



H.D. Jacobs Student Announcements

February 12, 2018

ACTIVIST CLUB

Attention Activist club members!!! The Valentines' day party is on for today after school!!!! Please bring your donations for Eagles wing and **the fun** to the tutoring center after school today.

ANNUAL POPS CONCERT

Come out and support the Jacobs Music Department on **February 23rd** as they perform in the annual Pops Concert. This is the second largest fundraiser of the school year hosted by the Jacobs Performing Arts Boosters. There will be silent auction items, raffle baskets, 50/50 raffle and for the first time some exciting sports and entertainment consignment items. As always, this fundraiser is a check or cash only event.

Admission is **\$5 for adults, \$3 for seniors** and students over the age of 5. Doors will open at **5:30 pm** and the concert begins at **6:30 pm**. Come early for the best seats and to get those bids started!

All funds raised help support the Jacobs Music Department. Come for the music, stay for the prizes!"

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

For African Americans who served during the War of 1812 "in spite of overt prejudice, discrimination, and hatred, they stepped up either in a civilian or military capacity." African Americans made up at least fifteen percent of U.S. naval corps. The African American sailors had a reputation for fierceness in battle. At the Battle of Lake Erie, where Perry's fleet thwarted the British, his black sailors performed so well that he wrote to the Secretary of the Navy, praising their courage. African Americans played an important part in many battles such as the battles around Baltimore, during the bombardment of Fort McHenry, and the Battle of New Orleans.

BOYS SWIMMING TEAM

The Jacobs D300 Boys swimming team won the Fox Valley Invite on Saturday breaking a ten year Cary Grove hold on the meet. Top swimmers for Jacobs were Vince Chiappetta, winner of the 500 yard free and a fifth place finish. Eric Boysen had one first, two seconds, and a third place finish. Alexander Le had a first, a second and a third place finish. Nathaniel Herrera had two sixth place finishes and Caden Waddell had a sixth place finish. Great Meet! Great season! Now let's get some swimmers to State at next week's sectional meet! Coach Andresen.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

McHenry County Environmental Defenders is looking for volunteers interested in doing some manual labor to help restore Sterne's Woods and Fen and to clear invasive species. It is outdoors so volunteers have to dress appropriately. It is every fourth Sunday of every month (unless there is a holiday). The dates are: Sept 24, Oct 22, Nov 26, Jan 28, Feb 25, March 25, and Apr 22 from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM at 5617 Hillside Rd, Crystal Lake, IL 60012. If you need more information contact Brice Alt, bricemaieralt@hotmail.com.

DEAN'S OFFICE - WHEN YOUR CHILD IS ILL AT SCHOOL

Attention Students: In the event you become ill or injured at school, we ask that you please go to the nurse's office before calling or texting your parents so you can be evaluated by a nurse. Parent contact will be made through the nurse's office and the absence can be marked as excused.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES

The next Fellowship of Christian Athletes meeting is TONIGHT, February 12th from 7-8:30pm in room 201. . Luke Benner will be sharing his story and Jacob Melgosa and Tyler Trella will be teaching on love. We hope to see you tonight! Please see Miss O'Brien or any FCA Core Leader with questions.

FRENCH CLUB

Bonjour French club, we have changed the Mardi Gras party to next Wednesday, February 21st. See you there!

FRESHMAN CLASS COUNCIL

Brrrrr. It's cold outside! Stop by the athletic entrance every Tuesday morning in February for a nice warm hot chocolate for only \$1. All proceeds will help Freshman Class.

FUTURE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS PROGRAM

Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital is proud to offer the prestigious Future Healthcare Professionals Program to students interested in health related (non-physician) careers. Students are chosen based on their interview, teacher/counselor recommendation, written essay, past experiences and grade point average. The students MUST have completed their junior year of high school.

This unpaid multi-faceted observation experience is open to students who reside in the primary and secondary service area of Advocate Good Shepherd Hospital.

Applications only accepted between March 12 to March 30, 2018

GERMAN CLUB

Do you like ice-cream? Come join German club this Thursday after school in room 262. We will be making "Spaguetti eis" a delicious German dessert. See you there!

