

HAYES NEWS

1/10/18

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR “CLASSES OF THE WEEK”: Mrs. Udeogu’s 1st grade classroom, Ms. Bayliss’ 3rd grade homeroom. Also, congratulations to our “Staff Member of the Week” – Mrs. McNabb, 1st grade teacher.

Katy ISD is sharing information about the state, district and your child’s campus as part of the state legislative requirements. Copies of the 2016-17 School Report Cards for the state, district and campus are available for your review in the front office of our school, or can be accessed online at <https://rptsvr1.tea.texas.gov/perfreport/src/2017/campus.srch.html>.

Save the Date! JHE will have our annual Open House on January 25th from **6:00-7:00**. In conjunction with Open House, PTA will have the Silent Auction from 5:30-7:30 in the gym. We hope you will join us for this fun-filled evening.

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. Book order forms have been sent home and are due to the library by January 22. Checks can be made to JHE or exact change, please.

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

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

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**.

LOVE AND LOGIC SESSIONS BEGIN AT HAYES IN JANUARY.

Please see the *attached* flyer for addition information

MUSIC NOTES

Fourth Grade:

All 4th graders will present a musical entitled, “Pirates!” on **Thursday, January 18th**. This is a part of our curriculum and all 4th grade students are expected to participate in this exciting experience at the 9:30 a.m. production for students and staff. We will also have an evening performance at 6:30 p.m. for parents. Every child has an important part in the program as a

pirate, and is responsible for putting together their own outfit. The costumes can be as simple as a plain t-shirt and dark pants with a sash. Be creative and unique! Pinterest has a lot of ideas for easy pirate costumes. Please do not add swords, knives, or hook props to their costumes. Costumes should be worn to school the day of the show. Robert Land Productions will be exclusively videotaping “Pirates!” at the evening performance. You can order a video by completing the attached form and returning it with your payment to your homeroom teacher or you can order online. See the *attached* form for more information. Please make checks payable to “**Robert Land Productions**”. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at KimberlyPeterson@katyisd.org.

CHALLENGE CHAT

Gifted and Talented Screening 5th Grade screening for secondary GT services is coming to a close. Screening results will be sent home via US Mail by mid-January.

Kindergarten screening is also almost complete. The screening results will be sent home by the end of February.

General Screening for Grades 1 – 4 is underway. The screening results will be mailed home at the latest by June, 2018.

For those who recently moved to the Hayes area, we are screening transfer students. If you moved here recently and are interested in the Challenge program, please contact me. We will work together to find the best educational placement for your child.

For more information about the GT Program in Katy ISD, please check our district webpage: <http://www.katyisd.org/dept/GT/Pages/default.aspx>

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at SarahGClark@katyisd.org

ROCKIN' THE GYM

HOOP SHOOT CONTEST—Congratulations to our 3 Hawks Elijah B., Delilah R. & Ethan W.!! They participated and represented JHE the best way possible this past weekend! Way to go you 3!!

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!!

PTA NEWS

Join us on Thursday, Jan. 25th for our Silent Auction and Open House. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year and your chance to bid on fabulous prizes! We have tickets to sporting events, the Houston Symphony, Kendra Scott jewelry, gift cards for both professional services and kid's activities, and much more! Each class has made a project that parents can bid for. You don't want to miss this fun family event!

Avoid lines and register early for your bidder number. Attached is a *flyer* with more details and how to register for the auction.

MCMEANS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

INVITES YOU TO A PREVIEW OF SIXTH GRADE MMJH CURRICULUM & ELECTIVES NIGHT

WHO: Fifth Grade Students and Parents

WHAT: A program to preview the sixth grade year including:

*Presentation in the cafeteria by Dr. Rice providing an overview of the evening's activities and information about PreAP classes.

*Parents and students will hear presentations regarding Electives, Math, Science, Language Arts, P.E., and PreAP criteria.

*Exhibits for the electives will also be on display.

***Food Trucks will be available from 5-7:30pm!**

WHEN: **Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at 6:00pm- 7:30pm.**

WHERE: McMeans Junior High School Cafeteria

- All families will report to the cafeteria.
- 6:00-6:10- Presentation on Pre AP courses for all families
- 6:15-6:45- Families whose last name begins with L-Z will stay in the cafeteria to hear presentation from core teachers. A-K will head to the boy's gym to tour electives.
- At 6:45 the groups will switch and A-K will hear core teacher presentations in the cafeteria and L-Z will be in the boy's gym to tour electives.

BOBCAT SPIRIT!



Memorial Parkway Junior High Curriculum Night

MPJH is hosting a Curriculum Night for students who will be 6th graders at MPJH in 2018-2019.

When: Tuesday, January 16, 2018

Time: 6:00 pm

Where: MPJH Cafeteria

Why: Information will be provided to parents and students about what to expect in junior high as well as elective choices available.

UPCOMING DATES

January 12: Watch D.O.G.S. Day

Spirit Day-Wear your JHE spirit shirt

January 15: Student Holiday/MLK Birthday

January 18: Donuts w/Dad 7:15-7:45 AM-JHE Café

4th Grade Musical 6:30 PM

January 19: Watch D.O.G.S. Day

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