

# Monticello News

January 21, 2019

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#### **Happy Friday Monticello families!!**

Progress reports were sent home today. I hope you will be spending your weekend celebrating the success and growth of our amazing students. If for some reason you did not receive your child's progress report, please let your teacher know ASAP.

We continue to focus on the importance of student attendance. Arriving to school on time, and being present each and every day, is of the utmost importance. If your child is absent or late to school for any reason, please be sure to call the school office at 209-833-9300 as soon as possible. If you email your child's teacher you are still required to call the office to make sure the absence is cleared. Failure to report your child's absence to the office will result in the absence being unexcused, and may result in a truancy. Please DO NOT use the old

<u>Monticello\_Attendance@sjcoe.net</u> email to report any absences, as it has not been valid since 2016.

If you have any questions please call the office to discuss at 209-833-9300.

Mrs. Stroup

# UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### January 21st

NO SCHOOL – Marin Luther King, Jr. Day Observed

#### January 22<sup>nd</sup>

Ms. Jaques' class to Pioneer School

#### January 23rd

Mrs. Hopson's class to Pioneer School

#### January 24th

Ms. Mihov's Class to Pioneer School

#### January 25th

"Sports Day"

#### January 30th

Mrs. Freitas' class to Pioneer School

#### January 31st

Jaguar Den (TK, 1st & 2nd)

#### February 1st

Jaguar Day (K, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)



#### Jefferson School District

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

The District is seeking members from the following categories:

- Parent with Child(ren) Currently Enrolled in District
- Representative Active in a Senior Citizen's Organization
- Representative from Agricultural/Farming Industry
- Representative from Business Organization

The Committee will meet at least annually 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

Call the Superintendent's Office at 209-836-3388 for more information.
All applications must be received by January 31, 2019 by 4:00 p.m.

### **MJPFA NEWS**

Join us! Our next meeting is 1/23 at 3:30pm at Jefferson School. We will be discussing the upcoming spring dance, 2019 – 2020 spirit wear and much more!

Our final Box Tops drive is underway! Send in Box Tops on collection sheets or in plastic baggies by February 22nd

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Pioneer School

1/22 Mrs. Jaques' Class

1/23 Mrs. Hopson's Class

1/24 Ms. Mihov's Class

1/30 Mrs. Freitas' Class



#### **JANUARY 25TH**

#### **SPORTS DAY**

Show your school spirit and dress us in your favorite sports apparel





## TB SCREENING JANUARY 30TH

If your TB is due, please see
Nurse Tina at the District
Office Student Services
Building between 3:00pm –
4:00pm to complete your Risk
Assessment Questionnaire



Monticello Jaguar families, follow our Instagram page for all of our school updates!

@monticelloelementaryschool





Jefferson School District is
looking for Substitute
Instructional Aides,
Paraprofessionals, Principals
Secretary and Custodians. If you are interested in applying, please contact the Human Resources
Department at 209-836-3388



#### MONTICELLO PARENTS & STUDENTS,

We will have our Lunch Club Game Day in Room 15 with Miss Lani during lunch recess for 1st and 3rd graders on Thursday, January 24th, and for 2nd and 4th graders on Friday, January 31st.

Students are welcome to come with friends and play some games on their grade level days!

If we still have a large number of students attend, we will look at breaking it down to one grade at a time.

Miss Lani Martin, M.A., CCC-SLP

Speech-Language Pathologist

# Mark your calendars for our Scholastic Book Fair March 4<sup>th</sup> – March 8<sup>th</sup> We will be open daily from 8:30am – 3:30 pm.

We would like to invite you to some special events throughout the week!

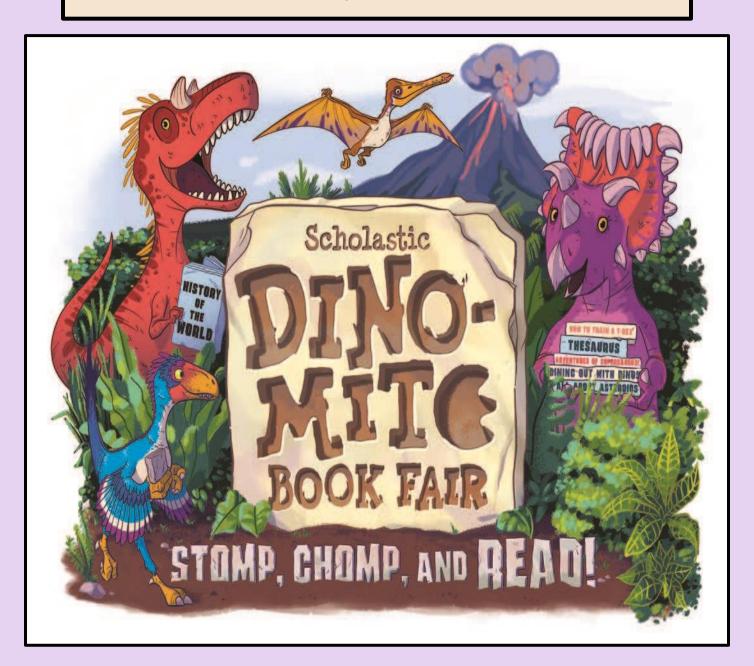
Minimum Monday First Look!

