

### **Jefferson Times** Home of the Wildcats

Jason Strickland, Principal Lauren Beith, Principal's Secretary Angela Hewey, Attendance Clerk

August 19th, 2022

Good Evening Amazing Jefferson Families,

We are rolling right along and finishing up another fantastic week of school here at Jefferson. The students and staff are settling in and I am seeing some great work inside of the classrooms. Students are getting used to being back in school and I wanted to say THANK YOU for making sure they are here and on time every day. Attendance is so important for our students and the research is clear: good attendance affects achievement, graduation rates, and social-emotional factors like grit and perseverance.

We are always focusing on the Jefferson Creed and I hope your children have discussed it with you. WE say it every day in the morning announcements and I am really focusing on the WE. It means all of us (students, staff, and parents) follow the Creed, not just students. Thank you for supporting your children by modeling the Creed so they can see that it stretches beyond the school and classroom.

We are going to be having our "normal year" events this year and I will be sending out information on Sports, Performances, and other school related events. Be sure to check out the ASB calendar for some activities as we roll in to September. Order your college gear soon; College week starts September 12<sup>th</sup> (see attached flyer). Finally, I would love to connect with you at our very first Coffee and Conversation with the Principal. Join me in the cafeteria at 8:30am on the last Wednesday of every month to hear about all of the amazing things happening at Jefferson.

Have a great weekend and GO Wildcats!

Take care,

Jason Strickland

Principal

#### Be Responsible

Do Your Best Each Day - Think Before You Speak

## JEFFERSON CREED

Put Others First - Avoid Conflict

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

8/24 – Minimum Day 8/31 – Minimum Day 9/5 – Labor Day (NO SCHOOL) 9/7 – Minimum Day MJPFA Parent Meeting 9/12-9/16 – COLLEGE WEEK 9/14 – Minimum Day 9/16 – COLLEGE WEEK RALLY 9/21 – Minimum Day 9/26 – Parent Teacher Conferences (NO SCHOOL) 9/28 – Minimum Day Coffee & Conversations w/Principal 8:30am

#### Attendance



#### **Every Day Counts**

Chronic absenteeism is a serious problem on our campus. Many students are absent or tardy on a regular basis and this has a huge impact on their learning. We want you to join us in making school attendance a high priority for your family. Remember, school is your child's first and most important job. Please support them by getting them here on time and scheduling appointments and vacations outside the school day.

#### **MJPFA Information**

MJPFA PARENT MEETING WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 2022 2:00 pm AT MONTICELLO SCHOOL

> Kids are welcome. Find out the many ways you can volunteer for carnival. If you arent able to make it dont worry email for more info. Contact: mjpfa6@gmail

### **Dress Code**



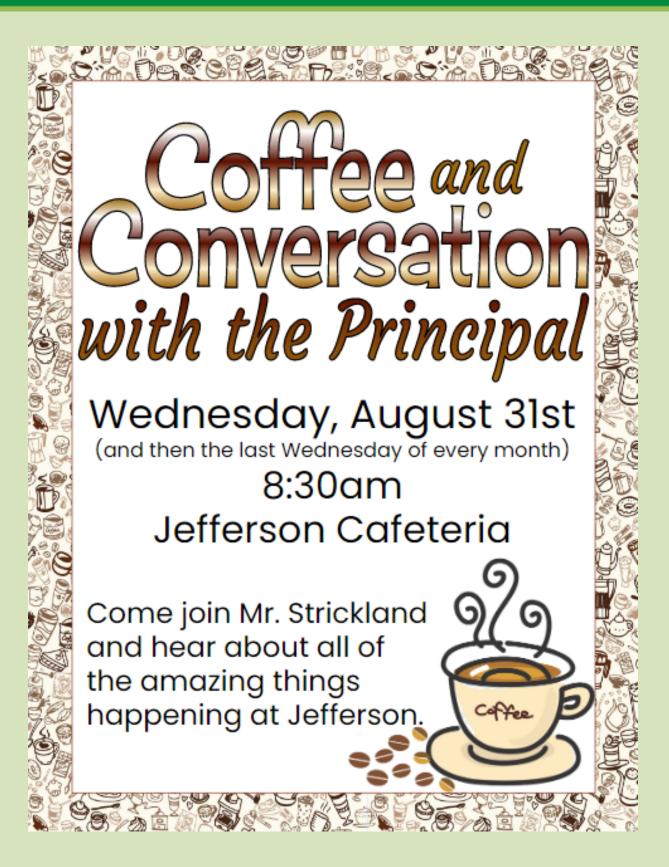
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## Coffee & Conversation with the Principal



# College Week Coming Soon! September 12-16



## Monticello/Jefferson School Carnival is Back!

