



Leopard News

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NOVEMBER 2018

Dates to Remember

- 11/1 Picture Re-Take Day
- 11/2 Jog-A-Thon Prize Celebration Day
- 11/4 Daylight Savings Time Ends
- 11/5 Site Council & Title I Mtg, 2:30, Library
- 11/7 Early Release, 1:20 p.m.
- 11/12 NO SCHOOL, Veteran's Day
- 11/14 Spirit Day - All Mixed Up
- 11/14 Early Release, 1:20 p.m.
- 11/14 Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Dist. Board Rm.
- 11/20 Civil War Spirit Day, Dress in your favorite team colors
- 11/21-11/23 NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Break
- 11/28 Early Release, 1:20 p.m.
- 12/3 NO SCHOOL, Inservice Day
- 12/11 **DATE CHANGE:** Holiday Meal

Important News

Picture Retakes: Picture retake day will be Thursday, Nov. 1, 2018. If you do not want to keep your original packet please return it on retake day and Lifetouch will make you a new packet with the new picture. If you would like to have your child photographed again and they do not return the original packet, you will have to pay for an additional packet.

If your child is new to JWE or did not have their picture taken during the first picture day, please make sure they get their picture taken on Thursday, Nov. 1st. Picture Packets are available in the school office for anyone needing one or you can order online at www.mylifetouch.com (picture day ID FO748469Q2).

TAG Referrals: Parent referrals for a Talented and Gifted evaluation for your child are being accepted now through December 21, 2018. If you see a need for your child to be evaluated for TAG this school year, please contact our building TAG coordinator for a Parent Nomination Form. A signed Parent Nomination Form must be turned in by **December 21st**. JWE TAG Coordinator: Becky Waverly 503-656-6564 ext. 235
waverlyr@gladstone.k12.or.us

After School Transportation Changes: We would like to bring to your attention our new process for changes to after school transportation. We are asking for all changes to be in writing to the office no later than 2:00 p.m. (1:00 on Wed.). This will allow the office time to get the messages to teachers before the end of the school day. We have a new email address to make this easy for you. Please send a message to jwettransportation@gladstone.k12.or.us with your child's name, teacher and the requested change. If they are going home with another student, we also ask you to give us the other student's first and last name and teacher if possible.

State Testing Parent Notices: The Annual Notice for Statewide Tests and the 30-Day Notice of Statewide Tests have been posted to the school and district websites. Hard copies are also available in the office.

Leopard Gear Orders: - We are currently taking orders for Leopard Gear until November 29th. Winter orders will be delivered on Dec. 14th. There will also be a Spring order. Order forms are available in the office.

Sponsorships - YOU can make a difference! Teachers need your help! Students need your support! Do you know of a business or someone who wants to sponsor JWE. Please consider joining the list of supporting businesses and families with a donation to our school. Sponsors will receive acknowledgement in the monthly newsletter, on the office readerboard and space on the community bulletin board to share a flyer for our community members to view. You can choose up to $\frac{1}{2}$ of your donation to go to the classroom of your choice. Your money will go to classroom supplies, field trips, student technology, assemblies, art supplies and other school needs. Your contribution may also be tax deductible.

Leopard Pride Parents Group - The Leopard Pride: A community of Family and Faculty Joining Together for Student Enrichment. To become an active member simply send an e-mail to JWEPFO@gmail.com and request to be added to the e-mail loop. If you signed up during registration but have not been receiving e-mails, please send a message to let them know.

October Character Trait Winners: The character Trait for October was **Integrity**. The following students were recognized by their teacher for exhibiting this trait:

Teacher	Grade	Name
Mrs. Johnson	1	Josiah Iliyn
Mrs. Landis	1	Marley Hartman
Mrs. Lowther	1	Dallas Kelly
Mrs. Marlia	1	Tyler Crutcher
Ms. Watkins	1	Emma Wenzel
Mr. Hill	2	Rylee Pope
Ms. Stephen	2	Eve Proski
Mrs. Vierra	2	Jadrian Santos
Mrs. Waverly	2	Pamela Cruz
Mrs. Winegar	2	Alivia Serna
Ms. Banka	3	Jacenia Bernal
Mrs. Bigbee	3	Alyssa McCormick
Mrs. Black	3	Ezra Gamble

Teacher	Grade	Name
Mrs. Pheil	3	Samuel Kuntz
Ms. Thompson	3	Kassidy Gonzalez
Ms. Kelso	4	DanielleColleen Cruz
Mrs. Lane	4	Matthew Bratkov
Mrs. Hess	4	Ava Moss
Mrs. Morse	4	Michaela Golston
Miss Gillies	4	Ezra Meyer
Mrs. Mitchell	5	Brianna Garcia
Mrs. Aldridge	5	Rylan Fisher
Mrs. Mullen	5	Miseal Acensio-Drennan
Mrs. Fox	5	Adeline Schmidt
Mrs. Mudd	5	Charlotte VanOrder
Ms. Ott	5	Sully Marcoe