# JOCKVALE'S FRIDAY MESSAGE - November 29th, 2024

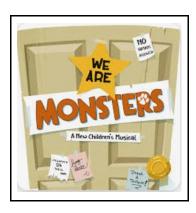


CURLING @ JOCKVALE - It's hammer time! We were lucky to ring in this week with a special guest who taught us all about curling and it absolutely rocked! Thanks to Tom from Rocks and Rings Curling for teaching our Jaguars, from Kindergarten to grade 6, about the wonderful world of curling, and a special shout out to M. Meilleur for making this happen!

FOOD DRIVE FOR THE BARRHAVEN FOOD CUPBOARD



Jockvale and the JESC are running a food drive in support of our neighbour, Barrhaven Food Cupboard. From November 28th to December 6th, you can send donations to Jockvale ES. High-need items are listed in the poster above. Ms. White and R56A will be counting, recording, and sharing our donation data as part of their Math unit. Please donate and thanks for your consideration and support!



JOCKVALE'S SCHOOL MUSICAL - First the Space Pirates invaded Jockvale, then Giants! This year, we're being invaded by vampires and werewolves! This year's musical is called "We Are Monsters"! All interested grades 4-6 students are invited to a pre-auditions meeting on Monday December 2nd at first recess in the library. Auditions will follow next week.



## **JUNIOR SKI TRIPS FOR 2025!**

Dear Grades 4-6 Families!

We have had a great response to our ski and snowboard trips so far! But, there are still spaces left, so this weekend is the time to register! The deadline is <u>Wednesday December 4th</u> and due to a tight timeline to get the information to Pakenham, there will not be a grace period. Payment information will be sent out after that date.

Please note that **all the paperwork must be submitted electronically** this year. Nothing should be handed in by paper or by email. The waiver must be uploaded to the permission form in order to submit it. We do not need a separate copy.

If you have any questions, please email us at: jockvaleski@gmail.com

Please do not email your homeroom teacher, as they do not have the answers!

Here is the information package for your reference again: Ski Trip Letter and Consent Forms Winter 2025 <u>WINTER WONDERLAND CONCERT - DECEMBER 17th, 2024</u> - It's in the works! Save the date for our daytime concert!

## Tuesday, December 17th, 2024

Junior Concert (Grades 3/4 to 6): 9:15 am to 10:25 am Kinder & Primary Concert (Grades JK to 3): 11:30 am to 12:40 am

## I READ CANADIAN @ JOCKVALE - BRAVO!

Thanks to the generosity of our Jockvale students and families, we've surpassed our \$500 "Bucks 4 Books" fundraising goal for our Jockvale Library! This means that we will be celebrating with a Pyjama and Movie day on Wednesday, December 18! Congrats, Jags, on a job well done!

If you ordered a copy of *Harlow's Journey Home* from Ashley Tomassini-Labelle, the books have been delivered and you will receive them on Monday, December 2nd.

Happy Reading, Jags!

## **JOCKVALE ES SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE**

## Movie Night - December 6th, 2024



The students have chosen The Wild Robot for the first movie night of the school year on Friday, December 6. Doors will open at 6 pm and the movie will start at 6:30 pm. This is a family event and parents are required to attend and supervise their children during the movie to ensure it is a safe environment for all to enjoy. Spectators are asked to remain seated and keep noise to a minimum out of respect for others watching the movie.

The cost to attend is just \$3 per person up to a max of \$10 per family.

There will be concession sales including pizza, fresh popcorn, drinks, chocolate bars, and candy. You can pay for admission and order your food in advance using school cash online, <a href="https://ocdsb.schoolcashonline.com/">https://ocdsb.schoolcashonline.com/</a>. Pre-orders for food must be made by Wednesday, December 4, however cash sales will be available on December 6.

Drinks (pop, juice or water), chocolate bars (Smarties, Aero, Kit Kat, Coffee Crisp or Caramilk) and candy (Skittles, Fuzzy Peach or Swedish berries) will be available on a first come first served basis.



## Return of Jingle Jangle Bazaar - December 12th, 2024

JESC is excited to bring back the popular Jingle Jangle bazaar, in which children may purchase gifts for their immediate family members during the school day. Gift items include toys, games, puzzles, housewares, books, knick knacks, etc. which are donated by the school community. Now is a great time to start gathering unused items from your house that would make a nice gift for someone else. We are also collecting wrapping paper and gift bags so that gifts can be sent home wrapped. We suggest donating at least one item for each item your child would like to purchase, however donating more items is greatly appreciated. Donations will be collected at the school from November 25 - December 11. Arrangements can also be made to pick up donations, just contact jockvalevolunteers@gmail.com



## **Volunteers Needed**

Did you know that all JESC activities are run entirely by volunteers? This includes movie nights, the Halloween dance, popcorn days, and Spring Fling.

Stay up to date on all school council activities by joining our Facebook group here: https://m.facebook.com/groups/831524836963451/

Enjoy the weekend,

Loretta and Sara



NOV 28 - DEC 06 - FOOD DRIVE FOR BARRHAVEN FOOD CUPBOARD

**NOV 29 - PA DAY - NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS** 

DEC 04 - DEADLINE TO REGISTER FOR SKIING (Grades 4 to 6)

DEC 04 - GRADE 3, 4, 5 GIRLS' BORDENBALL @ KARS

DEC 05 - GRADE 3, 4, 5 BOYS' BORDENBALL @ KARS

**DEC 06 - JESC MOVIE NIGHT** 

DEC 10 - GRADE 6 GIRLS' BORDENBALL @ FARLEY MOWAT

DEC 11 - GRADE 6 BOYS' BORDENBALL @ FARLEY MOWAT

**DEC 12 - JINGLE JANGLE BAZAAR** 

**DEC 17 - WINTER WONDERLAND CONCERT (Daytime)** 

DEC 18 - SCHOOL-WIDE PYJAMA & MOVIE DAY

Religious/Creed Based Days & Dates of Significance