

Jefferson Times

Alyssa Wooten, Principal
Lauren Beith, Secretary
Michele Vinyard, Clerk

September 17, 2018

Dear Jefferson Families,

College Week takes place this week. This is one of the most exciting weeks here at Jefferson. Each grade level will represent a college (see below). Throughout the week, we will teach our students about all aspects of getting to college and attending college – from loans, fun facts about colleges, grades, planning for college, etc. Each day will be a dress up day and Friday we will have a huge College Week Rally where each grade level competes against each other for the College Week title.

5th Grade – University of Wisconsin

6th Grade – Michigan State

7th Grade – Alabama

8th Grade – Northwestern University

The dress up days for College Week are as follows:

Monday 9/17	Wear college attire from any college
Tuesday 9/18	Wear the colors of your first period teacher's alma mater
Wednesday 9/19	Wear blue and gold in honor of UCLA, Dr. Bridges' alma mater
Thursday 9/20	Wear blue and red in honor of Fresno State, Mrs. Wooten's alma mater
Friday 9/20	Wear attire to support your grade level's adopted college (above)

Parent Teacher Conferences take place the week of September 24th. Students do not have school on Monday, September 24th due to conferences. Furthermore, Tuesday through Friday will be 2:00 dismissal days for conferences. We are using an online system for conference sign ups. Our goal is that you will have an opportunity to select a time that works best for you. Use the following link to access the online system and sign up ASAP! [Conference Sign Up Link](#)

Don't forget, the Carnival is right around the corner. Monticello School will be hosting the Jefferson Monticello Carnival on Friday, October 12th from 3:00 – 7:30pm. Your help is greatly appreciated – donate your time, items, or funds. For more information, contact our amazing Parent Faculty Association at monticellojeffersonpfa@gmail.com.

Thank you for your continued support, communication, and taking the time to read the Jefferson newsletter. Feel free to contact me at any time at awooten@sjcoe.net or (209) 835-3053 with any questions, comments, or suggestions.

Sincerely,

Alyssa Wooten, Principal

HEY DID YOU HEAR ~

Our staff is collecting items to make carnival baskets this year. The baskets will be auctioned off at our annual Jefferson Monticello Carnival which takes place on October 12th. Please help us out by sending in items for our baskets.

5th Grade

Gift Card/Certificates

6th Grade

Lotto Scratcher Tickets

Jefferson Spirit Wear

7/8 Grades

Sports team

Fitness

Game night basket

Sports Equipment

Library

Beach Basket

This year Jefferson School has five open seats on our School Site Council (SSC) and we are looking for candidates interested in serving a two-year term.

The Jefferson School Site Council researches strategies and procedures to support the school in its improvement efforts. The council helps develop, implement and evaluate a school plan that coordinates the application of categorical funds based on the requirements of the School-Based Program Coordination Act. The School Site Council provides all students, including students with special needs, with an enriched instructional program at Jefferson School.

If you are interested in running for School Site Council, please submit a short (300 words or less) blurb explaining who you are and why you would like to be on School Site Council. Please submit your information to awooten@sjcoe.net no later than Friday, September 28, 2018.

Thank you for your interest in helping Jefferson School continue to achieve excellence. Our first SSC meeting will include a vote for officers. It will take place in the Jefferson Conference Room on Wednesday, October 10th from 3:15 – 4:15.

~ MJPFA NEWS ~

Parent Meeting: Wed. 9/19, 3:30 pm - Jefferson School cafeteria.