GRADUATION – CAP & GOWN

Attention Parents, graduation is right around the corner and cap and gowns need to be purchased. If you have not ordered your student's cap and gown, please do so ASAP. Herff Jones – www.highschool.herffjones.com or 815-756-4743.

GYMNASTICS

CONGRATULATIONS to senior gymnast Molly Meehan and her fan club- she qualified for state this Friday at Palatine High School!

KNITTING CLUB

Hello Knitters! Our meeting was cancelled Friday due to the snow day so Knitting Club will be meeting this Wednesday from 3-4pm in room 261. See you there!

MUSIC INDUSTRY CLUB

The Music Industry Club will be meeting tomorrow after school to share and vote on their t-shirt designs.

PE WAIVERS

Reminder: Students, your PE Waiver forms for first semester next year are due by end of day on Thursday, February 15th. If you need a PE waiver form, pick one up in the Counseling Office. Forms turned in after February 15th will not be accepted.

PHARMACY CAMP

What: High School Pharmacy Camp at University of Illinois Rockford

Date: Saturday, April 7, 2018

Time: 9 AM to 1:00 PM

Cost: \$25

Application Deadline: March 1, 2018

Location: 1601 Parkview Ave, Rockford, IL 61107

More details along with the link to the application: <https://pharmacy.uic.edu/programs/pharmd-professional-program/events-for-prospective-students/summer-pharmacy-camp>

Pre-Pharmacy Fair -

What: Illinois Pre-Pharmacy Fair

The 6 schools of pharmacy in Illinois in addition to St. Louis College of Pharmacy are banding together to create awareness of careers in pharmacy and in healthcare.

When: Tuesday, March 6, 2018

Time: 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Where: College of DuPage's Student Resources Center (SRC), Room 2000 (Jack H. Turner Conference Center)

Registration/Schedule: <http://illinoispharmacy.wix.com/prepharmfair> **Cost:** Free

RELAY FOR LIFE

Get your team of 6-10 ready to compete in the third annual Volley for Life volleyball tournament on Saturday, March 3rd! Sign up in the Main Office today!

SCHOLARSHIPS

Daughters of the American Revolution – The Fox Valley Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution have multiple scholarships available for high school seniors. Complete scholarship information, applications and financial need forms may be found at www.dar.org by clicking on “Scholarship Opportunities” in the blue box at the bottom left of the page. The deadline is February 15th.

DAR NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS SUMMARY

*All scholarship applications must be emailed by **12 Midnight (EST) on February 15** to the email address listed for each specific scholarship. Necessary forms are available on the public website (www.dar.org) as well as at the Members’ website.

* This summary does not include information about American Indian Scholarships, as those applications are considered by the National Chairman, DAR American Indians Committee; see the website above for further information about those scholarships and requirements.

High School seniors may apply for the following scholarships (numbers 1-11):

1. Richard and Elizabeth Dean general scholarship: requires 4.0 GPA; up to \$5,000 per year; renewable
2. The Lillian and Arthur Dunn Scholarship: to a **son or daughter of a current, dues paying, DAR Member (member # will be required)**; \$2,500; renewable.
3. The Nellie Love Butcher Music Scholarship: to a music student majoring in piano or voice; up to \$5,000; renewable with 3.00 GPA. Many other requirements; see website.
4. Dr. Aura-Lee A. and James Hobbs Pittenger American History Scholarship: American History and American Government major; \$2,000; renewable with 3.25 GPA.
5. The Lucinda Beneventi Findley History Scholarship: to a high school senior planning to major in history at a US college or university; one-time \$2,000 award; requires a 3.25 GPA.
6. The Margaret Howard Hamilton Scholarship: to high school senior accepted to the Harvey and Bernice Jones Learning Center (Clarksville, AR); \$1,000; renewable.
7. Caroline E. Holt Nursing Scholarship: to a nursing student with financial need; one-time \$2,500 award.
8. Mildred Nutting Nursing Scholarship: to a nursing student, preferably from Lowell, MA area; one-time \$2,000 award.
9. The Occupational/Physical Therapy Scholarship: to a student enrolled in an accredited school of occupational therapy with financial need; one-time \$2,000.
10. The Madeline Pickett (Halbert) Cogswell Nursing Scholarship: to a nursing student who is also a **DAR Member, or descendent of member (member # will be required)**, one-time \$2,500 award.
11. Leo W. and Alberta V. Thomas Utz Scholarship(s): one award in each category, Math, Science, and English; \$4,000; renewable with 3.25 GPA.

