



# The Jason Lee Times

November 2019



## *Welcome back Leopards!*

Dear Jason Lee Families,

Thank you to everyone that attended our McMenamins Fundraiser where we raised almost \$3,000 to be used for our Jason Lee Playground Fund!

We have completed construction of our Head Start playground space and we're almost done with the first Phase of our Jason Lee playground area. We've added an Oodle swing, spinner, rock climbing wall and a large xylophone for students to play.

Our PTA would like to hear what else we should include in our new playground space. Feel free to come down to Jason Lee tonight to have your voice heard. The meeting starts at 6pm but there is dinner provided at 5:30pm, as well as childcare and Vietnamese and Spanish interpretation.

I will also be doing a mini-State of the School presentation, which will be a repeat for those that

weren't able to attend our October Coffee Connections.

Tonight we also have our Fall ESL Parent meeting at 5pm and our Talented and Gifted (TAG) meeting at 7pm. Each of those meetings will also include food and interpretation.



We love having you in the building any time you can make it, so if not tonight, please peruse upcoming events in this newsletter. We have our Celebration of the Arts, Grandparents Day, conferences, and weekly morning miles coming up.

Looking forward to seeing you in the days ahead,  
Principal Cardona



### Grandparents and Special Friends Day Thursday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:15-12:30am!

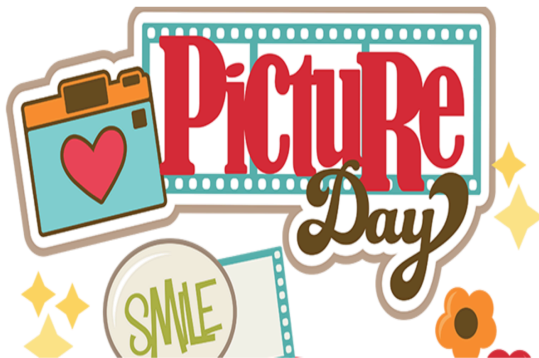
Please join us for Grandparents and Special Friends Day. 40 minutes prior to each lunch, all students in the building will have the opportunity to create / craft art projects in their classrooms, and grandparents and special friends are welcome to join them! If you'd like to stay for recess and lunch, we'd love to have you.

### PTA Meeting

Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm

Join us for November's PTA Meeting! This is a great time to meet other Jason Lee families, connect with school staff, and to hear about upcoming events and ways that you can help support our school community. All parents and staff are welcome to attend. Bring a friend or two! Dinner starts at 5:30pm and the meeting starts at 6.

Thank you to all of our parents that already make our school such a wonderful place. We couldn't do it without you!



### Picture Retake Day is Coming! Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>

Picture re-take day is coming!

Please make sure your student is ready for picture re-takeday, this Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>.

### Celebration of the Arts / Winter Wonderland Thursday, December 19<sup>th</sup> 5:30-7:30pm

Join us for our annual Celebration of the Arts event where we'll be showcasing student artwork, performances, and giving parents the opportunity to create art with their students and families. We'll have food, crafts, and a variety of art activities to create with your students as we create a Jason Lee "Winter Wonderland!"





### Morning Mile

Every Friday starting at 7:30am

The Morning Mile is back! Every week students can walk or run laps around our blacktop as they work to earn running “trinkets” while building healthy habits here at Jason Lee. We welcome all families to join us as we mingle, talk and walk with one another each Friday morning!

**When:** Every Friday Morning

**Where:** The Jason Lee blacktop underneath the covered area.

**Why:** Mingle with friends and families as you walk or run a mile before the start of the school day!



### OSU Adult Cooking Classes

Wednesday, December 4th @ 8:15am

As we continue our focus on health and wellness at Jason Lee, we’re excited to launch OSU adult cooking classes for parents and families every other month. This is an extension of cooking classes that your students already receive weekly with our OSU partnership. This month’s menu was set by parents and includes vegetarian and vegan options. We hope to see you there!

### Parent Teacher Conferences / No School

Monday and Tuesday, November 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>

Please join us for parent teacher conferences at Jason Lee from Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday, November 26<sup>th</sup>. From 8am-8pm, teachers and staff will be in the building meeting with parents, students and families. Interpretation is provided.





## Leopard of the Month Awards Friday, December 20th @ 1:30pm



This month's character trait is **Integrity – Doing the right thing even when nobody is looking!**

We look forward to celebrating all of the students in our building who have exemplified this trait in the month of November and December.

## Pajama Day – Spirit Day Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup> – All day

As we say goodbye to 2019, students can wear Pajamas for our Winter spirit day on Friday, December 20<sup>th</sup>!

Please make sure to still pack appropriate clothing / gear for rain or cold weather like coats and shoes.

