

Monticello Elementary School

NEWSLETTER



September 15, 2023

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Good Evening Monticello Families,

The MJPFA Fall Carnival will be Friday, September 22nd after school starting at 3:00 pm. We are in need of volunteers to make this amazing event a success. Please talk to your child's teacher about ways to volunteer. MJPFA uses the funds earned at the carnival to support many of the great activities we do here at Monticello.

Please remember to check the Spirit Calendar in the newsletter to see upcoming spirit days. Our next spirit day is September 22nd and it is tie-dye day! Please do not congregate at the playground fence during drop off for student safety.

Monday, September 18 is a Minimum Day. All students are released at 1:30 pm.

Thank you,

Mrs. Bunch



UPCOMING DATES:

September 22 - MJPFA
Carnival 3pm-7:30pm

September 25 - No
School, Parent/Teacher
Conferences

Every Monday: Minimum
Day!
1:30 PM Release - All
grades

Tuesday-Friday:
TK-3rd Gr. - 2pm release
4th Gr. - 3 pm release

If you have any pictures of your child and would like them in the yearbook, please email them to hmarchini@jsdtracy.com.



REMINDER: If your child is going to be absent for any reason, please email Michelle Zabaldo, Monticello's Attendance Clerk at mzabaldo@jsdtracy.com each day your student is absent.



MONTICELLO'S REGULAR DAY SCHEDULE (Tuesday-Friday)

Warning Bell	8:10 A.M.	All Grades
Instruction Begins	8:15 A.M.	All Grades
Recess	9:25 A.M. ~ 9:39 A.M.	Kinder (Kinder Yard)
Recess	9:40 A.M. ~ 9:54 A.M.	Kinder (Kinder Yard)
Recess	9:45 A.M. ~ 9:59 A.M.	1, 2, SDC (Main Yard)
Recess	10:05 A.M. ~ 10:19 A.M.	3, 4 (Main Yard)
Lunch	10:55 A.M. ~ 11:15 A.M.	Kinder
Lunch Recess	11:15 A.M. ~ 11:40 A.M.	Kinder (Big Yard)
Lunch	11:10 A.M. ~ 11:35 A.M.	1st Grade/SDC
Lunch Recess	11:35 A.M. ~ 11:55 A.M.	1st Grade/SDC
Lunch	11:20 A.M. ~ 11:45 A.M.	2nd Grade
Lunch Recess	11:45 A.M. ~ 12:05 A.M.	2nd Grade
Lunch	11:35 A.M. ~ 12:00 P.M.	3rd Grade
Lunch Recess	12:00 P.M. ~ 12:20 P.M.	3rd Grade
Lunch	12:00 P.M. ~ 12:25 P.M.	4th Grade
Lunch Recess	12:25 P.M. ~ 12:45 P.M.	4th Grade
Dismissal	2:00 P.M.	K ~ 3rd Grade
Dismissal	3:00 P.M.	4th Grade

MONTICELLO'S MINIMUM DAY SCHEDULE (Monday)

Warning Bell	8:10 A.M.	All Grades
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Lunch	11:20 A.M. ~ 11:45 A.M.	2nd Grade
Lunch Recess	11:45 A.M. ~ 12:05 A.M.	2nd Grade
Lunch	11:45 A.M. ~ 12:05 P.M.	4th Grade
Lunch Recess	12:05 P.M. ~ 12:30 P.M.	4th Grade
Lunch	12:00 P.M. ~ 12:20 P.M.	3rd Grade
Lunch Recess	12:20 P.M. ~ 12:45 P.M.	3rd Grade
Dismissal	1:30 P.M.	All Grades



PBIS Parent/Family Survey

Please click on the link below if you would like to give us some feedback on how Monticello is implementing Positive Behavior Supports and Interventions.

