Johnson County Central Public School Monthly Newsletter

September 2023

Superintendent Monthly Update

# The 2023-2024 Budget

(Building the budget...and a little bit about another bond.)

by Jon Rother. September 2023

The good news is, due to initiatives by Governor Pillen and Nebraska state legislators, all Nebraska school districts now receive state aid based on the number of students enrolled. For JCC, this means a total of \$715,886 from what has been dubbed "the Pillen Plan". (Last year, JCC received only \$57,928 in state aid.) This is in addition to increased Special Education reimbursement. For JCC, this is now approximately \$800,000. Previously, schools were only receiving reimbursement for about 40% of special education expenditures. It will now be about 80%. Again, this is all good news!

As far as the levy goes, JCC was at \$1.049 for the 2022-2023 school year. Remember that the levy is based on property tax valuations from Johnson, Otoe, Pawnee and Nemaha Counties. The following are current valuations for the JCC district:

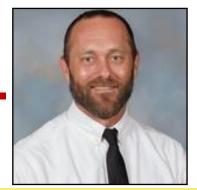
Johnson County = \$553,637,554 (68% of JCC taxable value) Otoe County = \$223,958,976 (28% of JCC taxable value) Pawnee County = \$17,882,798 (2% of JCC taxable value) Nemaha County = \$14,492,258 (2% of JCC taxable value) **TOTAL = \$809,971,586** 

The school district then levies  $1 \notin$  for every \$100 of taxable value. Therefore,  $1 \notin$  will generate approximately \$80,997 for the operations of the school district. As the prior bond attempts failed, the school board has now prioritized "maxing out" funds that will be needed for repairs and renovations to the current facilities. They are as follows:

1) Special Building Fund will be taken to the 14¢ maximum allowed by law.\*

2) QCPUF to the maximum of  $3\phi$ .\*

\* Side note - Had either of the prior bonds passed, the school district would have lowered the tax asking by approximately 10 cents (i.e. \$800,000) on these two funds alone.



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Jon Rother Superintendent Elementary Principal 402-335-3320

Rick Lester High School Principal 402-335-3328

Rich Bacon Middle School Principal 402-864-4171 The Special Building Fund will generate approximately \$1.3 million for special projects relating to the facilities such as HVAC (Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning). JCC's School Board Building Committee met and determined the following to be areas of priority for the High School:

- HVAC (estimated project cost is \$4,000,000)
- Kitchen equipment
- Concrete surrounding the building
- Secure entries (estimated project cost is \$100,000)

QCPUF (Qualified Capital Purpose Undertaking Fund) is for the purpose of "potential environmental hazard, accessibility barrier, life safety code violation, life safety hazard, or mold which exists within one or more existing school buildings or the school grounds of existing school buildings controlled by the school district." (*Nebraska Department of Education, Title 92, Chapter 2, 003.031*) This will generate approximately \$242,991.

The total levy will be set in September with a special hearing to approve the budget and another special meeting to set the levy.

As administration and the school board continue to plan for the future of the school district, it is apparent that the current High School will be the building to be used in the future should a school bond be passed to build an elementary or a secondary school.

We have been looking at most recent estimates provided by Boyd Jones (Construction Manager at Risk) for the construction of a new facility on the proposed new site. We have also looked again at the cost to renovate and build on additions to the existing high school. Looking back at the 2022 bond proposal, a PK-12 facility (minus the shop and wrestling room) was \$43.3 million for 125,700 square feet (i.e. \$250-\$275/ sq ft).

\*All of the scenarios below would include closing the Cook Site and the demolition of the Tecumseh Site Elementary.

\*All construction scenarios on a new site include a new competition gym as well as a new auxiliary gym.

# <u>PK-12 Building = \$52,505,018</u>

- 123,940 sq/ft.
- All PK-12 programming included.

# <u>7-12 Secondary Building = \$54,159,178</u>

- 101,239 sq/ft
- Above \$ figure includes renovations to the existing high school to accommodate grades PK-6.

# PK-6 Elementary Building = \$51,943,122

- 103,134 sq/ft
- Above \$ figure includes renovations to the existing high school to accommodate grades 7-8 programming in addition to grades 9-12.

