The Jamestown Monthly

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#### Upcoming Events

4/4- Site Council Meeting 4:30 in the JES Library

4/5- PTO Meeting @ JES RM 14

4/7- 3rd Grade Field trip to Fairgrounds

4/3, 4/5, & 4/7- Free Family Fitness Classes @JES gym from 5:30-6:00 PM

4/12- Board Meeting in the District Office @ 6:00 PM

4/13- K-3rd Spring Concert 5:00-6:00 PM in the Cafeteria

4/20- 4th-8th Grade Spring Concert at 5:00-6:00 PM in the Cafeteria

4/21- Earth Day

4/21-CCSA Field trip to Avalon

4/21- Father/Daughter & Mother/Son Dance (time TBA)

4/26- Citizenship Assembly @ 2:00 PM in the Cafeteria

4/28- Kona Ice

4/28- CCSA Field trip to Redhills A Message From the Principal

Happy Spring JSD Families!

This month, we are working on the character trait of courage. Courage is the willingness to do something that is hard or challenging. Please talk to your child about what courage looks like for you and your family, as well as ways your child can show courage at school. Teachers and staff will be handing out Panther Prides for all students who are displaying the character trait. The monthly character trait assembly for courage for our 1st-5th grade students will be held on April 26. Certificates are awarded for students who are exceptional in their ability to demonstrate courage.

CAASPP Testing for 3rd-8th grade students is scheduled to begin in early May. Students will be completing practice tests throughout the month of April. Please make sure your child attends school regularly. These state tests reflect and measure children's overall achievement. The more energy and effort a child puts into learning, the more likely they will do better on tests.

We also want to congratulate **Mikki Nicholson** for being awarded the "Jamestown Promotion Club's Teacher of the Year." Also, our winners for "Employees Who Make a Difference" are **Jim Kasper, Patty Aguiar**, and **Kristen Youngman**. Be sure to thank these amazing employees for all they do. These are well-deserved honors for all four of these amazing employees!

Thank you for your continued support and partnership,

Mrs. Martin



# JAMESTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Spring Concerts

School District

TK-3rd: On Thursday, April 13th, Jamestown Elementary is
hosting it's TK-3rd grade spring concert in the Jamestown
cafeteria from 5:00-6:00pm.
JSD 4th and 5th graders, all
CCSA students, and all 6th-8th grade band members: On

Thursday, April 20th, Jamestown Elementary is hosting its' 4th-8th grade and CCSA spring concert in the Jamestown cafeteria from 5:00-6:00pm.

For more info on both concerts, please see the attached flyers!

#### Support our Music Program:

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Support the Jamestown School District's music program by buying gourmet popcorn from Popcornopolis. You can purchase from any of the marching band members or reach out to Mrs. Turner at sturner@jespanthers.org or (209) 984-4058 ext.3108

#### **FREE Fitness Classes**

CalFresh and Sierra Flow will be giving FREE family fitness classes being offered at JES the 4/3, 4/5, 4/7 in the gym from 5:30-6:00PM. Bring your family, tennis shoes, and water to celebrate National Health Week!

#### PTO's Mother/Son & Father Daughter Dance

PTO will be hosting our first Mother/Son & Father/Daughter Dance on April 21st. Please come for dancing, snacks, music, and good company! Our PTO will be passing out flyers with more info soon.
In the meantime, stay updated and get reminders by following the JES PTO's Facebook page and Instagram page @JESPanthersPTO.

# April

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**DI Fundraisers** Kona Ice is on Friday, April 28th, so money orders will be due on Wednesday, April 26th.

Papa Murphy's Take N' Bake Pizza in Sonora is helping students pay for their Spanish Immersion trip to Costa Rica in June of 2024. Coupon cards are \$10 each.

If you like pizza and you want to support this amazing opportunity for our students, please, contact Janelle Williams at jwilliams@jespanthers.org or (209) 984-4058 ext.3123

#### Sports:

Track and field season starts April 24th. Please reach out to Mrs. Kasper in the office to sign up.

Girls volleyball continues until the end of April. Info on post season tournament is TBA in May.

"Without courage, we cannot practice any other virtue with consistency. We can't be kind, true, merciful, generous, or honest."

-Maya Angelou

Character Trait this Month

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#### SCHOOL CLOSURE MAKE UP DAY

Because of the power outage/school closure on September 14, this school year has to be extended by one day to make it up. So, our last day will be Fri., June 9. Dismissal on June 9 will be 12:05pm. Please note that Thursday, June 8 will be a regular 2:40pm dismissal. Please be sure to mark your calendar and plan accordingly.

#### Jamestown Run Rescheduled

The Jamestown Run has been rescheduled!! Please spread the word! This is the 35th annual Jamestown Run, a 2 mile, 10K run/walk. Be part of a tradition of encouraging people in our community to live a more healthy lifestyle while raising important funds for our school all proceeds from this fundraiser go directly to the 6th Grade Science Camp and our school band. Register at itsyourrace.com



#### After School Activities

The Jamestown After School Program is open this year for TK-4th Grade until 6 PM. Pathways is open Tuesday-Friday from 2:40-3:40. Pathways locations are posted on the front office window. Attending Pathways is a great way to complete homework, get homework help, and/ or earn back citizenship points!