2nd year-- Education Scholarship Opportunity: Attention Seniors planning on being an Education Major...there is a \$4,000 scholarship opportunity available on the Student Services Haiku page. The Dr. Connie Tucker scholarship. Dr. Tucker was a long time educator and public servant that wants to support a future educator. You may apply by mail or email (preferred) and the deadline is **March 16, 2018**.

Vincent J. Vittore Memorial Scholarship. Vince passed away in 2017 from a Glioblastoma brain tumor. This scholarship is in honor of the enthusiasm, humor and strength that Vince displayed during his life, for his love for family, friends and great journalism. The Vincent J. Vittore Memorial Scholarship will award two \$5,000 scholarships for academic year 2018-2019. Scholarship applications are being accepted now through March 31, 2018 via the BTB Foundation website (<http://www.btbfoundation.org/>).

American Spirit Scholarship – Offered by the Fox River Valley Chapter National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. The American Spirit Scholarship is a \$1000 award based on volunteerism. We are looking to reward a student within the Kane or McHenry County area who plans to continue their education at an institution of higher learning. This may be a 2- or 4- year college, university or vocational/trade school. There are no GPA or financial need requirements. The American Spirit Scholarship is open to high school seniors and current college students who have selflessly dedicated their time to helping others. A list of required documents may be found on the application, all of which are due by midnight, March 31, 2018, for consideration. The application is available in the Student Services Office.

SENIOR BAKE SALE

Seniors we need your help! We will be having a bake sale at Friday night's boys' basketball game/senior night. Please check your email for information on table sign up and help us out by bringing some yummy baked goods.

2018 SENIOR T-SHIRT

Congratulations to Jayce Hoff for designing our 2018 senior t-shirt. Jayce will receive a free t-shirt. T-shirt orders will start the week of 2/20/18. See Nurse Marge for any questions

SOPHOMORE ASP OPT OUT FORMS, STRAND REPLACEMENT FORMS, FLEX PE

Reminder, Sophomore ASP Opt Out forms, Strand Replacement forms, and FLEX PE forms are due by end of day on Thursday, February 15th. If you have any questions, please ask your counselor. Forms turned in after February 15th will not be accepted.

SPRING SPORTS CLEARANCE

Now is the time to sign up for Spring Sports which begins February 26th. Registration is completed on line through the Athletic website, 8 to 18. Before being cleared to start, athletes must have a current physical on file, have passed 5 classes from 1st semester, have no athletic obligations and have paid the \$150 participation fee through PushCoin or by dropping a check off with Mrs. Peas. Registration and fee payment deadline is February 19th for all sports, which include Baseball, Softball, Girls Soccer, Boys Tennis and Boys & Girls Track. If you have already registered for Indoor Track you do not need to register or pay again.

STUDENT PARKING PERMITS

This is a friendly reminder for students who have a parking permit. Before you leave your car in the morning, make sure your parking pass is clearly displayed. If you forget to display your parking pass, you will need to sign your car in before 10AM in the Dean's Office.

VALENTINE GRAM

Valentines Candy Grams will be sold for \$1 during ALL lunches Feb 12th and 13th. Valentines come with chocolate and will be delivered to your Valentine on Valentine's Day. See Nurse Marge with any questions

THE WEDDING SINGER MUSICAL

Hey Wedding Guests! Break out your mullets and shoulder pads. We're gonna party like it's 1985. JHS Proudly Presents this year's Musical "The Wedding Singer". The Big Day begins February 15th and runs thru February 18th. Tickets are on sale now at [Greatseatevents.com/Jacobs HS](http://Greatseatevents.com/Jacobs%20HS). Student/Senior tickets are \$7 and Adults are \$10. Get your tickets soon before they vanish like the Velour Tracksuit!

WRESTLING

Congrats to Jake Harrier and Johnny Ridle for making the individual state tournament at U of I this upcoming weekend. Coach Conrad would also like to thank all the parents and wrestlers that came to support our varsity boys this weekend at the Barrington Sectional. Good luck down state boys!

**That's it for today Jacobs!! Have a great day and
GO EAGLES!!!**