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# Principal's Message...

# Monticello

News

# November 4, 2019

# Upcoming Dates

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November 11<sup>th</sup> Veteran's Day - No School November 15<sup>th</sup> Report Cards go home November 22<sup>nd</sup> Mismatched Dress-Up Day November 25-29 Thanksgiving Break December 10 & 11 Winter Program December 20 PJ Dress Up Day December 23- January 3 Winter Break







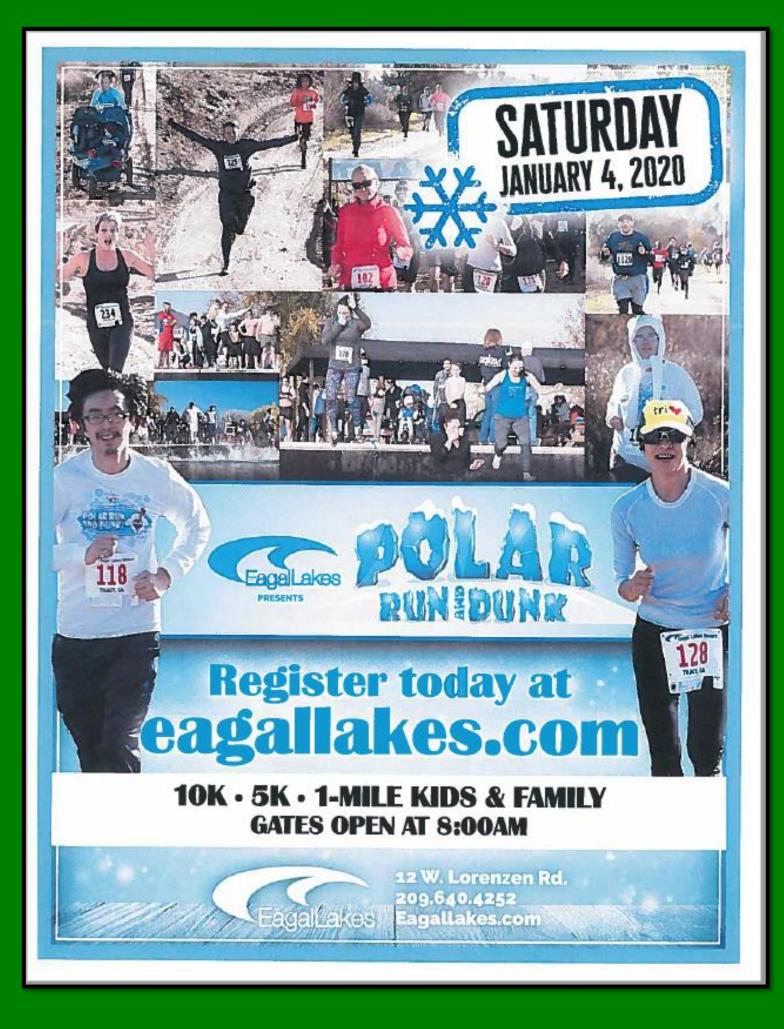




The USDA and CDE are equal opportunity providers and employers. Web site: Jeffersonschooldistrict.com Visit mymealtime.com to make pre-payments on your childs account or apply for free and reduced meals.

# <u>School Site Council</u>

Are you interested in serving as a parent representative on the Monticello School Site Council? We are currently looking for <u>two</u> new parents interested in serving a two-year term. If you are interested in joining, please contact Emily Stroup at <u>estroup@jsdtracy.com</u> before Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup>.



### 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 <a href="https://www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com/">https://www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com/</a> and locate the link to the Food Services department. Find the link to Meal Time or go directly to: <a href="http://www.mymealtime.com/">http://www.mymealtime.com/</a> .

**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. <u>There is a transaction fee for making deposits</u>. 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!!

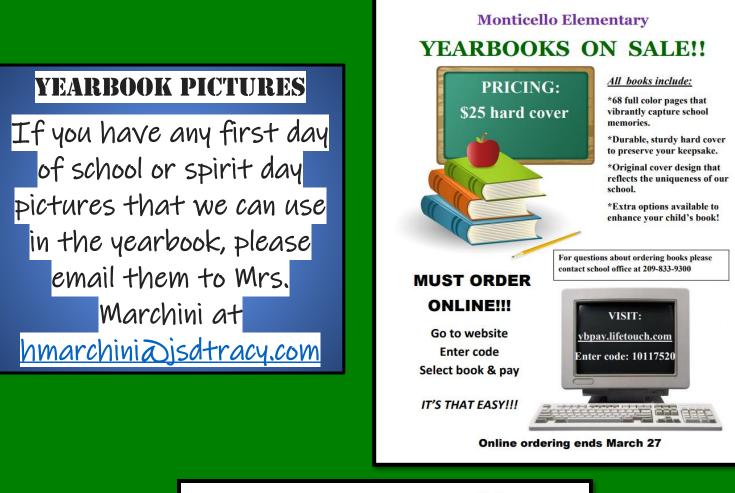
\*Small charge from MealTime

# 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 theTUSD Interdistrict Attendance Transfer Agreement (IDA) forms

Submit completed forms to: Melanie Alvernaz at <u>malvernaz@tusd.net.</u> Tracy Unified School District Office 1875 W. Lowell Drive Tracy, CA, 95376 209-830-3284 (fax)



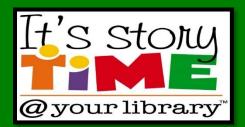


### **For SIBLINGS of Monticello Students**

# Every Monday Monticello Library

### **\*8:15 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.**

Start time begins following morning announcements.



