

Greetings Monarch Families,

Please review this weekend’s edition of the Weekend Monarch for several important announcements and resources.



| Wednesdays Without an Early Release | |
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| <i>August 11th</i> | <i>January 12th</i> |
| <i>September 8th</i> | <i>January 19th</i> |
| <i>October 20th</i> | <i>February 16th</i> |
| <i>November 3rd</i> | <i>February 23rd</i> |
| <i>December 15th</i> | June 1st |

22/23 School Year Bell Schedule

Changes are being made to our start and end times next school year. We want to communicate these well in advance so your family can plan accordingly.

| LJM | Arrival/Dismissal |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Regular Day | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st – 5th Grades: 8:00 – 2:15 • TK/K AM: 8:00 – 11:35 • TK/K PM: 10:40 – 2:15 |
| Early Release (Wednesdays) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st – 5th Grades: 8:00 – 1:20 • TK/K AM: 8:00 – 11:20 • TK/K PM: 10:00 – 1:20 |

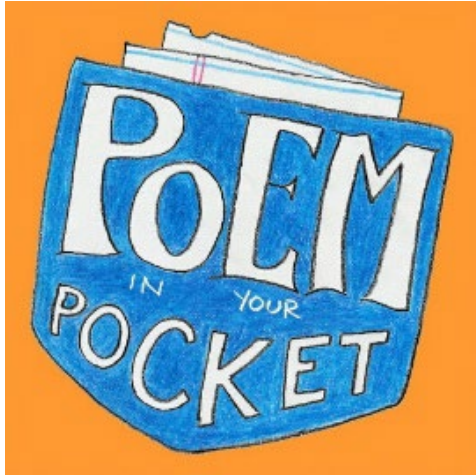


Good News! The yearbook deadline has been extended to **4/26**. We do not buy yearbooks to sell at the end of the year. Each yearbook comes with two FREE custom pages to add your own photos and text to (please complete these by **4/26**). Our yearbooks are 128 pages, full of great photos and memories. Price is \$28. Yearbooks are distributed the last week of school. [Click here](#) to order today!

Spring Assessment Schedule @ LJM

| | iReady Reading | iReady Math | Science (CAST) | Language Arts (CAASPP) | Math (CAASPP) | Physical Fitness Testing |
|---------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Kinder | May 9 -13 | May 16 - 20 | - | - | - | - |
| First | May 9 -13 | May 16 - 20 | - | - | - | - |
| Second | May 9 -13 | May 16 - 20 | - | - | - | - |
| Third | March 7 - 11 | March 14 - 18 | - | April 25 - May 6 | May 9 - May 20 | - |
| Fourth | March 7 - 11 | March 14 - 18 | - | April 25 - May 6 | May 9 - May 20 | - |
| Fifth | March 7 - 11 | March 14 - 18 | April 18 - 22 | April 25 - May 6 | May 9 - May 20 | March 1 - 25 |

*Students will not be testing more than 30 minutes a session.



What's **Poem in my Pocket** all about? Students bring a poem or come get one from the library on that 4/29. Students will receive a sticker to wear from Mrs. Wallace that says, "*I have a poem in my pocket!*" Anytime kids see someone with the sticker, they can ask them to share their poem.

Please note, the RSVP window for this event closed on 4/18 as advertised and we've hit our RSVP cap for food service for this event. Each RSVP'd attendee will receive tickets for meal service (*Kona Ice and Taco Truck*). Our food vendors will not serve food to anyone without the proper meal ticket and are unable to take cash payment. Please respect this process and show appreciation to our vendors on campus. ***If you did not RSVP, you will not receive a meal ticket for tacos or Kona Ice***, but you may still attend the Spring Celebration to enjoy music and more!



Also, our blacktop and playgrounds are closed during the event. Please help by supervising your children to keep everyone safe.

JOIN US IN CELEBRATING OUR
MILITARY STUDENTS



APRIL: MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD

MILITARY SPIRITED MONDAYS!

Monday, April 11th-Camouflage Day

"We cannot hide how appreciative we are of our military students!"

Monday, April 18th - Patriotic Day

"Wearing Red, White & Blue to Support You!"

Monday, April 25th - Hat Day

"Hat's Off to our Military Families!"

ACTIVITIES

Monday, April 11th- Before School

Military Student's All the Places you've lived. Place a magnetic push pin on the places you have lived in the USA and the World!

Friday, April 15th-At Lunch

Military Branch Obstacle Course

Monday, April 18th- Before School

Military Branch Graphing. Come write your name under the military branch that your family is a part.