# **PK-6 Single Story Elementary Building = \$47,038,725**

- 91,324 sq/ft
- Requires renovations to the existing high school to accommodate grades 7-8 programming in addition to grades 9-12.

# **Existing Tecumseh Site with Additions and Renovations = \$49,477,494**

- 77,900 sq/ft of new construction.
- 57,000 sq/ft of renovations.
- Renovations and additions to the existing high school to allow for all programming for grades PK-12.

Stay tuned for more information! If you have questions, feel free to contact me at: (402) 921-0187 or jon.rother@jccentral.org.

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# **Facilities Priorities**

JCC's School Board Building Committee and facilities team met to discuss priorities for the school buildings and sites. The following are the identified priorities:

# **Tecumseh Site Elementary**

- 1. Exterior doors and secure entries
- 2. Interior doors
- 3. HVAC
- 4. Water lines
- 5. LED lighting in classrooms

# **Cook Site**

- 1. HVAC in the old gym
- 2. Kitchen (complete renovation)
- 3. Roof project (1958 portion)
- 4. LED lighting throughout

# **High School**

- 1. HVAC
- 2. Kitchen equipment
- 3. Concrete surrounding the building (Americans with Disabilities Act compliance)
- 4. Secure entries

As the existing high school building is the building that will be kept (should a bond be passed or if the decision is made to add on and renovate), the focus for funds for repairs will be put on this building. The only exception would be in the case of repairs needed for the other buildings that impede learning or threaten the safety of students and staff.

# **NEWS FROM PRINCIPAL RICK LESTER**

School got off to a great start, students have their final schedule and extracurricular activities are already in full gear.

I met with each grade during the month of August and I discussed with the students the Student Handbook and our Activities Handbook. We went over some policies and discussed student's expectations to follow these rules throughout the year. All students were encouraged to read both handbooks so they were familiar with the policies. I would strongly encourage parents to view these handbooks which were emailed to all students on their iPads.

Students also received information on the OntoCollege ACT prep program Bringing the ACT prep program on-line to JCC students is an investment by the district in our students ACT score: an important measure used for college admission and financial aid. Most test prep courses cost hundreds of dollars, JCC students will complete the OntoCollege ACT prep program at school or home 24-7 free of charge. All JCC students will have full access to all the ACT prep sessions and bonus materials.

We truly believe the best and most efficient way for a student to maximize his/ her potential on the ACT test is to take challenging core classes throughout their high school career. The OntoCollege ACT prep program is another tool to help students reach their potential on the ACT test. If you are interested in your student taking the OntoCollege ACT prep program, please make sure your student completes the form they received at school or pick up another form at the office.



# MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS By Rich Bacon

The 2023-2024 school year officially began with the Middle School walk-through and the Preschool and Pre-K, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> grade Open House on Wednesday, August 9<sup>th</sup>. We appreciate all the students and parents who were able to attend. The start of a new school year officially began on August 14 when 185 4-8 students arrived for class. While summer gives everyone a much needed break, it is always good to have the building full of people and settle into the routine of the school year once again.

This year we welcome some new faces to the Middle School and some familiar faces in new positions. Brittney Teeman has joined our team as the 6-12 art teacher and Braden Hawley is our new 4-5 vocal and 5-12 instrumental music director. Beckie Robeson has moved over from the Tecumseh site elementary school to serve as the 7-8 reading teacher. Linsey Meints is now our media specialist and Emily Fricke is now teaching K-3 and 7-12 vocal music.

Middle School students and staff are, once again, fortunate as we continue to offer our 1:1 iPad program. As with most things school-related, there are certain expectations and responsibilities for all students to meet and our iPads are no different. Some examples of our expectations regarding iPads include:

- 1. Students and parents need to read and understand the JCC iPad Policies and Procedures handbook. This document can be found on the school website;
- 2. Students need to use the device in a responsible and ethical manner;
- 3. As with all technology, parents should supervise their child's use of the iPad at home. Any inappropriate use of the iPad may result in loss of iPad and school network privileges;
- 4. Students who take their iPad home need to make sure they bring the iPad to school every day, fully charged. Please see the iPad handbook for a more complete list of iPad expectations for our students. As always, if you have any questions or concerns throughout the year, please don't hesitate to contact your child's teacher or myself.

