



Monticello News



December 16,
2019

MONTICELLO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
1001 Cambridge Place
Tracy, CA 95377
209-833-9300
FAX: 209-833-9317

Emily Stroup, Principal
Peggi Johnson, Secretary
Leslie Douglas, Clerk
jeffersonschooldistrict.com

Principal's Message...

Wow! The student performances on both nights of our winter program were absolutely stellar!! We had a packed house, with standing room only, each night. I want to extend a huge **THANK YOU** to all of our teachers, as well as our music teacher, MR. Huber. Their hard work and dedication is the reason our program is so successful. Parents, **THANK YOU** for your amazing support. Our dedicated Monticello families are what make this event so memorable!

Don't forget to send you kiddos to school in their pajamas on Friday, as it is without a doubt their (my) favorite spirit day! What better way to head into a cozy break than in cozy jammies?

Due to class events throughout the week, there will be an increase in traffic. I ask that you be patient and understanding during pick up and drop off.

I wish you all a beautiful holiday season! Enjoy this time with family and friends, and I will see you all in the New Year.



Mrs. Stroup

Upcoming Dates

December 20

PJ Dress Up Day

December 23- January 3

Winter Break

January 14

JSD Board Meeting @ 6:30

January 17

Progress Reports go home

January 20

Martin Luther King Jr. Day –
no school

January 31

Sports Dress-up Day



MONTICELLO DECEMBER



2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Bean and Cheese Burrito Chicken Smackers w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	3 Hamburger Cheese Bread Sticks w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	4 Chicken Salad Flat Bread Pizza Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Choices from the Salad Bar	5 Chicken Taquito Taco Nada Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Choices from the Salad Bar	6 NEW Personal Cheese Pizza Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar
9 Bean and Cheese Burrito Chicken Smackers w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	10 Chicken Taquito Cheese Bread Sticks w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Sugar Cookie Milk & Salad Bar Choices	11 NEW Chicken Nuggets Flat Bread Pizza Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	12 NEW Hot Dog on a Bun Taco Nada Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Sugar Cookie Milk & Salad Bar Choices	13 NEW Personal Cheese Pizza Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar
16 Bean and Cheese Burrito Chicken Smackers w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	17 Mini Cheeseburgers Cheese Bread Sticks w/Goldfish Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Sugar Cookie Milk & Salad Bar Choices	18 NEW Mini Corn Dogs Flat Bread Pizza Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar	19 NEW Chicken Teriyaki & Rice Taco Nada Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Sugar Cookie Milk & Salad Bar Choices	20 NEW Personal Cheese Pizza Turkey & Cheese Sandwich Sun butter and Jelly Sandwich Milk Choices from the Salad Bar
23 	Have a great winter break! 		26 	27
	31 COST OF LUNCH IS \$3.00 REDUCED MEALS .40 You can purchase a carton milk for .75		FIRST DAY BACK IS 1-6-20.	

The USDA and CDE are equal opportunity providers and employers. Web site: Jeffersonschooldistrict.com
Visit mymealtime.com to make pre-payments on your child's account or apply for free and reduced meals.



ATTENTION PARENTS:

In the attempt to minimize classroom interruptions, please email your child's teacher when dropping off forgotten items (lunch, homework, water bottle, etc.). Once the teacher reads the email, the teachers will send your child to the office during a break to pick up the forgotten item.










Please note that the instructional day does not allow much time for teachers to read their emails, so please do your best to send items with students in the morning before instruction begins because delivery is not guaranteed.

-Thank you for your cooperation and understanding!



ILLNESS AND SCHOOL MEMO

I NEED TO STAY HOME IF						
I HAVE A FEVER	I AM VOMITING	I HAVE DIARRHEA	I HAVE A RASH	I HAVE HEAD LICE	I HAVE AN EYE INFECTION	I HAVE BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL
						
Oral temperature of 100°F or higher.	Within the past 24 hours.	Within the past 24 hours.	Body rash with itching or fever.	Itchy head, active head lice.	Redness, itching and/or "crusty" drainage from eye.	Hospital stay and/or ER visit.

