



Johnson Weekly

April 12, 2007

NO SCHOOL—Friday, April 13 ~ Staff Development/Conference Day

Fabulous Thunderbirds

Congratulations to **Allie Watkinson** and **Jacob Mahar** who received Fabulous Thunderbird Cards this week. Way to go!



Johnson Spirit Night at *Chick-fil-A*

Johnson's *Chick-fil-A* night will now be the third Tuesday of every month. The next one is on **Tuesday, April 17**. Take your family out for dinner to benefit Johnson. When you present the coupon (sent home last Thursday with the Thunderbird Times) Johnson gets back 20% of what you spend (we get 20% back anytime the coupon is presented so if you can't go on spirit night you can make it another night.) Thank you in advance for your support.

Attention 5th Grade Parents

Tuesday, April 17 is cookie dough pick up day! Please pick up all the cookie dough that your child sold on the 17th as we have no place to keep it. **Cookie dough will be available for pickup at 3:00 p.m. in the Lunchroom.** If you have any questions please call Suzy Wapnic at 377-8711 or Lisa Bolander at 266-0269. Thank you for your support!!

Reading with Dads and Lads

Reading with Dads and Lads is coming to an end for this school year. The group has had a lot of fun reading and spending quality time together this year. The last meeting is Wednesday, **April 18, 6:00—6:45 p.m.** in the Media Center. We will discuss the two books we're reading and also get to share about each of the participant's favorite books, recommendations, etc. All are welcome at this meeting.

Johnson Track Meet

Thursday, April 19, all 4th, 5th, and 6th grade students will be participating in a Track Meet. This meet will serve as a qualifier for the PSD Track Meet to be held Saturday, May 5th at Rocky Mountain High School.

Students are encouraged to wear track & field appropriate clothing. Be prepared for the quick changing Colorado weather. Also, students should bring a water bottle and sunscreen.



The Track Meet will take approximately an hour and a half per grade level. We will be using a starter's pistol to make the meet more authentic.

Special's Schedule: April 13—20

Friday, April 13 — NO SCHOOL

Monday, April 16 — C Day

Tuesday, April 17 — D Day

Wednesday, April 18 — A Day

Thursday, April 19 — B Day

Friday, April 20 — C Day

Johnson Elementary School

Principal, Will Allen

Office: **488-5000**

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

24-Hour Attendance Line: 488-5095

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Attention Johnson Volunteers

Mark your calendars for **Friday, April 20**, 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. We will be honoring our fabulous volunteers with a special luncheon on this day. We appreciate every one of you and all that you do to help our students. The luncheon will be held in the Johnson Media Center. We hope to see you here!

Johnson Running Club

Have you heard? Mr. Hess, 5th Grade Teacher, has organized a Running Club that meets every Wednesday at 3:45 p.m. in Mr. Hess's room (Room# 210). Running Club is open to everyone, students, parents and staff. Students must get a permission from Mr. Hess and have it signed by a parent/guardian before participating. Remember to bring a snack and water bottle.

Support Your Child with Challenging Behaviors at Home

April 17, 2007

6:30—8:00 p.m.

Bennett Elementary School Media Center

1125 Bennett School Road

For directions call: 484-6125



Instructors:

Mark Gronstal: Psychologist, PSD Threat Assessment Specialist

Paula Perrill: Positive Behavior Support Coach



Come, learn and dialogue about:

Why children engage in challenging behaviors

How to evaluate those behaviors

How to be proactive with interventions

It's Book Fair Time!

We are looking for volunteers to help staff this years "1/2 off Book Fair". 1-2 hour shifts are available

Monday, April 30th - Thursday, May 3 8:30 a.m.—4:00 p.m. and **Friday, May 4th** from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday are the family nights from 6—8 p.m. Set up and tear down will be Friday April 27 and May 4 at 12:00 p.m. This is a fun way to help our school! If you are interested please call Julie Hull at 225-1618.

6th Grade Graduation

The sixth grade graduation will be held on **Thursday, May 31**, 9:15 a.m. in the Gym. The ceremony will be approximately an hour and a half. All students will be honored for their achievements and accomplishments. Parents will be planning a party for the sixth grade class following the graduation. We hope to see all sixth grade parents there!

Pets on Campus

If you walk your dog to school, please make sure that they remain on leash at all times. This policy is to protect students and assure that they feel safe on school grounds. Animals are not allowed in the school building except by special permission from the principal. Also, please remember to clean up after your dog.



Volunteer Spotlight

Special thanks goes to Mrs. Christina Bass who was a huge help in getting the Johnson Shirt orders separated and delivered to classrooms. Thank you, Chris!

Looking Ahead

April			
13	NO SCHOOL	Staff Development/Conference Day	
15—21		Volunteer Appreciation Week	
17		Johnson Spirit Night at <i>Chick-fil-A</i>	
18	6—6:45 am 3:45 pm	Reading with Dads and Lads Johnson Running Club	Media Center—Final Meeting Room 210
19	9 a.m.—3 pm	4th, 5th, 6th Grade Track Meet	Johnson Field
20	7:45 am 11:30—1:00	Johnson Steering Cmty. Meeting Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon Class Group Pictures	Staff Lounge-Parents welcome! Media Center by <i>Skillman Photography</i>
21		Poudre School District Science Fair	
25	NO SCHOOL	Staff Collaboration Day	
26	9:00—3:30 11:30—2:00 7:00 pm 6:30—8:30 pm	3rd Grade Field Trip Johnson Choir Field Trip Johnson Choir Performance Skate Party at <i>Rollerland</i> (on Link Lane)	Denver Museum Ft. Collins Senior Center Johnson Gym School Fundraiser
27	3:00 p.m.	Johnson P.R.I.D.E. Assembly	
May			
1	6:00 pm	School Principal's Day Johnson Parent Organization Meeting	Media Center
2	3:45 pm	Johnson Running Club	Room 210
1—4		Scholastic Book Fair	Johnson Media Center
5		Elementary District Track Meet	Grades 4th, 5th, & 6th
7—11		Teacher Appreciation Week	
11	11:15—2:30	4th Grade Field Trip—Rendevous	Fort Collins Museum
14—17		Johnson Enrichment Week	
15		3rd Grade Field Trip Johnson Spirit Night at <i>Chick-fil-A</i>	CSU Water Festival
16	3:45 pm	Johnson Running Club	Room 210
17	8:30—3:25 9:00—2:00	5th Grade Field Trip 2nd Grade Field Trip Johnson Spirit Night at <i>Chick-fil-A</i>	State Capitol & Art Museum Butterfly Pavilion
18	NO SCHOOL	Teacher Work Day	
21	10:00 am 7:00 pm	1st & 2nd Grade Spring Program 1st & 2nd Grade Spring Program	For Johnson Students Rocky Mountain High School
23	8:00—3:15	1st Grade Field Trip	Denver Zoo
28	NO SCHOOL	Memorial Day	
31	9:00 am 2:00 pm	6th Grade Graduation Kindergarten Graduation	Johnson Gym Johnson Gym