

Jacobs School Blue Notes

March 23, 2023



A Note from the Principal

The 20th Annual Read-a-thon was a huge success! The Jacobs and Memorial School raised a staggering \$24,000. I'm not one to harp on money or fundraisers, but I feel obligated to express my gratitude on behalf of the Jacobs School community for your generosity. This is a tremendous amount of money that will be used thoughtfully to directly impact the positive experience your child will have here at the Jacobs School. Thank you!

The first round of the assistant principal interviews took place on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. The committee was made up of eight staff members and four parents. The second round will take place the first week in April.

I look forward to seeing you all tonight at Parent Conferences. As always, please feel free to contact me with any concerns you may have.

~Mr. Shaw



Attention Class of 2030 (Grade 5) parents and guardians:

Please join me in creating a planning committee for the traditional End-of-Year Activities for the Class of 2030. Please contact Aleeza Hagerty at 240-346-1101 or aleezarose@hotmail.com if you want to be involved! Our 1st meeting is at 7PM on Friday, March 31, at The Scout House.

-Aleeza

Hello Jacobs Elementary School Students, Parents, and Guardians! This is Ian Barkon, the Hull High School Band Director - Music Educator. The HHS Band and I are inviting all of you and your close friends and family from around town to dine in or take out from our local eateries that have chosen to partner up with the high school band. Please show your support of music education in the Hull Public School District, as well as the local food establishments, by visiting them on the day and time of their donation.

The Hull High School Band and I thank you all for helping out the community and the students.

Dine and Donate Calendar (Updates will happen regularly as new restaurants sign up, so please check daily!)

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Bruno Andrews-Mundo was selected by the Memorial Middle School to be Hull's Ambassador to Project 351, a nonprofit organization that focuses on youth-led service to the community. For their Spring Service Project, Project 351 has partnered with Cradles to Crayons for a clothing drive to collect and recycle quality children's clothes for newborns through age 12 to those in need. There will be a collection box in the Jacobs School lobby through the end of the month. See the attached flyers for more details.

PAJAMA STORY HOUR presents

Bring Your Teddy Night!

Wednesday, March 29 @ 5:30pm
Jacobs School Music Room

Please click [here](#) to reserve your spot & craft supplies.



DON'T
FORGET
TO WEAR
YOUR
PAJAMAS!

Mark Your Calendar!

Mar 24—JACOBS HAS TALENT!!! Audition forms return deadline

Mar 29—Forsyth Dental visits JES

Mar 29—Early Dismissal 12:15pm

Mar 29—JACOBS HAS TALENT!!! Auditions 4:30-6:30pm

Mar 29—Pajama Story Hour 5:30pm ([Register here](#))

Mar 29—Jacobs School Council 5:30pm

Apr 7—No School

Apr 12—JACOBS HAS TALENT!!! 6-8pm

Apr 17-21—April Vacation

GATOR RAD!



We Want Your RAD Photos!

Send photos of your RAD Pirates having fun in their Core Value T-Shirts or school colors to Mrs. Menice at ecmenice@town.hull.ma.us! Photos will be featured in the slideshow at our next schoolwide assembly, and maybe even in the Blue Notes!

Spring 2023 MCAS Dates:

- ❖ Grade 5 ELA: April 4, 6
- ❖ Grade 5 Math: April 25, 27
- ❖ Grade 5 STE: May 16, 18
- Grade 4 ELA: April 10, 11
- Grade 4 Math: May 1, 2
- ✓ Grade 3 ELA: April 13, 14
- ✓ Grade 3 Math: May 4, 5

IT'S TIME TO GET YOUR ACT TOGETHER.
JACOBS HAS TALENT!!!
TALENT SHOW AUDITION
FORMS ARE DUE
TOMORROW!

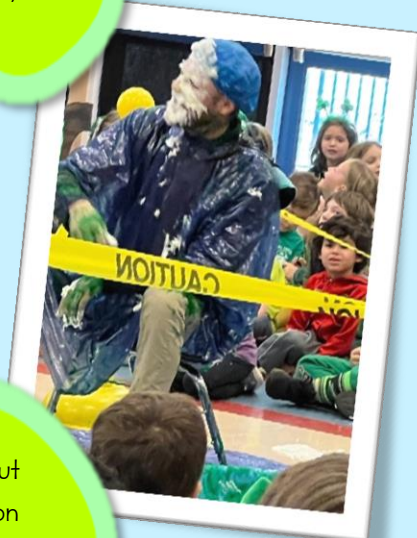


Join the RAD team!

Jacobs Elementary School is seeking both part-time (M, T, Th, F) and full-time paraprofessionals. For more information please contact Principal Kyle Shaw at kshaw@town.hull.ma.us.

Kyle Shaw, Principal

Elaine Menice, Interim Assistant Principal



The 20th Annual Read-A-Thon is All Wrapped Up!

On Friday we held one of our most popular assemblies, the Read-A-Thon Wrap-Up! Here's what happened: The Reading Pirate had challenged students to read a minimum of 202,020 total minutes, and they easily met and exceeded that number with 251,586 minutes!

Top Readers by Grade Level

Preschool — Zack Panetta

Kindergarten — Axel Hassler

1st — Amari Truglia

2nd — Jordan Dunn

3rd — Erik Grunert

4th — Nate Somario

5th — Caroline Lancaster (Schoolwide top reader!)

Because the Reading Pirate's Challenge was met, his stunt was put into play. The "Wheel of Misfortune" was spun... When it landed on Mrs. Vittorini & Mrs. Capone, they were slimed! At that point, the Reading Pirate, himself, made a surprise appearance and slimed Mr. Shaw! He then invited the Top Fundraisers in each grade to "pie"

Mr. Shaw in the face!

Top Fundraisers by Grade Level

Kindergarten: Gio Martinez

1st — Ryan Duran

2nd — Juliano Andrade

3rd — Braedyn O'Hare

4th — Casey DeVecchio

5th — Grace McMullen



ROCKING OUR SOCKS FOR WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY!



Box Tops for Education is Another Great Fundraiser for Our School!

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS: Download the free Box Tops app and follow the set-up instructions to start earning \$\$ for the Jacobs School. When you buy participating products, use the Box Tops app to scan your store receipt. The app identifies eligible products and earnings are credited to your designated school. Even if you're shopping online or doing grocery pickup, you can still submit your digital or email receipt with the Box Tops app and earn money for the technology program at the Jacobs School.

Twice a year, the school gets a check! The money goes toward technology at the Jacobs. This year the funds have been used for Picasso Tiles (magnet tiles) and art supplies for STEAM projects. So far this year we have earned \$130.10 from the program. Our lifetime earnings are \$22,044.27!