First semester Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Monday, October 2nd from 11:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. The 1<sup>st</sup> quarter ends less than two weeks after conferences. This provides parents an excellent opportunity to meet with their child's teachers before the end of the first quarter of school and talk about their child's progress. Active parent involvement in their child's education is one of the most effective ways to help your child succeed academically. Simple things such as asking how their day was, taking an interest in their academic progress or simply making sure their homework is finished can pay huge dividends toward your child's academic success. If you have questions or concerns about your child's performance before conferences, please do not wait until PT Conferences to discuss it with their teachers. Contact them right away. We hope to see everyone at conferences.

Junior High sports seasons have begun, with good numbers of athletes participating this fall. We have 30 athletes out for football, 22 participating in volleyball and four out for cross country. At the start of any season we should take time to remind ourselves what the purpose of athletics in a Middle School setting should be. While everyone wants to win and winning is one of our goals, it cannot be the purpose of our sports program at this level. Middle School activities should encourage participation and the development of fundamentals that will help them succeed at the varsity level. Instead of placing the emphasis on winning and losing, we should celebrate hard work, being coachable, improving skill level and effort every day and putting team before self. If students can learn to work hard and give maximum effort at a young age they are learning character traits that will help them be successful in high school and will serve them well for the rest of their lives. Please support our young athletes and their coaches this year by attending games and cheering their efforts, win or lose.

# **BEHAVIOR INTERVENTION SUPPORT TEAM (BIST)**

My name is Dr. Brenda Glunz. I am the psychologist working with the teachers and students at JCC. This year we are implementing a new program for the development of skills and accountability. This program was developed to give responsibility and accountability to children in educational settings. The BIST model is to help students be accountable for their actions and make positive changes in their life. BIST is designed to teach and protect students, via **GRACE** and **ACCOUNTABILITY**. The goals for life include:

I can make good choices even if I am mad (or sad, or upset)

I can be okay, even if others are not okay

I can do something even if I don't want to (or it is hard)

The GRACE component of the program states that we accept:

You, Your problems Your pain Your needs

The ACCOUNTABILITY levels include:

I did it I'm sorry It's part of a problem in my life I accept consequences I accept and need help

The BIST program is based on the commitment that:

It's never okay to be disruptive It's never okay to be hurtful.

A commitment by adults to this standard is crucial. A student will be asked one time per activity to stop a behavior that is disruptive or hurtful. Adults will intervene quickly if a student cannot meet this standard.

Some terms you may hear from your student include:

- Safe Seat: a seat in the classroom away from other students
- **Buddy Room**: a seat in another classroom to help students regroup so they may return to the safe seat.
- **Recovery/Focus Room**: a place where students can go to stop acting out, calm down, prepare an apology and create a plan to be successful.
- Think Sheet: a tool that students complete to help take ownership of the problem and create a plan to be successful
- **Processing**: questions that the adult asks so the student may take ownership, practice skills and make a plan to be successful.

Providing relationship, support and accountability when a student is struggling to maintain the standard and meet the Goals for Life is the long term goal of this program.

If you have further questions about the BIST model or it's implementation at JCC, feel free to contact myself or other professionals at the school.

# **NOTES FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR Mrs. Olivia Reuter**

#### **EducationQuest- An Excellent Resource for Nebraska High School Students and** <u>Their Parents</u>

Educationquest.com is your one stop website for college planning. You can find out everything you need to know through this website. This includes learning about ll of the colleges and universities in Nebraska by exploring the College Profiles section, finding out what you should be doing month by month of your senior year by looking at the Timeline section, searching for scholarships through ScholarshipQuest and signing up to participate in live online college planning events at <u>https://educationquest.org/events/</u>

They have financial aid information sessions that you can sign up for and attend online on September 12th, 21st, and 25th, all at 6:30 PM. They also offer a financial aid program in Spanish on September 19th at 6:30 PM. It would be a really good idea for seniors and their parents to sign up for one of these sessions. Sign up ahead of time at the events link above.