<https://forms.gle/KhNToVrywzLsWPRY7>





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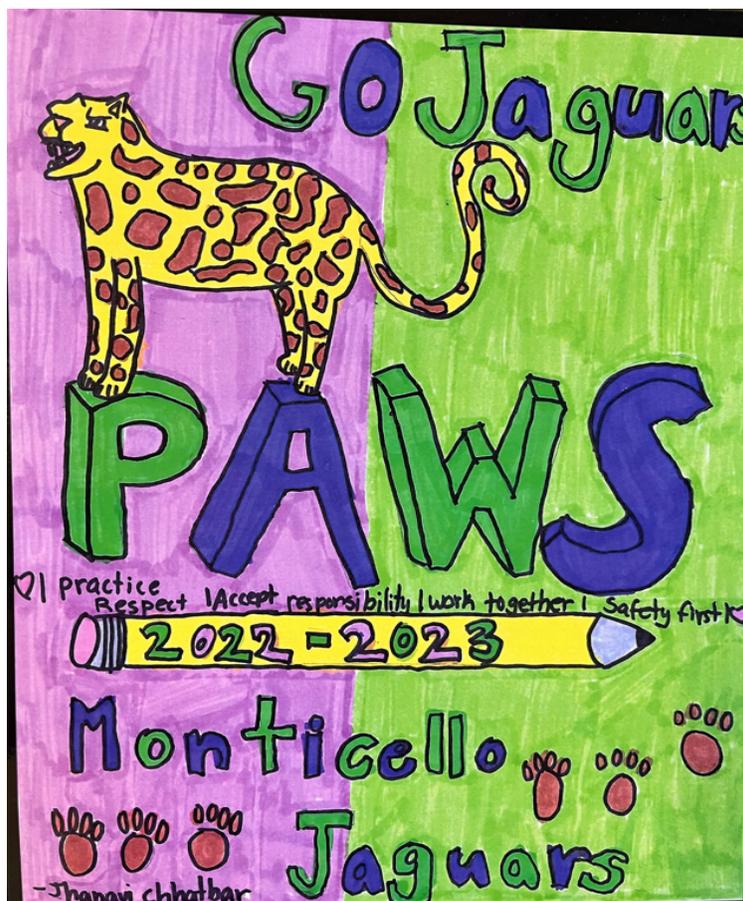
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LUNCH MENU



September



2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 4 Assorted Fruit & Vegetables	 Bean & Green Chili Burrito Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 5	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich  Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 6	Taco Nada Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 7	Dominos Cheese Pizza Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 8
 Pancake & Turkey Sausage on a Stick Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 11	 Mozzarella Bread Sticks Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 12	Chicken Smackers Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 13	Mini Cheese burgers Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 14	Dominos Cheese Pizza Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 15
French Bread Pizza Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 18	Grilled Cheese Sandwich Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 19	Chicken Smackers Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 20	Chicken Teriyaki & Rice Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich  Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 21	Dominos Cheese Pizza Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 22
Bean & Green Chili Burrito Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 25	Taco Sticks Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 26	Chicken Smackers Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 27	Mini Cheese burgers Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 28	Dominos Cheese Pizza Sunbutter and Jelly Sandwich Assorted Fruit & Vegetables 29
<i>always</i> be kind				

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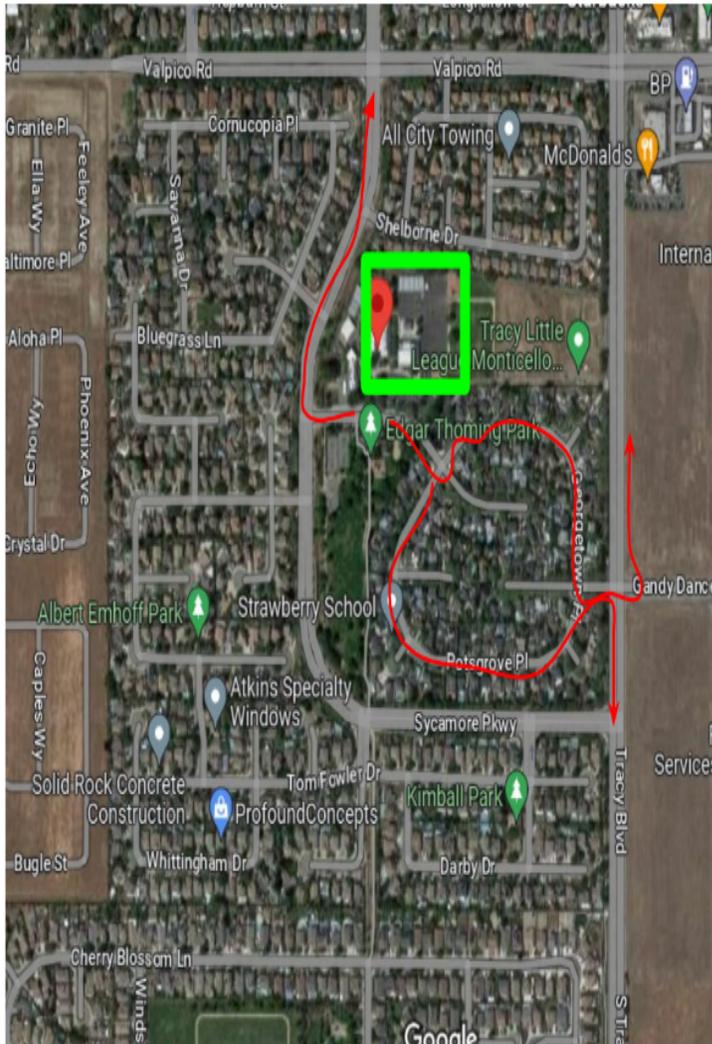


