

APRIL 2025

THE JULINGTON CREEK JAG JOURNAL



PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Greetings Jaguar Families,

I hope everyone's month of April is off to a great start! Our journey to the end of the school year begins this month as we enter the fourth quarter. End of year state testing will begin this month, with 4th and 5th Grade students showing off their writing skills, and our K-2 students working on STAR Literacy and Math.

We look forward to a number of fun activities this month, starting with our Julington Creek Elementary Variety Show. This event is Wednesday, April 2nd, and is a varied showcase of many different genres of talent among our student population. Before the show will be the "basket preview" for the basket drawings to be held at Jag Jam this coming weekend. Speaking of Jag Jam, do not miss our wonderful, spring carnival event. Please see all communication that has been coming out from PTO regarding the details of the event. Later this week, we will also send out parking information to help you park and enter the event safely.

Another special time we look forward to this month is our Volunteer Breakfast. More details will be sent out soon regarding this special event, honoring all of our wonderful volunteers!

Next week, April 8,9 and 10, we will have the bins on campus from Goodwill for their annual Bag it Up drive. Do some spring cleaning, and bring your bags of donations straight to school. We will have bins in the car line area and we will leave them out there during the school day for any drop offs.

We will wrap up the month with a career expo for our 4th and 5th Grade students, and also have a celebratory Sunshine State Reader breakfast for students in 3rd – 5th Grades who have fulfilled the reading requirements. So many exciting events in store for our Jaguars!

If you are wanting to visit or volunteer at the school (especially at this very eventful time of year), please make sure you have completed the required volunteer clearance. This process takes some time, so please apply as soon as possible. Visit <https://stjohns.keepntrack.com/apply/> to start your application. Reminder that clearance is only good for 3 years. If it has been a while since you have gone through the process, please contact the front office to ensure that you are cleared.

We look forward to an amazing April with all our Jaguars. Have a wonderful month ahead!

