


THE SCOOP

Friday, May 15, 2015

5-Day Forecast – *Subject to Change*

May 4–15	AP Testing Schedule
Fri., May 15	LIF Day Bell Schedule
	6:30 p.m. Staff Talent Show
Sat., May 16	8:30 a.m.–12 p.m. Saturday Morning Breakfast Club , C206
Invitation & Quote for the week of May 18	<p>Invitation:</p> <p>Quote: As we wrap our heads around the SBA testing schedule for 10th and 11th grades in math and English, it seems appropriate to reflect on the divination of Yogi Berra:</p> <p>“In theory there is no difference between theory and practice. In practice there is.”</p> <p>“It ain’t over ‘til it’s over.”</p> 
Mon., May 18	Normal 1–6 period day SBA Testing : Grade 11 ELA (CAT)
Tues., May 19	Reverse 6–1 period day SBA Testing : Grade 11 ELA (PT)
	7 p.m. Senior Department Scholar Awards Night
Wed., May 20	Normal 1–6 period day SBA Testing : Grade 10 ELA (CAT)
	Late AP Exams
Thurs., May 21	Reverse 6–1 period day SBA Testing : Grade 10 ELA (PT)
	Late AP Exams
Fri., May 22	NO SCHOOL EEA Membership Walkout
	Late AP Exams
	Food Drive Ends
Sat., May 23	Jackson 5K

2-3-Week Outlook

Mon., May 25	HOLIDAY: Memorial Day
Wed., May 27	Normal 1–6 period day SBA Testing : Grade 11 Math (CAT)
Thurs., May 28	Reverse 6–1 period day SBA Testing : Grade 11 Math (PT)
	2 p.m. 2015/2016 Calendar Planning Meeting , Career Center
Fri., May 29	LIF Day (<i>last one</i>) Bell Schedule
Sat., May 30	8:30 a.m.–12 p.m. Saturday Morning Breakfast Club , C206

Looking Ahead

Tues., June 2	State of Washington Exit Exam: Algebra
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Wed., June 3	State of Washington Exit Exam: Geometry 7 p.m. Senior Awards Night
Thurs., June 4	State of Washington Exit Exam: Biology
Fri., June 5	6:30 p.m. Staff vs. Seniors Basketball Game
Sat., June 6	8:30 a.m.–12 p.m. Saturday Morning Breakfast Club , C206 8 p.m. Prom , Bell Harbor International Conference Center, Seattle
Mon. & Tues., June 8 & 9	Final Exams for Seniors (<i>Note corrected dates</i>)
Wed., June 10	1 – 2 p.m. Senior Recognition Assembly
Fri., June 12	9 a.m. Graduation Rehearsal <i>followed by</i> Senior BBQ
Thurs.–Mon., June 11–15	Semester 2 FINALS Bell Schedule
Sat., June 13	4 p.m. Commencement @ Xfinity Arena
Wed., June 17 revised date	Early Release Last Day of School for Students & Teachers

KUDOS

Kudos are welcome from everyone! Celebrate your colleagues—heck, give yourself a nod! Please send your kudos to [Amanda Irtz Summers](#).

Kudos to...

...**Stacey Hall, Judy Baker, and Wendy Organ** for being chosen to receive PTSA Outstanding Educator awards. You are always there for the kids and provide rigor tempered with compassion. THANK YOU for always being open to the possibilities for all kids!!!

...**DeeAnn Williamson** and **Kenneth Walker** for their Golden Acorn awards. I'm quite thankful that two of our classified employees were recognized this year!! DeeAnn Williamson is an incredible editor of the PTSA newsletter beyond all the extras she puts in for all of us. And paraeducators have to be proud of their own Kenneth Walker who has always shown compassion, acceptance, and willingness to go above and beyond for the music program and SpEd classes. Yaahoo!! for both of you. You all ROCK!!!!

BLURBS

NEW! STAFF TALENT SHOW! Here is a video link of the Staff Talent Show promotional video featuring several of our teachers taking "selfies": <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eID0jI7gs5c>. It is playing at both lunches, but you may enjoy watching. Teachers—please share with your students! We have a lot of talent performing on **Friday night (May 15)** and we would love to see you there! This is a fun event and we hope you will attend! Thanks! ☺

NEW!

