

Family Matters

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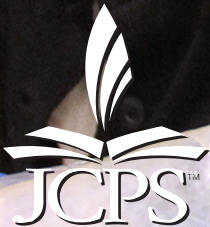
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FROM THE PRESIDENT

While you finish up this year's Parent Teacher Association (PTA) activities, help make it possible for your PTA to make a smooth transition into the next school year. Here is a checklist of to-do items:

- Don't forget to send your membership dues payment to the Kentucky PTA by **March 15**.
- Complete your Membership Report, and send it to the Kentucky PTA by **March 30**.
- Complete Evangeline J. Sansome scholarship applications by **March 15**.
- Make plans to attend the 15th District PTA Awards Banquet on **May 10**, and join us in celebrating your accomplishments.
- March is the time for you to review your bylaws that pertain to electing officers. PTAs usually elect their Nomination Committee at this time of year, and this committee should be working to find the best-qualified person for each elected office. Most PTA bylaws require the election of officers to be scheduled in the spring so that planning can take place over the summer months.
- If your school's School-Based Decision Making (SBDM) Council elects its parent representatives in the spring, you need to begin that process.

I personally want to thank each of you for caring enough to donate your valuable time to be a voice for **all** children. Working together, PTAs and schools can make a difference and ensure a successful future for every student.



Heather Wampler

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Calendar of Events

March

- 1 15th District PTA Awards Applications Due
- 2 National Read Across America Day
- 7-9 National PTA Legislative Conference
- 7 Jefferson County Board of Education (JCBE) Meeting
- 8 Elementary grading period ends.
- 12 Daylight Saving Time begins.
- 13 Professional-Development (PD) Day (no school for students)
- 15 Evangeline J. Sansome Scholarship Application Deadline
- 20 Elementary Report Card Distribution
- 21 JCBE Meeting
- 21 15th District PTA Board Meeting

- 29 Middle and high school grading period ends.
- 30 School Day (make-up day for Jan. 5)
- 31 No School for Students or Teachers

April

- 3-7 Jefferson County Public Schools (JCPS) Spring Break
- 8 ACT
- 14 Good Friday
- 14 Title I Parent Advisory Council (PAC) Meeting
- 16 Easter Sunday
- 18 15th District PTA Board Meeting
- 18 Middle and High School Grade Distribution
- 24-28 School Lunch Hero Week
- 25 JCBE Meeting (George Unsel Early Childhood Learning Center)

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/parentteacherassociation

For additional information about the PTA, visit the Kentucky PTA at www.kypata.org or the National PTA at www.pta.org.

Tips on Creating Your PTA School Newsletter

By Elizabeth Cannon, Fourth Vice President—Communications for the 15th District PTA and a mom of Elise, a Dixie Elementary student. Cannon is the editor of the Dixie Elementary PTA newsletter and has sold ads to help pay for printing.

Creating a school newsletter is challenging but rewarding. The process can be stressful, but it is worth it when you get the finished product. Whether it is a printed hard copy or an online version, newsletters often don't get read. But what they give the parents who do read them is a host of happenings and needed resources.

Here are a few tips to help you when you are creating your PTA school newsletter.

- **Decide first whether it will be a hard copy or a digital newsletter.** This will make a big difference when you start to plan and format the newsletter. Find out from parents if they would prefer online, hard copy, or access to both. A survey sent home will help figure this out.
- **Select the content of the newsletter.** What will be the regular articles? What will be special articles? Who will be the writers of those articles? Create a content calendar so that you won't be rushing from month to month to think of articles. Some articles, depending on how frequently your newsletter is published, can stay in an additional issue. If your school has fewer than 100 students, I suggest a monthly newsletter. For 200 or more students, I suggest a biweek-

ly publication, especially if the school events and happenings are minimal. Schools and PTAs serving more than 200 students are busy and require a biweekly newsletter to keep up with the PTA's events and happenings.

