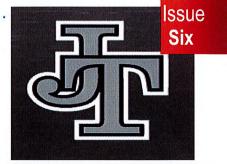
JASPER-TROUPSBURG CSD **NEWSLETTER**

SCHOOL YEAR 2022-23 FEBRUARY 2023





A Monthly Insight into the News Across Our District

Jasper-Troupsburg



Budget Presentations

The 2023-2024 District Budget is currently being developed and will be presented at the following **BOE** meetings:

January 31 February 15 March 8 March 22

April 19—budget adoption May 3—budget hearing May 16—budget vote

FEMA UPDATES

The District has submitted a revised estimate for restoration of the damaged Jasper building, at FEMA's request. This revised estimate will be compared to the estimate to replace the damaged building with a new building. If the cost of repairing the building is more than 50% of the cost of replacing the building, the District would qualify for what FEMA calls "the 50% rule," which would allow for a fully funded replacement building. It will take some time for FEMA to review the estimates.

Community Wellness Corner

February is known as a month for love, kindness, and compassion. This includes caring for yourself. As part of our Wellness initiative, we're sharing these self-care tips from Healing Magazine.

categories of self-care habits

Here are six categories of self-care habits that support a well-functioning life. Take a took and notice what you already do – and what you might add to your self-care routine to bring more health, calm and satisfaction

Care of self

- I get regular exercise, 20 to 60 minutes
- three or four times per week.

 I attend to my body when I am hurt,
- injured or fatigued.

 I get sufficient sleep (six to eight hours
- · I drink enough water (six to eight glasses
- Leat whole foods in moderate portions and avoid sugary, processed and artificially sweetened foods and beverages.
- I have a practice of meditation, prayer or
- simply sitting quietly that calms me.

 I take energizing breaks (walking, stretching, and visiting a friend).

- Feelings

- I am comfortable with my feelings and accept them.
- I do not turn to alcohol or drugs (prescription medications, street drugs and nicotine) to take away uncomfortable emotions.
- I do not turn to overeating to take away
- uncomfortable feelings.

 Trefrain from becoming swept away in mindless activities, including overuse of e-devices for scrolling, texting and gaming.
- I have people in my life to talk to about my feelings who are non-judgmental and willing to listen.
- . I know how to regulate and calm my feelings when they come up without sup pressing them.
- · Lam compassionate with myself when experiencing difficult times

Social support

- I have a support network of friends, neighbors, family members, co-workers, colleagues, helping professionals and others who care about me and cooperate
- · When I am with my support network, I feel
- valued, connected and uplifted · I am in touch with my support network on a regular basis.
- · I am part of social groups
- · I can ask for help when I need it.
- I see health professionals (physician, dentist, massage practitioner, psychotherapist, chiropractor, acupuncturist, etc.) when needed and consider them part of my extended support system

Enjoying life I take time for humor, fun and play

- I have hobbies and interests that I enjoy
- that are not related to my work.
- I take vacations, even just one or two days away from work and routine and

- Nature is part of my life in some way (tending plants, gardening, walking outdoors, and the like).
- I am involved in community service, either formally or informally, which fulfills me and which I genuinely enjoy.

Planning

- I plan my day, week, month and year.
- I make to-do lists and set my priorities.
 I delegate when appropriate.
- I refrain from trying to control others.
- · I am able to be flexible and improvise new options if my plans don't go the way I had hoped.
- I am kind to myself if I don't get all my tasks completed in one day.

Responsibility and curiosity

- · I have skills for dealing with difficult
- people.

 I can set boundaries with people who want to take advantage of me
- I live within my financial means
- I am curious about people.
- · I seek out new ways to live life that are meaningful and satisfying.
- I value my creativity and look at life in a creative way.
- 1 know my stress "triggers" and can recognize these triggers quickly and act to make changes.

By Linda Ciotola/Karen Cornabucci

High School News





With the holidays behind us, the high school is settling back into the routine again. We started the new year with a guest speaker, Cam F. Awesome. Cam is an American amateur boxer best known for winning the US title in 2008, 2010, 2013, and 2014 and the Golden Gloves in 2009, 2011, and 2013. Cam delivered his message An Attitude of Gratitude which focuses on strategic exercises that instill gratitude and transform mindsets.