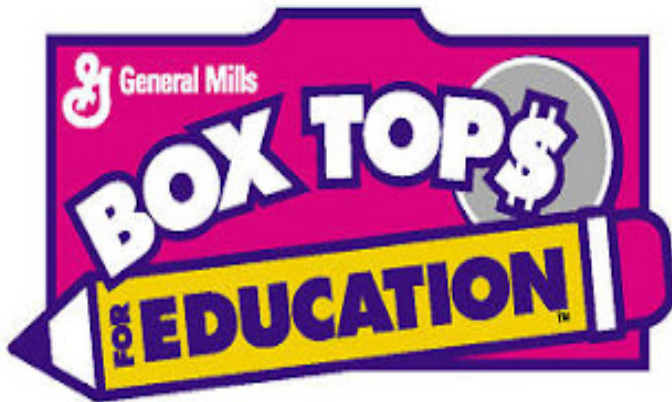
Kona Ice is coming to lunch on 9/26! A portion of every purchase goes back to our schools

2018 Carnival: Friday, 10/12 from 3pm-7:30pm at Monticello.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Just ONE HOUR of your time to help run a game booth will help make sure all our kids have the best carnival experience possible. *For every hour you volunteer, your name will be entered to win a \$50 Amazon gift card!* Please sign-up with your teacher.

VENDORS NEEDED! Want to showcase your home business at the carnival? For just \$50 you can rent a vendor booth! See form below.

SPONSORSHIPS & DONATIONS NEEDED! Work for a local business who wants some great advertising exposure? Encourage them to be a carnival sponsor or donor! Sponsorship banners and other great opportunities are available. See form below.



**DON'T FORGET TO
TURN IN YOUR BOX
TOPS TO THE SCHOOL
OFFICE – DEADLINE
OCTOBER 19TH**

~ DISTRICT NEWS ~

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

She is here the last Wednesday of every month.

Attention all 6th Graders

6th grade parents please provide Ms. Vinyard with proof that your 6th grade student has received their whopping cough booster (tDap) as soon as possible. If you have already done so

THANK YOU!!

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17 de septiembre de 2018,

Queridas familias de Jefferson,

Tenemos dos muy importantes semanas próximas: Semana de Universidades y semana de conferencias de padres y maestros. Lea atentamente la siguiente información.

Semana de Universidades tomara lugar el lunes 17 de septiembre hasta el viernes 21 de septiembre. Este es uno de las más emocionantes semanas aquí en Jefferson. Cada nivel de grado representará una universidad (ver más abajo). A lo largo de la semana, vamos a enseñar le a nuestros estudiantes sobre todos los aspectos de cómo llegar a la universidad y asistir a la universidad, desde préstamos, información divertida acerca de las universidades, los grados, la planificación para la universidad, etc. Cada día será un día de vestirse y el viernes tendremos una gran semana universitaria en un rally, donde cada nivel compite uno contra el otro para el título de universidad de la semana.

5º grado- Universidad de Wisconsin

6º grado- Michigan State

7mo grado- Alabama

8vo grado – Universidad Northwestern.

El vestido para semana Universitaria es lo siguiente:

Lunes 9/17	vestirse de cualquier colegio universitario
Martes 9/18	vestirse en los colores de la universidad de tu maestra de primer período.
Miércoles 9/19	vestirse en azul y oro en honor de la UCLA, la universidad de Dr. Bridges.
Jueves 9/20	vestirse en azul y rojo en honor de Fresno State, la universidad de la Sra. Wooten
Viernes 9/20	vestir para apoyar su universidad de nivel de grado (arriba)

Las conferencias de padres y maestros tomaran lugar la semana del 24 de septiembre. Los estudiantes no tienen escuela el lunes, día 24 de septiembre debido a las conferencias. Además, de martes a viernes serán días de despido a las 2:00 para conferencias. Estamos utilizando un sistema en línea para registrarse para su conferencia. Nuestro objetivo es que usted tendrá la oportunidad de seleccionar un tiempo que funciona mejor para usted. Utilice el siguiente enlace para acceder al sistema en línea y regístrese Lo más pronto posible! [Conference Sign Up Link](#)

No se olvide, el carnaval está a la vuelta de la esquina. La escuela Monticello alojará Carnaval el viernes, 12 de octubre de 3:00 - 7:30pm. Su ayuda es muy apreciada - done su tiempo, elementos o fondos. Para obtener más información, póngase en contacto con nuestra increíble asociación de padres de familia y faculta en monticellojeffersonpfa@gmail.com.

Gracias por su continuo apoyo, comunicación, y por tomar el tiempo para leer el boletín de Jefferson. No dude en ponerse en contacto conmigo en cualquier momento a awooten@sjcoe.net o (209) 835-3053 con cualquier pregunta, comentarios o sugerencias.

