



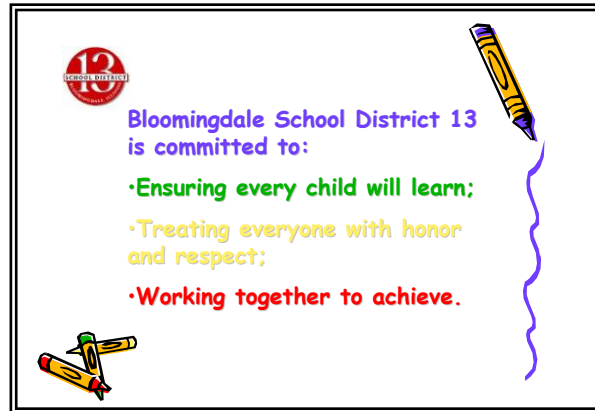


# Jaguar Journal



## DuJardin Elementary School

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### From the Principal,

On Tuesday, third, fourth, and fifth grade students and staff joined the Bloomingdale community along Bloomingdale Rd. to honor fallen police officer, Raymond Murrell. During the memorial procession the students respectfully waved American flags and saluted as more than 70 police vehicles escorted Officer Murrell's body to Wheaton Bible Church. Police Chief, Frank Giammarese was quoted in the paper as saying, "The show of support for Officer Murrell, his family, and the Bloomingdale Police Department was overwhelming. And to see all the people throughout the procession was so heartwarming. For those students from the schools, it was a chance to see a hero who paid the ultimate price in the line of duty." It was an honor and a privilege to have our students and staff share in this time of remembrance.

Parents, your patience is greatly appreciated at the end of the day during student pick up. It typically takes 7-8 minutes to clear the parking lot and get all the students picked up at dismissal. Below are a few tips for afternoon dismissal and pick up:

- Pick your child up after the rush of dismissal; try arriving at 3:40 instead of waiting in a long line of cars from 3:30-3:38.
- Park your car on Euclid Ct., Tee St., or Freeport and walk to the front entrance to greet your child at dismissal. **Parking on either side of Euclid Ave. is illegal (no parking signs are posted).**
- Follow the directions of the staff members in the parking lot attempting to move cars to the open spaces along the curb. Children are to be picked up along the curb from in front of the office all the way to the school sign.
- **DO NOT** leave your car unattended at any time in the drive thru lane in order to pick up your child.
- **TURN RIGHT** out of the parking lot on Euclid versus a left turn which will clear the parking lot much faster.

Please be a positive role model for our students as you drive in the parking lot during morning arrival and afternoon dismissal. Please be aware of our safety patrols on duty before and after school. Remember - Children may not always listen to what we say but they are always watching what we do.

## JAGUARS OF THE WEEK

January 20, 2017



2017-2018

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Kindergarten Registration for the 2017-2018 school year will take place at DuJardin Elementary School as follows:

- ✚ Tues., Feb. 21 - 8:00 - 4:00 p.m.
- ✚ Wed., Feb. 22 - 8:00 - 6:00 p.m.
- ✚ Thurs., Feb. 23 - 8:00 - 4:00 p.m.
- ✚ Fri., Feb. 24 - 8:00 - 4:00 pm

Kindergarten registration packets will be available online and can also be picked up in the school office starting February 1st. Please access more detailed [Kindergarten](#) information for yourself or to pass on to a neighbor.



The second set of conferences is by teacher request only. A request letter will be sent home to the parents of the students that teachers are requesting for a second conference. Please click on the DuJardin link below and you will be able to schedule an appointment on the PTC (parent-teacher conference) Wizard.

[http://www.sd13.org/dujardinelementary\\_home.aspx](http://www.sd13.org/dujardinelementary_home.aspx)



## Screening

Please access the [Preschool](#) flyer for more information.

Great



America

Great America 6 Hours  
Reading Challenge  
By Friday, February 24th



## Valentine Parties Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>

The times for the Valentine's Day Parties this year are as follows:

10:15-11:15 a.m.	Kindergarten AM Party
2:00-3:00 p.m.	PM Kindergarten-5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Parties

Click in for more [PARTY](#) information.



## District #13 Blood Drive

Tuesday, February 21<sup>st</sup>  
2:00-8:00 p.m.

Located at DuJardin School

Mark your calendar today and call the school office to make a reservation.

630-894-9200

## Clubs at DuJardin

Please complete the [Crossroads Kids Club](#) registration form and mail it in.

Ongoing Registration

## Spirit Day

Spirit Day is Friday, February 5<sup>th</sup>. What classroom will the DJ family of jaguars roam to for the month of February? The two jaguar families spent the whole month in two 3<sup>rd</sup> grade classrooms – Miss Cross and Mrs. Burritt for having 100% spirit wear!



## Student Council News

### Souper Bowl



It's a "Super" event when we sponsor another "Souper Bowl" to raise canned goods for the food drive.

January 24 – February 2.



Valentine's Day Sucker Sale  
Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>  
(during the lunch hour)



Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>  
\$.25 to participate

Student Council News





## Attention Parents of 5<sup>th</sup> Graders

The Illinois State Board of Education in conjunction with the Illinois Department of Public Health require that all students entering 6th grade must show proof of receiving a Tdap vaccination, a meningitis vaccination, and a Varicella vaccination in addition to receiving a physical exam and a dental exam. These changes were made to comply with the recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices. Please make sure that your student receives these immunizations, and that they are recorded on his/her immunization record. These completed requirements (Tdap vaccination, Varicella vaccination, physical exam, and dental exam) will ensure that he/she will be ready to start at Westfield in the fall of 2017. If you have questions, please contact the district nurse, Beth Jones RN, PEL-CSN at Westfield (630.671.5315).



