HAYES NEWS 1/24/18

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR "CLASSES OF THE WEEK": Mrs. Zubia's Kindergarten classroom, Mrs. Houy's 3rd grade homeroom. Also, congratulations to our "Staff Member of the Week" – Mrs. Guajardo, Life Skills Teacher

Thank you to our KISD School Board,

We appreciate their tireless work on behalf of the students and the district.

We appreciate all they do for all of us!!

Parents, please take the transportation sustainability and calendar surveys. Look for the links sent out by the district for those surveys.

If you did not receive the transportation survey, please email mrivera@k12insight.com.

If you did not receive the calendar survey, please email SouthwestRegion@k12insight.com.

The Office of Counseling is hosting the annual **Financial Information Academy** on Saturday, Jan. 27^{th} at the Ninth Grade Center of Morton Ranch High School. Two identical sessions will be held from 9:00-11:30 a.m. and from 12:30-3:00 p.m. Please see the *attached* flyer for full details.

It's not too late! You can still sign up to participate in the Young Rembrandts Drawing Program. The after-school class for Kinder - 5th grade starts next Tuesday, January 30th until 4:45pm. You can sign up at www.youngrembrandts.com/NorthHouston. Please contact Ms. Harwell @ 281-237-3264 for more information. Please see the *attached* flyer for additional information.

Katy Education Foundation-Hayes has created a Hayes Hawk team within the Katy Marathon Katy Foundation and we are excited for all the support (2/3/18) to help raise money for our Teacher grants! Hayes has won many grants over the years. Please look at the attachment below (Team Hayes Unites) for information regarding the amazing cause. Please contact jamiellaney@katyisd.org or samanthatjmiller-lewis@katyisd.org for more information!

LIBRARY LOWDOWN

Here are some activities that are coming soon to the library:

January 31 – Author Phil Bildner will be here to visit with students in grades 3-5.

February 12– Texas Bluebonnet Bash – Those students who read at least 8 of the TX Bluebonnet books and turned in their maps by January 19th are eligible to go on a field trip to the Katy ISD STEAM Center.

February 13 – Annual Reading Mambo Book Float Parade. (All participants are invited to a breakfast of King Cake and juice at 7:45 AM.)

JHE LITERACY LIBRARY

Volunteers needed in the JHE Literacy Library on a weekly basis from 2:45-3:30! We need several volunteers to check books in using a scanning system and also placing the books back on the proper shelves. Training will be provided. If you are interested, please contact Pat Mitchell at patsyemitchell@katyisd.org

COUNSELOR'S CORNER

CORE Essential for JANUARY: COMMITMENT

COMMITMENT – Making a plan and putting it into practice.

The animal is the **MEERKAT** and the color to wear on Tuesday's during the month of **JANUARY** is **COPPER**.

MUSIC NOTES

Fourth Grade:

Thank you to all the families and friends that were in attendance for the 4th grade production of "Pirates!" the musical. The kids did a fantastic job and I was so proud of them! The performance was professionally videotaped at the evening show. If you are still interested in a copy of the recording from the performance, please visit the link below to submit your order. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at KimberlyPeterson@katyisd.org. Ligital-Download/p/98880174/category=0

CHALLENGE CHAT

Katy ISD Promotes Student Enrollment in Pre-Advanced Placement CoursesJanuary 15, 2018 – Parents of Katy ISD fifth graders who will be attending junior high in 2018-2019 are invited to learn more about the Pre-AP and AP program.

Through an educational presentation, the District looks to provide an overview of the advanced academics in Katy ISD which will address commonly asked questions about student participation in Pre-Advanced Placement courses. Information can be found on the GT and Advanced Academics website under the Quick Links Presentation tab, both in English and Spanish.

Katy ISD Pre-AP courses, offered during grades 6-10, are designed to prepare students to be successful in Advanced Placement (AP) course taken during high school. These courses provide students the opportunity to engage in college-level studies with the option of taking the AP exam to possibly qualifying for college credit. Research indicates that students who participate in an AP course are more likely to complete an undergraduate program, choose academically challenging majors in college and are prone to pursue an advanced degree. Katy ISD offers AP courses in English, social studies, science, mathematics, languages other than English, computer science, music and art.

For questions about secondary course selection, contact your child's junior high campus for informational events and to schedule appointments with academic counselors. Information can also be found in the <u>2018-2019 Course Catalog</u>.

ROCKIN' THE GYM

DRESS CODE- Please be aware that your child needs to wear the correct athletic shoes to PE. This is for their safety!! Please no boots, crocs, Sperry's or any other shoe that does not provide protection and safety.

Box Tops are back! JHE did an awesome job during our last collection, collecting over 2,000 BT's! **GREAT JOB HAWKS**! The competition is not over just yet, another collection date is coming February 20th! Go to www.btfe.com for additional information!!

The American Heart Association will be visiting JHE in the month of February to kick off Healthy Heart Month!! $5^{th} - 3^{rd}$ grade will participate in Hoops for Heart and K-2nd will participate in Jump Rope for Heart! We are so excited to educate our community about proper Cardiovascular Health! \odot



Join us for the Silent Auction & Open House on Thursday, Jan. 25th! Visit your child's classroom to see what they've been doing this year. Stop by the gym and check out all the fabulous items you can win!!

Our annual Hayes Father Daughter Dance is Friday, February 2nd. Please print the *attached* flyer to rsvp for this special event. The price includes a printed picture, unlimited dessert bar, DJ, giveaways, and most of all a special night for your daughter.

The JHE Yearbook needs your pictures! Please send any pictures of your student(s) at Hayes events. Upload pictures to images.jostens.com User ID: 40895368

You can also order your yearbook and student recognition ads at this sight. Please see the *attached* flyer for information on ordering Yearbook Recognition Ads.

Memorial Parkway Junior High

Our Curriculum Night for our incoming 6th graders will be this Wednesday, January 24th @ 6:00pm.

McMeans Junior High

Reminder: Rescheduled incoming 6th grade Curriculum and Elective Night

Wednesday, January 24, 2018 MMJH Cafeteria 6:00 – 7:20 p.m.

All 5th grade MMJH parents and students are invited to join us here at MMJH for our Curriculum Night. We will showcase our 5 core classes as well as our Fine Arts/Elective department. Also, multiple Food Trucks will be available to greet your appetite! We look forward to meeting you.

UPCOMING DATES

January 25: JHE Open House 6:00-7:00 PM Silent Auction 5:30-7:30 PM

January 26: Watch D.O.G.S. Day

Spirit Day-Wear your JHE spirit shirt

January 30: Spirit Store

February 2: Watch D.O.G.S. Day

Spirit Day-Wear your JHE spirit shirt Father/Daughter Dance 6:30-8:30 PM