Atentamente,
Alyssa Wooten, Principal



~ MJPFA NEWS ~



REUNIÓN DE PADRES: 9/19, 3:30 p.m. en la cafetería de la Escuela Jefferson. ¡Únete a nosotros!

El Carnaval tomara acabo el viernes 10 de diciembre de 3 p.m. a 7:30 p.m. en Monticello.

¡NECESITAMOS VOLUNTARIOS! Nuestros voluntarios del comité de carnaval de MJFPA están trabajando arduamente para que sea un día maravilloso de juegos, brincadores, premios y entretenimiento familiar, pero NECESITAMOS SU AYUDA.

SOLO UNA HORA de su tiempo para ayudar a manejar un puesto de juego ayudará asegurar que todos nuestros niños tengan la mejor experiencia de carnaval posible. ¡Por cada hora que usted sea voluntario, se ingresará su nombre para ganar una tarjeta de regalo de Amazon de \$ 50!

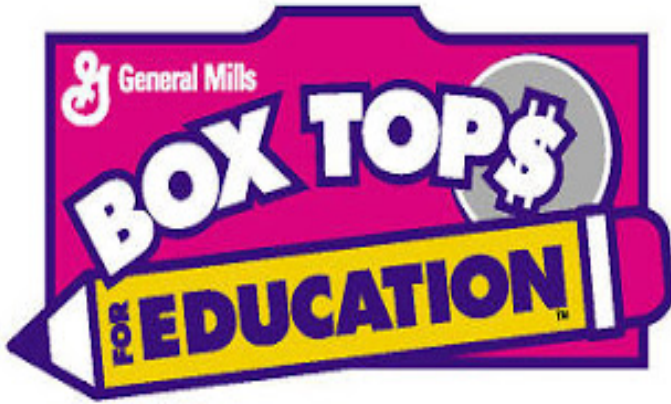
PATROCINIOS: ¿Trabaja para una empresa local que desea una gran exposición publicitaria? Aliéntelos a ser un patrocinador de carnaval! Banners de patrocinio y otras grandes oportunidades están disponibles.

Vea el formulario a continuación.

DONACIONES: Estamos buscando empresas generosas que estén dispuestas a donar cestas, tarjetas de regalo, entradas o productos a nuestra subasta silenciosa. ¡Es una gran publicidad y las donaciones son deducibles de impuestos! Vea el formulario a continuación.

Regístrese para recibir información en nuestro sitio web en <https://mjpfa.ptboard.com> (júnase al código QKQQK3) y síganos en Facebook e Instagram! (mjpfamonticellojefferson)

Kona Ice irá a Jefferson durante el almuerzo (12-1: 15) el último miércoles. Fechas de la siguiente manera: miércoles - 9/26, 10/31 (Halloween)



**Que no se les olvide
entregar sus Box Tops
en la oficina de la
escuela**

~ NOTICIA DE DISTRITO ~

Si su TB se vence, consulte a la Enfermera Tina en el Edificio de Servicios para Estudiantes de la Oficina de Distrito entre las 3:00 p.m. y las 4:00 p.m. para completar su Cuestionario de evaluación de riesgos.

Ella está aquí el último miércoles de cada mes.



Interested in promoting your business or selling products at the Annual Monticello & Jefferson School Carnival? Come advertise your business and meet the community while supporting our schools as a 2018 Carnival Vendor!

The Annual Monticello & Jefferson School Carnival fundraiser to be held on Oct 12, 2018 is our single biggest fundraiser of the year, drawing 700-900 friends and neighbors annually. Donations and money raised from this event benefit nearly 850 students by helping fund science programs, classroom needs, art education and field trips at our schools. Our goal is to help our students succeed by providing them with the necessary tools needed to achieve their maximum potential today and tomorrow as future leaders of our community. Complete and return the form below to show your support!

2018 Carnival Vendor Application

Event Info & Location: Monticello & Jefferson School Carnival, Friday Oct 12th 3pm-7:30pm at Monticello Elementary School located at 1001 Cambridge Place, Tracy 95377.