- **Template.** There are thousands of newsletter templates on the Internet. I choose Word templates! My printer prefers that I use other formats, but it works for our school. That's the key for your content and your writers—what works for your school.
- **Printing of the newsletter.** You can either print them at the school or you could have an outside company print and fold them, if they are a four-page newsletter. I have done it both ways. Keeping the printing in house works for 100 students, but student numbers of 450 or more could turn into a two-day project. What helped with the cost of printing was selling advertising in the newsletter—back page or small, business-card-style ads.
- **Distribution.** If you have a digital newsletter, you will email or text it out to the parents who want it sent that way. If you have hard copies, they will go out in the



students' backpacks at the end of the day, most likely Fridays. Keep a map of the school classrooms with the number of students who need hard copies in each class, and drop off the correct number at each classroom.

The final key to having an effective newsletter is planning. You must know what you are trying to achieve before you start the process. Gather a team of teachers and PTA members to work out an incredible newsletter that will be informative and engaging—one that you will be proud of at the end of the day!

V-I-C-T-O-R-Y SPELLING BEE WINNERS

Congrats to all 63 competitors at the 15th District PTA Spelling Bee, which was held on Wednesday, February 8. This annual event attracted families and supporters who watched students in elementary and middle school compete to spell a variety of challenging words on stage at Sallie Phillips Durrett Auditorium at JCS Gheens Academy. The three winners were Eden Gallup at Noe Middle (first place), Isabella Jergler at Coleridge-Taylor Montessori Elementary (second place), and Caleb Masterson at Watterson Elementary



From left, JCS academic coordinator and announcer **Doug Wilham**, second-place winner **Isabella Jergler** of Coleridge-Taylor Montessori Elementary, first-place winner **Eden Gallup**, third-place winner **Caleb Masterson**, and **Heather Wampler**, president of the 15th District PTA

(third place). The winners received monetary prizes of \$100, \$75, and \$50, and the winning words were *pandowdy*, *ibuprofen*, and *gourmand*. One representative will advance to the Ford Motor Company Kentucky Derby Festival Spelling Bee, which will be held on **Saturday, March 11**. The participants had to win school competitions before they advanced to the district event, which was coordinated by the 15th District PTA. The announcer was Doug Wilham, JCS academic coordinator.

Family Is the Lifeline of FINE Time

Angela Burns, a first-grade teacher at Greathouse/Shryock, works on reading skills with a small group.



Stacey Looney, a first-grade teacher at Greathouse/Shryock, helps a student get started on an activity during FINE Time.

dad.” Washer’s weekend work schedule has allowed him to establish bonds at the school during the week, and he feels it has permitted him to forge a special connection with the school.

Each day, FINE Time allows all students a 30-minute period in which they break into

Each Tuesday and Thursday, two students at Greathouse/Shryock Traditional Elementary look forward to a visit from a man they have learned to know and trust.

“I wait in the hallway for them to come out,” said Dave Washer. “They know me. They look forward to seeing me. They say ‘Hey, Mr. Washer!’ It’s a great way for me to have a better idea of what is going in class.”

Washer, a nurse at Norton Audubon Hospital, is one of about 30 family members and community supporters who contribute each week to Fostering Individual Needs Everyday (FINE) Time, a daily 30-minute enrichment or remediation time for each student at the school. A high level of parental involvement and participation makes the schedule possible.

Similar to most parents of Greathouse/Shryock students, Washer learned about FINE Time in kindergarten orientation. His son, Donovan, is now in second grade. Washer works with his son’s peers, who—along with most of the other classmates—know him by his other title, “Donovan’s

small groups, sometimes with a ratio of two students to one adult. Students work on a two-week rotation with reading and math. Some receive individual help while others work with software programs, such as i-Ready or Education Galaxy. All students are able to expand upon the standards they are learning and grow their skills from where they currently are.

Educators work in a weekly Professional Learning Community (PLC) to discuss what students may need and how they will best be served. This allows them to chart out a strategy for a student’s academic standing as well as what learning styles may work best with students whom they know well.

