

Jacobs School Blue Notes

May 18, 2023

A Note from the Principal

Thank you to those who attended Tuesday night's reconfiguration presentation. I'm confident in the plan thus far, and excited for the years to come here at the Jacobs. Please don't hesitate to reach out to me directly with any ideas, questions, or concerns.

Next week is a busy one at the Jacobs School. Wednesday is a half day (12:15 dismissal) and also our annual Art Show/Ice Cream Social. This is always well attended and worth the visit. The Jacobs School will be transformed into an art museum with student art work everywhere you look. Walk the halls and admire the creativity and artistic abilities of our talented students. When you're done, don't forget to stop by the cafeteria for an ice cream sundae scooped by one of your child's favorite teachers. In addition, Friday is our fourth annual Bike to School Day! Your child can start from any of the [six official starting locations](#) and ride to school in groups accompanied by Hull Police Officers and/or adult volunteers. If you are interested in getting involved, there are still [volunteer opportunities](#). We appreciate any amount of time you can spare! Remember, Bike to School [permission forms](#) are due tomorrow, Friday, May 19.

Thank you to the Daisy Troop for weeding the garden last week. Their community service earned them their "helpful" petal. It was a win-win for all!

~Mr. Shaw



Daisies
vs.
Weeds!



Mark Your Calendar!

May 22—School Committee 6:30pm @ HHS

May 24—12:15 Dismissal

May 24—Art Show & Ice Cream Social 5-7pm

May 24—Jacobs School Council 5:00pm

May 24—Pajama Story Hour 5:00pm

May 26—Bike to School Day

May 29—Memorial Day, no school

May 31—Kindergarten Screening

June 2—Spirit Day

June 3—Hull High School Graduation

June 6—PTO Meeting 7pm @ JES

June 7—Kindergarten Orientation

June 8—Spring Concert: PK, K-2 @ 9:00; PK, 3-5 @ 1:30

June 12—PK Graduation 2:00

June 12 & 20—School Committee HHS @ 6:30pm

June 13—Pirate Field Day!

June 14—12:15 Dismissal

June 15—Last Day of School! 11:45 dismissal

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!


Chronic Absenteeism

Massachusetts defines **Chronically Absent** as missing at least 10% of days enrolled (e.g., 18 days absent if enrolled for 180) regardless of whether the absences are considered excused or unexcused. Being chronically absent can have a significant impact on a student's ability to perform academically

After School Child Care will close at 4:45 this Wednesday for the Art Show & Ice Cream Social.

Kyle Shaw, Principal

Elaine Menice, Interim Assistant Principal



JACOBS ART SHOW & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

THIS WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 5-7 PM!



Tour the Jacobs Museum of Art this Wednesday evening, and when you've finished admiring our students' many masterpieces, head to the cafeteria for an ice cream sundae! A huge thank you to **Lucky Lemons** for donating this year's ice cream! Volunteers are still needed to help with all aspects of this event. Please [click here](#) to sign up. Sponsored by Hull PTO.

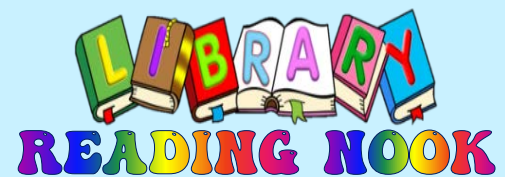
BIKE TO SCHOOL DAY: FRIDAY, MAY 26!



The Jacobs School is celebrating Bike to School Day on Friday, May 26. Students will gather at six different starting points throughout the town and ride in groups (accompanied by Hull Police Officers and/or adult volunteers) to school. Please [click here](#) for more information.

Volunteers are needed to ride with the children, for check-ins at each starting location and at the school, and for bike check-out at the school. Please [click here](#) to volunteer.

A completed permission form will be required for each student who participates in this exciting event. Forms are available in the school office, or [click here](#) to print your own.



LIBRARY READING NOOK

The Jacobs Library closes for the school year on May 26. Please return all borrowed books! The following classes have one last library visit in the coming week:

Monday: Smith, Huntington, Wilson, Silva

Tuesday: Buttkus, Rajan, Martin

Friday: Gomes, Connelly, Mitchell

Adult Night Out — Tomorrow!

5th grade parents are hosting an *Adult Night Out Decades Party* TOMORROW, May 19, 7-9pm at Paragon Boardwalk. They will draw the scratch ticket raffle winner, hold a silent auction, and just have fun! There will be no cover charge, but donations to the cause (Class of 2030) will be appreciated. Dress for your favorite decade and you may win the Best Costume Prize! Please see the attached flyer for more details.

HEART OF THE PIRATE

The May 2023 Heart of the Pirate Award winners were announced at Friday's Spirit Day Assembly:

Kindergarten — Henry Dunn

1st Grade — Dean Fahey

2nd Grade — Emma Kaminaga

3rd Grade — Ryder Lankas

4th Grade — Casey DelVecchio

5th Grade — Grace McMullen

Congratulations and a hearty Yo-Ho to all the winners!

