

# Jag Notes

EVERY CHILD, EVERY DAY, WHATEVER IT TAKES!  
February 2017

## Theodore Jones Elementary School

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### Mark Your Calendar



- \* February 14<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday  
Valentine's Day  
Classroom Parties start at 2 p.m.
- \* February 20<sup>th</sup>, Monday  
School is dismissed for Presidents Day!
- \* February 23<sup>rd</sup>, Thursday  
McTeacher Night at Highway 65 McDonald's  
5 p.m. – 7 p.m.
- \* March 3<sup>rd</sup>, Friday  
Book Character Day  
Dress up as your favorite book character.
- \* March 3<sup>rd</sup>, Friday  
Scholastic Book Orders are due by 12 noon.
- \* March 20 – 24, School is dismissed for Spring Break.

### Principal's Message:

We are looking forward to a fabulous February. Last month, the Conway Public School Board and Administrators visited and our kids shined! There are great things going on at your TJES. Our Jaguar Choir (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> graders) sang. Teachers showed various new ideas being implemented in the classrooms that range from flexible seating chairs to using iPads with Osmos. Students were also interviewed about their opinions of our TJES Core Values and their education. We have an awesome school and our students reflect it every day.

Have you seen any Watch D.O.G.S. while at TJES? They have been assisting with Car Greeters in the morning, giving encouragement, and simply watching the hallways to ensure the safety of the students. You guys are awesome!

Ahh, Arkansas! Somedays it feels like Winter and other days it looks like Spring. We know the weather is unpredictable. We are scheduled to make up our last snow day on Friday, February 17<sup>th</sup>. Any more snow days will be made up at the end. Make sure you have one of more of the following:

CPSD App  
CPSD Twitter  
CPSD Facebook



As soon as we know about inclement weather, the CPSD will contact you of any changes so you can plan as quickly as needed.

Dr. Woosley  
TJES Principal

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Volunteer Coordinator: Laci Booth  
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- Be looking soon for information on Valentine's Day Candy Grams!
- Please check the Theodore Jones PTO Facebook page and email your chances to help out.
- If you don't think you're on my contact list, please let me know at [aferdowsian@msn.com](mailto:aferdowsian@msn.com).

## Breakfast and Lunch



Looking for school menus? You can find it on the school web site at [tjes.conwayschools.org](http://tjes.conwayschools.org) OR on the CSPD app! If your child brings a lunch box and needs a milk to go with it, he has to pay – even on free/reduced meals.

Charge limit is \$-9.00. Any charges that are not paid at the end of the last school day are applied to your child's account.

**Breakfast**  
Paid Students \$1.50  
Reduced \$.30  
Free – No Charge

**Elementary Lunch**  
Paid Students \$2.25  
Reduced \$.40  
Free – No charge  
Adult / Visitor / 2<sup>nd</sup> Meal \$3.50

Until approved for free/reduced lunches, parents will owe for your child's breakfast and lunches. Make sure ALL forms are filled out completely and turned in as soon as possible. You can also pay online at [www.ezschoollpay.com](http://www.ezschoollpay.com). For more information, contact Karen Carter, Cafeteria Manager.

## CLUB NEWS

### \* Jones Joggers

Mondays & Wednesdays from 3:15 – 4:00 p.m.

### \* Art Club

Mondays from 3:15 to 4:00 p.m.

### \* TJES Choir

Tuesdays from 3:15 to 4:00 p.m.



## Scholastic Book Orders

Mrs. McPeake and Mrs. Daubenheyer send flyers 2 to 3 days before. Make all checks out to **Scholastic Reading Club**. These are due by 12:00 noon on the first Friday of the month. For more information, you can watch the video on the [mcpeakelms.weebly.com](http://mcpeakelms.weebly.com) webpage under the Scholastic tab. **Online orders are always accepted any time!**



## WATCH D.O.G.S.

Giving up your time for others has been greatly appreciated by all!

**Mike Jaracz**

**Brandon Ross**

**Andrew Booth**

**Christian Hernandez**

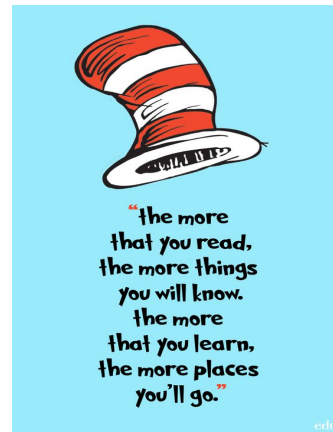
Thank you for supporting your child's school! Who are Watch D.O.G.S.? Fathers, grandfathers, step-fathers, uncles, and other father figures who volunteer to serve at least one day a year in a variety of school activities as assigned by the school principal or other administrator. For more information, contact Ms. Jones at [jonesl@conwayschools.net](mailto:jonesl@conwayschools.net) or 501-450-6645.



The Reading for Education fundraiser was a huge success!

After magazines are ordered,

they will send the gifts to the school for Mrs. McPeake to pass out. If you have any questions, the contact number is **800-272-8260**. You can also visit their web site at <http://www.readingforeducation.com/rfe.html>.



## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> is Book Character Day!

Teachers and Students come dressed as a book character.

[www.edutopia.org](http://www.edutopia.org)



Is your child currently in the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or 4<sup>th</sup> grade?

Recommendations for the Pinnacle Program for elementary gifted/talented students for the 2017 - 2018 school year will be accepted until Friday, February 24, 2017

Parents or guardians who wish to recommend their second, third, and fourth grade children for the G/T program should review all their child's available standardized test scores, their level of motivation for schoolwork, and their level of creativity before making the decision to recommend.

Parents or guardians planning to recommend their child for G/T should request a referral packet from their building G. T. Teacher - Heather Story-storyh@conwayschools.net.

The referral forms completed by parents or guardians must be returned to the G/T Teacher no later than **Tuesday, February 28, 2017**.