Last year, Angela Burns, now a P2 (grade one) teacher, saw the effort offer enrichment that took her fifth-grade students from Proficient to Distinguished.





Students benefitted from being encouraged to go more in-depth, allowing them to learn more about the writers they enjoy or how their writing processes work.

Burns works early in the school year to recruit parents and families to become involved, if their schedules permit. Most parents grew up learning math using different techniques than are being taught now.

A better-informed parent will provide better help and support at home as well as to other students in school who may be struggling or seeking more challenges.

"It's the opportunity to be involved," Burns said. "We invite them here, and then they realize what this is. Parents play a vital role. If they know what's going on, they can extend that at home."

For many parents, it's not a hard sell. Most families want to be involved and support the students; they are just looking for the right outlet. With FINE Time, they've found one that works with their schedules.

Greathouse/Shryock is one of four traditional magnet elementary schools throughout JCS. A banner outside the school proudly announces that Greathouse/Shryock is the highest-performing elementary school in the state and a 2015 School of Distinction. That good-news banner is actually dated and could be clarified to illustrate the school's more recent achievement.

In September, results from the 2016 Kentucky Performance Rating for Educational Progress (K-PREP) tests showed Greathouse/Shryock Traditional Elementary with the highest overall score in the state, including all elementary, middle, and high schools. More than 93 percent of its students scored Proficient or Distinction in reading, and 94.7 percent did the same in math.

Meigan Retic, a first-year Greathouse/Shryock goal clarity coach, loves the level of staff and family involvement. The special area teachers,

such as the science lab teacher or the computer teacher, work alongside Retic to help a group of advanced readers during FINE Time. There's also a middle and high school JCS teacher, whose child attends Greathouse/Shryock, who arrives at 3 p.m. to work with students in FINE Time.

The all-hands-on-deck approach also means less pressure for a classroom teacher to solve every issue. There is a community effort under way, Retic said. When Greathouse/Shryock gives tours to prospective families, they make a point to show families FINE Time as it happens, Retic said.

"It's amazing to have parents value the education of other students and not just their own," Retic said. "It's another hand of love and care."

When Washer requested a time to volunteer, he thought it may be wise to not work directly with his son, but with his son's classmates.

"They know I'm Donovan's dad," Washer said. "You just feel so much a part of the school and ingrained in what's going on."

Meigan Retic, a first-year goal clarity coach at Greathouse/Shryock, says FINE Time allows teachers to focus on what they do best—teach.



Greathouse/Shryock Traditional Elementary students use glue sticks to work on sentence structure during the school's FINE Time.

Thirteenth Annual Children's Advocacy Day

On Thursday, February 9, the Kentucky State Capitol was flooded with people and students with one thing on their mind: the youth of Kentucky! The Thirteenth Annual Children's Advocacy Day at the Capitol was a wonderful time to show support for our students and to talk or leave "step up for kids" messages with legislators. Kentucky Youth Advocates (KYA) and the partners for Blueprint for Kentucky's Children put this day together to rally for children. It started with a rally at 10 a.m. and honored the following legislators with the 2017 Champion for Children awards:

- Senate President Robert Stivers II
- Senator Danny Carroll
- Senator Whitney Westerfield
- Representative Joni L. Jenkins
- Representative Darryl T. Owens
- Representative Addia Wuchner

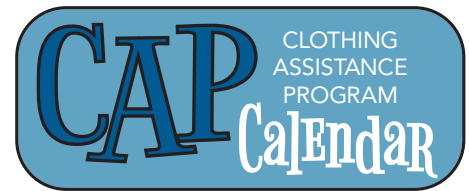
After the rally, there were many activities to participate in, such as the education committee meeting, visiting your representatives, or sitting in the gallery watching the Senate or House in action. This really was a day to advocate for our students, and I encourage everyone to join in next year.

