



# HAWKINS HUSKIES



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May 21, 2012

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## Dates to Remember:

- May 22 - 8th Gr. Ports Day Field Trip
- May 23 - 8th Gr. Great America
- May 23 - 6th Gr. Olympics
- May 23 - 7th Gr. Medieval Assembly
- May 23 - Free High School Sports Physicals at West High
- May 24 - Promotion Practice Begins
- May 24 - 8th Gr. Honor's Night
- May 25 - 6-8th Gr. Positive Behavior Event
- May 28 - No School
- May 29 - 8th Gr. Ice Cream Social
- May 30 - Spring Concert
- May 30 - 8th Gr. BBQ
- May 30 - 3rd Trimester Awards Assembly
- May 31 - Last Day of School
- May 31 - Spring Sing
- May 31 - Minimum Day
- May 31 - 8th Grade Promotion & Dance



## Principal's Corner...

Dear Hawkins Families,

We had a fantastic time last Thursday and Friday watching over 60 acts of amazing talent from our students! The crowd was amazed by singers, dancers, comedians, instrumentals and much more. We are privileged to have such amazing talent at Hawkins! There is a lot of work that goes into a production such as this. A huge thank you to Mr. Ballard and his team of 8<sup>th</sup> grade stage managers that helped make the show run so smoothly! Mrs. Devlin and Mrs. Lange also helped build the K-3 talent during auditions. Thank you!

This week brings us many 8<sup>th</sup> grade events, please look below for that full schedule of events. Just this week alone they are off to see the Ports play in Stockton, visit Great America and we have Honors Night on Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the Gym. This is a great night for us to honor our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students who have earned awards in the academic areas. On Friday all of our 6-8 grade students who did not receive any detentions, referrals or suspensions during the 3<sup>rd</sup> trimester will be participating in the PAWS Positive Behavior event. We are excited to honor the students for their great behavior this trimester!

A big congratulations to our new Student Council members and officers: our President is Kamryn Lucero, Vice President is Karina Rodriguez, Secretary is Ellie Shreppel and Treasurer is Darren Saadat. I really look forward to working with these students as we build more leadership opportunities for our student body. Already this year our Student Council helped choose how to update the look of the library in the upper grade section. They will get to see how their design turns out next year.

We are winding down to our last 2 weeks of school and with so much to do in that time. Please make sure you are reading our newsletter as it will be packed with acknowledgements and detailed information of our upcoming planned events. I wish everyone a great week and enjoy the Memorial Day Weekend!

Best Regards,  
 Stephanie Gregson  
 Principal

## 8th Grade News!



- Ports Game Field Trip: Tuesday, May 22nd  
 Students leave at 9:30

- Honor's Night: Thursday, May 24th  
 Time: 6:30pm Location: Gym



- Great America Field Trip:  
 Wednesday, May 23rd  
 Students meet at the Ace Train @ 8:00am



- Ice Cream Social: Tuesday, May 29th  
 Time: 2:05pm Location: Gym

- BBQ: Wednesday, May 30th  
 Time: 11:00am Location: Yasui Park



- Free Sports Physicals for the 2012-13 season will be held at the West High main gym on Wednesday, May 23, 2012 at 5:00 p.m. This is for all three high schools.



- Promotion: Thursday, May 31st  
 Time: 6:15pm Location: Hawkins' Courtyard  
 Dance begins at 7:30pm



Brady Guadalupe  
Vanessa Lang  
Alejandro De La Torre  
Adrian Tavares  
Gurnoor Sidhu

Marissa Dixon  
Amber Musskopf  
Jacob Saint  
Scott Tran  
Lacey Harnish  
Jaydee Herrera  
Japri Jamison  
Garrett Whitlock

A HUGE **THANK YOU** to Mr. Ballard, Mrs. Devlin, Mrs. Lange and our 8th grade stage managers who helped make this year's Talent Show **AMAZING!** It's great to see how much talent our students have and how supportive our student body is of each other. Please look on page 4 for some photos from the Talent Show.



