JASPER-TROUPSBURG CSD NEWSLETTER

SCHOOL YEAR 2022-23 OCTOBER 2022

ELEMENTARY NEWS

September has flown by here at Jasper-Troupsburg Elementary. Each day our classrooms are filled with learning and enthusiasm. We have completed our iReady fall benchmark assessment for K-6 grade as well as our Aims-Web testing in grades K-2. These benchmark tests help us to place students more effectively into our Walk to Intervention groups.

Our school has welcomed my two therapy dogs who will be joining us a couple of days a week throughout the year. Pepper and Boone, both black labs, have gone through the Canine Good Citizen and the Advanced Canine Good Citizen programs and have been Board approved to be therapy dogs at Jasper-Troupsburg Elementary. They enjoy visiting classrooms and greeting every child as they walk through the doors each morning.

Upcoming:

October 1^{st} – J-T Elementary, as part of Leader in Me, will be participating in our first "Day of Giving" for the year where we will be picking up trash around Troupsburg.

October 1st – The Parents in Education group will be hosting a "Fall Fest" from noon until 3:00.

October 5th – Elementary Picture Day – Smile Pretty

October 7th – "Emergency Go Home Drill" our students will be released 15 minutes early. (2:45)

October 7th – Be on the lookout for five-week report cards coming home.

October 10th – Columbus Day – No school

October 12th – B.O.E Meeting

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

With September under their belts, the students at the high school have settled right into the daily routine. The ELA and Math iReady assessments for 7th & 8th grade students were given during the weeks of September 19th and 26th. We look forward to seeing the baseline results for the students.

The week of October 4th we started running our BASIC list. This program is to help keep students on tract for their academic success, while also another means of communicating with parents.

The Student Council kicked-off Homecoming Weekend with a Pep Assembly on Thursday, September 22^{nd} during an Activity Period. It was really great having all the high school students together supporting the student athletes.

We had some annual field trips this month which the students always look forward to. The 11th graders went to Letchworth State Park on Friday September 23rd and the 9th graders went to Watkins Glen State Park on Friday September 30th.

Progress reports will be coming home the week of October 4th so be looking for those from your students. Also, we will have the annual "Go home early" drill on Friday October 7th with dismissal time at 2:45pm and don't forget there is no school on Monday October 10th for Columbus Day.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL PICTURE DATES TO REMEMBER:

October 5th - Fall Picture Day for all J-T Students & Staff

Parents can preorder online at https://inter-state.com/order and use the following Order Codes:

HIGH SCHOOL:

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

71225FF

November 30th – Fall Picture Retake Day

November 30th – Elementary School Club/Group Pictures

January 11th – High School Club/Group Pictures

January 11th – Senior Cap/Gown & Formal Pictures



J-T Yearbook - Krispy Kreme Doughnut Fundraiser

All students in grades K-12 will have the opportunity to earn a **FREE** yearbook or **50%** off one yearbook depending on how many boxes sold. The pre-sale dates are October 3^{rd} - October 31^{st} with all order forms and money due no later than November 1^{st} . Doughnuts will be delivered on November 11^{th} with pick-up times between 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm at the high school (Greenwood Campus). Please watch for packets to come home with your child.

Any questions, please contact Amy Aldrich or Alexis Devine at the high school.

2022-2023 J-T Yearbooks are now on sale! <u>Reserve your copy today.</u>

New year. New yearbook. Hold on to every memory the school year has to offer, all in one book. Cost is \$45 plus tax

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 support! J-T Yearbook Staff



OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY NEWSCETTER

WELCOME TO OT!

HOW CAN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (OT) HELP MY CHILD?

- Occupational Therapy Practitioners are highly trained healthcare professionals
 that evaluate and assist children that are having difficulty participating in meaningful
 activities or "occupations" that are needed to conduct their daily routines and live their
 life to the fullest.
- For a child this may include the development of life skills such as learning at school, playing, completing self-care tasks, relating to others, and fulfilling their role as a family member.
- In the schools, Occupational Therapy Practitioners address the needs of students
 experiencing delays, disabilities, or health challenges through therapeutic intervention
 to promote skill advancement, the use of compensatory strategies, adaptations to the
 child's equipment and environment, and/or modifying the curriculum or activity.
- Occupational Therapy Practitioners also collaborate with teachers, parents and others
 to identify and modify barriers that restrict a child's success and model
 strategies for others to use that will extend the benefits of direct intervention.

WHY WOULD MY CHILD BE REFERRED TO OT?