Autumn Neagle

Autumn Neagle
President-Elect of the 15th District PTA



Clockwise from left, **Sharon Whitworth**, 15th District PTA Parliamentarian; **Dr. Terry Brooks**, KYA Executive Director; **Janet Jones**, Kentucky PTA Board of Directors; **Cherie Dimar**, Kentucky PTA President; **Dee Schwartz**, Anne Mason Elementary PTA President; **Autumn Neagle** (and Nicholas and Athena), 15th District PTA President-Elect



The following schools are scheduled to send volunteers to CAP. For more information or to reschedule, call **485-7450** or contact them on Twitter at @PTA_CAP.

March

- 1..... Engelhard Elementary, Foster Traditional Academy, Greenwood Elementary
- 2..... Frost Sixth-Grade Academy, Valley High, Wheeler Elementary
- 7..... Barret Traditional Middle, Fairdale High, Stonestreet Elementary
- 8..... Conway Middle, Johnstontown Road Elementary, Zachary Taylor Elementary
- 9..... Farnsley Middle, Cochrane Elementary
- 14..... Dunn Elementary, Doss High, Newburg Middle
- 15..... Fern Creek Elementary, Highland Middle, Kerrick Elementary
- 16..... Auburndale Elementary, Butler Traditional High, Watson Lane Elementary
- 21..... Dixie Elementary, Moore School, Semple Elementary
- 22 Coleridge-Taylor Montessori Elementary, Frayser Elementary, King Elementary
- 23 Cochran Elementary, Mill Creek Elementary, Seneca High
- 28 Olmsted Academy North, Rutherford Elementary, Western High
- 29 Hartstern Elementary, Trunnell Elementary, Westport Middle

April

- 11..... Indian Trail Elementary, Louisville Male High, Brandeis Elementary
- 12..... Jacob Elementary, Klondike Lane Elementary, Camp Taylor Elementary
- 13..... Bowen Elementary, Knight Elementary, Hazelwood Elementary
- 18..... Ramsey Middle, Watterson Elementary, Young Elementary
- 19..... Laukhuf Elementary, Kenwood Elementary, Roosevelt-Perry Elementary
- 20 Atkinson Academy, Wilt Elementary, Academy @ Shawnee
- 25 Layne Elementary, Stuart Elementary
- 26 Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School
- 27 Western Middle, Eisenhower Elementary

FAMILY READING

March is National Reading Month, and this is a great time to have a family event that focuses on reading. National PTA has a wonderful event toolkit, Family Reading Experience, which can be accessed at www.PTA.org/familyreading.

This toolkit has an event checklist, interactive learning stations, turn-key event promotion tools, take-home family tip sheets, and videos to share. You're able to make your own theme or use one of their four examples. It also comes with sample social media messages, morning

announcements, and even newsletter articles. This is a complete out-of-the-box program that will give families the tools to read as a family. Research shows that when families read together, learning happens and memories are made that last a lifetime.

15TH DISTRICT PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION (PTA) 2017-2019 EXECUTIVE BOARD OFFICER NOMINATIONS



BEN KOLB
SECRETARY



ADAM KESLER
PRESIDENT-ELECT



SID GAMERTSFELDER
TREASURER

ELECTIONS WILL
BE HELD AT
6:30 P.M. ON
WEDNESDAY,
MAY 10, 2017,
AT THE
ANNUAL AWARDS
BANQUET
AT
RAMADA PLAZA, 9700
BLUEGRASS PKWY



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SECOND VP-MEMBERSHIP



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TRAINING

As per the 15th District PTA Bylaws:

"Additional nominations can be made from the floor at the election meeting. Those nominees from the floor must have given 30 days notification of their intent to run. Notification must be in writing to the District President and the Nomination Committee Chairperson."

You have from **March 2**, to **April 2, 2017**, to give notice. Anything after **April 2, 2017**, falls beyond the 30 days notice.

If you are interested in running from the floor please mail written intent, attention to Heather Wampler (President) and Adam Kesler (Nominating Committee Chairman) to:

15th District PTA
PO Box 35444
Louisville KY 40232-5444

For questions or concerns,
call (502) 485-3535.