### FALL GATE TESTING

### Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) – OLSAT Testing 2019-2020

November - Fall GATE Testing 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade March - Spring GATE Testing 3<sup>rd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade April - 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Testing

There are three ways to qualify for GATE in Jefferson Elementary School District: Earn a qualifying score on the Otis-Lennon School Ability Test (OLSAT), meet the district CAASPP Score criteria, or through the teacher recommendation / portfolio process. Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) testing is open to second through eighth graders who have not taken the OLSAT 8 in the past three years.

Jefferson Elementary School District provides 2<sup>nd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade students the opportunity to participate in an assessment used for identifying Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) students. Currently, the Otis-Lennon School Ability Test, Eighth Edition (OLSAT-8) is available two times each school year: Fall and Spring. Beginning in the 2018-2019 school year, JSD will test all second grade students to be considered for GATE. This is part of a District-wide plan to address the disproportionate number of underrepresented student populations identified as gifted and capture students who may be overlooked using the past practice. The testing schedule can be found below for each school site.

Parents are responsible for student transportation if participating in the after school test. If you would like your child to participate in the upcoming GATE testing, please contact the school office and ask for a GATE application or go to the Jefferson School District Website (www.jeffersonschooldistrict.com) for the application.

# Fall Testing Schedule: The application must be completed and returned to the school office by: <u>Wednesday</u>, October 30, 2019

- Jefferson: Tuesday, November 5th
- Anthony Traina: Tuesday, November 5th
- Monticello: Wednesday, November 6th
- Tom Hawkins: Thursday, November 14th

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#### Flexible Schedule

#### Special Education Substitute Instructional Assistants

The San Joaquin County Office of Education (SJCDE) is seeking creative, flexible, and mativated individuals for substitute instructional assistant positions. As ror substitute instructional assistant positions. As a subsitute instructional assistant you will fulfill an important role assisting teachers with the instruction, supervision, and training of children and young adults with special education needs.

Must Have a High School Diploma or Equivalent Applicants must have a high school diploma or equivalent and meet one (1) of the following criteria:

- Poss a basic skills profici ncy exami administered by the SJCOE, or
- Have earned 48 college semester units with a C-ar better, ar completed an AA degree or higher.

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#### **Community Flu Shot Clinics**

Protect yourself from the flu and get vaccinated at a FREE community flu shot clinic. Influenza vaccine is available for anyone 6 months of age and older. First come, first served.

Saturday, October 5, 2019 10:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m. Sutter Tracy Community Hospital Registration entrance located in the South front parking lot

Monday, November 4, 2019 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. Sutter Tracy Community Hospital Main Entrance

For more information, please call 209-833-2395.

STCH gratefully acknowledges the generous support of the Glover/Schack Flu Shot Program for this event

1420 N. Tracy Blvd. Tracy, CA 95376 suttertracy.org

**Sutter Health** 

Sutter Tracy Community Hospital



#### Clínica Comunitaria de Vacunas

Protéjase contra la gripe y vacúnese en la clínica comunitaria de vacunas GRATIS contra la gripe. La vacuna contra la gripe está disponible para todos 6 meses de edad en adelante. Sin cita, y en orden de llegada.

#### Sábado, 05 de Octubre 2019

10:00 a.m. a 1:00 p.m. Sutter Tracy Community Hospital Registro de entrada situada en el sur estacionamiento del frente

Lunes, 04 de Noviembre 2019 5:30 a 7:00 p.m. Sutter Tracy Community Hospital Entrada Principal

Sutter Health Sutter Tracy Community Hospital 1420 N. Tracy Blvd Tracy, CA 95376

Si desea obtener más información, llame al 209-833-2395

STCH reconoce con agradecimiento el apoyo generoso de la Glover/Schack Vacuna antigripal Programa para este evento.

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## KIMBALL HIGH SCHOOL INCOMING FRESHMAN PARENT NIGHT & PROGRAMS FAIR





### DECEMBER 5, 2019 AT 6PM

Don't miss out on this great opportunity to understand more about your student's future. Learn about our programs and classes at KHS. All incoming freshman parents and studnets are welcome.

## Kimball High School Cafe

- & Athletic Complex
- REGISTRATION PROCESS
- V CLASS SCHEDULING
- GRAD & COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS
- EXPLORE CLASSES & CLUBS
- AVID & MEDICAL ACADEMY

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### <u>If a student misses 2 days of school per month, they are missing</u> 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 **UNEXCUSED** absence:

- Personal Days
- Going shopping
- Visiting Relatives
- Student's Birthday
- Oversleeping

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

Childcare by the student at home

<u>Education Code 4820</u>: 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)