



Wednesday Letter

General News

The Book Fair is Coming!!!

The Scholastic Book Fair will be in the library from February 6 until the 17th. It will also be open 8:30—2:30 on Conference Day, February 13.

Conference Day—February 13

The teachers are ready to start scheduling parents/guardians for Conference Day. Be sure to return your form as soon as possible so you have a better chance of getting your first choice.

FREE TAX FILING

If you earned less than \$50,000 in 2011 you get help at no cost from now until April 12, 2012. You do not need an appointment, but you will need to sign in 1/2 hour before closing time.

Tuesday and Thursdays 9:30 a.m.—7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturdays 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

There are numerous documents you will need to take with you. Call school if you are interested and we will send you a copy of the flyer.

District offers parent info sessions

JCPS will offer information sessions to help parents of elementary students understand their school and program options. All sessions will begin at 7 p.m.

Mon., Jan. 30

- JCPS Cheens Academy (4425 Preston Highway)
- Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School (930 East Main Street)
- St. Stephen Family Life Center, Multipurpose Room 2 (1018 South 15th Street)

Tues., Jan. 31

- Middletown Methodist Church (11902 Shelbyville Road)
- Sanders Elementary (8408 Terry Road)
- Hill Street Baptist Church (2203 Dixie Highway)

Wed., Feb. 1

- Jeffersontown High (9600 Old Six Mile Lane)
- Okolona Elementary (7606 Preston Highway)
- Carter Elementary (3600 Bohne Avenue)

Thurs., Feb. 2

- Roosevelt-Perry Elementary (1606 Magazine Street) -- Enter the parking lot from Broadway near 16th Street.
- African-American Heritage Center (1701 West Muhammad Ali Boulevard)
- Newburg Middle School (4901 Exeter Avenue)

Tues., Feb. 7

- Cheens Academy (4425 Preston Hwy) -- This session is for international families. Translators will be available.

- For more information, call the JCPS Parent Assistance Center at 485-6250.

The Jefferson County Public School Office of Optional/Magnet/Advance Program is sponsoring their annual **Elementary Showcase of Schools** at the Kentucky International Convention Center, Cascade Ballroom. The date is Saturday, January 28, 2012. It will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. If you have any questions regarding this showcase, feel free to contact their office at 485-3323.

2012-2013 School Year

If you know of anyone in your neighborhood who has a child that will be five-years old by October 1, 2012, be sure to let them know they will need to register their child for school for the 2012-2013 in FEBRUARY. To register, they will need to bring proof of address to their resides school. Acceptable proof of address is a copy of the lease or a utility bill for their address. If a child is in the Early Childhood program, the teacher will be contacting the parent to schedule an appointment to meet with them to complete their application sometime this month. Now is a good time for them to find the child's *certified birth certificate* and make an appointment for a physical examination.



****Attention**** Our lost and found is running over. If your student is missing any coats, gloves, etc. please stop by and claim. The lost and found is a blue tub that is located in the Dixie Diner.

YEARBOOKS are still on sale. Reserve your copy now with a full payment of \$21 or a down payment of \$10. Forms are available in the office.

Dixie Elementary JCPS

485-8238

January 25, 2012

Special points of interest:

- ☺ Keep your phone numbers up-to-date in our files.
- ☺ Students new to Jefferson County Public schools need a copy of their certified birth certificate, immunization certificate, physical, vision and dental exam forms on file at their school.



Dates to Remember

January:

28—Showcase of Schools

February:

13- NO SCHOOL

(Parent/Teacher Conf. Day)

PTA News

Dixie Elementary participates in the Box Tops for Education program. Please continue to send in the box tops until February 10, 2012.

Candy Sale—January 30 through February 10. All orders are prepaid. All orders received after 2/10 will be returned.

Students of the Week

Don't forget to keep up-to-date with JCPS news by logging onto www.jcpsky.net



Each week two names of students who have received a Positive Referral from their teacher will be drawn to become a Student of the Week. This week we honor **Hunter Robison** from Mrs. Clement's class and **Catlyn Simmons** from Mrs. Williams' class for being model Dragon City citizens!