Setup Time: Vendors must bring their own tents/tables. Extra sand bags/weights recommended for tents in case of wind. Vendors must be fully setup by 2:45pm and must stay for the duration of the event (7:30pm) Spaces will be pre-assigned on the school playground blacktop, please check-in upon arrival to receive your location. Electricity will not be available.

Cost: \$50 per space. Payment must be received in order for space to be reserved. **Please send checks/forms to:** Monticello Jefferson Parent Faculty Assoc. (MJPFA) 7500 W. Linne Rd. Tracy, CA 95304. The MJPFA is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit, Tax ID #37-1507478

Sale items: Vendors may distribute samples, coupons, or brochures and can sell items as long as they are not for immediate food consumption (no food that would take away from food/beverage sales)

Questions? Please contact Roopale Popal at Roopale.Popal@gmail.com

Please return this portion with payment

Vendor Business/Organization Name _____

Contact Name _____

Contact Email _____ Contact Phone _____

Business Address _____

Brief description of items selling/distributed _____

BUSINESS SPONSORSHIP & DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

YES! I would like to support the
2018 Monticello & Jefferson School Fall Carnival
Please check the level of sponsorship and return by 9/28/2018

Bronze Sponsor \$50

- 2 x 8 banner with your business name/logo to be displayed outside the school one week before and after the carnival
- Recognition in both school newsletters distributed to the entire school community

Silver Sponsor \$150

- All Bronze level incentives plus -
- Recognition on our MJPPFA website and on social media sites
 - Business name/logo printed on carnival event programs

Gold Sponsor \$500

- All Bronze and Silver level incentives plus -
- Business name/logo listed on 18x 24 special sponsor poster displayed in school offices for the duration of the calendar school year
 - Business name/logo included on all carnival t-shirts
 - Live recognition of your business at carnival by stage emcee

Platinum Sponsor \$750

- All Bronze, Silver & Gold level incentives plus -
- Custom 4 X 6 banner prominently displayed in the main activity area during the carnival
 - 2 complementary carnival t-shirts with your business listed as sponsor

Diamond Sponsor \$1,000

- All Bronze, Silver, Gold & Platinum level incentives plus -
- Custom 4 X 6 banner prominently displayed on the main stage during the carnival (in lieu of activity area)
 - Four complementary carnival t-shirts with your business listed as sponsor
 - One vendor space to display and/or distribute materials and advertise your business

Silent Auction Donation

Any donation of products, services, tickets, gift cards or certificates would be greatly appreciated.

SPONSOR INFO: Please complete and return this entire form no later than September 28, 2018. Please make all checks out to MJPPFA. Thank you in advance for your support!

Business Name: _____

Business Address: _____

Contact Name: _____ Contact phone/email _____

Sponsor check and donations can be arranged for pickup by contacting Alexis Imperial-Bobis at (209)835-4020 or by mail to MJPPFA 7500 W. Linne Rd. Tracy, CA 95304. Once payment is received, we will contact you to obtain your logo/ graphics for sponsorship signs.

Please contact Alexis Imperial-Bobis at 209-835-4020 or alexis.imperial@gmail.com with questions.
The MJPPFA is a 501(c)(3) non-profit. Tax ID# 37-1507478

Why Support The Carnival?

The Monticello & Jefferson Annual Carnival is our biggest fundraiser of the year. All proceeds from the Carnival directly benefit and support your child's education. **Our October 2017 Carnival raised a net of \$29,701.** Of that, **\$5,320** in teacher basket money proceeds went directly back to our teachers in early November to be used for classroom needs. The MJFPA then worked together with Monticello and Jefferson schools to find out how we could use the rest of these funds to support the education of our students, which is our primary goal. We granted "Wish List" items requested by teachers and staff, which helped pay for educational programs, field trips, supplies, equipment, books, and much more. **In February of 2018 alone, the MJFPA donated a total of \$12,541 to Monticello and Jefferson schools in "Wish List" items. The remaining \$11, 840 of carnival funds were donated during the rest of 2018 as listed below.**

February 2018

Monticello received \$5,315 for field trip funding, library supplies, books, physical fitness curriculum, student incentives and classroom supplies among other "wish list" items for classroom use.