# **Red Cross Blood Drive at JCC on September 13th**

JCC's National Honor Society chapter will be hosting a Red Cross blood drive on September 13th from 8:30 AM to 2:00 PM. Give blood to help save many lives and to also help earn scholarship money for seniors at Johnson County Central High School. If you'd like to sign up to give, please contact Olivia Reuter at <u>olivia.reuter@jccentral.org</u> or sign up online at redcrossblood.org

# Sign Up for the October 28th ACT By September 22nd

We will be having the October 28th national ACT test here at JCC on Saturday, October 28th. Students who want to test here that morning will need to sign up online at act.org You must pay with a debit or credit card online to test. The cost to test is \$68 without writing and \$93 with writing. If you qualify for free or reduced lunch, you can get a fee waiver from Mrs. Reuter.

# FAFSA Changes for Students Planning to Attend College in 2024-2025

The U.S. Department of Education's Office of Federal Student Aid (FSA) is changing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This will affect ALL students and families who complete the application for the 2024-25 academic year.

The FAFSA has opened on October 1st the past few years, but this year, the 2024-2025 FAFSA for students graduating high school in 2024, will open in December of 2023.

Another major change is that your FSA ID will be more important than ever. Both students and parents must create an FSA ID using full legal names, birthdates, and social security numbers. The Social Security Administration must verify the FSA IDs before tax information can be accessed for the FAFSA, so allow *at least three days. Both parents and stepparents must have an FSA ID so their tax information can be accessed accurately. Parents who don't have a social security number must also create an FSA ID, more information on this process will come out later.* 

Second, the parent you include on the FAFSA could change. For dependent students with separated/divorced parents, the parent who provided the most financial support in the last 12 months must be included. If the support were equal, you would use the parent(s) with the highest income/assets. This aligns with the previous requirement of including the custodial parent for many students.

Third, and perhaps most notably, the Expected Family Contribution (EFC) will become SAI (Student Aid Index). The most significant implications of this change are that the net worth of small businesses and farm assets will now be considered in the SAI calculation. Parents will no longer report child support paid, but child support received will be considered. Also, the number of students a family has enrolled in college will no longer factor into the SAI calculation. What does this mean for you? Unfortunately, your financial aid eligibility could decrease.

The best way to stay informed of the latest developments with the FAFSA iare to sign up for EducationQuest's FREE Countdown2College newsletter (located at the bottom of EducationQuest's home page) and follow EducationQuest on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube. Our college planning experts are also ready to provide personal assistance. Contact EducationQuest offices in Lincoln (402-475-5222) or Omaha (402-391-4033) with any questions you have that you can't find answers to. You can also schedule a virtual appointment with an EducationQuest representative by going to <a href="https://app.10to8.com/book/educationquest/">https://app.10to8.com/book/educationquest/</a> and scheduling a date and time.



# THUNDERBIRD HOMECOMING TAILGATE

SEPTEMBER 10, 2023 @ HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL FIELD 6:00 PM

FOOD, GAMES & T-BIRD SPIRIT!



# Greetings Thunderbird Family!

The 2023 fall season officially got underway on Monday, August 7th with the beginning of practice. Our athletes have been working hard and are ready to get out and compete. We are excited to have people back in the stands cheering on our Thunderbirds.

Here is a list of the number of participants we have in each activity along with our upcoming home events.

HS Volleyball - 14 HS Football - 30 HS Cross Country - 6 boys, 2 girls HS Girls Golf - 7 JH Football - 28 JH Volleyball - 22 JH Cross Country - 3 boys, 1 girl

**Volleyball** 9/5 v Freeman/Wilber-Clatonia - 5:00 (V)

9/14 v Wilber-Clatonia - 4:00 (JH) 9/21 v Syracuse - 4:00 (JH) 9/25 v Sterling/Pawnee City - 5:00 (JV) 9/28 v Pawnee City - 6:00 (JV/V) 9/30 - JCC Invite - 9:00am (V) 10/3 v Freeman - 4:00 (JH) 10/5 v Auburn - 6:00 (JV/V) \*\*Parents night in between JV & V match

#### Football

9/1 v Conestoga - 7:00 (Parents night for football, girls golf, cross country) \*\*Approx. 6:30 9/5 v Freeman - 4:00 (JH) 9/11 v Lourdes Central Catholic - 4:00 (JH) 9/15 v Southern - 7:00 (V) \*\*HOMECOMING 9/18 v HTRS - 6:00 (JV) 10/2 v Palmyra - 4:00 (JH) 10/2 v Conestoga - 6:00 (JV)

