

JHE eNews

9/14/16

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR "CLASSES OF THE WEEK": Mrs. J. Gillaspia's Pre-K/PM class, Mrs. Chae's 3rd grade homeroom. Also, congratulations to our "Staff Member of the Week" - Mrs. Manwaring, Kindergarten teacher.

The parent letter and information for FASTT Math, Enabling Web Pass: Home Computer and My Katy: WebAgent App Guide are *attached*.

Please join us as we celebrate Constitution Day by wearing Red White and/or Blue on Friday, 9/16/16.

2016-2017 After-School Activities

Hayes is excited to announce the following outside vendor classes that we will offer this year:

- **American Robotics Academy**-First thru fifth graders can sign up for the Robotics Club to create projects including climbing robots. Students will use gears and pulleys to build and battle a world of walking robots. This class introduces students to LEGO mechanics and simple machines (Thursdays, October 12-December 8 until 5:00pm). The fee for this class is \$189.50. For more information visit www.roboticsacademy.com
- **Abrakadoodle Art Class**-Kinder thru fifth graders can create fabulous artwork and learn how powerful artists influence visual arts. There is take home artwork each week (Mondays, October 24-November 28 until 4:45pm). The fee for this class is \$105. For more information visit <http://www.abrakadoodle.com>
- **Mad Science**-Kinder thru fifth graders engage in fun, interactive and educational activities that instill a clear understanding of science and how it affects the world around them. (Thursdays, Session 1 is January 19-February 23, Session 2 is March 2-April 13 until 4:45pm). The fee for this class is \$125 per session. For more information visit <http://houston.madscience.org>

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

CORE Essential for September: RESPONSIBILITY

RESPONSIBILITY-Proving you can be trusted with what is expected of you.

The animal is the **Rooster** and the color to wear on Tuesday's during the month of **September is BROWN**

Parents,

Please view the *attachment* in this week's E- News for the CORE Essentials Newsletter.

This newsletter is provided each month with ideas for supporting the character traits at home.

CHALLENGE CHAT

Gifted and Talented Screening Information for 2016-2017

5th Grade The 5th grade GT information letter will be in our Tuesday Folders on September 13th. If you are interested in screening your child for Secondary GT

Services, your completed Secondary Parent Checklist is due to Sarah Clark by Thursday, September 29, 2016.

Kindergarten Kinder GT Parent Checklists will go home in our Tuesday Folders on September 20th. The due date for returning completed Kindergarten Parent Checklists to Sarah Clark is Tuesday, October 11, 2016.

MUSIC NOTES

Dear Fifth Grade Parents,

Just a reminder that fifth graders that are interested in joining the Soaring Singers choir, must see me to receive a choir contract. This is a time for me to answer any additional questions students may have about choir. Students must return their signed contract, along with the \$25.00 choir fee, by **September 20** in order to attend the first rehearsal. Our first rehearsal will be on **Tuesday, September 27, at 7:30 am**. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at KimberlyPeterson@katyisd.org

THE ART PALETTE

JHE students are currently working on a project for Square 1 Art! What this means is that you will have an opportunity to purchase items with your students' art work printed on them! Students will receive their order packets from the art teacher in late October. All orders will be on-line this year for your convenience! Products will be delivered to Hayes by December 2nd in time for your holiday gift giving! Proceeds from this campaign will be used to purchase art supplies for art classes at Hayes! I will have some product samples in a display case at the front area of our school as well as a chart of their complete product line, so stop by and check it out! Ms. O'Leary, JHE Art Teacher

PTA NEWS



Congratulations to the JHE PTA! One of 452 schools that earned the Head Start Award by recruiting 75% of last year's total membership!

Why Volunteer at JHE?

Make new friends, get involved, and make a difference! Interested in Volunteering at Hayes? If so, we would like to invite you to a social and volunteer orientation meeting on September 16th at 9am in the Science Lab. Come meet the PTA Board and other campus volunteers. Learn about the different events we have at Hayes and how you can help make a difference for our Hawks! We will visit for a few minutes prior to starting the meeting so just come when you can. We look forward to seeing you!

School Store is coming up on Wednesday, September 21st. This takes place during your child's lunch period. Items for sale include Hayes Spirit wear, school supplies and other fun items. This is a small fundraiser for our school and prices vary with items priced from 25 cents to school spirit wear of \$15. If your child would like to participate, please send money in an envelope with your child's name and school store written on it. Parent volunteers will be on hand to help your child shop. If you would like to volunteer, please

contact Swapna Patel at swapnatech@gmail.com or see our sign up genius at the following link:

<https://m.signupgenius.com/#!/showSignUp/508094caba629a46-school/42357258>

The Watch D.O.G.S. Kick Off and Information Meeting is Thursday, September 29th. Watch Dogs is a PTA sponsored program for Dads Of Great Students! Dads and JHE students are welcome to come and join us for our kick off meeting on Sept. 29th starting at 6:30. We will serve Pizza and doing a group activity, then the children will attend a fun interactive program with Nike while Dads learn about Watch D.O.G.S. Please see the *attached flyer* for more information. Please help us by RSVP'ing as soon as possible so we can plan accordingly.

GAME ON! Please join us for the 2nd Annual Mother & Son Game Night! Hamster Ball Races, Fun Inflatables, Bumper Suits, Bingo, Human Hungry Hungry Hippos, Bowling, and various board games. We will also be serving pizza, drinks, and dessert! Your \$7.50 per person admission includes ALL food and Games! Please see the *attached flyer* to register!

Birthday Marque-See your Child's Name in Lights as we wish them a Happy Birthday on the school marque! Please use the *attached form* and send cash or check made out to JHE PTA for \$25. Please allow at least 1 week for processing. Their name will be on the marque for their entire birthday week. If you have any questions, please contact Liz Johnson at Jheptapresident@gmail.com

KATY ISD NEWS



Adventure Awaits: Explore KEYS Mentoring
Be a friend, spend an hour, change a life.

Join us for the KEYS Kick Off

September 22, 2016

8-9:30 a.m.

The Merrell Center

[RSVP HERE](#)

[Apply to be a mentor](#)

[Katy ISD Partners in Education](#)

Bringing the Community into the Classroom

UPCOMING DATES:

September 16: Constitution Day (KISD)-Wear Red White and or Blue

OR

Spirit Day-Wear your JHE spirit shirt

September 20: 1st Progress Report Goes Home

September 21: Spirit Store

September 23: Spirit Day-Wear your JHE spirit shirt