- **Kesler**—VP of Kentucky State PTA, Board member of 15th District PTA, President of Cane Run Elementary PTA
- **Kolb**—Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School PTA, Co-President
- **Gamertsfelder**—Noe Middle PTSA, Treasurer
- **Newman**—St. Matthews Elementary PTA, President
- **Summerville**—Seneca High PTSA, President
- **Squires**—VP of 15th District PTA, President of Pleasure Ridge Park High PTSA, Past Kentucky State PTA President
- **Cannon**—VP of 15th District PTA, VP Dixie Elementary PTA
- **Hockman**—VP of 15th District PTA, Acting President of Liberty & Mary Ryan Academy Community PTSA, VP of Indian Trail Elementary PTA Elementary PTA

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Award and Grant Opportunities

Jan Harp Domene Diversity and Inclusion Award

The National PTA is now accepting applications for the 2017 Jan Harp Domene Diversity and Inclusion Awards. These awards recognize PTAs that best demonstrate outstanding achievement in the areas of diversity and inclusion as well as efforts to end discriminatory practices. The application deadline is 8 p.m. on **Friday, March 17**. For more information, visit www.PTA.org/Awards.

Mary Lou Anderson Grant

The National PTA Mary Lou Anderson Reflections Arts Enhancement Grant provides up to \$1,000 in matching funds to support local PTA arts projects within your school community. Funded projects will increase access to learning opportunities in the literary, media, visual, and/or performing arts for at-risk or underserved audiences. The application deadline is **Friday, March 17**. For more information, visit www.PTA.org/Awards.

PLEASE JOIN US!
BE A READER TO BE A LEADER

Big City Styles Barbershop
312 W. Chestnut St.
Louisville KY 40202
March 18, 2017 • 1 - 3 pm

At Metro United Way, we partner with local businesses and individuals who have the passion, expertise and resources to get things done. Together, we fight for the education, health and financial stability of every person in every community.

We invite you to join us for our Books & Barbershop event which creates an opportunity for young men and boys to engage with positive black male role models about the importance of literacy, the arts and goal setting. You'll also have the opportunity to learn about the many positive contributions black men are making in our community.

If you have any questions, contact Sam Johnson at 502.292.6137 or sam.johnson@metrounitedway.org.

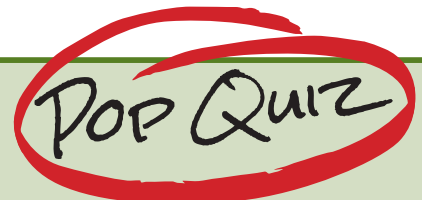
EVENT ACTIVITIES

- Reading sessions
- Performance by Maestro J
- Vision board creations
- FREE food and haircuts/or haircut vouchers
- FREE books
- Spoken word poetry

Can you answer these five questions?

1. What are four types of categories to consider when writing a speech?
2. The location of a speech and the audience are very important.
 - a. True
 - b. False
3. What are some ways to practice your speech?
4. Which one of these should you do during your speech?
 - a. Apologize for any nervousness.
 - b. Speak quickly.
 - c. Read your handouts verbatim.
 - d. If you don't know the answer to a question, tell the person you will get back to him or her.
 - e. Continue talking and taking questions even if you are over your set time.
5. Which of these nonverbal actions should you not do during your speech?
 - a. Look at notes to keep on track.
 - b. Dart your eyes around the room.
 - c. Speak with a purpose.
 - d. Be yourself.
 - e. Smile.

If you struggled or don't know the answers, then check out *Creating and Delivering a Speech* from National PTA E-Learning! This quick e-learning course will answer all these questions and more. The National PTA wants you to excel not only as a PTA leader but also as a leader in your everyday life. It has added several Leadership Enhancement e-learning courses. Find them at www.PTA.com/elearning.





The 15th District Parent Teacher Association (PTA) invites you to attend our

Annual Awards Banquet

Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at 6:30 p.m.

Ramada Plaza Louisville Hotel and Conference Center
9700 Bluegrass Parkway, Louisville, KY 40299

We look forward to a fantastic banquet. Join us, and celebrate all of your PTA/PTSA accomplishments for the year. Each table seats eight people.