*Cross Country* 9/1 - JCC Invite - 9:00am

*Girls Golf* 9/14 - JCC Invite - 9:00am

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# <u>Mrs. Borrenpohl</u> <u>Kindergarten News:</u>

All 17 students in Mrs. Borrenpohl's class had a very busy first week in Kindergarten. The 8 boys and 9 girls did a wonderful job adjusting to our daily routines. We began our year off learning about school, rules, and each other's personalities. We are getting used to a full day of learning and fun!! During the first week we went on a walking hunt and explored all the new places in our school building. We found the Music Room, Nurse's office, Lunchroom, PE Gymnasium, Library, Playground, and even Mr. Rother's new office!! Our location clues and findings were a great success!! We are super excited about starting up the school year and continuing to review classroom rules and procedures such as how to use our indoor classroom voices.



# **Move This World**

By: Marsha Bacon

Johnson County Central Schools has incorporated a new Social Emotional curriculum for students K-12 called Move This World. Students will have weekly lessons in class and parents will also be able to access the Move This World website for resources.

#### What is Move This World?

Self-Awareness

Emotion Identification Emotion Expression

Mindfulness

Self-Confidence

Strength Recognition

Move this world is the leading provider of social-emotional learning (SEL) multimedia resources for preK-12 students, educators and families. Each piece of educational content is delivered through short interactive lessons and is grounded in the goal of empowering students to navigate the rapidly-changing realities of their world-both in the classroom and throughout their lives. The engaging curriculum is designed to empower students by strengthening the skills that foster wellbeing and establishing a common language among students, educators and families. These multimedia experiences are rooted in creative expression and participatory movement.

# What are we building with MTW?

Move This World works on strengthening student's social emotional learning skills. Social emotional learning (SEL) is the process through which children and adults acquire and effectively apply the knowledge, attitudes and skills necessary to understand and manage emotions, set and achieve goals, feel and show empathy for others, establish and maintain positive relationships and make responsible decisions.

Self-

Management

Emotional Management

Resilience

Stress Management

Impulse Control

Self-Motivation



Communication

Leadership Skills

We are excited to implement this new curriculum to our district. If you would like to learn more about Move This World, please visit the website: <u>https://www.movethisworld.com/</u>. Your student will receive a parent letter with your family login information which will allow you and your student(s) to access family resources.

Respect for Others

If you have any questions or need assistance accessing the Move This World resources, please contact Marsha Bacon; <u>marsha.bacon@jccentral.org</u> or Olivia Reuter; <u>olivia.reuter@jccentra.org</u>.

# JCC Thunderbirds are ready to MOVE THIS WORLD!

# **Bus Drivers Wanted!**



JCC is seeking route, shuttle and activity drivers for the current school year and upcoming 2023-2024 school



year.

\$35 per route \$35 per shuttle \$25.00 per hour for activities



Contact Mr. Rother or Laurie Badertscher if interested. 402-335-3320

Johnson County Central is an equal-opportunity employer.





# AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

JCC is seeking energetic, reliable, positive individuals to help with our after school program. \$25/hour for supervisors/teachers. \$15/hour for helpers. The program is from 4-6 PM every day school is in session.

# **Job Opportunities**

# JCC's After School Program

- teachers
- supervisors
- student helpers

# **Requirements :**



Helpers must be 14 years of age and pass a background check.



Teachers and supervisors must be 18 or over and must pass a background check.

# APPLICATIONS CAN BE OBTAINED AT ANY JCC OFFICE OR AT WWW.JCCENTRAL.ORG.

Send inquiries to: jon.rother@jccentral.org

#### Here are important upcoming dates for the High School 2023 Marching Season

Unless otherwise noted attendance at each of these events is required. Let Mr. Hawley know immediately of conflicts! (402) 215-2157

\*\*\*Please note that pep band for home football, volleyball, and basketball games are required but not listed here. A full music schedule will be available at the beginning of the school year in paper form, on your iPad, and on the school calendar. Please plan accordingly.