Sincerely,
Dr. Reichenberg

CALENDAR

Apr. 2- Jag Jam Basket Preview Night
3:30-6:30

Apr. 5- Jag Jam 11-3pm

Apr. 8- PTO Meeting 6:30/Bag it up

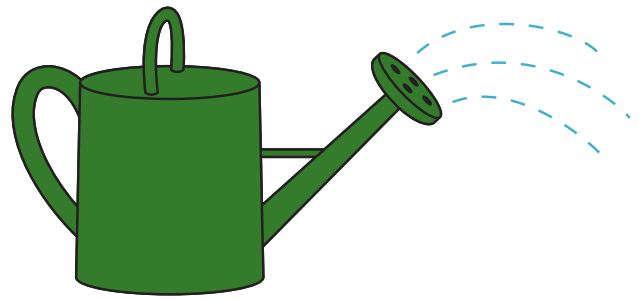
April 15- Spirit Night Firehouse Subs

Apr. 18 - Volunteer & Substitute
Luncheon

Apr. 27 -Spring Family Event Jumbo
Shrimp game 3:00

Apr. 28 - Interims Available

April 28- Book Fair

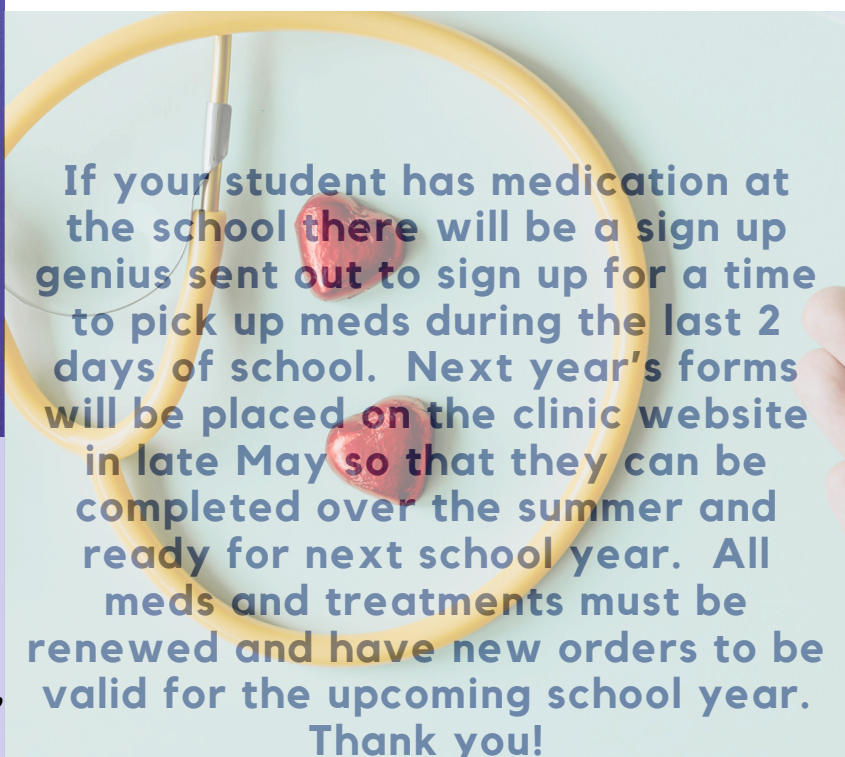


As we are in the last quarter of the school year, events will be taking place throughout our district. Everyone must have school access to go past the front office of any school. If you plan to go into a school, and have not completed a school access form in the past, it is highly recommended that you complete this form right away. The form can be found at <https://stjohns.keepntrack.com/apply>. Completion of background screening can take two weeks or longer. If you completed a school access form in the past and think your approval may have expired (approval lasts for 3 years), call your child's school and they will provide your current information.

APRIL SHOWERS
Bring
MAY FLOWERS



Parents look for an email from the District sometime in April or May. This email will be about the RSV form, which needs to be completed and submitted for all students. On this form please make sure you make any corrections so we can update our system. Again, this form needs to be completed for all students, whether or not you will be joining us for the 25-26 school year.



If your student has medication at the school there will be a sign up genius sent out to sign up for a time to pick up meds during the last 2 days of school. Next year's forms will be placed on the clinic website in late May so that they can be completed over the summer and ready for next school year. All meds and treatments must be renewed and have new orders to be valid for the upcoming school year.
Thank you!



April Lunch Menu

Mondays – March 31st April 14th & 28th– Chicken Nuggets with garlic stick or Philly

Steak Sandwich with Tater Tots & Green Beans

7th & 21st Chicken Biscuit Slider or Cinni French Toast & Tater Tots

Tuesdays – 1st, 15th & 29th Mini Corn Dogs or Mac & Cheese, Baked Beans.

8th Penne Pasta with Marinara Sauce or Marinara with Meatballs with a Garlic Stick or Mini Corn Dogs.

22nd Penne Pasta with Marinara Sauce, Marinara with Meatballs or Pepperoni Calzone with Green Beans.

Wednesdays –2nd, 16th & 30th Chicken Quesadilla, Grilled Cheese Sandwich with Sweet Potato Fries.

9th & 23rd Chicken Sandwich or BBQ Turkey Sandwich with Sweet Potato Fries and/or Baked Beans.

Thursdays Cheese Pizza or Hot Dog or Chili Dog and Steamed Broccoli.

Fridays – Cheeseburger or Max Cheese Sticks with Marinara Sauce and Fries.

All Lunches comes with a choice of 2 fruit (pick 1), 2 veggies (pick 1 or 2) and a choice of white or chocolate milk (pick 1). **Menu subject to change without notice.**

Julington Creek Media News

April 2025

Spring Book Fair

Visit our website to:
volunteer
view class schedules
preview flyer

Media Advisory Committee

Visit our website to:
apply for next year's committee
to help approve books to be
added to the media center

COUNTDOWN TO BREAKFAST

Last day to qualify for breakfast:

April 18th

Parents of qualifying students will receive an email at the end of the day on 4/18 inviting you as an RSVP will be required.

4th graders: April 24

3rd & 5th graders: April 25

Proud of our Battle of the Books Team!