- <u>Fine Motor Difficulties</u>: Holding crayons, pencils and other small objects, stringing beads, using clothing fasteners, manipulating toys.
- Eye-hand Coordination Difficulties: Scissor use, puzzles, ball skills.
- Visual Motor Delays: Printing, drawing, forming shapes, coloring.
- Visual Perceptual Delays: Sorting, matching, figure ground, scanning, letter reversals.
- <u>Self-Care Delays</u>: Dressing, feeding, using utensils, tying, bathing & shampooing, grooming.
- Sensory Processing Difficulties: Delays in adaptive responses to sights, sounds, movement, taste, touch.
- <u>Decreased Strength</u>: Manipulating resistive materials, moving against gravity, sustaining body positions.
- <u>Decreased Range of Motion</u>: Limits in moving arms, fingers, legs, head, or other body parts.
- Social Difficulties: Interacting with others, following routines.

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CAFETERIA NEWS

While the temperatures cool and the leaves begin to fall, the cafeteria crew at the elementary and high school are cooking up delicious meals! We're thrilled to be able to offer many favorite items once again and hope that supply chain issues will not be as much of a challenge this year as they were last.

We'd like to remind families that <u>ALL</u> JT students are eligible for free breakfast AND lunch. Students in the high school are encouraged to stop by the cafeteria to see what's available - there are always breakfast sandwiches and we also offer breakfast pizza, cinnamon rolls, mini waffles, smoothies, and more on a regular basis. We'll also be trying out some different items at lunch and continuing our support for NY farms and agricultural businesses by having a NY Menu Day each month so be sure to check out our menus!

We look forward to seeing - and feeding! - as many JT students as possible.



The School Physician will be available at the Jr/Sr High School to complete student physicals the morning of October 17th. If your child needs a physical, and you would like it to be completed by the School Physician, please contact Mrs. Leach by October 13th.

It's that time of year again! JT FFA's annual fruit, cheese, and sausage sales start October 7th and end November 7th. Please see an FFA member, or contact Geoff Havens or Mikalene Bullock at the high school, (607) 792-3690, to place an order. Orders will be delivered before Christmas break. We thank you for all of your continued support!





ELEMENTARY SCHOOL JASPER-TROUPSBURG



Friday Pizza Dunkers w/Marinara Sauce w/Bread Tuna Salad Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots	Cheese Pizza Pepperoni Pizza Egg Salad Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots ch & breakfast a try!	Ultimate Cheese Breadstick w/Marinara Sauce Ham & Cheese Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots	Cheese Pizza Pepperoni Pizza Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Fresh Baby Carrots	Lheir support unching into asy @ 2 pm.
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Wednesday 5 Cheese Ravioli & Marinara Sauce W.Bread Tuna Salad Sandwich Green Beans	12 Baked Mozzarella Sticks W/Pasta & Sauce Egg Salad Sandwich Green Beans nal School Lunch Week with us!	NY MENU DAY! NY Macaroni & Cheese Made with Great Lakes Cheddari & Bread Fresh NY Kale & Apple Salad Fresh NY Seedless Grapes! NY Apple Cider! Chilled NY Milk	26 Pasta w/Meatsauce & Cheese Pasta w/Marinara Sauce & Cheese Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Green Beans	JOIN US FOR NY MENU DAY! See menu above for details
Tuesday Meat Taco W/Rice Tuna Salad Sandwich Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans	Chicken Quesadilla w/Rice Egg Salad Sandwich Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans Come celebrate Natio	18 Meat Nacho Grande W/Rice Ham & Cheese Sandwich Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans	25 Chicken Soft Taco w/Rice Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Golden Sweet Corn Baked Beans	This menu is subject to change with out advance notice. Make Online Payments at PayForlt.net!
Monday 3 Crispy Chicken Tender Sub Tuna Salad Sandwich Sliced Carrots	10 Calumbul	17 Chicken & Waffles Sheese Sandwich Sliced Carrots NY Seasoned Roasted Potatoes	24 Mini Waffles w/Sausage Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Sliced Carrots	31 Crispy Chicken Tender Sub Tuna Salad Sandwich Sliced Carrots

DAILY ENTREES

NY Yogurt & Cheese Stick Chef Salad w/Bagel PBJ Sandwich w/Bagel

W/F: Chicken Nuggets w/Bread T/Th: Cheese Pizza

DAILY SIDES

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

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

BREAKFAST MENU

Thursday: Breakfast on a Stick Friday: Muffin Top & Goldfish Daily Items: Asst. Fruit, 100% Monday: Cereal & Oatmeal Wednesday: Mini Waffles Tuesday: Cinnamon Roll

School

Breakfast

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FOR FAMILIES

2014 US

6PM-8PM

ONLINE VIA ZOOM

5 SESSIONS HELD ON TUESDAY'S

OCTOBER 25

NOVEMBER 1

NOVEMBER 15

NOVEMBER 29

DECEMBER 6

COME LEARN WITH US

Now more than ever before, parenting is difficult. Many parents struggle with feeling that they could be doing more to support their children. Join us for an evidence based training that will help parents, and those working with parents, to promote positive social and emotional development and address challenging behaviors in young children(birth through early elementary age).









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