

JARDON VOCATIONAL SCHOOL PARENT NEWSLETTER FROM THE PRINCIPAL



October 17th, 2025

Dear Jardon/Webb Community,

Parent conferences are being held this upcoming week on Thursday, October 23. You can schedule from 1-3 or 4-6 with your students' caseload teacher. You are also welcome to schedule with ancillary staff. We look forward to seeing you and discussing student progress made this year.

Please remind students to dress in layers this time of year. Our building is quite cool in the morning but warms up later in the afternoon.

Our first Fun Night of the year is coming up! Make sure you RSVP for our Jardon Spooktacular by October 24th. Students can attend Fun Night in costume but please keep costumes school appropriate. No costumes will be worn on our half day of school, October 31. Fun night is for former students and currently enrolled students only. We do allow for needed caregivers to attend to assist students.

Please join us on social media! Find us on Facebook by searching for Jardon Vocational School. You will see regular updates posted there about what's going on at Jardon! Please feel free to contact me at heidi.kunz@myhpsd.org or 248-658-5953, if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

Heidi Kunz



OCTOBER

**10-23-25: HALF DAY
11:00AM DISMISSAL
PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
1:00-3:00 & 4:00-6:00**

**10/30/25- JARDON SPOOKTACULAR FUN NIGHT
5:30-7:00PM ADMISSIONS \$5**

**10-31-25: HALF DAY
11:00AM DISMISSAL
TEACHER RECORDS DAY**



Bagel Days!

Wednesday, October 22nd

Friday, November 3rd

Friday, November 17th



WEEKLY CBI

Jardon MoCI Community-Based Instruction for the Upcoming Week:

Monday- 10/20- P.M. - Meijer

Thursday- 10/23- P.M.- Half Day

Jardon ASD Community-Based Instruction for the Upcoming Week:

Monday - 10/20- P.M. - Royal Oak Main Street

Thursday- 10/23- P.M.- Half Day

(All CBI locations are subject to change due to weather etc.)



\$\$ Bonus \$\$

IN ADDITION TO THE PRIZES YOU CAN WIN BY MATCHING THE DAILY FOUR NUMBER EXACTLY,
WE HAVE PICKED 21 BONUS DAYS

\$\$ BONUS DAYS \$\$

\$500 DAYS	Feb 17, 2026 - Mar 27, 2026 - May 11, 2026 Jul 8, 2026 - Oct 22, 2026 - Nov 28, 2026
\$1,000 DAYS	Jan 15, 2026 - Apr 1, 2026 - Jun 27, 2026 Aug 17, 2026 - Sep 18, 2026 - Dec 8, 2026
\$1,500 DAYS	Jan 27, 2026 - Apr 23, 2026 - Sep 5, 2026 Sep 5, 2026 - Nov 16, 2026
\$2,500 DAYS	Feb 11, 2026 - Jul 20, 2026
\$5,000 DAYS	Jun 5, 2026 - Oct 6, 2026
\$10,000 DAY	Dec 23, 2026

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT

Area Youth Programs



COST: \$25.00 From 1/1/2026 - 12/31/2026
Good for 313 days

Mondays \$200 - * except on schedule days

Tuesday - Saturday \$100 - * except on scheduled days

Near Miss - \$25 one number up or down

* See ticket back for 21 bonus days

BASED ON MICHIGAN DAILY 4 DIGIT NUMBER

EVENING DRAWING

PLAYED STRAIGHT - DRAWING MON-SAT
BONUS DRAWING EXCLUDED

If your number is drawn on Mondays, you receive \$200.
If your number is drawn Tuesday - Saturday, you receive \$100.
See back of Ticket for Bonus days - up to one \$5,000 Winner

Also if your number is one up or one down
from the drawn number, you receive \$25.00.
Example: 1538 is winning number and you have
1537 or 1539 - you win \$25.00.

If the raffle ticket for the daily number has not been sold, a drawing
from the pool of raffle ticket stubs for tickets sold will take place
at 2380 Wixom Tr., Suite H, Milford MI.
between 7:30 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. the same day.

Mr. Baber's ASD Class Mailing Letters





JARDON SPOOKTACULAR FUN NIGHT

5:30-7:00

THURSDAY
30TH
OCTOBER

JARDON VOCATIONAL SCHOOL
MUSIC, FOOD, DANCING & FUN
PLEASE R.S.V.P TO THE JARDON OFFICE
NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
AND PAY AT THE DOOR. 248-658-5950
YOU CAN ALSO PAY AHEAD OF TIME IN
THE OFFICE.