Monarch Military Spotlight



The Castellanos Family

Our military spotlight family this week is the Castellanos Family. Abraham is a 3rd grade student at Lisa J Mails. His father, also Abraham, has served in the Navy for 19 years. He is a Chief Airplane Mechanic. The Castellanos family was able to live in Italy for 4 years while Abraham's dad was stationed there. Abraham's best memory of being a military family is when his dad returned home after a 10-month deployment. The Castellanos family wants us to know that it feels good to be a military family, but it is also tough. The deployments are so hard on the kids. Thank you, Castellanos Family, for your service and sacrifice to our country!

If you would like to be our Military Spotlight Family, please click [here](#) to fill out our questionnaire. Thank you.

PTA SPONSORED STAFF APPRECIATION WEEK

MAY 2-6

CELEBRATING ALL HEROES AT LISA J. MAILS!

MONDAY: BECOME A REPORTER, WRITE A NICE NOTE ABOUT YOUR TEACHER OR LJM STAFF MEMBER AND BRING IT TODAY.

TUESDAY: EVERY SUPERHERO NEEDS VITAL TOOLS. BRING IN YOUR TEACHER'S FAVORITE SCHOOL SUPPLY.

WEDNESDAY: BE YOUR TEACHER'S SIDEKICK, WEAR THEIR FAVORITE COLOR!

THURSDAY: MAKE SURE YOUR TEACHER OR LJM STAFF MEMBER HAS THE ENERGY FOR SUPERHERO WORK, BRING THEIR FAVORITE TREAT.

FRIDAY: SMILE & SAY "THANKS" FOR ALL THAT OUR SUPER TEACHERS AND STAFF DO!





DRESS CODE

(LJM Community Handbook 21/22)

Cleanliness, personal appearance, and proper dress habits are important in determining the pattern of school and social conduct, and there is often a correlation between student appearance and behavior. Our dress code is established to teach grooming and hygiene, instill discipline, prevent disruption, avoid safety hazards, and teach respect for authority. **The District prohibits any clothing**

or grooming that in the administrator's judgment may reasonably be expected to cause disruption of or interference with normal school operations.

If an administrator determines that a student's grooming violates the dress code, the student shall be given the opportunity to correct the problem at school with replacement garments or notification to the parents to bring appropriate items to school.

Students will wear clothing, jewelry and accessories which are clean, safe, and healthy, and which allow for participation in an active learning environment.

Not allowed: flip flops, backless/strapless shoes, belts/jewelry with studs or protrusions.

Clothing will maintain socially acceptable standards of modesty in order to avoid causing a disruption to the learning environment.

Not allowed: exposed midriffs, exposed undergarments, and spaghetti straps less than 1" wide, halter tops/strapless tops, excessive make-up, or excessive hair styles that will cause a disruption in the learning environment.

Clothing or other items which can be intimidating to others or is attributed to gang affiliation or puts the wearer in danger will not be allowed. Because gang-related symbols are constantly changing, definitions of gang-related apparel shall be reviewed on an ongoing basis.

Sunglasses, winter beanies and hats with bills forward may be worn at school, outdoors only. This includes stylish girl hats. Dew rags are not allowed at any time. For students' safety, bicycle helmets must be worn by students riding bicycles, scooters and skateboards to and from school.

No list of dress and appearance guidelines for students can be written that will anticipate all potential dress and grooming extremes. In the case of questionable dress or grooming that is not specifically covered in the list above, the administration will make the final decision. Appropriate action will be taken at that time and, when necessary, a home contact will be made seeking parental cooperation and assistance.

Coming up:

- *Incoming 22/23 Kinder Here I Come – Wednesday, April 27th – 3:00 – 3:45 in the LJM MPR. Parents will hear a presentation and students will take a short tour of the Kinder classrooms and playground.*



- *PTA Sponsered Staff Appreciation Week – May 2nd – 6th. Details in above flyer.*



SHOWCASE

- *PreK – 2nd Grade Showcase Open House – Thursday, May 5th – 6:00 – 7:00 on campus. 1st grade performance begins at 6:00 in the quad – all classrooms and MPR art gallery open at 6:15*
- *3rd – 5th Grade Showcase Open House – Thursday, May 19th – 6:00 – 7:00 on campus. 4th & 5th grade performance begins at 6:00 in the quad – all classrooms and MPR art gallery open at 6:15.*

- ***Kinder Celebration*** – Wednesday, June 1st – (AM Kinder: 9:00 – 10:00 & PM Kinder: 1:30 – 2:30) – in classrooms
- ***5th Grade Promotion*** – Thursday, June 2nd @ 8:45 in the quad

**End of Year
Celebration**

**5th Grade
Promotion
Ceremony**

Choose Joy!

Mr. Baldwin & Mrs. Morel

