

JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

2017

JESPTA

2018

WHAT'S NEW?

Throughout the school year JESPTA will be offering many different and exciting ways you can volunteer and help provide **our** children with rewarding programs and activities...

PLANNED FUNDRAISING AND ACTIVITIES THIS YEAR:

Book Fair • Pretzel Sales
Cupcake Sales • School Spirit Wear
Zumba Family Night • Vendor Night
Calendar Lottery • Holiday Boutique

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sep 15: Ice Cream Social
Sep 27: Open House
Sep 28-29: Book Fair
Dec 11 & 14: Holiday Concert
Dec 8: Vendor Night
Jan 19: Movie Night
Feb 15: Bingo Night
Mar 15: Volleyball Night
Apr 6: Spring Social
Apr 25-26: Book Fair
May 10: Art Show
May 15: DARE Graduation
May 16: Track/Field Meet
May 30/June 6: Spring Concert
June 8: Pool Party

WHAT OUR FUNDRAISING COLLECTIONS HELP US SPONSOR FOR OUR CHILDREN AT NO EXTRA COST:

Track and Field Day •
Movie Night • 5th Grade Yearbooks
Spring Family Social
Pool Party • Teacher Appreciation
Christmas Carol • Ice Cream Social
Homework Planners • Family Fun Night
Just to mention a few.

JESPTA OFFICERS

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Heather Solares

First Vice President

Jim Jensen

Second Vice President

Janet Andrade

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Kathy McGee

Recording Secretary

Paula Andrade

Corresponding Secretary

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10 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN JESPTA:

1. It is good for your child.
2. It is important to our school.
3. You will get connected.
4. You will be part of a network.
5. You will make a difference.
6. IT IS FUN!!!
7. You will be a role model.
8. You will help raise necessary funds.
9. It is flexible.
10. It is for every family member.

Join Jefferson Elementary School PTA

Welcome to Jefferson!!! We request your support in joining JESPTA. Should you choose to participate in events at the school, for insurance purposes, you **must be a member of JESPTA**. This includes the pool party, book fairs, boutiques, etc.

Having our membership achieve 100% would be fantastic! Let us show that our JES community as a whole can do the same for our children. Here is a list of some events the membership funds contribute towards:

**Family Fun Nights ♥ Pool Party ♥ D.A.R.E. T-Shirts ♥ Ice Cream Social
Holiday Show ♥ Yearbooks ♥ Student Planners and much, much more!**

You can join in one of the following ways:

1) Join online and pay your membership fee by credit card at www.pt-avenue.com/join; select New Jersey, then Union County from the drop down, then select Central Five Jefferson School PTA; follow the prompts and fill in all information.

2) Clearly complete ALL information on this form and return it to school with your payment in an envelope marked "JESPTA Membership".

Child/Children's Name

Teacher's Name AND Room #

Full Name - Person(s) Joining

Relationship to Child

Email Address for Email Blast

Main Contact Phone Number: _____

Members Joining: _____ X \$6.00 = Total \$ _____

Make all checks payable to: JESPTA

* Enrollment automatically includes your email address to our school email blast communication as well as approval to view our Facebook page.*

Thank you for your support!

JANUARY		Notes
01	New Year's Day Observance - <i>School Closed</i>	
02	School Reopens	
03	PTA Meeting 7:00 pm	
12	Pretzel Sale	
12	Staff Development Workshop - <i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	
15	Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday - <i>School Closed</i>	
19	Movie Night	
30	Life Touch - Group and Staff Photos	
FEBRUARY		Notes
06	Book Fair Set Up after 3pm	
07-08	Book Fair	
07	PTA Meeting 7:00 pm	
15	Family Bingo Night	
16	Pretzel Sale	
16	Staff Development Workshop - <i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	
19	President's Birthday - <i>School Closed</i>	
26	Spring Fundraiser Begins	
MARCH		Notes
07	PTA Meeting 7:00 pm	
09	Spring Fundraiser Ends	
15	JES Volley Ball Night - Parents vs. Teachers/ Students vs. Both	
16	Pretzel Sale	
16	Staff Development Workshop - <i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	
30	Passover/Good Friday - <i>School Closed</i>	
APRIL		Notes
02	World Autism Day - Wear Blue	
04	PTA Meeting 7:00 pm	
06	Leadership Day - Day Event By Invitation	
07	Spring Fling 7:00pm	
13	Spelling Bee - Day Event by Invitation	
16-20	Spring Recess - <i>School Closed</i>	
23	School Reopens	
24	BOGO - Book Fair Set Up after 3pm	
25-26	BOGO - Book Fair	
26	TYCTWD - Take Your Child To Work Day	
MAY		Notes
02	PTA Meeting 7:00 pm	
07-11	Teacher's Appreciation Week	
10	Staff Appreciation Luncheon	
10	Art Show	
15	D.A.R.E. Graduation	
16	Track & Field	
17	Track & Field <i>Rain Date</i>	
25	Memorial Day Weekend - <i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	
28	Memorial Day - <i>School Closed</i>	
28	Memorial Day Parade - March w/D.A.R.E. (Location and Time TBD)	
30	Spring Concert Part I - PTA General Meeting	

