

Junaluska Elementary School Newsletter

November/December 2019

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Girls on the Run Needs Your Help...

We are collecting items for Duke Children's Hospital from November 18th-26th.



Gift Cards: Amazon,
Walmart, Target, iTunes,
Starbucks, & Chain
Restaurants
Journals & Sketch
Pads
Craft Kits for Teens

Gel Pens, Colored Pencils, & Markers Teen and Adult Size Clothing Teenage Blankets Makeup, Nail Polish, & Other Toiletries Playing Cards, UNO
Cards, & Board
Games
Headphones
Teen and young
adult books
Popular Movies

Yearbooks

JES Yearbooks are on sale now! \$25 cash or check made payable to JES. Online payment options available through





Clothes to Kids

If your child receives free or reduced lunch and is in need of clothing, please call 456-8990 to get two free outfits.

TITLE 1 NEWS



Please be reading with your child nightly and discuss what you have read. Take time to let your child write about his/her reading as often as possible. Please work on math facts for addition and subtraction, multiplication and division.

Ideas for Christmas - books, puzzles, flash cards, regular cards and dice for math activities, watches, rulers, notebooks to write in, cool pens and pencils, crayons, markers, colored pencils for illustrating

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- <u>Tuesday, November 19th</u>—Girls on the Run, Practice 5K at 3:15 PM
- Friday, November 15th—Thanksgiving Meal for lunch
- November 18th to November 26th—Girls on the Run Duke Hospital Collection
- <u>Thursday, November 21st</u>—Dan the Animal Man at 6:30 PM
- Friday, November 22nd—Christmas Rotary basket forms due
- November 27th to November 29th—Thanksgiving Holidays, No School
- December 2nd-December 17th—White Christmas Canned Food Drive
- Friday, December 6th—Winter Dance
- Sunday, December 8th—Girls on the Run 5K at 10:00 AM—Asheville Outlets
- <u>Friday, December 20th</u>—Rotary Christmas baskets delivered.
- <u>December 23-January 4th</u>—Christmas Break, No School

Testing Dates

Mon., Dec 2: Istation testing for K-3rd Tues., Dec 3: Istation testing K-2nd and ELA benchmark for 3rd-5th Wed., Dec 4th: Istation testing K-3rd, ELA benchmark special settings 3rd-4th Thurs., Dec 5th: Istation testing K-3rd Fri., Dec 6th: Istation testing K-3rd

Mon., Dec 9th: Math benchmark 3rd-5th Tues., Dec 10th: Math benchmark testing, special settings 3rd-5th Wed, Dec 11th: Science Benchmark testing 5th

Thurs., Dec 12th: Science special settings 5th

Fri., Dec 13th: Make up



JES Art News

Keep a lookout for new Artsonia slips coming home in November. Log in to www.artsonia.com check out your students artwork or sign your student up for their free online art portfolio if you haven't already done so. Did you know that Artsonia is also a fundraiser for the art department? You can get a head start on your holiday shopping by buying one-of-akind keepsakes with your child's art printed on it for friends and family and 20% of the profits come back to the school to buy more art supplies for our students to use!

Email chooper@haywood.k12.nc.us if you have any questions.

Thanksgiving Meal

Junaluska Elementary School's cafeteria will be serving a Thanksgiving meal on Friday, November 15th. An adult meal is \$5 and a child that is visiting is \$3. JES students are their regular price. Please let us know if you are planning on coming! Also, the cafeteria would welcome volunteers on that day.

White Christmas Canned Food Drive

It is time again to start the White Christmas Canned Food Drive. The cans that are collected will go to help local families in need. There will be a reward given to the Kindergarten through 2nd grade class and the 3rd through 5th grade class that collects the most cans. The White Christmas Canned Food drive will start December 2nd and end December 17th. Start collecting those cans!

2019-2020 SAFETY PATROL

Abbey Adams Shawn Aldridge Noah Earwood Madi Evans Ella German Izzy Laughton Nicolas Messer Mayra Monzon Meela Nguyen Mason Rathbone Maggie Ray Kohl Rudd Kyleigh Sulzer Toby Vang Rubi Zamudio

2019-2020 Art Assistants



Alexis Markos Elisabeth Oberg Ana Claire Speier

Sophie Yarrington

Parents please remember your child must be fever free for 24 hours (without Tylenol or Advil) before they can return. Thank you!



SCHOOL NURSE NEWS

Vision Screening Forms:

- If your child's vision screening result reads "Screening Complete" above the picture of the child's eyes, there is no need for further screening at the present time.
- If the result reads "Complete Eye Exam Recommended", there is a vision referral letter attached to the results. As it states in
- the letter, if you have any questions, please call Nurse Tammy at 828-456-2407.
- If your child is already seeing a doctor regularly for their vision, there is no need to make an appointment at this time. However, if your child begins to experience any problem with their vision, please contact Nurse Tammy at 828-456-2407.

PTA NEWS

Boon Supply Fundraiser: Print orders have been turned in, but you can still order online for several more weeks. Be sure to order soon to ensure items come in before Christmas!

Update on Kindergarten

Playsround: Folks have been working hard on the new kindergarten playground. It should be completed by the beginning of December. We're so excited about this project!

Facebook Group: If you haven't already, please ask to join the Junaluska PTA and Volunteers Facebook group. This is a great place to stay current on PTA news and events.

Winter Dance: Our next dance (1st-5th grade) will be Friday, December 6th from 3:30-5:00PM.

Amezon Smile: If you love Amazon, be sure to use Amazon Smile so Junaluska Elementary gets credit for your purchases.