Jefferson received \$7,226 in school enhancements, STEAM kits, science materials, physical education equipment, library supplies, student incentives and other "wish list" items requested by teachers and staff.

March -May 2018

Jefferson received an additional \$6,000 for 6th grade science camp, **Monticello received another \$1,739** for Scholastic subscriptions, and the remaining of carnival funds were granted through requisitions from both schools for other field trips and teacher requests.

This is only possible with sponsors, donations to your classroom baskets, and volunteers who help make the carnival a great success. We hope that with your support, we are able to continue this for our kids.

You're making a difference!
THANK YOU!!

¿Por qué apoyar el carnaval?

El Carnaval Anual de Monticello & Jefferson es nuestra mayor recaudación de fondos del año. Todas las ganancias del Carnaval benefician directamente y apoyan la educación de su hijo. Nuestro Carnaval de octubre de 2017 recaudó \$ 29,701.

De eso, \$ 5,320 en ingresos de dinero de la canasta de maestros fueron devueltos directamente a nuestros maestros a principios de noviembre para ser utilizados para las necesidades de la clase. El MJFPA luego trabajó junto con las escuelas Monticello y Jefferson para averiguar cómo podríamos usar el resto de estos fondos para apoyar la educación de nuestros estudiantes, que es nuestro objetivo principal. Les otorgamos a los maestros y a el personal elementos de la "Lista de deseos", que ayudaron a pagar los programas educativos, excursiones, suministros, equipo, libros y mucho más. Tan solo en febrero de 2018, el MJFPA donó un total de \$ 12,541 a las escuelas Monticello y Jefferson en los ítems de la "Lista de deseos". Los \$ 11,840 restantes de los fondos de carnaval fueron donados durante el resto de 2018 como se detalla a continuación.

Febrero de 2018

Monticello recibió \$ 5,315 para fondos de excursiones, materiales de la biblioteca, libros, plan de estudios de aptitud física, incentivos para estudiantes y útiles escolares, entre otros artículos de "lista de deseos" para el uso en el aula.

Jefferson recibió \$ 7,226 en mejoras escolares, kits de STEAM, materiales de ciencias, equipo de educación física, suministros de biblioteca, incentivos para estudiantes y otros artículos de "lista de deseos" solicitados por los maestros y el personal.

De marzo a mayo de 2018

Jefferson recibió \$ 6,000 adicionales para el campamento de ciencias de 6to grado, Monticello recibió otros \$ 1,739 para suscripciones Scholastic, y el resto de los fondos de carnaval se otorgaron a través de requisiciones de ambas escuelas para otras excursiones y solicitudes de maestros.

Esto solo es posible con patrocinadores, donaciones a las canastas de sus salones de clases y voluntarios que ayudan a que el carnaval sea un gran éxito. Esperamos que con su apoyo, podamos continuar esto para nuestros hijos.

***¡Estás haciendo la diferencia!
¡¡GRACIAS!!***

DATE	SPIRIT DAYS		DANCES
Aug. 24	Flip Flops and Shades		Nov. 2 - Superhero Dance
Sep. 7	Green and Gold		Feb. 22 - Pajama Jam
Sep. 17	Any College	College Week	May 10 - Glow in the Dark (Black & White Semi Formal)
Sep. 18	1st period Teacher's College		
Sep. 19	UCLA		
Sep. 20	Fresno State		
Sep. 21	Adopted Grade Level's College		
Oct. 5	Color Rush		
Oct. 19	Green and Gold		RALLIES
Oct. 29	Crazy Hair and/or Crazy Socks	Red Ribbon Wk.	Sep. 21 - College Rally
Oct. 30	Neon		Jan. 25 - Sports Rally
Oct. 31	Costume		Mar. 22 - Wildcat Rally
Nov. 1	Camo		
Nov. 2	Superhero		
Nov. 16	Green and Gold		
Dec. 7	Green and Gold		
Dec. 20	Ugly Sweater		
Jan. 11	Green and Gold		
Jan. 25	Sports		
Feb. 8	Green and Gold		
Feb. 22	Pajamas		
Mar. 8	Heritage		
Mar. 22	Extreme GREEN and GOLD		
Apr. 5	Disney		
Apr. 18	Green and Gold		
May 17	Green and Gold		



