Community Updates for October 31, 2020

Happy Halloween! I hope you enjoy your time with your families! We are going to watch a scary movie and eat pizza.

Pivot to Remote Learning:

An Important Message from Jeffco Schools and Jefferson County Public Health. Let's continue to do what we are doing but a bit tighter. WE all want schools to remain open. https://youtu.be/HbBuzXGOwwU

At Kendallvue we are having two training sessions this week that our remote teaching staff will be facilitating so our in-person classroom teachers can hit the ground running if 100% remote learning occurs. Teachers have also been working with students to familiarize them with the technology they will use during remote learning. We will be sharing more information with all families as new details arise. I am really hoping that we are in-person but if not, please know we are prepared.

Teacher Love Lists!: Here's a link to the "Teacher Favorite Things" form. Please fill it out and then put it out in the updates! PTA wants to take care of our teachers.

Classroom Parent Representatives Needed: Want to be involved with the school during our physical time apart? We need a parent representative from each class to help support classroom needs and provide opportunities to connect with other families.

Classroom Parent Representatives

Jeffco Education Advocacy illustrates the pros and cons of many of the ballot initiatives.

5th Grade Band and Orchestra:

Hello Bear Creek Area Families! The time has come! If your student would like to play an instrument this year and would like to join Band or Orchestra, please review and complete the following information!

1. View our Family Info Slide Deck: This contains information on how instrumental music is going to work this year, as well as how to get your supplies.

2. Please REGISTER your student for band or orchestra.
3. Have your student sign-up for the correct Google Classroom (listed [HERE](#)). Your student must be logged in under their Jeffco Email.

4. Go to a music store to get an instrument and buy required supplies by 10/5/2020 (Links and recommendations for instruments, as well as necessary supplies in the Slide Deck (Slides 6-8 have the instrument/supply info. Look for the icon on these slides for additional audio explanation!)

5. Be ready to do our first class remotely, asynchronously, on 10/5/2020 with your instrument and required supplies! We will post two lessons per week on Google Classroom.

Again, all 5th grade students, regardless of whether they are participating in remote or in-person learning can participate in band or orchestra! Please let us know if you have any questions! We are so excited to get started!

Kirstin Miller Chris Hunt, Orchestra Teacher Band Teacher

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**Chromebook Warranty:**

I have linked the chromebook warranty plan we HIGHLY suggest purchasing for your 5th grade student. This will be helpful if any damage happens to your students new chromebook this year. You will need your students' serial number from their chromebook to purchase, please let me know if you are interested and I can send over your students' serial number! These chromebooks will be with the students until 9th grade so it’s super important to make sure you get this!

[Chromebook Warranty](#)

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Breakfasts and Lunches: The USDA has extended the free breakfast and lunch program for the remainder of the 20-21 school year.

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Remote Learning Updates:

Student Expectations: Remember to review our [Online PAW Expectations](#) to assure the best learning environment for all students occasionally.
Support: If you have any difficulty with accessing anything or any questions please contact Liz Thomas (Director of Remote Learning) at (303)880-6659 or eathomas@jeffco.k12.co.us. If they are technical difficulties please contact Nick Ophaug at (720)470-4834.

Easy Ways to Support Kendallvue:

- American Furniture Warehouse: Mention Kendallvue at checkout
- Amazon Smile: Be sure to shop through smile.amazon.com and select Kendallvue PTA as your charity.
- Box Tops: Download the app and submit your receipts

Upcoming Events:

Helpful Links: Facebook  Instagram  Website  AMP Schedule  Kendallvue In-Person and Online Schedule  Kendallvue Morning/Afternoon Drop-Off and Dismissal Process  Parent Calendar Website  Mask Dos and Don’ts  Free and Reduced Application  COVID FAQ  COVID Quarantine and Screening  Jeffco Restart Plan  Jeffco Q&A  Online Coyote Expectations

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Tech Support: How to Login to Zoom - Zoom for Families
Internet Speed Test: https://www.speedtest.net/
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