I AM READY TO GO BACK TO SCHOOL WHEN I AM...						
Fever free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medication (i.e. Tylenol, Motrin).	Free from vomiting for at least 2 solid meals.	Free from diarrhea for at least 24 hours.	*Free from rash, itching, or fever. Evaluated by my doctor and have note to return to school.*	Treated with appropriate lice treatment at home and proof is provided to nurse.	*Evaluated by my doctor and have note to return to school.*	*Released by my medical provider to return to school.*

*To return to school, a doctor's note must be provided to the school nurse stating the date of return.

STEPS TO REDUCE ILLNESS						
Drink plenty of water, eat a healthy variety of foods, and get at least 8 hours of sleep every night.	Get a flu shot.	Wash hands frequently using soap and water for at least 20 seconds.	Cover coughs and sneezes with tissues or by coughing into the elbow.	Keep children at home if they are sick. Separate sick family members from others.	Ensure parent emergency contact information is correct.	Call your doctor for: high fever, prolonged illness, respiratory problems, or other severe symptoms.

KIDZ LOVE Z SOCCER



SIGN UP NOW FOR
WINTER SOCCER FUN!





Day	Class	Age	Time	Code	Location
Tuesdays 2/4-3/10	Mommy/Daddy & Me	2-3 ^{1/2}	9:00-9:30am	18206	Cecilian Park
	Tot/Pre Soccer	3 ^{1/2} -4	9:40-10:15am	18212	
	Mommy/Daddy & Me	2-3 ^{1/2}	3:00-3:30pm	18207	
	Soccer 2	7-10	3:45-4:30pm	18222	
Wednesdays 2/5-3/11	Soccer 1	5-6	4:30-5:15pm	18218	Cecilian Park
	Tot/Pre Soccer	3 ^{1/2} -4	5:15-5:50pm	18214	
	Tot/Pre Soccer	3 ^{1/2} -4	3:10-3:45pm	18216	
	Soccer 1	5-6	3:45-4:30pm	18220	
	Soccer 2	7-10	4:30-5:15pm	18224	Park
	Mommy/Daddy & Me	2-3 ^{1/2}	5:20-5:50pm	18210	


6 Meetings Resident Fee: \$94 / Non-Res. Fee: \$103

For more information please call (209) 831-6202. Register online at: www.tracyartsandrec.com or in person at: City Hall - Parks & Recreation 333 Civic Center Plaza Tracy, CA 95376

Class Status Hotline: 1-888-372-5803

Shin guards are required for all classes except Mommy/Daddy & Me

Follow Kidz Love Soccer on:  

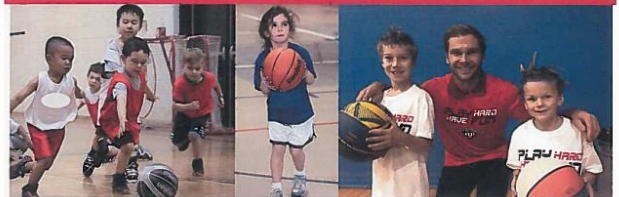
 Jersey included. Limitations apply. See our website FAQ for details.



www.kidzlovesoccer.com

Presented by North American Youth Activities, CA (on-going: 3241559)

SATURDAY BASKETBALL CLASSES KIDS LOVE



Little Shots - Jr. Academy Hoops

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| | February 1 - March 21 (Sat) | Veterans Park |
| session 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Ages 2 - 3 years 9am-9:45am Code: 18877 | <input type="checkbox"/> Ages 3 - 4 years 10am-10:45am Code: 18879 |
| | March 28 - May 23 (Sat) | Veterans Park |
| session 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Ages 2 - 3 years 9am-9:45am Code: 18878 | <input type="checkbox"/> Ages 3 - 4 years 10am-10:45am Code: 18880 |

