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September 22, 2023

Upcoming Events

September

- 25 PLC Late Start 10:25am
- 1st gr Field Trip 26 Mary Olsen Farm

29 3rd Gr Field Trip Seattle Childrens Theater

October

- PLC Late Start 2 10:25am
- 5 Curriculum Night 6:00pm
- School Assembly 2:55pm 6
- 9 PLC Late Start 10:25am
- Vision/Hearing screening 11 2nd gr Field Trip 11 Thomasson Farm
- 13 Individual Pictures
- 13 PTSA Family Night 6pm
- 16 PLC Late Start 10:25am
- PTSA Mod Pizza Night 18 5:00pm
- 20 PTSA Popcorn
- PTSA Glow Mix Dance 20 6:00 - 7:30pm
- PLC Late Start 10:25am 23
- 30 PLC Late Start 10:25am
- Costume Parade 3:10pm 31
- 31 Classroom Party 3:20pm

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Families are Invited To

We encourage you to attend AJ Parent Curricu-

The Great Washington Shake Out

This year's Shake Out Day is October 19, when millions of people worldwide will participate

in earthquake drills at work, school, or home! At 10:19 am (local time) on 10/19, you can join millions of people across Washington practicing earthquake safety. At AJ, we will be partici-

one component of our emergency preparedness plan.



Outdoor Clothing For Recess

We spend very few recesses indoors. Part of living in the Northwest is rain, cold, and snow.

We ask that parents help prepare your child for the outdoors by purchasing clothing for the weather such as: a heavy coat with hood, rain coat, umbrella, hat, boots, and mittens.



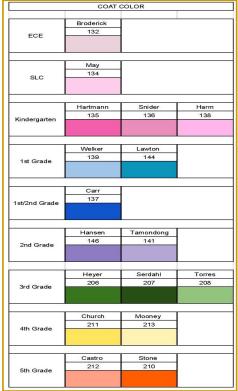
Character Trait of the Month

September Courtesy

School News

National Honor Society Labels Coat Zippers with Yarn

The AJ National Honor Society (AJ NHS) is a school -based program recognizing outstanding elementary students and engages them in leadership and personal understanding of the value of service. One of the projects that began last year to this year is resolving the issue of lost coats from students at recess time and them piling up and not being claimed. AJ NHS understood that thousands of dollars of unclaimed coats get donated at the end of the year if not claimed. To help students and families of our AJ school community solve this real-world problem, Mrs. Mooney, National Honor Society coordinator, and AJ NHS students came up with a brilliant idea of placing a yarn string on student's coat zippers identifying the classroom color so the coat could be returned when lost on the playground to class that day and not piled in a bin. For this to work, it will be required that students have a string attached to the zipper or coat tag. AJ Student Council and the AJ NHS joint project of tying strings on coats began this week. If your child doesn't have a class color string on their coat, yarn is available to tie this on. It can also be tied to umbrellas, hat tags, glove tags, etc. If your child gets a new coat, multiple coats, umbrellas, etc. they will need to get the string tied on. This is a fabulous student generated project that will surely help keep personal coats with students. A special thanks goes out to AJ NHS!



Curriculum Night

lum Night. This is an important opportunity for you and your child to attend On Thursday, October 5, 2023, from 6:00-7:30pm. The evening is designed for parents and guardians to come in and learn about the curriculums your child(ren) will be using this year along with other important aspects of the instructional program. We look forward to seeing you this night. Please place this on your calendars!

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