization located in Wake Forest, North Carolina. Officially established in 2004, Saving Grace has placed over 22,000 dogs into homes since its inception.



Parents Night Out & Silent Auction

Parents Night Out will be held at the **Melting Pot** on Wake Forest Rd in Raleigh, NC on Thursday, March 26th, 2020. [Click here](#) to purchase tickets!

Silent Auction is a week long fundraiser in March that runs online and ends with a "Parent's Night Out"* event at the Melting Pot. Auction items include signed sports memorabilia, music lessons, gift cards, vacation homes, teacher times**, Fast Pass parking***, and so much more!



Do you own a small business? Do you have a friend who owns a small business? Do you know a chef, dentist, landscaper, photographer, interior designer, etc.? Do you have a vacation home you would be willing to donate? Even if you don't own a small business, do you have a skill someone may find valuable? Contact Sarah at JGPTAFundraising@gmail.com if you're interested in providing a donation.

All ideas are welcomed and appreciated!

***Parents Night Out" is an adult only event; ** Teacher times are experiences your child participates in with a teacher/staff member after school; *** Fast Pass parking lets you skip the carpool line and pull through the bus loop.*

MemberHub Marketplace

Memberhub is introducing a new feature that benefits our PTA called the Marketplace. Here's how it works:

- Businesses in our community will list exclusive discounts on everyday purchases in our PTA eStore - things like special deals at local restaurants, summer camp discounts, tutoring, exercise classes, and more.
- Purchase the deal and save money!
- 20% of the proceeds from every deal purchased will go directly back to the PTA!

You can find these deals in our MemberHub online store under the Sponsored Products tab.

[Click here](#) to support our PTA and save money with these new give back deals.

Right now there are deals from **Uninhibited Tapas, Kim's Taekwondo Center, Rush Cycle and Crazy Glaze!**

Yearbook

This year we are using a company called TreeRing for the yearbook. They plant a tree for every yearbook sold and they print the yearbook on recycled paper!

Yearbooks are now available for pre-purchase. To create your yearbook account [click here](#). Once you have an account, you can upload photos via the web or **download the TreeRing app**. Please help us by dropping your photos in the appropriate folders by grade.

Softcover yearbooks are \$15 after tax, hardcover books are an additional \$7.45 after tax. All yearbooks come with two *FREE* customizable pages at the end of the yearbook! (These pages will only be visible in your child's yearbook).

How to Create your Custom Yearbook Pages for Jeffreys Grove Elementary

1

1. Go to www.treering.com
2. Enter our school's passcode:
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Email:

Password:

Log In

2

Click **Edit Custom Pages** on the right side of the screen.

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Yearbooks
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Click your custom page to edit it.

1 Create Pages 2 Finish Pages

Click to Edit Custom Pages

4

Add **Photos, Memories, Signatures, Text and Graphics** to your custom pages.

Photos
Memories
Signatures
Text
Graphics

5

Add more pages.

+
Add Page

6

Print ready your pages by: **Apr 13**

Finish Pages
Yes ☒

Book Sponsorships

Thanks to your generosity, we have reached the amount needed to overhaul the Media Centers collection of books! THANK YOU!

So why continue with Books Sponsorships?

On average, the PTA is able to donate \$2000 to the library each year, unfortunately this only equates to about 100 new books a year; once the lost/damaged books have been replaced, this doesn't leave much room for updating the collection. So the PTA will continue to accept book sponsorships in an effort to keep the collection as up to date as possible. All money raised through Book Sponsorships will only be applied to books.

What is the Cost?

Sponsorships are \$25 for one (1) or \$100 for five (5).

What am I buying?

Your sponsorship will cover the cost of the new book, book plate (placed in the books thanking your family for your donation), printing service, and the protective covering for the book plate.

[Click to Sponsor a Book](#)

SpiritWear

To order, email

JGPTASpiritWear@gmail.com.

Specify what style, size, and quantity you would like. Send payment in with your child and the Spirit Wear coordinator will send the items home in your child's backpack. Thanks!

Sizes/Pricing

T-Shirts (Youth Sizes S-XL): \$10

T-Shirts (Adult Sizes S-XXL): \$15

Hoodie (Youth Sizes S-L & Adult Sizes S-XXL): \$20

Visors: \$12

Hats: \$10

T-Shirt Designs



Style: [State](#)



Style: [Retro](#)



Style: [Visor](#)



Style: [Hat](#)



Style: [Hoodie](#)

Business Sponsors

We appreciate ALL of our Jeffreys Grove Business Sponsors; **THANK YOU!**

We'd like to give a special shoutout to our *Platinum Sponsors!*



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Interested in becoming a JG Business Sponsor? We have levels to fit every business.
Email JGPTAFundraising@gmail.com for more information.



Jeffreys Grove Important Dates 2019-2020

February

25 Skate Night*

March

6 2nd Grade Historic Oak View Farm Field Trip
9 Teacher Work Day - No School
11 First in Fitness
11 Kinder APTT; 5:30-6:30pm
12 3rd Grade Planetarium in-house Field Trip
12 3rd Grade APTT; 5:30-6:30pm
16 Spirit Day - The Kitchen Table at Relish
& Menchies*
16 PTA Meeting - 9:30am @ The Kitchen Table at
Relish*
18 Cultural Arts performance- Silver Trout Arts*
18 5th Grade APTT; 5:30-6:30pm
19 4th Grade Symphony Field Trip
19-20 2nd Grade Nat. American Indian Residency*
23 Kinder NCSU Talley Student Union-Eric Carle fav
24-25 5th Grade (Sullivan) Blue Jay Point trip
26 Parents' Night Out/ Silent Auction*
30-31 5th Grade (Cardello) Blue Jay Point trip
31-1 5th Grade (Vicinus) Blue Jay Point trip

April

1-2 5th Grade (Fuentes) Blue Jay Point trip
3 & 14 1st Grade Durant Nature Preserve trip
6-13 Spring Break
15 1st Grade APTT; 5:30-6:30pm
20-24 3rd Grade Drumming Residency*
21 2nd Grade Zoo field trip
23 World Book Day
24 Spring Festival*
27 4th Grade Carolina Beach/ Ft. Fisher field
trip
28 3rd Grade W.B. Umstead Park field trip

May

1 Teacher Work Day - No School
11-15 Book Fair*
14 End of Year Picnic*
14 PTA Meeting - Vote in new Board*
25 Holiday - No School
TBD EOGs

June

10 Super Kids Day (Field Day)
12 5th Grade Graduation
12 Last Day of School



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