As a result of the one-day walkout, Everett Public Schools is canceling school on **Friday, May 22, 2015**. The following activities will proceed as scheduled on May 22:

- high school and middle school athletic practices and competitions
- facility rentals
- JHS AP testing

The YMCA will be open for its regular before and after school programs, but the Boys and Girls Club before and after school programs will be moved to the Everett Boys and Girls Cascade Club. Please check individual school websites for evening activities.

The school year is extended one day to make up for the May 22 closure. The last day of school is now June 17. That makes June 16 a regular full day. Students will be released 2.5 hours early on June 17.

NEW! JACKSON 5K: The sophomore class is hosting a 5K here at Jackson on **Saturday, May 23**. The Fun Run starts at 9:30 a.m. This is a fundraiser for the class of 2017; cost is \$15.00 or \$20.00 with a T-shirt included. All skill levels are welcome—walkers, runners, joggers, crawlers, etc. Due to AP testing we can't

announce this event, but it is open to both students and staff members. The deadline for applications ([attached](#)) is this **Friday, May 15**. Also, they are encouraging participants to bring canned and non-perishable food items for the Mill Creek Food Bank. Dartagnan and Jack, Sophomore Class (via [Alan Briggs](#))

NEW! JAPANESE STUDIES AT EVCC: Joyce Stewart's office asked that we pass [this information](#) on to any students you know of who may be interested in Everett Community College's Japanese language and culture studies, as well as an upcoming (May 29 and 30) Japanese Anime Arts Festival. Thank you! Dave

CORRECTION: NEW GRAD REQUIREMENTS: As a reminder to ALL STAFF, these are the **changes** starting with the **class of 2016**:

- **English increased from 3.5 to 4.0 credits** (Eng 1, Eng 2, Eng 3, 1.0 of senior English)
- **Social Studies increased from 2.5 to 3.0** (to meet grad requirements, students will need an additional .5 social studies elective beyond 1.0 WH, 1.0 U.S., and .5 Gov't—such as I-Geography, Global Issues, Psychology, Philosophy)
- Other requirements remain the same until the class of 2019, when the total credits needed for graduation increases to 24, World Language is required or a Personalized Pathway Requirement, **and students will need 2.0 credits of Art or 1.0 Art and 1.0 of a Personalized Pathway Requirement.**

Thanks, [Connie Sperry](#)

FOOD DRIVE: The Jackson ASB Leadership class is putting on a Spring Food Drive to benefit the **Mill Creek Food Bank**. We have had volunteers present to our class and make a plea for help as there is already a large shortage of many food items at this point in the year. We are letting the staff know so we can inform as many potential people that we can to help with this community effort. Please bring in what you can and preferably what is listed on the [DONATION NEEDS LIST](#) and place it in the bin upstairs starting Monday, May 11. Food donated will be given to the Mill Creek Food Bank. This blesses families in the community and children in need at Woodside Elementary School. The ASB plans to do the following:

1. Set up a food bin in the hallway next to the trophy cases. "Fill the Bin."
2. Collect food at two local Safeway stores for a two-week period.
 - a. **Silver Firs Safeway May 11–16, Juniors**
 - b. **Silver Firs Safeway May 17–22, Sophomores**
 - c. **Mill Creek Safeway May 11–16, Freshmen**
 - d. **Mill Creek Safeway May 17–22, Seniors**
3. **Saturday, May 16**—Saturday neighborhood blitz. Door-to-door collection: Meet at Jackson at 3 p.m.
4. **Saturday, May 23**—Sophomores are hosting a 5K at Jackson. Bring a food donation.
5. **May 11–22**—Collect money (coin drive—Fill the Bucket) during both lunches.

