



# Junaluska Elementary School Newsletter

April/May 2019

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## Title 1 News Science Night

Tuesday, April 30th  
At Junaluska Elementary School

Science night is almost here! The date is Tuesday, April 30, 2019 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Join us for some fun with stations like Garden in a Glove, Build a Bubble, Light the Way, Marshmallow Towers, Capillary Flowers, Sound Sandwiches, Paper Flying Machines, Moon Craters, Gas-Powered Rockets, Coding, Magnetic Painting, Maker Space, Circuits, Stomp Rockets, Gross Goo, I Can Make Musical Instruments, My Genes Bracelet, Zip Lines, and an amazing science demonstration by Tuscola High School students and instructor, Mr Davis. A drawing will be held for students who attend. Six yo-yos per grade will be given away. Pencils will be given out to the first 100 students.

### Volunteers

Our Volunteer Brunch is Tuesday, May 14th! Please RSVP to Mrs. Plott by May 7th. Thank you volunteers for all that you do to help us grow!



### Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration for the 2019-2020 school year is May 2nd at 3:30 P.M.



### GRADUATION INFORMATION

Kindergarten graduation will be Monday, June 3rd at 9:00 A.M.

5th Grade graduation will be Tuesday, June 4th at 8:30 A.M.



### Yearbooks

Hurry! Get your 2018-2019 yearbook before it is too late! If you have not already purchased a yearbook, please send \$25 cash or check to Mrs. Plott in the front office.

Online sales are already closed. Sale deadline is May 1st or until we sell out!

Order Your  
**Yearbook**



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- April 29th-May 3rd—Penny Wars
- Tuesday, May 7th—1st and 2nd Grade Musical at 1:30 & 6:00 P.M.
- Friday, May 10th—Special Olympics
- Tuesday, May 14th—Volunteer Brunch at 10:00 A.M.
- Wednesday, May 15th—All Pro Dad's Breakfast at 7:15 A.M.
- Thursday, May 16th—Talent Show at 1:15 P.M.
- Friday, May 17th—Water Day & EOG Pep Rally
- Monday, May 27th—Memorial Day—NO SCHOOL
- Monday, June 3rd—Kindergarten Graduation at 9:00 A.M.
- Tuesday, June 4th—5th Grade Graduation at 8:30 A.M.



# PTA NEWS

**PENNY WARS:** Save the dates of April 29-May 3 for our 2019 Penny Wars! This is a favorite fundraiser among students. They love competing with other grades to see who can raise the most money. Typically, the winners aren't determined until the final minutes. The winning classroom will receive an end-of-year pizza party. Be saving up that change!



**HANDPRINT FUNDRAISER:** We are VERY excited about this upcoming fundraiser. You may have noticed when visiting JES the hundreds of colorful handprints on the walls with names beneath them. These were made many, many years ago as part of a big fundraiser. We have decided to bring back this fun event. During the week of May 6-10, current JES students can purchase

a handprint for \$10. PTA and school staff will be facilitating the handprint painting during the school day. Because this is a big undertaking we have to get all handprints accomplished during this one allotted week. In the case of absences, there will be a make-up day which will be Friday, May 10. Stay tuned for order forms to be sent home in your child's backpack. We will not do this fundraiser again until our current kindergartners are in sixth grade and we have an entirely new group of JES students. Don't miss out!

**TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK:** Teacher Appreciation Week is May 6-10! This is a great time for your student to write a sweet card or say thank you to their teachers and other faculty members

## Summer Reading Opportunities

- NC State Summer Reading Skills—Call 1.800.964.9974. This program will help students reading skills grow over the summer.
- Rising 6th Graders—Summer Reading Program. Contact bbuchanan@haywood.k12.nc.us if you are interested. Students can earn a trip to Launch Trampoline Park or lunch at Bocelli's. More information




**ALL PRO DAD'S BREAKFAST**  
Join us for our All Pro Dad's Breakfast on  
**WEDNESDAY, MAY 15TH AT 7:15.**



## Testing Information

**May 22nd:** ELA Test for 3rd-5th (If your child tests over multiple days for ELA, they will test May 21 & 22)  
**May 23rd:** Math Test for 3rd-5th (If your child tests over multiple days for Math, they will test May 23 & 24)  
**May 29th:** Science Test for 5th (If your child tests over multiple days for science, they will test May 29 & 30)

## Music News

**MAY 7TH AT 1:30 & 6:** 1st & 2nd Grade Program  
**MAY 16TH AT 1:15:** Talent Show  
 If your child will participate you will receive a note from Mr. Nixon.

## SELF-DEFENSE



KARE (Kids Advocacy Resource Effort) would like to inform you about this free event we are holding for Child Abuse Awareness month. A self-defense course designed specifically for each age group. This class will provide skills that will help one be aware of their surroundings, and protective of not only themselves but also, of their community.

**April 27th at the Waynesville Rec Center**  
**Children under 11: 9:00-10:00 A.M., Teens (12-17) 10:00-11:00 A.M., and adults (18+) 1:30-2:30 P.M.**

## Art Show

Quickdraw is June 1st from 4:30-9:30 P.M. at the Laurel Ridge Country Club. Come see Junaluska represented at the Annual Haywood County Art Show, May 7th, 8th, and 9th from 3:30-7pm each day. Several students from each class will have their outstanding artwork selected to be on display at the show. The show will be at the Hazelwood Conference Center, 112 Virginia Ave. Waynesville.



## WATER DAY—FRIDAY, MAY 17TH

- Wear old clothes; bathing suits must be covered!
- Bring a change of clothes, a towel, and a bag for wet clothes. (Put names on everything!) You might want to bring a hat, too.
- Please apply your child's sunscreen before coming to school on Friday. If you would like for sunscreen to be applied, you must complete a form in the office.
- Grades 3-5: Bring baby soap or shampoo to use on the slip n' slide.



## 2019 ELITE ATHLETES

Caden Hannah	Brooks Barbee	Ian Amsler-Lear
Elizabeth Song	Henry Blackburn	Graisy Andrade
Finley Webb	Emma Duncan	Olivia Arnold
Hartley Witmer	Noah Earwood	Luis Garcia Ledemsa
Ananleigh Chandler	Madielyn Evans	Avery Mashburn
Hagan Fulton	Kallie Francis	Trent Decker
Jehal Patel	Ennis Marcus	Brayden Boissoneault
Allie Rathbone	Alexis Markos	Breanne Haynes
Josef Rogers	Toby Vang	Jayden Strobel
Andrew Earley	Lila Albea	Tori Dixon
Kaleigh Thach	Annie Holmes	Amos Rich
Jacob Burgess	Kingsley Wyatt	
Chase Perkins	Alyssa Keever	