Once again DuJardin School is joining with the American Heart Association to participate in "Jump Rope for Heart" scheduled for Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup> between 1:15-3:00pm in the gym. All grade levels will participate in this event. All proceeds from this event will be donated to the AHA in the name of former DuJardin parent, Mr. Vincenzo Colella who passed away from a heart attack in September of 2014.



## Character Counts!

16<sup>th</sup> Annual Recognition Program and  
Breakfast  
Saturday, May 6, 2017  
The Recognition flyer has additional  
important information

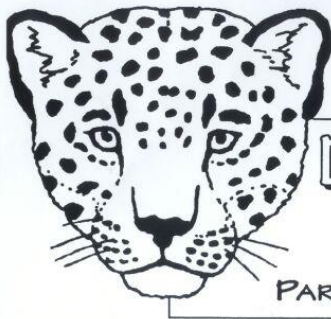
# HANDS DOWN...DuJardin B I N G O is the Best!



B	I	N	G	O
5	20	45	52	72
2	19	41	50	65
4	22	35 39	46	70
1	29	33	56	73
7	17	37	58	75
15	27	42	47	74
8	28	40	55	68
11	16	31	48	
13		34	59	
		26	60	



Thank You DuJardin PTO – You Are The B E S T!!!!



DuJardin  
PTO

PARENT TEACHER ORGANIZATION

## Calendar

Thursday, Feb. 2  
Butter Braid  
Fundraiser Begins

Friday, Feb. 3  
Spirit Day

Tuesday, Feb. 14  
PTO Meeting

Tuesday, Feb. 14  
Valentine's Day  
Parties

Wednesday, Feb. 15  
1:40 Dismissal  
School Improvement  
Day

Monday, Feb. 20  
No School  
Presidents Day



**Board Positions Available for 2017-2018...** The PTO board positions open for the upcoming year are President and Secretary. Please contact Cynthia Hunn if you are interested, 630-894-2773.



**Next PTO Meeting** is on February 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm in the IMC. Some of the things that we will look at are our goals for the end of the year, discussion on, voting on teacher/staff requests, enjoy getting to know other parents and staff at our school better, plus much more! All are welcome and we hope to see you there...mark your calendars...bring another parent with you!! November PTO minutes are attached.

A BIG **BINGO** Thank You to Mrs. Hunn and all her helpers for organizing a terrific **BINGO** night for our DuJardin students. What F U N!! What great pictures from a fun night!!!!

### ♥♥ Valentine's Day Parties

Our school party times are listed on the preceding page. Thanks for all the planning that has gone into making these parties great for our children. Please remember to turn in all of your party expense receipts to Jill Shannon in the PTO box.

**Butter Braids Fundraiser** will be starting February 2nd! Watch for the order forms that will be coming home soon. All order forms are due February 16<sup>th</sup>.

President  
Cynthia Hunn



Vice President  
Rebecca MacKay

Co-Treasurers  
Tina Piemonte/Jill Shannon

Secretary  
Jennifer Okun



## DJ CALENDAR COUNTDOWN . . .

DATE	TIME	WHAT'S HAPPENING . . .
		<b>Souper Bowl Canned Food Charity Drive Continues</b>
Thursday, January 26	11:55-12:45 p.m. 11:55-12:45 p.m. 12:20-12:40 p.m. 3:30-4:50 p.m. 3:35-4:35 p.m.	Hot Lunch – Jersey Mike's Yearbook Club (4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr.) Room 104 Talent Show Rehearsal – Gr. 1-3 – Room 116 After School Band – 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr. @ Westfield Chess Scholars – Art and Music Room
Friday, January 27	11:00-12:30 p.m.  1:00-3:00 p.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m.	Fall Fundraiser Limo and & Winners  Jump Rope for Heart Mad Science – Art Room
Monday, January 30	3:35-4:35 p.m.	Young Rembrandts – Art Room
Tuesday, January 31	11:55-12:15 p.m. 11:55-12:45 p.m. 3:30-4:15 p.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m. 3:30-5:00 p.m.	Talent Show Rehearsal – 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr. Room 116 Hot Lunch – Rosati's Tutoring Club – IMC Spelling Club – Erickson School - <b>ABC</b> Crossroads for Kids – Band Room
Wednesday, February 1	11:55-12:45 p.m. 11:55-12:45 p.m. 3:35-4:20 p.m. 3:35-4:35 p.m.	Student Council Meeting – Room 113 Hot Lunch – Buona Beef Spanish Club – Art Room Let's Build It Engineering! – Room 100
Thursday, February 2	11:55-12:45 p.m. 12:20-12:40 p.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m.	<b>Butter Braid Fundraiser Begins</b> Hot Lunch – Jersey Mike Talent Show Rehearsal – Gr. 1-3 – Room 116 5 <sup>th</sup> Gr. After School Band – Westfield Chess Scholars – Art & Music Room
Friday, February 3	     11:55-12:45 p.m. 3:30-4:30 p.m.	<b>Spirit Day – Home of the Grrrreatest Jaguars!</b>   Souper Bowl Winner Announced Student Council Meeting – Room 113 Mad Science – Art & Music Room