We had another Activity day on the morning of January 20th which included activities such as Volleyball, Chess, and Jeopardy. This is a great opportunity for the students to show off their talents outside of the classroom.







Additionally, the 20th of January marked the end of the second marking period and the half-way point for the school year. If you didn't get a chance to meet with your child's teacher during Parent-Teacher conference day and still have some concerns, be sure to call the main office to schedule a time to speak with your child's teachers.

Have you ordered your



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New year. New yearbook. Hold on to every memory the school year has to offer, all in one book.

Cost is \$45 plus tax - yearbooks are selling fast! This is your LAST CHANCE to guarantee a copy.

To order, go to: <u>Jostensyearbooks.com</u>

If paying by check, send in your payment (make sure to include the 8% sales tax) along with the order form to Mrs. Aldrich at the high school. Make checks payable to: J-T Yearbook

Thank you for your continued support! J-T Yearbook Staff Message from Mr. McCaffrey – January started out with ten elementary teachers getting additional STEM-SCOPES training. This time was spent learning the online components of the program as well as providing time for the teachers to discuss the vertical alignment of the science curriculum.







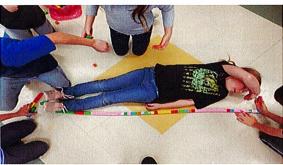
The teachers weren't the only ones hard at work. Students in 3rd grade are working on learning their multiplication facts. Camden V. was the first student to memorize all of his facts up through 12. We also had students in Ms. Meehans and Mrs. Tompkins rooms make polar bears during cooking class. Our first-grade students are learning about measurement in math class, using unifix cubes to see how long they are. The interactive lessons are engaging and students are loving learning.













The circus is coming to town on February 17th! A big shout out to PIE for bringing the Cole All-star Circus to our elementary for two shows the day before our winter break. Be on the look out for more information to follow. This year's winter break will be 2/20-2/24.

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February Calendar of Events

2/15—BOE Meeting @ 6 p.m. in Troupsburg 2/17—Cole All-Star Circus at the Elementary School; shows are at 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. 2/20—NO SCHOOL (President's Day) 2/21-2/24—NO SCHOOL (February Recess)

IMPORTANT SCHOOL PICTURE DATES:

February 16th: Senior Formals & Cap/Gown ~ RETAKES



February 2023



JASPER-TROUPSBURG MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL

27 Ultimate Cheese Breadstick w/Marinara Sauce	20	Chicken & Waffles Chicken BLT Salad W.Bread Choice Sliced Carrots NY Seasoned Roasted Potatoes	6 Bacon Cheeseburger on a Roll Buffalo Ranch Wrap Sliced Carrots Tater Tots	FARM TO SCHOOL
28 Chicken Soft Tacos w/Rice	MI FEBI	Meat Walking Taco WRice WRice Chicken BLT Salad W/Bread Choice Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans	7 Chicken Quesadilla WRICE Buffalo Ranch Wrap Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans	JOIN US FOR NY MENU DAY! See menu below for details
	MID-WINTER RECESS FEBRUARY 20th - 24th	NY MENU DAY! NY Mac & Cheese Bar!! *Original or Choose 1 Topping Dinner Roll Chicken BLT Salad W Bread Choice NY Steamed Green Beans NY Apple Sices NY Apple Sices Chilled NY Milk	Baked Mozzarella Sticks w/Pasta & Sauce Buffalo Ranch Wrap Green Beans	Wednesday BBQ Oven Roasted Chicken w/Breadstick Chicken BLT Salad w/Bread Choice Green Beans
	RECESS	Cheese Pizza Crunchers w/Marinara Sauce Chicken BLT Salad w/Bread Choice Steamed Broccoli Fresh Cucumber Slices!	Chicken Teriyaki WRice WRice Buffalo Ranch Wrap Steamed Broccoli Fresh Pepper Strips!	Thursday Toasted Cheese Sandwich Buffalo Ranch Melt Chicken BLT Salad W.Bread Choice Hot Tomato Soup Steamed Broccoli Fresh Cucumber Slices!
	24	Cheeseburger on a Roll Crispy Fish Filet Sandwich Chicken BuT Salad WBread Choice Fresh Baby Carrots Oven Fries	Authentic Pulled Pork Sandwich Crispy Fish Filet Sandwich Buffalo Ranch Wrap Sliced Carrots	Pizza Dunkers w/Marinara Pizza Dunkers w/Marinara Sauce Crispy Fish Filet Sandwich Chicken BLI Salad w/Bread Choice Fresh Baby Carrots

