

Thomas Jefferson Middle School
Arlington, Virginia
Tuesday, March 15, 2022

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today is a B Day.

From Mrs. Samuels:

Attention Cheerleaders. Please report to Mrs. Samuels off after the morning announcements for a brief meeting.

From Ms. Dunbar:

Gardening Club Picture TODAY, after school in the garden at 2:45pm. Fall and potential Spring members are welcome to be in the picture.

We will process compost after the picture, for all who are interested in helping out.

From Ms. Wall:

Thanks to everyone who voted for their favorite titles in the first week of our Battle of the Books.

Six students' names were randomly picked from signing in to Nearpod. These winning students should come to the Library after announcements to select a prize book from a cart donated by the PTA.

These students are: Bellum DeFilippi, Timothy Kissel, Lucia Khouvilay, Giselle Carballo, Hanan Ali, and Dewayne McClary.

Please sign in with your complete name to be eligible to win next time.

Now...on to the winning books! The following four books won their match and will move on to the Elite Eight: Ground zero by Alan Gratz, Fallout by Steve Sheinkin, Last cuentista by Donna Barba Higuera, and Concealed by Christina Diaz Gonzalez.

If you are interested in reading any of the books you've learned about, come to the Library after TA or look in Destiny Discover.

The second half of our bracket will be introduced to you this Friday.

TAB Club meets tomorrow during lunches.

From your PTA:

Please mark your calendar for our next restaurant night on Wednesday, March 23 at La Moo Creamery, Lee-Harrison Shopping Center, 2501 N. Harrison St. They are donating back 15%! Our event goes from 2pm to 9 p.m.

Don't forget to mention TJMS PTA.

Thanks and have a great week!

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From the Main Office:

This is a friendly reminder that students need to bring a reusable water bottle to school every day to make sure they stay hydrated throughout the day.

From Ms. Leonberger:

Jefferson's GSA meets Thursdays in room 206 (Ms. Calhoun's room) after-school from 2:30 to 3:30. ALL students, including LGBTQ+ students, straight allies, and students who aren't sure of their identity, are welcome and encouraged to attend.

From Ms. Mann:

Do you enjoy reading manga? Are you really into anime? Would you like a space to share and enjoy these interests with your fellow Yellowjackets? If so, join the Anime Club! We meet on Thursdays in Ms. Mann's room, 273, from 2:30 to 3:30. You must bring a permission slip signed by your parent or guardian to participate. Pick up a permission slip from Ms. Mann in room 273 or from Ms. Egbert in room 234.

Here's a special announcement from Ms. Jordan:

Cafeteria procedures

- Wash/Sanitize your hands before and after lunch.
- Those who want to eat in the small gym, line up the lockers near the boys locker room.
- Have a seat and be quiet.
- We'll call you up for lunch line by table.
- Stay seated, no visiting other tables during lunch.
- Keep your mask on except when eating.
- Throw away your trash when done.

From Ms. Jordan:

Students,

Need a place to catch up on homework after school? Need a quiet place to study or read a book?

Then come to after-school Study Hall in the Library. We have Study Hall every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 2:30-3:30PM. Students coming to study hall can take the late bus home.