JUNE		Notes
05	Awards Ceremony – Day Event by Invitation	
05	5th Grade Orientation – PM Two sessions	
06	Spring Concert Part I – PTA General Meeting	
08	Pool Party	
11	Pool Party <i>Rain Date</i>	
14	PTA Meeting – Potluck Dinner 6:30pm	
19	Yearbook Signing Party (TBD)	
19-22	<i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	
22	Last Day Of School - <i>12:20 pm School Dismissal</i>	

Date of Events Are Subject To Change.



JEFFERSON PTA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

155 Hilton Avenue, Vauxhall, NJ 07088

2017-2018 JESPTA Executive Board Committees

Looking for ways to get involved? We have both events and committees that you can help out with! Please consider joining us. **We will work with your schedule**, and you might even meet new friends! Plus, all committees come with a procedure book (and we are all here to help you too!), so don't worry if you're new to this! Without you, *none* of this would be possible.

Thank you so much for all your support this year!

FUNDRAISING: Assist our 1st VP, Jim Jensen in any aspect that fits your schedule. Could include checking over order forms, calling parents with questions regarding orders, help with delivering orders to classroom once they return, etc. Need volunteers for distribution.

TEACHER'S APPRECIATION: Coordinates a Holiday Dessert Table (12/20/17) for teachers and staff in December and facilitates the events May for Teachers Appreciation Week (5/7/18-5/11/18). Needs a chairperson and volunteers for setup, table manning and clean up.

HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE: Contacts the vendor and is responsible for running the sale of holiday items to the students. Coordinates what items we choose to sell and all volunteers who sign up to work. Need chairperson and volunteers to assist in setting up shop as well as helping children with their shopping, and cleanup

BOOK FAIR: Works closely with vendor and runs all aspects of the Book Fair including recruiting volunteers. Need a chairperson and volunteers to help setup, help students during Book Fair (Fall & Spring), and help with cleanup.

MOVIE NIGHT: Coordinate the movie, equipment, and refreshments. Set up and clean up the night of the movie and sell refreshments. Need coordinator and volunteers.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL: Coordinate the purchase of ice cream and distribution of same to students and their families. Need a chairperson and volunteers to help setup, serve, and clean up.

PRETZEL SALES: Coordinate the purchase of pretzels and sales of same to students, as well as disbursement of pre-purchased pretzels. Need a chairperson and volunteers to help with purchase and disbursement of pretzels.



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Email us at JESPTA2@twpunionschools.org

Mark your interest selection with a Y for volunteer and a C for chairing the committee. We want to provide everyone the opportunity to chair an event, so know all submissions will be reviewed to ensure we have acquired inclusion of all.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Movie Night | <input type="checkbox"/> Pretzel Sales |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ice Cream Social | <input type="checkbox"/> Track & Field Day |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Fun Nights | <input type="checkbox"/> Ornament Sale |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Volleyball Night | <input type="checkbox"/> Memory/Year Book |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Book Fair(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Box Tops/Labels for Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pool Party*** | <input type="checkbox"/> School Spirit Wear Sale |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher Appreciation Week | <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Staff Luncheon |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Boutique | <input type="checkbox"/> Nominating Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Halloween Parade Cupcake Sale | <input type="checkbox"/> Vendor Night |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraiser(s) | |

*** Please note: Parental attendance to the pool party is limited to those who are active PTA members (i.e... attending PTA meetings, actively assisting in committees/events, etc..) throughout the year.***

Please feel free to suggest additional events or committees:

If you are interested in being the classroom liaison and/or classroom liaison helper, make a selection below. There will be a separate meeting to discuss responsibilities; though it is most for the classroom parties and teacher collaboration.