JUST FROM JESSI TRANSITION COORDINATOR

Navigating the transition process from school to post school can feel overwhelming. Please take a moment to review the Transition Checklist below. This resource was created by Oakland County Transition Coordinators and is intended to support the ongoing process of transition planning. Please reach out if you have any questions or would like to talk more about your student and where they are in their transition planning process.

Transition Checklist: [LINK HERE](#)

This document was developed by Oakland County District Transition Coordinators as talking points and considerations for young adults with disabilities & their families. There are some components or activities that may begin while the individual is still in high school, however the majority of the information applies to individuals with developmental disabilities, such as autism or cognitive impairments, who generally continue special education supports through ages 18- 26 in Adult Transition Programs Services (ATPS). Requirement details such as eligibility, income amounts, and agency specific information is offered as general information, details may change frequently so always check the current status with the appropriate agency.

Check out this “Transition from School to Adulthood” presentation with Chesley Giertz, Advocacy Director at The Arc of Northwest Wayne County:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TYIWILAt17M>

Resource Feature: Michigan Alliance for Families



As youth with disabilities move through school, we need to think about what comes next. This is called post-secondary transition planning. Transition is the individualized action plan that addresses the skills, programs, and opportunities needed for the student to be successful after their school career ends. Families with students with an IEP are invited to join us for these opportunities to learn about the transition to adulthood in October:

- October 17 at 12:30pm
Transition: What You Need to Know
Register at <https://tinyurl.com/4vpfhedj>
- October 24 at 12:00pm
Supported Decision-Making Tools
Register at <https://tinyurl.com/mu4ubr4p>
- October 27 at 12:30pm
Transition: Beyond IDEA
Register at <https://tinyurl.com/muumk43h>

Visit our [website calendar of events](#) for full details, easy registration, and share-able flyers.

Jessi Haines
Transition Coordinator
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Please plan to join us, in person, for our family conferences. Schedule a time with your student's caseload teacher and/or ancillary staff for Thursday, October 23rd, between 1:00-3:00 p.m. or 4:00-6:00 p.m. Please call 248-658-5950 if you have any questions or need to get in touch with any staff members to schedule an appointment.

NEWS FROM NURSE STEPHANIE

What Is Domestic Violence?

Myth or Fact?



Domestic Violence is Only Physical

Myth!

Domestic violence is coercive control. This may include many forms of abuse beyond physical assault.

Verbal, emotional, psychological, financial, spiritual, sexual, and technological are all domestic violence.

WHAT DOES DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LOOK LIKE FOR A VICTIM WITH A DISABILITY?



- Verbal and psychological abuse
- Neglect
- Physical violence
- Threats and intimidation
- Unwanted sexual contact
- Isolating victims
- Withholding medications
- Physically harming service animals
- Depriving victims of necessary physical accommodations
- Withholding or destroying assistive devices such as wheelchairs
- Financial exploitation/misusing victims' money

DVSN.ORG

Source: Disability Action Center NW

3.3 million

Estimated number of children in the U.S. each year that witness violence against their mother or female caretaker by a family member

Source: DomesticShelters

DVSN.ORG



Learn more:

<https://www.justice.gov/ovw/domestic-violence>

Get help:

National Domestic Violence Hotline 800-799-SAFE (7233) 800-787-3224 (TTY). Advocates are also available to chat 24/7.

Haven (Oakland County, Michigan) <https://haven-oakland.org/> 24-hr. Support line: 248.334.1274; toll-free line 877.922.1274



**STEAM
AHEAD!**
Science/Technology/
Engineering/Art/Math
playing, making and
building activities
for kids 5-10

Thursdays 5-6 pm
10/9 - 11/20

\$60/6 weeks
AGES 5+

Math and STEM board games
with strategy and logic
Build a gear driven robot model
Electronics exploration with kid
friendly circuit kits
Creative puzzles with pattern
blocks and pixel art challenges



Call 248 547 5535;
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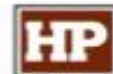
Jardon Vocational School
Lunch