"My kids always have a blast! They come home happy and tired each day."
Cecelia, mom, Livermore



In conjunction with the City of Tracy, the National Academy of Athletics provides extraordinary sports programs! If your child likes sports or wants to try sports for the first time, they will love these camps! The experienced, positive and passionate coaches teach them the fundamentals while helping them to become a better, more inspired athlete. Please visit the web site for details.
Visit www.SportsCampsFun.com



Registration Options
Participant.....\$93
Participant - Resident.....\$85

online at www.tracyartsandrec.com
In person at the City Hall
located at 333 Civic Center Plaza, Tracy, CA 95376
Got Questions? please call 209.831.6202

MealTime Just Got Easier!

Make Deposits online*

Check your students account balance online**

You can still deposit cash and checks through your school site clerks

Welcome! Jefferson School District has chosen MealTime Online to provide the opportunity for you to make credit card deposits into your student's cafeteria account or view your student's purchase history via the internet.

To Use MealTime Online:

Visit Jefferson School District web site <https://www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com/> and locate the link to the Food Services department. Find the link to Meal Time or go directly to: <http://www.mymealtime.com/> .

Step 1: Create a MealTime Online profile. Click on the "Create new profile" link and enter a Username and Password that you will use to login to MealTime Online. The Username and Password must be at least 6 characters. For example, Username: jsmith Password: pty845.

Step 2: Add your student. Login to your MealTime Online account (using the Username and Password that you created in Step 1), click on Meal Account Deposits then click the "Add New Student" link and add your student by entering their first name and student ID number. You can find your students ID number through your Aeries Portal.

Step 3: Make a Deposit. Click on the "Make Deposit" link to make a deposit into a school account. **There is a transaction fee for making deposits.** Click on the "View Details" link next to your student's name to view their cafeteria account balance and purchase history.

Note:

Online Deposits are now processed every 5 minutes!!

**Small charge from MealTime*

ATTENTION TUSD INTERDISTRICT TRANSFER (IDA) FAMILIES:

It's time to fill out Interdistrict transfer forms for the 2020-2021 school year if you reside within Tracy Unified School District's boundaries. The window to submit IDA forms closes **January 15, 2020**. IDA forms must be filled out and approved annually.

Link to the TUSD Interdistrict Attendance Transfer Agreement (IDA) [forms](#)

Submit completed forms to:

Melanie Alvernaz at malvernaz@tUSD.net.

Tracy Unified School District Office

1875 W. Lowell Drive

Tracy, CA, 95376

209-830-3284 (fax)



SATURDAY
JANUARY 4, 2020



POLAR RUN AND DUNK



Register today at
eagallakes.com

10K • 5K • 1-MILE KIDS & FAMILY
GATES OPEN AT 8:00AM



12 W. Lorenzen Rd.
209.640.4252
Eagallakes.com

YEARBOOK PICTURES

If you have any Winter Program pictures or pictures from a spirit day please email them to hmarchinia@jsttracy.com

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!

For questions about ordering books please contact school office at 209-833-9300

MUST ORDER ONLINE!!!

Go to website
Enter code
Select book & pay

IT'S THAT EASY!!!



Online ordering ends March 27



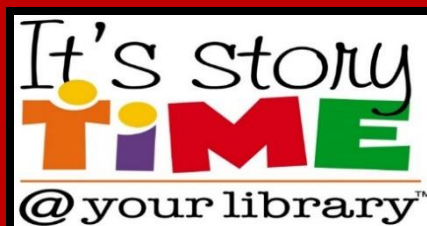
For SIBLINGS of Monticello Students

❖ Every Monday

❖ Monticello Library

❖ 8:15 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Start time begins following morning announcements.



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 **EXCUSED** 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 **UNEXCUSED** 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)