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Dear Parents and Students,

Thank you for your interest in the Tracy Sister City Youth Exchange Program to Memuro, Japan. Established 30 years ago to promote friendship and cross-cultural understanding with our Sister City in Memuro, the Youth Exchange Program has proven to be a wonderful experience for over 300 Tracy-area 8th grade students. We sincerely hope your child will find it a rewarding and enriching experience, with memories and friendships to last a lifetime. A parent informational meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 10, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at the Tracy Transit Station. Listed below you will find an overview of the Exchange Program in addition to the application requirements and participation guidelines.

Introduction to Tracy's Sister City of Memuro, Japan: Memuro is a small, agricultural community of about 20,000 people located on the northern island of Hokkaido, Japan. It is a very safe and scenic town. We have found over the many years of friendship that the people are warm, genuine, and are wonderful host families.

Trip Details: Each year, the program selects up to ten Tracy "Youth Ambassadors" and sends them with two chaperones to Memuro for a nine-day stay (including travel time). Six of those days are spent with a Japanese home stay family. In addition to the home stay experience, students will attend several schools as well as have the opportunity to tour local museums, shrines, and other points of interest. Students are selected through an application and interview process in December, and the trip (2019 dates TBD) usually occurs in June. Once selected, Youth Ambassadors participate in mandatory bi-weekly cultural classes in preparation for their visit.

Cultural Classes: Prior to the trip to Memuro, students must attend mandatory bi-weekly cultural classes, each class lasting 1½ hours. The class schedule is determined at the first Youth Ambassador meeting. Classes, emphasizing Japanese customs, culture and language are taught by members of Sister City. Youth Ambassadors also prepare a dance which is later performed at the Youth Ambassador's "Sayonara Party" in Japan. **We realize many students have various other school and athletic commitments, but it is imperative and mandatory that students attend these classes.**

Home Stay Experience and Exchange: Memuro is a small town, with many of their host families being well-known and respected members of their community. Most have children who are participating in the 8th grade Memuro Youth Exchange to Tracy.

Every Spring, Tracy entertains a group of ten Memuro Youth Ambassadors for a nine-day stay. Their stay in Tracy mirrors our Youth Exchange trip to Memuro in many ways. Memuro Ambassadors visit for nine days total, six days spent with a Tracy host family. Memuro Ambassadors visit Tracy schools, museums, shops and city government buildings. The other time is spent with their tour guide in San Francisco. Because these Memuro students come to Tracy in Spring and the Tracy Ambassadors do not leave for Memuro until June, we strongly encourage our Tracy Ambassadors and their families to host a Memuro student. Not only is it a terrific and rewarding experience for the entire family, but in most cases it gives our Tracy Ambassadors the opportunity to get to know



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their future host ‘brother’ or ‘sister’. (If the Memuro Ambassador’s family is also willing to host, we do our best to “match and exchange” families. When the Tracy Ambassador’s family hosts a Memuro student in Spring, then the Tracy Ambassador visits that Memuro student’s family in June).

If your family is not able to host, Tracy Ambassadors will be placed with Memuro families based on hobbies, interests and family makeup (children of same sex/age, etc.). Any allergies or special medical needs are also taken into consideration.

Costs and Expenses: While Sister City reserves the group airline tickets for the trip, each family is responsible for the cost of the airline ticket, understanding that ticket prices vary each year and an exact price cannot be quoted until Spring. As such, we require the parents and students to actively fundraise in the months preceding. In addition to the tickets, other costs include obtaining a US passport, inexpensive host family gifts, new shoes for visiting Memuro schools, spending money in Japan, travel uniform, etc.