MARCH Good Jaguars



KINDERGARTEN



1ST GRADE

PILLAR OF TRUSTWORTHINESS



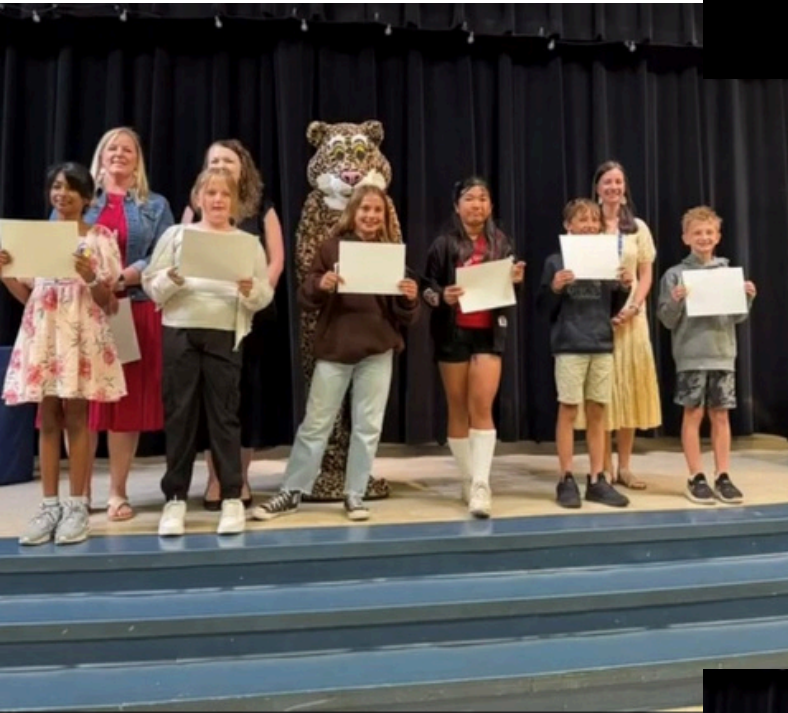
2ND GRADE

MARCH Good Jaguars



3RD GRADE

**PILLAR
OF
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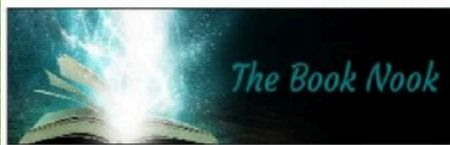
4TH GRADE



5TH GRADE

JCE SUMMER CAMP

2025



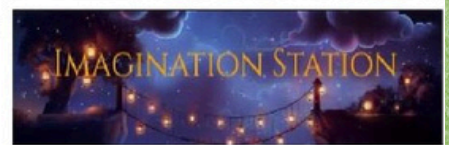
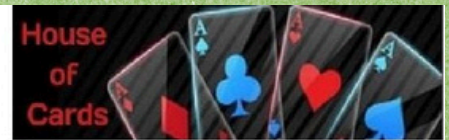
~\$100 Registration Fee ~

Per Each Week of Camp ~ Per Child
Due With Registration (non-refundable)

~\$175 per week~

Camp Fees Due 1 week Before Camp Begins

JCE Summer Camp



5 X-treme weeks to choose from!

8 X-treme activity tents to explore independently!

2 X-treme competitions daily!

X-tremely strange Facts and World Records!

But only 40 X-Treme spots are available!

Monday-Thursday 8:00am-4:30pm

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	NO CAMP	Week 4	Week 5
June 9-12	June 16-19	June 23-26	June 30-July 3	July 7-10	July 14-17

(904)547-7983

*subject to school district approval

<https://www-jce.stjohns.k12.fl.us/extendedday/jce-summer-camp/>



2025 BAG IT UP DONATION DRIVE

**JULINGTON CREEK ELEMENTARY:
APRIL 8th @ 7am**

Support Our School's Donation Drive for Goodwill Industries of North Florida!

We're partnering with Goodwill Industries of North Florida to make a positive impact in our community. The more donations we collect, the more we contribute to Goodwill's mission of removing barriers to employment through training, education, and career opportunities, while also earning funds for our school!

How You Can Help:

Donate items: Encourage your child to gather donations from family, friends, & neighbors.

Incentives & Rewards:

Fill 5-9 Duros: \$750
Fill 10-14 Duros: \$1,500
Fill 15+ Duros: \$2,500

The More You Donate, The More We Earn!

Every donation not only supports Goodwill's mission to remove barriers to employment through training, education, and career opportunities, but it also helps our school earn funds for important programs and resources.

Help Us Spread the Word:

Share the drive with family and friends through social media, email, and text.

Together, we can make a big impact.

Thank you for your generous support!



GOODWILL
INDUSTRIES OF NORTH FLORIDA



JAGUAR TRACKS

PTO NEWSLETTER  APRIL 2025

PTO CALENDAR

APRIL 2

Basket Preview Night
3:30 - 6:30 PM

APRIL 5

Jag Jam | 11 AM - 3 PM

APRIL 8

PTO Meeting | 6:30 PM

APRIL 15

Spirit Night @ Firehouse Subs

APRIL 17

Spirit Sticks Sale



JAG JAM

SATURDAY, APRIL 5 JCE BACK FIELDS
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Pre-Order Tickets
Now through April 2nd



<https://jag-jam-25.cheddarup.com>

Inflatables, Carnival Games, DJ, Rock Wall,
Live Performance by Jammin' Jaguars, Concessions, Gift
Basket Drawings, Visits from SJC Sheriff and Fire Departments

2025-26 PTO

Interested in serving on
next year's PTO Executive
Board?

We'd love to hear from
you!

Please email
jcelemppto@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE

JAX JUMBO SHRIMP GAME

Sunday, April 27 - 3 PM
Ticket Sales Begin April 7!



Staff Appreciation Week

May 5 - 9

More Info Coming Soon!

BASKET PREVIEW NIGHT



**BASKET PREVIEW
NIGHT**

**TICKETS \$1 SOLD
IN PACKS OF 5, OR
\$20 FOR 25**

BASKET DRAWINGS ON DISPLAY

**WEDNESDAY, 3:30-6:30
APRIL 2 PM**

Outside Extended Day Prior to Talent Show

**STAY
INFORMED**



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JAGUAR TRACKS

THANK YOU TO OUR 2024-2025 APEX & ELITE
COMMUNITY PARTNERS!

COKERLAW
TRIAL ATTORNEYS



**THE Little
gym®**
Serious Fun.

Become a JCE
Community Partner!



Smiles by
DR CRAIG HADGIS
ORTHODONTIST

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PAINTING** 
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