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		1 Lunch • Mashed Potato & Chicken Bowl • Turkey Ham & Cheese Bagel Melt • Popcorn Chicken Salad • Flatbread Pieces	2 Lunch • Cheesy Italian Pull Apart • Beef Hot Dog on Whole Wheat • Cheez-Its, Cheese, & Grapes Fun Lunch	3 Lunch • Whole Grain French Toast Sticks • Chicken Sausage Patty • Cheese Pizza • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch
6 Lunch • Sweet & Sour Chicken • Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch	7 Lunch • Beef Taco Meat • Turkey Ham & Cheese Sandwich • Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch	8 Lunch • Chicken Tenders • Classic Hamburger • Popcorn Chicken Salad • Flatbread Pieces	9 Lunch • Mini Cheese Ravioli with Marinara Sauce • BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich • Cheez-Its, Cheese, & Grapes Fun Lunch	10 Lunch • Whole Grain Pancake Bites • Chicken Sausage Patties • Cheese Pizza • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch
13	14 Lunch • Beef Nachos • Turkey Ham & Cheese Bagel Melt • Cheez-Its, Cheese, & Grapes Fun Lunch	15 Lunch • Boneless Chicken Wings • Bacon Cheeseburger • Popcorn Chicken Salad • Flatbread Pieces	16 Lunch • Oven Roasted Chicken Drumstick • Cheesy Italian Pull Apart • Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch	17 Lunch • Whole Grain French Toast Sticks • Chicken Sausage Patties • Cheese Pizza • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch
20 Lunch • Chicken & Vegetable Dumplings • Fiestada Pizza • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch	21 Lunch • Baja Beef Rice Bowl • Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks • Muffin, Yogurt & Cheese Fun Lunch	22 Lunch • Macaroni and Cheese • Classic Cheeseburger in Bun • Popcorn Chicken Salad • Flatbread Pieces	23	24 Lunch • Whole Grain Waffles • Chicken Sausage Patties • Cheese Pizza • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch
27 Lunch • Teriyaki Glazed Chicken • Grilled Chicken Sandwich • Muffin, Goldfish & Yogurt Fun Lunch	28 Lunch • Walking Beef Taco • BLT Burger • Wowbutter & Jelly Sandwich Fun Lunch	29 Lunch • Mashed Potato & Chicken Bowl • Turkey Ham & Cheese Bagel Melt • Popcorn Chicken Salad • Flatbread Pieces	30 Lunch • Cheesy Italian Pull Apart • Beef Hot Dog on Whole Wheat • Cheez-Its, Cheese, & Grapes Fun Lunch	31

If you have a food allergy or intolerance, please notify us. Ask your cafeteria manager if changes were made to today's menu so we can help keep you safe!

Menus Subject to Change We try our best to serve our menus as posted; however, sometimes last minute changes occur. Please check with the cafe manager prior to the meal if you have any concerns.

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**HAZEL PARK
SCHOOLS**



**Hazel Park Schools
Administration Building**
1620 E. Elza Hazel Park



Distribution Dates Are Fridays (unless in bold) beginning at 9:30 am unless noted

October 17, 2025	January 16, 2026	April 17, 2026	July 17, 2026
November 14, 2025	February 13, 2026	May 15, 2026	Aug. 14, 2026
December 12, 2025	March 13, 2026	June 12, 2026	Sept. 11, 2026

The food goes very quickly, so please come early to get in line.

Hazel Park Schools has partnered with Gleaners Community Food Bank to bring the School Mobile Food Pantry to our students and their families. ***Food distributions per family total 36 lbs of food which includes milk, lean meats, fresh fruits, vegetables, and dry goods every month.***

Please line up in your car in the parking lot, going down Elza in front of the school. **Please do not block any driveways and be sure to line up along the curb to avoid blocking the road.** We appreciate your cooperation in this matter out of respect and safety for our neighbors.

Here are a few **NEW RULES** and procedures provided by Gleaners: 1. Food pickup line will **NOT** begin until 9:30 am; 2. Walk ups **CANNOT** receive food until 10 am (30 minutes after the line has begun); 3. Food will **ONLY** be distributed for 1 hour, our distribution will end at 10:30 am; 4. You must be present with your card, no pickups or delivery allowed; 5. No more than 6 servings per car; 6. Staff must come through the line in their vehicle or wait until all the cars have been processed; 7. We are now required to ask for your income and/or program you are enrolled in (ex. SNAP Benefits); 8. We **CANNOT** hold food for families, it must be obtained during the Gleaners distribution; 9. We will **NEVER** ask for a driver's license; 10. Any remaining food will be sent back to Gleaners.

Please have your Gleaners card ready when you arrive. If you are new to Gleaners and do not have a card, you will be asked to fill out a form with your information as well as information for those in your household.

Gleaner's information will be sent by email and voice messages as reminders when you sign up for communications through your children's school.

Sign up for communications may be done through your Parent Portal on PowerSchool or the school district website, www.hazelparkschools.org/parents/resources--quick-links, then click on Alert Sign up.

Contact your Community Representative to help your family with resources for things such as bill pay, eyeglasses, local food pantries, and other resources. We want to make sure that all the needs of our students are addressed to the best of our abilities.

Gleaners Mobile School Pantry Site Coordinators: *Jamie Buczko, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent, (248) 658-5220, jamie.buczko@myhpsd.org, or Nancy Anderson - Human Resource Specialist, (248) 658-5201, nancy.anderson@myhpsd.org*

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