

Jeffreys Grove Magnet | PTA NEWSLETTER

Jeffreys Grove families,

Sunday, September 15th 2019

We hope you and your children are adjusting to your new schedules; between school, after school activities, and changing bedtime routines, we know how overwhelming this time can be. Hopefully the weather will cooperate so we can all get settled into our new "normal" :)...

Open House

This coming Thursday (September 19th at 5:30 pm) is our annual Open House! During this time, the PTA will hold a brief 30 minute meeting at 6:00pm, that will include:

- PTA Board introduction
- Fundraising initiatives for this year
- PTA project proposals
- Budget approval
- All the ways you can help!

Want to know more about the PTA's mission? Click <u>here</u> for more from our PTA President.

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From the desk of... Principal Ventura!

Teacher allotments are based on the number of students who actually show up within the first ten days of school. Our headcount numbers have been submitted and will be confirmed on September 17. At this time we will not gain or lose a teaching position.

Please note the following makeup days have been added to the calendar: November 1 and December 20.

Click here for the updated newsletters for September



September 19th – Open House

September 24th – End of Go Play Save Fundraiser

September 25th – Moe's Spirit Night

September 26th – Kinder Health Assessments due

Stay up to date with our MemberHub calendar.

Click here for the Safety Patrol list



Volunteer Opportunities

We love volunteers! Even the smallest amount of time can have a huge impact!

Want first dibs on the best volunteer slots? Fill out this survey and we'll send you sign up links first, based on your responses: <u>Volunteer Survey</u>

Interested in helping out morning carpool? Click here to help staff safely get pre-k children out of their cars.

Have lunch with your child and help out our staff! Click here to sign up for cafeteria duty!

Fundraising

The <u>Go Play Save</u> fundraiser is still underway; books sell for \$30 each and our PTA earns \$15 for each book sold. New this year is the Mobile and Paper bundle for only \$45! With this bundle you receive double savings from all your favorite stores.

Please return books, or payments, by September 24th.

Health & Wellness

With recent BOG (Beginning of Grade) testing, parents have asked "What is this?" and "How can I help my child?" BOG tests are used to assess where your child is at the beginning of the year and sets a baseline for teachers. They do not expect students to ace them; it is simply used as a starting point for your child. Here is information to help you out:

<u>Click here</u> for Math & Reading guides created for each grade level.

<u>Click here</u> for some tips on how to prepare your child for testing.

Lunch Time! <u>Click here</u> for the Wake County Public Schools Menus.

Anything else?

Have a topic you'd like us to address in the newsletter? Email JGPTAPresident@gmail.com and we'll get on it!



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