Beat the crowd and join us on the first day of book fair Open till 3:30pm

Thursday is Stomp, Chomp and Read Family Night!

Open LATE until 7:30pm

Join us in raising finds to support our school library We will see you at the book fair.



### Millennium Falcons Cheerleading Camp 2019



Ages 4-12 years

February 4, 2019- February 6, 2019 4:30-6:00 at Tracy Learning Center 51 E. Beverly Place, CA Performance February 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30



Learn jumps, kicks, cheers, chants and a half time routine.

All <u>participants</u> enter the game at no costs and will receive a t shirt and hair bow.

Cost is \$45 per participant limited number of spots available Please make checks payable to MHS Cheer. Credit Cards accepted with \$2.00 fee NO REFUNDS

I understand that accidents may happen and injuries may occur. I will not hold Tracy Learning Center, Millennium High School or affillates responsible.

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# PBIS Jaguar Den Schedule for 2018 – 2019

(Store will be open during lunch hours only-All items will be delivered to your classroom same day)

## Kindergarten, First, and Second Grades

November 1<sup>st</sup>
November 29<sup>th</sup>
December 13<sup>th</sup>
January 10<sup>th</sup>
January 31<sup>st</sup>
February 21<sup>st</sup>
March 14<sup>th</sup>
April 4<sup>th</sup>
May 2<sup>nd</sup>

### **Third and Fourth Grades**

November 2<sup>nd</sup>
November 30<sup>th</sup>
December 14<sup>th</sup>
January 11<sup>th</sup>
February 1<sup>st</sup>
February 22<sup>nd</sup>
March 15<sup>th</sup>
April 5<sup>th</sup>
May 3<sup>rd</sup>



#### JEFFERSON SCHOOL DISTRICT DRESS CODE GUIDELINES



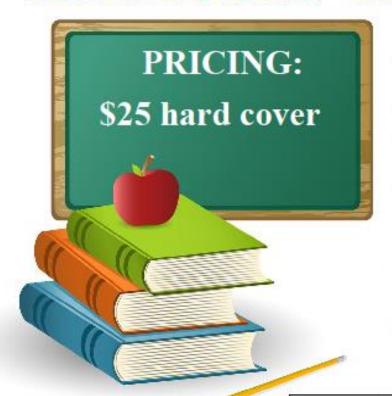
#### **Student Recognition Awards**

Students in grades TK ~ 3<sup>rd</sup> are recognized each trimester for <u>A</u>cademic, <u>C</u>itizenship and <u>E</u>ffort. Students in 4<sup>th</sup> grade are recognized for <u>A</u>cademics, <u>C</u>itizenship, <u>E</u>ffort and outstanding academic achievement. Principal's Honor Roll is published each trimester, and awarded to students receiving a GPA of 3.75 or better and no current grades below an A-. Honor Roll is also published each trimester, and awarded to those students achieving a GPA of 3.0 or better and no current grades below a C.

All students are recognized for Perfect Attendance each Trimester. This award is achieved by being present in school every day and having no tardies, illness', Independent Study or leaving early for any reason which concludes they have to be in school every minute of every day.

## **Monticello Elementary**

# YEARBOOKS ON SALE!!



#### All books include:

- \*68 full color pages that vibrantly capture school memories.
- \*Durable, sturdy hard cover to preserve your keepsake.
- \*Original cover design that reflects the uniqueness of our school.
- \*Extra options available to enhance your child's book!

# MUST ORDER ONLINE!!!

Go to website

Enter code

Select book & pay

IT'S THAT EASY!!!

VISIT:

ybpay.lifetouch.com

Enter code: 10117519

For questions about ordering books please

contact school office at 209-833-9300

Online ordering ends March 22

# If a student misses 2 days of school per month, they are missing over 10% of their school year!

The importance of daily school attendance must start at home, stressing the value of a consistent educational experience. It is vital for the Jefferson School District to build on this value, maintaining an essential partnership between school and home, to ensure punctual daily school attendance is a priority. Absent work completed at home is not a sufficient substitute for the quality instructions received while present in class.

Should your child need to be absent, California Education Code allows <u>EXCUSED</u> absences for the following reasons:

- Illness
- Medical/Dental Appointment
- Quarantine
- Funeral of Family Member
- To spend time with student's immediate family member who is an active duty member of the uniformed services.
- Participation in religious exercise

#### Please call the school at 209-833-9300 if your child is absent for ANY REASON.

The parent/guardian of the student must phone or send a note to clear any of these excused absences. The answering machine is activated after school hours for your convenience, and is checked at the start of the next school day. Failure to excuse your students' absence will result in a recorded truancy on the student's permanent record.

Being absent for any of the following reasons will result in an <u>UNEXCUSED</u> absence:

- Personal Days
- Going shopping
- Visiting Relatives
- Student's Birthday
- Oversleeping
- · Childcare by the student at home

- Car Trouble
- Vacation
- Family moving from one home to another
- Cutting school

Education Code 4820: Students shall be classified as truant if absent from school without a valid excuse three full days in one school year, or tardy or absent for more than any 30-minute period during the school day without a valid excuse on three occasions in one school year, or any combination thereof. Such students shall be reported to the Superintendent or designee. (Education Code 48260)