Reservations are \$35 a person if received by **Monday, May 1**. Reservations are \$45 a person if received between **Tuesday, May 2**, and **Saturday, May 6**. We are unable to accept reservations after **Saturday, May 6**.

All reservation requests must include a check made payable to the 15th District PTA.

To be sure that your PTA holds as many seats as you require, send in your reservation as soon as possible. If you need or want to be seated with another school, please send in both reservations at the same time.

Send reservations to:
15th District PTA, Banquet Reservations
P.O. Box 35444
Louisville, KY 40232-5444

A vegetarian plate will be available if it is ordered at the time you make your reservation.
Please note: NO refunds will be made after May 1. For more information, call (502) 485-3535.

To reserve your banquet tickets, complete and return the below form with payment.

Name of PTA, school, or JCPS department: _____

Name and phone number of contact person: _____

Email: _____

Total number of tickets: _____ x \$35 (**May 1**, deadline)

Total number of tickets: _____ x \$45 (**May 2 through May 6**, deadline)

Amount of check enclosed: _____

Number of vegetarian plates needed: _____

Application for Student Participation

Dear Parents,

Thank you for your interest in the Jefferson County Public School (JCPS) “Literacy &” summer programs! We are excited to offer engaging learning opportunities for students at various schools. **We will be accepting applications beginning Friday, May 13, through Friday, May 27. Students will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis.**

“Literacy &” programs will begin on Monday, June 6, and continue through Thursday, June 30 (Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day). Transportation will not be provided. However, all camp expenses, program materials, breakfast, and lunch will be provided free of charge to program participants. Students will need to be dropped off at 9 a.m. and picked up at 4 p.m. Below are the summer sites and programs open to incoming third-, fourth-, and fifth-grade students.

Please specify two sites you are interested in by marking next to the listed program in order of preference, “1” being your first choice and “2” being your second choice. Parents will be notified of their assigned location no later than June 1.

Choice	June 6–16, 2016	Choice	June 20–30, 2016
	California Community Center—Literacy & Drama Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)		California Community Center—Literacy & Chess Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
	Price Elementary—Literacy & Photography Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)		Price Elementary—Literacy & Drama Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
	Rangeland Elementary—Literacy & Dance Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)		Rangeland Elementary—Literacy & Chess Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
	Shelby Traditional—Literacy & Robotics Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)		Shelby Traditional—Literacy & Karate Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
	Engelhard Elementary—Literacy & Chess Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)		Engelhard Elementary—Literacy & Yoga Monday through Thursday (9 a.m. to 4 p.m.)

Application Deadline: May 27, 2016, at 4 p.m.

Please return applications to Veronda Hawkins at veronda.hawkins@jefferson.kyschools.us, or fax them to **485-3630**.

Questions? Contact Diversity, Equity, and Poverty Programs at (502) 486-3506.

For Office Use **Only**: Application # _____

Summer Break 'Literacy &' Parent Registration Form

Participant Information

Student Grade: _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP Code _____

School Site: _____ Student Shirt Size: _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Email _____

Phone Number _____ Work Number _____ Cell Number _____

Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Contact Number _____

Emergency Contact _____ Emergency Contact Number _____

€ Check here if you authorized your emergency contacts to pick up your child in your absence.

€ Check here if you authorized your child to walk home.

Health Information (The information you provide here will be held in the strictest confidence. It will be kept on file in our health binder.)

Allergies: € Yes € No

If yes, please describe the severity of the reaction, requested accommodations, and what is done to manage them.

Please list any other medical conditions we should be aware of regarding your child.

Jefferson County Public Schools also reserves the right to remove participants from the program if they present a threat to the children or if they abuse the privilege of the mission statement of Jefferson County Public Schools. I hereby grant permission to the Jefferson County Public Schools to take my child's photo while participating in the activities to use for publicity.

I have read this entire Registration Agreement (including guidelines). I fully understand it, and I agree to be legally bound by it.

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Minor

Date