#### April's Character Trait

Review courage as a family! Remember that courage is choosing what is helpful, right, and kind - even when it's hard or scary.

Reflect, think, and discuss with your child the things you both would like to do, but find intimidating or scary. Maybe it's a new hobby, trying a new game, sharing your art or invention with others, or going on an adventure somewhere.

Give 1 of these things a try together and take a selfie to capture the memory!



Tlearned that courage was not the absence of fear, but the triumph over it. The brave man is not he who does not feel afraid, but he who conquers that fear." -Nelson Mandela



# Keep Our Earth Strong



April 21st is Earth Day! What is one thing you can do to help our Earth?



#### Jamestown K-3 Spring Concert Reminder For all JSD Tk-3rd Grade Students

On Thursday, April 13th Jamestown Elementary is hosting its' Tk-3rd grade spring concert in the Jamestown cafeteria from 5:00-6:00pm. Each grade level will be performing a few selections to show off all the wonderful work they do in music class. It is expected that all students attend and participate. It takes a lot of time and work for our students to put this together and we would like to honor that hard work by all coming together to put on the best concert possible. Day: Thursday, April 13th Place: Jamestown Cafeteria

**Time**: Please have your student at the cafeteria by 4:40 pm so we can get organized and begin promptly at 5pm.

What to Wear: Any nice spring-colored, Jamestown School attire, or solid black. Jeans, slacks, dresses, and skirts are all fine as long as they meet the school dress code. When you look your best, you feel your best and you perform your best. :)

If your student is unable to attend please let Mrs. Turner know at sturner@jespanthers.org or (209) 984-4058 ext.3108

#### Jamestown and CCSA Upper-Grade Spring Concert Reminder

# For all JSD 4th and 5th graders, all CCSA students, and all 6th-8th grade band members.

On Thursday, April 20th Jamestown Elementary is hosting its' 4th-8th grade and CCSA spring concert in the Jamestown cafeteria from 5:00-6:00pm. The 4th grade and CCSA recorder classes will perform, 5th grade beginning band, choir, and the upper grade marching band. Each grade level will be performing a few selections to show off all the wonderful work they do in music class. It is expected that all students attend and participate. It takes a lot of time and work for our students to put this together and we would like to honor that hard work by all coming together to put on the best concert possible.

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Time: Please have your student at the cafeteria by 4:40 pm so we can get organized and begin promptly at 5pm.

What to Wear: Any nice spring-colored, Jamestown School attire, or solid black. Jeans, slacks, dresses, and skirts are all fine as long as they meet the school dress code. When you look your best, you feel your best and you perform your best. :)

Marching Band Attire: Marching band students, please wear solid black if you are able! If you are not able to wear solid black, please follow the guidelines listed above for what to wear.

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**BLUE ZONES PROJECT** 

ALL AGES AND SKILL LEVELS

TUOLUMNE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

Free parent & child fitness classes for Jamestown and Chinese Camp Elementary school families, faculty, and staff. Please wear fitness shoes, bring water, and if you have one, a yoga mat for all classes. A limited supply of mats will be available to borrow.



#### Monday, April 3, 2023

Rock out and work out with lightly weighted drumsticks to get energized, tone your body and have fun!



Have fun conditioning your body in this high-energy, but low-impact workout set to energizing music that will make you want to move!



Friday April 7, 2023

Unwind from a busy week with gentle movements that will increase flexibility, build strength, and release tension.

WHERE: Jamestown **Elementary School** Gymnasium

WHEN: All classes are from 5:30-6:00 p.m.

CELEBRATE MOVEMENT! National Public Health Week 2023





JES Girls 6th, 7th and 8th Grade Volleyball

Coach: Janelle Williams

jwilliams@jespanthers.org

#### April/May 2023

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday 2 3 5 6 7 8 4 6th-8th @ Curtis 6th Practice 6th Practice 6th-8th @ Sonora 6th/7th/8th Creek 3:45 PM 2:45-3:45 PM 2:45-3:45 PM 3:45 PM Scrimmage 7th/8th Practice 7th/8th Practice 2:45-3:45 PM 3:45-4:45 PM 3:45-4:45 PM 9 10 12 13 Outdoor 14 15 11 6th Practice 6th Practice 2:45-3:45 PM 6th-8th vs. 2:45-3:45 PM 6th-8th @ Sonora No Practice Summerville 3:45 7th/8th Practice B 3:45 PM 7th/8th Practice PM 3:45-4:45 PM 3:45-4:45 PM Spring Concert 5-6 РM 21 22 16 17 18 19 20 6th Practice Outdoor 2:45-3:45 PM 7th-8th vs 6th-8th vs 7th/8th Practice 7th/8th 7th/8th Practice Tenaya Belleview 3:45 2:45-4:45 PM Scrimmage 3:45 PM Spring Concert 5-6 3:45-4:45 PM PM PM 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 7th-8th @ Twain 8th vs Gold Rush 7th/8th Practice 7th/8th Practice No Practice Harte 3:45 PM 2:45-4:45 PM 2:45-4:45 PM 3:45 PM 30 1 2 3 4 5 6 Post-Season **Tournament TBA** 

\*Players are expected to be at their games **30 minutes before the start time** \*Last Updated 03/21/2023