September 16	Applejack Parade (Nebraska City)
October ??	Peru Homecoming Parade (Peru)
October 14	Miles for Music 5K Fundraiser

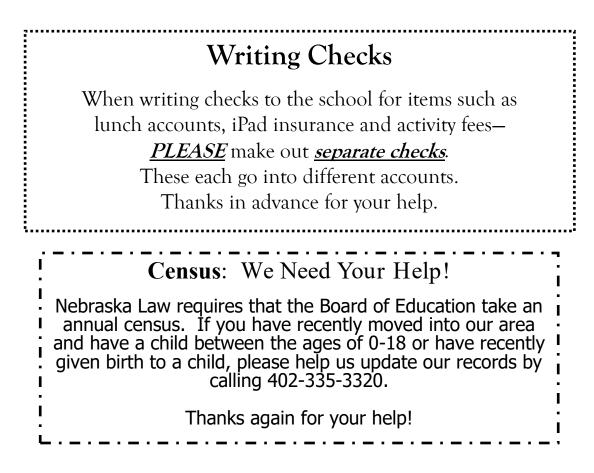


# 2023 THUNDERBIRD GOLF CLASSIC SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2 4-PERSON SCRAMBLE \$200 PER TEAM

# *TO REGISTER CONTACT: JEFF MAHONEY (402) 335-7678 OR BEN SWANSON (402) 921-0870*

(THIS YEAR'S PROCEEDS WILL GO TO THE THUNDERBIRD GOLF PROGRAM)

# **School Office Notices**



# Here is a friendly reminder about School Pay!

JCC uses a secure online payment platform called SchoolPay where parents can create accounts to pay for some of the student fees and lunch balance. The website is <u>https://</u><u>www.schoolpay.com/login</u> and from there you can create an account for yourself and associate with your child/children. There is also a direct link from the JCC website: Quicklinks > SchooPay (Online Payment)

Previously the link was listed as "Online Lunch Payment."

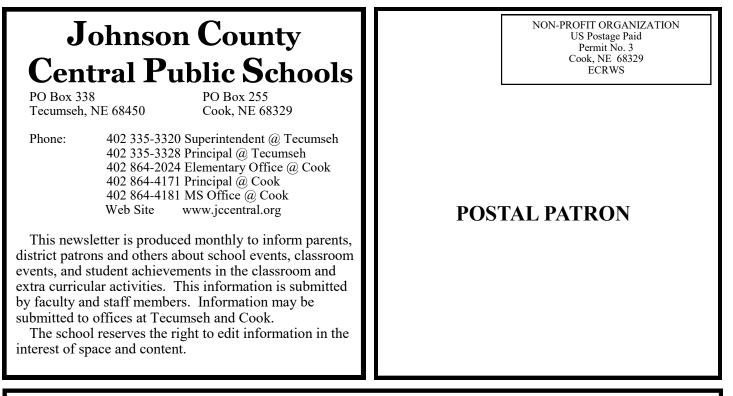
Not only can you pay for lunches, some of the other items that can be paid for online are iPad Insurance, Instrument Rental Fee, Student Activity Fee, Adult Activity Pass, & After School Program. There is a FAQ page on the website that answers common questions about how to create an account and add your children.



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17	18 NO SCHOOL Teacher In–Service	19 Turkey Wrap L&T Com Chips Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	20 Popcorn Chicken Bowl Fruit & Veggie Bar Dinner Roll Milk	21 Cheeseburger wg Bun Potatoes Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	22 Crispito Cooked Carrots Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	23
24	25 Chicken Nuggets Scooby Snack Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	26 Com Dog Baked Beans Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	27 PB Jelly Cheese Stick El. Taco Salad HS & MS Cheese Bread HS & MS Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	28 Shredded Pork wg Bun Potato Salad Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	29 Pizza Lettuce Salad Fruit & Veggie Bar Milk	30

