



June 2025

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 3 & 4 – K Field Trip

June 5 – Gr 3 Field Trip

June 6 – Gr 2 Field Trip

June 9 – Gr 1 Field Trip

June 19 – T/Th Kinder Grad

June 20 – Indigenous Day

June 23 – M/W Kinder Grad

**June 24 – Grade 3 Farewell
1–3pm**

**June 26 – Student's Last
Day *Noon Dismissal***



Coming Up....

Sept 2nd – Welcome Back

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

As we head into the final days of the school year, the excitement for summer is definitely in the air! Classrooms are wrapping up the year with field trips, class parties, and welcoming parent volunteers—thank you for being part of these celebrations.

With the longer days and warmer weather, it's easy to slip into summer routines early. We encourage families to maintain regular routines and consistent bedtimes to help students stay rested and ready to learn. A day at school is like a workday for our students—full of thinking, collaboration, and effort. Learning continues right to the end, and our staff are committed to helping students grow academically through these last few weeks.

On Friday, May 30th, we held our Jessie Duncan Field Day—and it was a huge success! A heartfelt thank you goes out to our Field Day Committee and to the 50 parents and community members who volunteered their time. These special events create lasting memories for students and simply wouldn't happen without the support of our caring and dedicated volunteers.

On the last day of classes, progress reports will be sent home with students. You will also receive an email that day with your child's classroom placement for next year. Please note that as the 2025–2026 school year begins, minor adjustments to class placements may be necessary based on changing enrollment numbers. These shifts are not uncommon, and we approach them thoughtfully, with your child's needs in mind. If any changes affect your child, we will contact you directly.

It has been another wonderful year of learning, growth, and friendships at Jessie Duncan. Thank you to our families and community for your continued support. Whether you've volunteered, fundraised, or helped at home, your partnership makes a difference, and we are truly grateful.

Wishing you all a safe and relaxing summer!

Warm regards,
Kory Sholdice
Principal



JESSIE DUNCAN SPELL-A-THON 2025

Total Amount
Raised \$19,555.20

Thank you for your continued
support, and for helping make this
fundraiser a successful one!

WOW!

Penhold Elementary School

CASINO

August 1-2 ~ 2025

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

More Information & Sign Up:



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Code*



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Council Corner:



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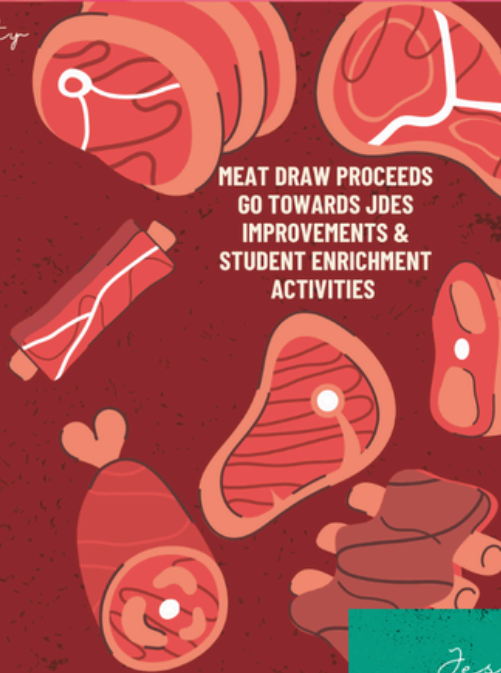
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Meat Draw Volunteers Needed!

July 25th, 2025

MEAT DRAWS ARE ON FRIDAYS @ THE
PENHOLDER TAVERN. 4 VOLUNTEERS
ARE NEEDED FOR EACH DRAW
HOURS 6:45 PM- 8:45PM

MEAT DRAW PROCEEDS
GO TOWARDS JDES
IMPROVEMENTS &
STUDENT ENRICHMENT
ACTIVITIES



PLEASE CONTACT
jdschoolcouncil@gmail.com
FOR MORE INFO OR TO SIGN UP

Volunteer Opportunities



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MAYOR MIKE'S FUN RUN! *Volunteers Needed!*



FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 5, 2025 - 5:30 PM (PENHOLD MULTIPLEX)

JOIN US IN ASSISTING AT THE FUN RUN

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SIGN UP

EMAIL: [JDSCHOOLCOUNCIL@GMAIL.COM](mailto:jdschoolcouncil@gmail.com)

VOLUNTEERS RECEIVE A COMPLIMENTARY TICKET: TO RIDE
THE MIDWAY RIDES OR ADULTS CAN ATTEND THE
CRAFT BEER, WINE & SPIRITS FESTIVAL AFTERWARDS

WE NEED YOU!

Our Meetings Offer:

Commitment to
Student
Enrichment

Fun
Events!

New
Friendships



**JESSIE
DUNCAN**
Elementary School

SCHOOL COUNCIL & PARENT SOCIETY

Achieving
Common
Missions &
Goals

Insight into
the School

Being part
of a Team

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR PARENTS TO JOIN
THE SCHOOL COUNCIL & PARENT SOCIETY**

Our AGM will be held Wednesday
September 17th, 2025 @ 6pm
(in the JDES Staff Room)



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For more information



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SCHOOL COUNCIL & PARENT SOCIETY

WHY JOIN PARENT COUNCIL?

YOUR CHILDREN BENEFIT

RESEARCH SHOWS THAT PARTICIPATING IN YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL AND BEING ENGAGED HELPS THEM TO PERFORM BETTER IN SCHOOL. CHILDREN BENEFIT FROM THE FUNDRAISING DONE FOR PLAYGROUNDS, LIBRARY BOOKS, SCHOOL SHIRTS, LEARNING RESOURCES, ETC.



YOU BENEFIT

YOU GET TO KNOW THE TEACHERS AND STAFF BETTER AND YOU CAN DEVELOP FRIENDSHIPS WITH OTHER PARENTS AT THE SCHOOL. YOU GET TO BE INVOLVED IN YOUR CHILD'S DAY EVEN WHEN YOU AREN'T THERE, WHILE PROVIDING REWARDING HELP TO THEIR EDUCATION

THE SCHOOL BENEFITS

THE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION AND TEACHERS RECEIVE SUPPORT, WHICH HELPS CREATE A POSITIVE AND CARING ATMOSPHERE WITHIN THE SCHOOL

INTERESTED?

WE MEET THE 3RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH.
CONTACT US AT JDSCHOOLCOUNCIL@GMAIL.COM
FOR MORE INFORMATION



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Thank You

To All Of Our Sponsors



With out the help of our community we could not have
executed the successful events or fundraisers

♥ we did over the 2024-2025 school year ♥