2023-2024 ASB Activity Calendar

September 2023							October 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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3	4	5	6	7	 8	9	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
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17	18	19	20	21	 22	23	22	23	24	 25	 26	 27	28
24	25	26	27	28	 29	30	29	 30	 31				
SEPTEMBER NOTABLES							OCTOBER NOTABLES						
9/8 - GO GOLD (yellow) - Childhood Cancer Awareness Day							10/6 - Breast Cancer Awareness Day - Wear Pink						
9/22 - Tie Dye Spirit & Monticello-Jefferson Carnival							10/25 - RRW: Twin Day						
							10/26 - RRW: Red Day						
							10/27 - RRW: Crazy Hair & Crazy Socks Day						
							10/30 - RRW: Hat Day						
							10/31 - RRW: Costume Day						



K	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
<p>Students are to be dropped off in the car loop, and enter through the MAIN Gate A (Kille, Varner, Manning and, Rodriguez), or the Kinder Gate (Borgna and Hohn) ONLY.</p> <p>Gates will open promptly at 8:00am.</p> <p>Students may be dropped off NO earlier than 7:30 am at the cafeteria gate</p> <p>Parents are not permitted on campus after the first day</p> <p>RM K1 – Hohn RM K2– Borgna RM 14 – Varner RM 15 - Kille RM 16 – Manning RM 17 – Rodriguez</p>	<p>Students are to be dropped off in the car loop, and enter through the MAIN Gate A ONLY.</p> <p>Gates will open promptly at 8:00am.</p> <p>Students may be dropped off NO earlier than 7:30 am at the cafeteria gate</p> <p>Parents are not permitted on campus after the first day</p> <p>RM 19 – Collinsworth RM 20 – Dias RM 21 – Cervantez RM 22 – Kirkpatrick RM 23 – Dunnum RM K2 - Borgna</p>	<p>Students are to be dropped off in the car loop, and enter through GATE C ONLY.</p> <p>Gates will open promptly at 8:00am.</p> <p>Students may be dropped off NO earlier than 7:30 am at the cafeteria gate</p> <p>Parents are not permitted on campus after the first day</p> <p>Borgna's class will enter through Gate A.</p> <p>RM 8 – Throssel RM 9 – Marchini RM 10 – Davis RM 11 – Balestrieri RM 18 –Bowen RM K2 – Borgna *Enter gate A*</p>	<p>Students are to be dropped off in the car loop, and enter through the LIBRARY GATE B ONLY.</p> <p>Gates will open promptly at 8:00am.</p> <p>Students may be dropped off NO earlier than 7:30 am at the cafeteria gate</p> <p>Parents are not permitted on campus after the first day</p> <p>RM 1 – Chase RM 2 – Fernandez RM 3 – Lowe RM 4 – Messamer RM 5 – Boparai</p>	<p>Students are to be dropped off in the car loop, and enter through the CAFETERIA GATE D ONLY.</p> <p>Gates will open promptly at 8:00am.</p> <p>Students may be dropped off NO earlier than 7:30 am at the cafeteria gate</p> <p>Parents are not permitted on campus after the first day</p> <p>RM 24 – Freitas RM 25 – McEnery RM 26 – Abris RM 27 – Watson</p>



Traffic reminders:

- Please remain in your vehicle for drop off and pick up.
- Students should be ready to exit the vehicle as soon and as you enter the driveway
- When exiting onto Cambridge from the school parking lot or the park parking lot, please exit left or right. Please exit whichever way has less traffic to continue to move the traffic line.
- No U-turns at anytime
- The neighborhood next to Monticello is a circle and will lead you to Tracy Blvd. Drivers can make a left on Tracy Blvd to get to Valpico Rd. or a right on Tracy Blvd to get to Linne Rd. Please utilize this exit as traffic allows
- Drivers should make a right on Sycamore Parkway during heavy traffic times.



JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER THAT NO DOGS ARE ALLOWED ON CAMPUS.





**Jefferson School District
2023 - 2024 Instructional Calendar**

JULY				
M	T	W	TH	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

AUGUST				
M	T	W	TH	F
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7*	8	9	10	11
14*	15	16	17	18
21*	22	23	24	25
28*	29	30	31	

SEPTEMBER				
M	T	W	TH	F
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11*	12	13	14	15
18*	19	20	21	22
25	26**	27**	28**	29**

OCTOBER				
M	T	W	TH	F
2*	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16*	17	18	19	20
23*	24	25	26	27
30*	31			

NOVEMBER				
M	T	W	TH	F
		1	2	3
6*	7	8	9	10
13*	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27*	28	29	30	

DECEMBER				
M	T	W	TH	F
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4*	5	6	7	8
11*	12	13	14	15
18	19	20*	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

JANUARY				
M	T	W	TH	F
1	2	3	4	5
8*	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	13
22*	23	24	25	26
29*	30	31		

FEBRUARY				
M	T	W	TH	F
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5*	6	7	8	9
12*	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26*	27	28	29	

MARCH				
M	T	W	TH	F
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4*	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18*	19	20	21	22
25*	26	27	28	29

APRIL				
M	T	W	TH	F
1	2	3	4	5
8*	9	10	11	12
15*	16	17	18	13
22*	23	24	25	26
29*	30			

MAY				
M	T	W	TH	F
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6*	7	8	9	10
13*	14	15	16	17
20*	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30*	31

JUNE				
M	T	W	TH	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

Total Instructional School Days

August	19
September	19
October	17
November	16
December	14
January	19
February	19
March	15
April	21
May	21
Total	180

Holidays		
Students First Day		
Students Last Day		
Minimum Day (1:30 pm Release)	*	
Minimum Day (2 pm Release)	**	
Teachers First/Last Work Day		Full day
Teachers First/Last Work Day		Half day
End of First/Second Trimester		
P/T Conference (no students)		
Professional Development Day (MOU) (no students)		



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SOUTH SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY FIRE AUTHORITY

Drawing Contest



Oct 8th - Oct 13th

FOLLOW US



The contest is open to all Kindergarten through 5th Grade Students in Tracy and Banta.

*Please see reverse side for details. Winners will be posted on social media.



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South San Joaquin County Fire Authority - Tracy, CA



COOKING SAFETY STARTS WITH YOU DRAWING CONTEST

IMPORTANT DATES TO KNOW

- October 13th: Posters must be turned in to your school or Fire Administration Bldg.
- October 16th to October 20th: Submissions will be voted on by South San Joaquin County Fire Authority staff and Firefighters.
- October 23rd: Winners will be announced.

GUIDELINES

- One entry per student.
- Each poster must clearly state the NFPA Fire Prevention Week theme, but please AVOID including any personal information.
- THE POSTER SIZE ACCEPTED is 8 1/2 inches by 11 inches .
- No 3 dimensional objects over 1/2 inches thickness or height may be placed/affixed on the posters
- The following information must be placed on the back of the poster:
 - Student Name
 - Student Grade
 - Teacher or Parent Name
 - School or Home Address & Phone number

IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO KNOW

- Submissions will be divided into 2 groups:
 - Primary: Kindergarten through 2nd Grade.
 - Intermediate: 3rd through 5th Grade.
 - Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place.
 - All winning posters will be displayed at South San Joaquin County Fire Authority's Administrative Office for one year.
- *Failure to follow all guidelines will lead to the poster submitted being automatically disqualified.

ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE FIRE PREVENTION AT 209.831.6707 OR EMAIL FIRE.PREVENTION@SJCFFIRE.ORG