

Jacobs School Blue Notes

May 25, 2023

A Note from the Principal

Last night's annual Art Show & Ice Cream Social was a blast, leaving me in awe of the incredible turnout from our devoted families during after-school events. It truly showcases your unwavering commitment to the Jacobs community and your child's education. I consider myself incredibly fortunate to play a small role in this remarkable community. Thank you to Mrs. Pestone for her tireless efforts, not only in preparing for the show but also throughout the entire year. The displayed artwork was nothing short of extraordinary. Moreover, I extend my deepest appreciation to the PTO and the dedicated parent volunteers who flawlessly transformed the school into a captivating art museum. And, of course, what would the Art Show be without the ice cream? We extend our heartfelt thanks to Lucky Lemons for their generous donation.

Bike to School Day is just one day away! Bike tags went home today. Please make sure the color-coded tag is attached to the handlebars of your child's bike. This will make bike retrieval easier, as we will have over 115 bicycles parked behind the school! Pickup for all bikes will be between 8:45-9:45 and 3:00-6:00 on the rear blacktop (to the right of the cafeteria). **Of course, all bikers will need to wear a helmet to participate.**

Next week, three different committees will be interviewing candidates for our open positions in grades 2 & 5 as well as the grade 6 social studies position. I look forward to working with the committees to find the best educators for your children.

~Mr. Shaw

Strep Throat Alert from Ms. Keegan

A number of students have been diagnosed with strep throat over the past couple of weeks. Strep throat is very contagious. It is spread easily through sneezing, coughing or shaking hands.

Signs and Symptoms of strep throat:

- sore throat
- fever
- red and swollen tonsils
- painful or swollen neck glands
- red and white patches in the throat
- headache
- stomach pain, nausea
- loss of appetite
- general discomfort
- rash

If your child is complaining of any of the above symptoms I suggest you have them get a strep test at their pediatrician's office. Children diagnosed with strep throat are no longer contagious and can return to school 24 hours after antibiotic treatment has been started.

Bike to School Day Starting Locations & Times

1. Phipps Street Lot on corner of Samoset Ave: 7:25 check-in, 7:30 start time
2. St. Ann's Parking Lot: 7:30 check-in, 7:35 start time
3. N Street and Nantasket Ave: 7:40 check-in, 7:45 start time
4. XYZ Street Parking Lot: 7:50 check-in, 7:55 start time
5. Hull Lifesaving Museum: 7:55 check-in, 8:00 start time
6. Village Playground: 7:55 check-in, 8:00 start time



Kyle Shaw, Principal

Elaine Menice, Interim Assistant Principal

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Mark Your Calendar!

May 26—Bike to School Day

May 29—Memorial Day, no school

May 31—Kindergarten Screening

June 1—HHS Grad Walk thru JES!

June 2—Spirit Day

June 3—Hull High School Graduation

June 6—5th Grade Move-Up Day

June 6—PTO Meeting 7pm @ JES

June 7—Kindergarten Orientation 5pm

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

June 12—PK Graduation 2pm

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

June 13—Pirate Field Day!

June 13—Last Day of Preschool!

June 14—12:15 Dismissal

June 14—5th Grade Celebration 12:30-2:30

June 15—Last Day of School! 11:45 dismissal, no lunch served, no after school childcare



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!

LIBRARY READING NOOK

Although this year's final library classes take place tomorrow, library volunteers will continue working to organize and inventory all the books in the library. Please return any borrowed books immediately. Thank you!

Friday: Gomes, Connelly, Mitchell