ASB ([Alan Briggs](#), advisor)

FOOD DRIVE QUESTIONS: Staff, some questions have come up about the Food Drive that I want to address with everyone so we can all be on the same page and do our very best in making it a success. [Alan](#)

1. [Is this a class competition?](#) **NO**
2. Which class or classes do you advertise this to? Please feel welcome to advertise it to all your classes if possible. This will be your choice.
3. [Where do students and staff drop off the food?](#) **There will be a large bin set up by the main office.**
4. Will there be an opportunity to donate money towards the Food Bank? **YES**, at both lunches on the stage there will be a wishing well (large coin can), that ASB students will be overseeing.
5. [How long is the Food Drive?](#) **May 11–22**
6. Are other schools involved? **YES**, Cascade High School will be helping.
7. [What else are others doing?](#) **ASB students and Congress members are collecting food donations in front of Silver Lake and Mill Creek Safeway stores after school during the weekdays 4–7 p.m., May 11–22. Also, on Saturday, May 16, Jackson students will meet at Jackson at 3 p.m. to do a two hour door-to-door food pick-up, going in pairs in the community.**

STAFF VS. SENIORS BASKETBALL GAME: **June 5** is approaching rapidly, so the Organizing Committee has asked me send out an email asking for help. For those new to Jackson, the **Staff vs. Seniors Basketball Game** is a fundraiser for the **Staff Scholarship Fund**, which benefits some amazing JHS seniors who are college-bound. To date, over \$45,000 has been raised in support of this scholarship fund. Equally important, it is a chance for JHS personnel, coaches, and administrators to demonstrate our amazing athleticism on the court and show off our dominance with our outstanding cheer staff!

CULTURAL DIVERSITY FOR DIALOG AND DEVELOPMENT: Staff— Please refer to the [attachment](#) and

consider sharing with your students this information on the UN World Day for Cultural Diversity for Dialogue and Development on Thursday, May 21. [Dave](#)

SATURDAY SCHOOL FLYER: We will begin hosting an academic Saturday School in May. The focus is for seniors who need tutoring or a quiet place to work in order to finish up classes for graduation. The dates/times are listed on the attached [flyer](#) for those interested in helping to spread the word. I'm happy to get you copies of the flyer, so please let me know if you'd like some to hand out to seniors. Thank you for your help!!!

[Elizabeth](#)

WOLF TRACKS PTSA NEWSLETTER: Hello, JHS community~ The [Wolf Tracks](#) e-newsletter team of Henry M. Jackson PTSA is a comprehensive source relevant to the education of our students and well-being of the community. Attached you will find the [2014-15 Wolf Tracks Submission Guidelines](#). Please keep in mind the handful of helpful guidelines when sending your submissions for the newsletter. The article submission deadline for the June issue (final issue of this school year!) is **Monday, May 18, 11:59 p.m.** to Kathryn Lee, Submissions Editor, at HonorZone@yahoo.com. The *Wolf Tracks* team appreciates your collaboration. Kathryn Lee, Submissions Editor; DeeAnn Williamson, Designer/Editor; Lori Taylor, Email Administrator

Easy Links

[Activities Calendar for 2014-2015](#) – **as of 4/21/15**

BELL SCHEDULE | [LIF Day](#)

BELL SCHEDULE | [Regular](#)

[Club List](#) (meeting dates/times/locations)

[Clubs & Activities](#)

[Facilities Use Request Form](#)

[Jackson Way Poster](#)

Maps of School – **new for 2014-2015** [Lower Level](#) | [Upper Level](#)

[Office Hours](#)

Planning Guides
2014-2015: [JHS](#) | [CHS](#) | [EHS](#)

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Pre-Arranged Absence Forms
[Pre-Arranged Absence Form – for Family Trips](#) – **updated 4/23/15**

[Pre-Arranged Absence Form – for Field Trips](#) – **updated 4/23/15**

[Pre-Arranged Absence Form – for In-School Activities](#) – **updated 4/23/15**

Pyramid of Interventions
[EDT & ASTS Comparison](#) (Extended Day Tutorial vs. After School Tutorial Support)

[Extended Day Tutorial Schedule](#) (poster) **new for second semester**

[Pyramid of Interventions 2014-15 Calendar](#)

[Pyramid of Intervention Flowchart](#)

[Pyramid of Intervention Graphic](#)

[Pyramid of Interventions Responsibilities](#)

[School Year Calendar](#)

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