Classroom Liaison Classroom Liaison Helper

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

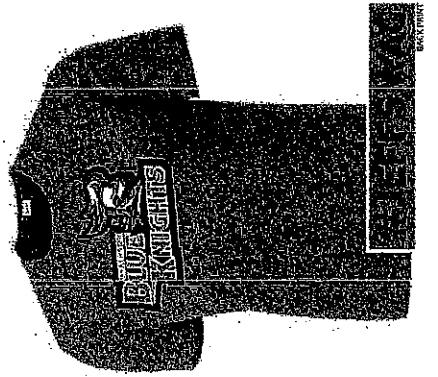
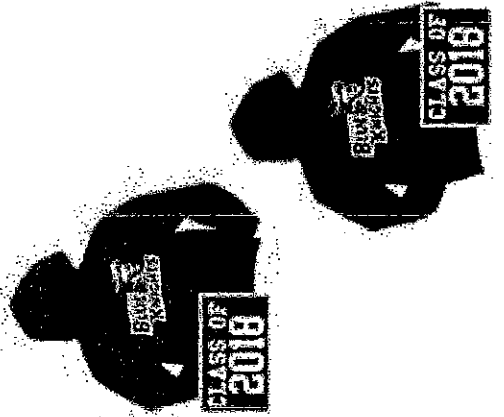
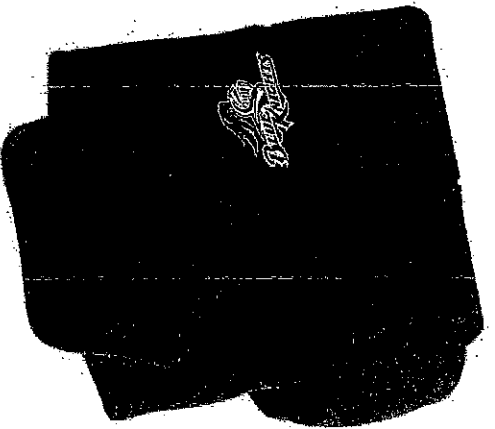
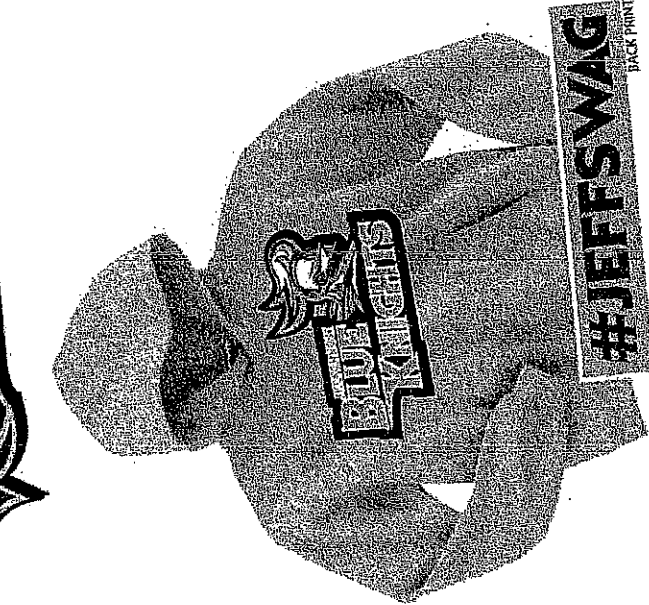
Childs name _____ Class Number _____

Please return this sheet to the PTA mailbox ASAP!! Thank you for your time!!! ☺



Show your Blue Knight SPIRIT Today!

There are more items available on the online store!





Jefferson School PTA

SPIRIT WEAR 2017-2018



We are excited to have Jefferson School's spirit wear ONLINE STORE hosted by Sneakers Plus. You are sure to find something that your child will love. There are NEW items for youth and adults, plus some FALL favorites. All merchandise is available for purchase for the **next two weeks only**. No late orders will be accepted. A small portion of each sale will help to support PTA events for our children.

Simply follow the steps below to view and purchase items for your child. All orders will be delivered October 23 & 24. For Spirit Day on 27 .

- Go to www.sneakersplus.com
- Choose **"All Open Stores"**
- Choose **"Jefferson School – 2017-2018"**
- Select items and sizes
- Order and payment are placed right online!
- **All items will be delivered right to Jefferson School.**

Please contact Jim Jensen with any questions at (908) 398-1460.