Fundraising: Parent participation is crucial to the success of the trip. While the students are attending cultural classes, we require the parents to meet and discuss fundraising opportunities. As a target goal, we ask that the parents raise at least \$5,000 to cover all group ground expenses for Ambassadors and chaperones (two hotel nights in Sapporo, group meals at airports and hotels, tour and museum entrance fees). The parent group is responsible for managing all fundraising money with a bank account provided by Sister City strictly for this purpose. If the parent group raises more than \$5,000, any leftover money is divided equally and dispersed back to the 10 Ambassadors and 2 chaperones. While many parents have fundraising experience through schools and various organizations, we recognize that not all parents are familiar with the fundraising process. Sister City will provide at least one parent group mentor who can recommend and supply general support on where to fundraise and how to get started. In the past, parent groups have raised as little as \$3,500 and as much as \$20,000!

Application Process: The Sister City Educational Exchange committee is seeking qualified eighth grade students who demonstrate maturity, responsibility and leadership skills. A parent informational meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 10, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at the Tracy Transit Station. Please complete the attached application and mail it to the address provided (P.O. Box 428 Tracy, CA 95378) along with:

- _____ A recent photograph
 - _____ \$10 application fee (checks made out to Sister City Association of Tracy)
 - _____ A one-page essay as to why they would like to be considered for selection
- Additionally, the applicant must give the attached Teacher Recommendation form to two teachers along with a stamped and addressed envelope. Applicants must allow ample time for the teacher to complete their recommendation and mail it to Sister City Association by the deadline.

Sister City Association of Tracy offers student exchange opportunities to Tracy’s sister city of Memuro, Japan. Tracy public schools promote these opportunities through the Sister City Student Educational Exchange Program. Tracy’s public schools and Sister City Association of Tracy, Inc. assume no liability or sponsorship for the student program but endeavors to assist the program coordinators in finding qualified candidates.



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APPLICATION
MUST BE POSTMARKED BY NOVEMBER 9th, 2018
 Contact: Erin Quintana at erinquintana1@gmail.com

Parent Informational Meeting Wednesday, October 10, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at Tracy Transit Station
Only complete applications will be considered for an interview on Saturday, December 1, 2018

Student Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Email _____ School Attending _____

Parents Names (1) _____ Email _____

Parents Names (2) _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone (day) _____ (evening) _____

Names of Teachers asked for Recommendations (1) _____ (2) _____

SCHOOL VERIFICATION

(It is the responsibility of the applicant to get the school verification completed)

I, the legal guardian of _____, give my permission for the school to verify to the Sister City Student Educational Exchange committee that my child meets the criteria to be recommended for the Educational Exchange visit to Memuro, Japan.

Parent Signature _____

School Verification _____

Person Verifying	Title	Date
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Please verify student qualifications

- Student in good academic standing (2.0 or higher)
- Attendance at 90% or better
- Behavior – NO suspensions (in 7th grade to present)

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*****FOR SISTER CITY ASSOCIATION USE ONLY*****

Application Received: _____ Application complete and legible: _____ Application Fee: _____
 Essay: _____ Photo: _____ Teacher Rec 1: _____ Teacher Rec 2: _____



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TEACHER RECOMMENDATION FORM
*****CONFIDENTIAL*****

Student Name _____

School Attending _____

To the Applicant:

Fill in the above information and give to your teacher with a stamped envelope addressed to Sister City Association. Remember to give your teachers sufficient time to complete and mail before November 9th, 2018.

To the Recommender:

This student is applying to be an Ambassador for the Sister City of Tracy Student Educational Exchange Program visiting our sister city of Memuro, Japan. Ambassadors should be individuals who take pride in themselves, demonstrate respect of authority, and interact with their peers. Your candid comments will be very helpful and your information will only be reviewed by the selection committee of Sister City Association. Please complete this **confidential** form and mail directly to the address below. For this applicant to be considered, this recommendation must be postmarked by **November 9th, 2018.**

Recommender's Name _____ Date _____

Signature _____ School Phone # _____

Recommendation form must be postmarked by: **NOVEMBER 9th, 2018.**

Mail to:
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Student Educational Exchange
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