**NO SCHOOL  
MONDAY,  
MAY 28th!**

## Spring Pictures



**PLEASE return Spring Pictures or payments AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!**

# LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! & Minimum Day Thursday, May 31st



**The School Year for  
2012-2013 begins:  
Monday,  
August 13th!**

## CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to the following students who will our Student Council Officers for 2012/2013!  
President - Kamryn Lucero  
Vice President - Karina Rodriguez  
Secretary - Ellie Schreppel  
Treasurer - Darren Saadat



### Attention 7th grade parents:



We would like your help on chaperoning our 8th grade dance on May 31st. We need 6 chaperones. Some will be helping with food, while others help monitor the dance. This is a great way to learn about the 8th grade dance for your students next year.

Please contact Mrs. Gregson [sgregson@sjcoe.net](mailto:sgregson@sjcoe.net) or 839-2380 by Friday, May 11th if you are interested and for more details. Thank you so much, we really appreciate your help.

### Summer Basketball Clinic

June 11-15

Basketball Camp for Incoming 4th-9th grade boys and girls.

Participants will practice on Basketball Skills: Individual & Team Offense, Individual & Team Defense, Shooting & Ball Handling Competitive games and drills.

Tshirts, basketballs and other prizes will be given to all participants.

Location: Tracy High School

Registration forms are available in the Hawkins School office or online at <http://tracyhighsports.com/>

For more information, contact Derek Solono at 830-3360 ext. 2284 or [dsolano@tusd.net](mailto:dsolano@tusd.net)

# PAW PRINT AWARDS!

**Fantastic First Grader**  
Aniah Raya

**Excellent Effort**  
Ameer Zeitoun

**Kind Kindergartener**  
Wyatt Drago

**Star Student**  
Zain Akawi

**Math Magician**  
Rashed Qadoura



## Zooland in Room 5

Mrs. Lange's 2nd grade class would like to invite you to see their new improved Zooland on @Wednesday, May 23rd from 12:10-12:35pm. Also stay and view their Animal Power Point Projects in the Computer Lab fro 12:35-1:00pm.

**6th Grade Olympics**  
**Wednesday,**  
**May 23rd!**



# Immunizations Required!

The Dtap Immunization is required for **ALL** incoming 7th graders **BEFORE** beginning the 2012/2013 school year. Students **WIL NOT** be placed in a class if proof of Dtap is not on file.

## REGISTRATION FOR 2012-2013

Kindergarten-8th grade registration packets for the 2012/2013 school year are available in our school office!

The California Kindergarten Readiness Act of 2010 changed the law for kindergarten entry date from December 2nd to November 1st. Children must be 5 years old by November 1, 2012 to enter traditional kindergarten.

Parents of students who turn 5 between November 2nd and December 2, 2012, may choose to register their children for Transitional Kindergarten. Our Transitional Kindergarten program is contingent on State funding which is uncertain at this time. We will notify families when the state make a decision.

The following information is needed before a packet will be accepted:

- Proof of Residency
- Birth Certificate
- Immunization Records
- Parent's CA Driver License



### Jefferson School District

Is now Accepting Applications for Measure J School Bond Citizens Oversight Committee

The District is seeking members from the following categories:

- Representative from a Business organization
- Representative from a Senior Citizen Organization
- Parent with Child(ren) Currently Enrolled in District
- Representative from a Taxpayer Organization
- Parent Representative from a District Support Organization
- Representative from Agricultural/Farming Industry
- At-Large Member of the Public

The Committee will meet at least quarterly and is responsible for overseeing Measure J bond projects and funds.

Applications are available at:

Jefferson School District  
1219 Whispering Wind  
Tracy, CA 95377

And [www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com](http://www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com)

Call Superintendent's Office at 209-836-3388 for more information.

All applications must be received by June 1, 2012 by 4:00 pm.



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# Lunch Menu



Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chicken Bagel Dog <b>22</b> Chicken Pattie Sandwich Italian Roast Beef Sandwich	Classic Hamburger <b>23</b> Fish Sticks Chicken Nuggets <b>30</b> Turkey Pep Pizza Bagel	Chicken Alfredo <b>24</b> Mini Beef Sliders Turkey Frank on a Bun <b>31</b>	Dominos Cheese Pizza <b>25</b> Chicken Bagel Dog Italian Roast Beef Sandwich All Lunches served with Fruit, Vegetable & Cookie



## HAWKINS GOT TALENT!