Contact the Food Service Office if you have any questions, comments or concerns. We can be reached by phone at (607) 792-3675 or go to the School District Website Food Service Page & click on the Contact Us Button to fill in and submit your

Buffalo Ranch Wrap Sliced Carrots

Buffalo Ranch Wrap Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans

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DAILY ENTREES

PBJ Sandwich
Chef Salad w/Bread Choice
Ny Yogurt & Fruit Parfait
w/Bread Choice
Assorted Wraps & Sandwiches
Assorted Pizza
Mon/Wed: Baked Crispy
Chicken Sandwich

DAILY SIDES

Tossed Salad Fresh Vegetables Assorted Fruit 100% Fruit Juice Chilled NY Milk

PRICING

Milk/Ala Carte Sides: \$0.00
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Snacks: \$0.50-\$1.30
NOTE: Every J-T student
receives 1 breakfast & 1 lunch
at no charge per school day.
Each breakfast & Lunch must
be a COMPLETE REIMBURSABLE
MEAL, or student will be
charged ala for each item on

BREAKFAST MENU

Monday: Cinnamon Roll
Tuesday: Breakfast on a Stick
Wednesday: Breakfast Pizza
Thursday: Mini Waffles
Friday: Breakfast on a Stick
Daily Items: Breakfast
Sandwich, Muffin Tops, Bagel,
Cereal, Oatmeal Bars,
Smoothies (T/TH), Asst. Fruit,
100% Fruit Juice & Chilled NY
Milk

This menu is subject to change with out advance

February 2023



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL JASPER-TROUPSBURG

27 Ultimate Cheese Breadstick w/Marinara Sauce Turkey & Cheese Sandwich			20	Chicken & Waffles Ham & Cheese Sandwich Sliced Carrots NY Seasoned Roasted Potatoes	French Toast Sticks & Sausage Egg Salad Sandwich Sliced Carrots Tater Tots	Monday FARM TOSCHOOL
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			24	Cheeseburger on a Roll Ham & Cheese Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots Oven Fries	Cheese Pizza Pepperoni Pizza Egg Salad Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots	Friday Pizza Dunkers w/Marinara 3 Pizza Dunkers w/Marinara Sauce Tuna Salad Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots

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DAILY ENTREES

Mon: Cheeseburger on a Roll **Assorted Sandwiches** NY Yogurt & Cheese Stick Chef Salad w/Bagel T/Th: Cheese Pizza PBJ Sandwich

DAILY SIDES

Tossed Salad

W/F: Chicken Nuggets w/Bread

Chilled NY Milk Fresh Vegetables Assorted Fruit 100% Fruit Juice

PRICING

REIMBURSABLE MEAL, or Lunch must be a COMPLETE school day. Each breakfast & lunch at no charge per for each item on their tray. student will be charged ala **NOTE: Every J-T student** Snacks: \$0.50-\$1.30 Milk/Ala Carte Sides: \$0.75 Breakfast & Lunch: \$0.00 receives 1 breakfast & 1

BREAKFAST MENU

Monday: Cereal & Oatmeal

Friday: Muffin Top & Goldfish Thursday: Breakfast on a Stick Wednesday: Mini Waffles Tuesday: Cinnamon Roll

Daily Items: Asst. Fruit, 100%

Graham

School Breakfast

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