

JOCKVALE'S FRIDAY MESSAGE - MAY 24th, 2024



KJSA & KJSC HAVE A MONSTER MASH WITH JMSS! - Back in April, the Ants and the Caterpillars partnered with the students from John McCrae Secondary School's Grade 10 Crafts Classes to create monsters! We drew our monsters and then met with our high school buddies to finalize the design. Then the JMSS students went back to class and sewed them and delivered them to us this past week! We are in love with our cute and cuddly monsters!
FREEZIE FRIDAYS RETURN TO JOCKVALE! -



Jumbo freezies will be sold on Fridays (and one Thursday) until the end of June. The jumbo freezies cost a toonie (\$2) and 1/2 a freezie is a loonie (\$1). Cash only.

Please note that we will not make phone calls home at the office about forgotten loonies and toonies on Fridays, so it's best to prepare in advance.

All proceeds will be used to support the Grade 6 Leaving Ceremony and student activities.

Freezie Friday dates:

Friday, May 24th, 2024

Friday, May 31st, 2024

Thursday, June 6th, 2024

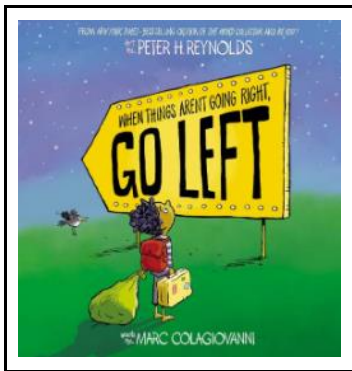
Friday, June 14th, 2024

Friday, June 21st, 2024



JAG SWAG is ONLINE - The [Jag Swag online store](#) is now open! Families and staff are invited to purchase Jockvale merchandise online. Use the link to find Jockvale spirit wear.

Orders must be placed by June 2nd, 2024. Orders will be sent to Jockvale - the school will notify parents/guardians once the orders are in.



JOCKVALE LIBRARY NEWS - This week in the library we have been reading a great book by Marc Colagiovanni with art by Peter H Reynolds. When you are having a day when things aren't going right, why not try going left? It's a great book about not letting your fears, worries and doubts get the best of you.

It is a busy time of year and we are trying to get every class in for their library visits around extra activities, field trips and fun days. The students will be borrowing books until June 14th and then will need to return their books in the week of June 17th-21st. If you are leaving on a vacation before the end of the school year please return your child's books before you leave.

[WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN NIGHT for new students - Tuesday, May 28th, 2024](#)



[**CEDARVIEW MIDDLE SCHOOL - GRADE 7 INFORMATION NIGHT**](#) - Welcome future Cedarview Hawks!

Cedarview would like to invite you to their Grade 7 Information night. They will be hosting an open house on **Tuesday, June 6th at 6 pm**. There will be a brief information session in the gym followed by school tours.

[**EQAO**](#) - Next week is EQAO! Grade 6 students will be writing on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Primary Students will be writing on Thursday, Friday and the following Monday. Our students are ready and will be putting forth their best efforts.

[**SAFE ARRIVAL SYSTEM \(Automated Attendance\)**](#)



Jockvale now uses the [**Safe Arrival System**](#) which is an automated attendance program. The Safe Arrival System has replaced some of our current attendance routines, like the Google form and phone calls. The system contacts families for unreported absences. Please download the app if you haven't done so already - thanks!

[**SWIM TO SURVIVE**](#) - Swim to Survive is completed for this year. Thank you to all grade 3 parents who signed forms, brought in forgotten swim suits, and volunteered. It was once again a success and students really enjoyed the experience.

[**JESC NEWS**](#)

Spring Fling, the annual year-end barbeque, will be held on Wednesday, June 12 from 4 to 6 pm on the school yard. There will be a large inflatable obstacle course with a slide, inflatable wrecking ball game, mini-train rides hosted by the Barrhaven Lions Club, a scavenger hunt, crafts and other outdoor activities, making this a must attend event. All of the activities are free, however we are accepting donations to help off-set the cost. We suggest \$2 per child to a max of \$5 per family.

You can also purchase food at the barbeque, which is being run by parent volunteers. To ensure we buy enough food we are asking people to order food in advance. This can be done through school cash online, or using this google [form](#) if you would prefer to pay in cash. Hot dogs, hamburgers and veggie burgers that are ordered in advance will cost 50 cents less than in cash.

We are still looking for more people to help run the barbeque and supervise activities. If you can help for 30 minutes, or more, please contact jockvalevolunteers@gmail.com.

Have a lovely weekend,

Loretta and Karl



MAY 27 TO 29 - EQAO FOR GRADE 6
MAY 28 - WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN NIGHT
MAY 30, 31, JUNE 3RD - EQAO FOR GRADE 3
JUNE 02 - JAG SWAG ONLINE STORE CLOSSES
JUNE 04 - JUNIOR TRACK & FIELD MEET @ SOUTH CARLETON
JUNE 06 - GRADE 6 WALKING TRIP TO CEDARVIEW
JUNE 07 - PA DAY - NO SCHOOL
JUNE 12 - SPRING FLING
JUNE 21 - ALL SCHOOL LIBRARY BOOKS DUE
JUNE 24 - REPORT CARDS EMAILED HOME
JUNE 25 - GRADE 6 LEAVING CEREMONY
JUNE 26 - GRADE 6 ESCAPE ROOM TRIP
JUNE 27 - LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

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