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5	4 NO SCHOOL Labor Day	5 Golf Girls Varsity ECNC Meet @ Crooked Creek GC-9:30 am FB JH vs Freeman @ JCC HS-4:00 pm VB Varsity Tri @ JCC HS-5:00 pm	6 SCHOOL PICTURE DAY BOTH SITES Grades K8 Fall Cheer Camp @ JCC HS-4:00 pm	7 XC Varsity @ Calvin Crest Camp-4:00 pm VB C Team/JV/V @ Palmyra- 5,6,7:00 pm	8 FB Varsity @ Lourdes Central Catholic @ Peru State College -7:00 pm	6
10 JCC Community Pep Rally & Bonfire to Kickoff JCC Homecoming Week @ JCC HS-6:00 pm	11 VB Mudecas @ Beatrice-TBD FB JH vs Lourdes Central Catholic @ JCC HS -4:00 pm FB JV @ Freeman-6:00 pm JCC HOMEC	Mudecas @ Bearrice-TBD VB Mudecas @ Bearrice-TBD VB Mudecas @ Bearrice-TBD 03 JH vs Lourdes Central Golf Girls Invitational @ olic @ JCC HS -4:00 pm VB JH @ Palmyra-4:00 pm Palmyra-4:00 pm VB JH @ Palmyra-4:00 pm PA Palmyra-4:00 pm VB JH @ Palmyra-4:00 pm PA	13 NHS Red Cross Blood Drive @ JCC HS-8:30 am Grades K8 Fall Cheer Camp @ JCC HS-4:00 pm JCC HS-6:00 pm	14 VB Mudecas @ Bearrice-TBD Golf Girls Invite @ Tecumseh CC- 9:00 am MS Students to march @ Richardson County Fair Parade- 11:00 am VB JH vs Wilber-Clatonia @ JCC MS Cook Site-4:00 pm	15 FB Varsity us Southern @ JCC HS-7:00 pm JCC Homecoming Coronation & Dance @ JCC HS	16 VB JH Tourney @ Louisville–9:00 am HS Band to march in Apple Jack Parade– 1:00 pm
17	18 NO SCHOOL Teacher In–Service Golf Girls Invite @ Kirkman's Lakeview GC– 9:00 am VB JV Tournament @ Johnson Brock–4:00 pm FB JV vs HTRS @ JCC HS–	19 XC Varsity @ Branched Oak– 10:00 am FB JH @ Pawnee City–4:00 pm	20 FFA/Intro AG District Range Judging @ Nemaha County– 8:00 am	<ul> <li>21</li> <li>21 Golf Girls vs HTRS @ Kirkman's Lakeview GC-4:00 pm</li> <li>VB JH vs Syracuse @ JCC MS</li> <li>Cook Site-400 pm</li> <li>VB JV/V @ Southerm-6/7:00 pm</li> <li>XC @ Falls City-4:30 pm</li> </ul>	22 FB Varsity @ Freeman-7:00 pm	23 VB Varsity Tourney @ Louisville–9:00 am
24	<ul> <li>25 Golf Girls Invite @ Auburn CC-9:00 am</li> <li>VB JH @ Tri County-4:30 pm</li> <li>VB JV Tri @ JCC HS-5:00 pm</li> <li>FB JH @ Elmwood Murdock- 5:00 pm</li> <li>FB JV @ Johnson Brock-6:00 pm</li> </ul>	26 VBJH vs HTRS @ JCC MS Cook Site-4:00 pm VB Varsity @ Weeping Water- 5:00 pm	27	28 Golf Girls Invite @ Hidden Valles GC–9:00 am XC Varsity @ Pioneers Park–5:30 pm VB JV/V vs Pawnee City @ JCC HS–6/7:00 pm	<ul> <li>29 Title I Pumpkin</li> <li>Decorating/Tailgate @</li> <li>JCC HS Cafeteria-6:00 pm</li> <li>FB Varsity us Palmyra-7:00 pm</li> <li>FB Senior Night</li> </ul>	30 VB Varsity Thunderbird Invite @ JCC - Both Sites-9:00 am JCC HS Band to march @ Peru State Homecoming Parade-10:00 am



#### Non-Discrimination

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#### Child find

Children that are birth to 5 years old who are experiencing problems with speech language, cognitive, emotional and/or physical development or have a disability can receive services through Early Childhood Education Services. If interested or in need of more information please contact Rebecca Kling, Special Education Coordinator or Jon Rother, Superintendent at 402-335-3320.

**NO SCHOOL** Monday, September 4 Labor Day

Monday, September 18 **Teacher In-Service** 



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