

December 15th, 2023

## Dear Jardon/Webb Community,

Our annual Holiday Basket Food Drive has come to an end! Jardon was able to provide 303 potato related items for the baskets. Thank you for all of your support! A class winner will be announced next week.

We have one more exciting week before we get to enjoy a well deserved holiday break. The students will continue with their normal daily schedules and routines next week but will have some fun activities added in. There will be an all school social on Tuesday afternoon. Students will have the opportunity to create an individual gingerbread house with their peers and enjoy the music of the holidays. We will also be having Spirit Week with a different theme each day. The details are below.

Please make sure to 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 <a href="mailto:heidi.kunz@myhpsd.org">heidi.kunz@myhpsd.org</a> or 248-658-5953 if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you!

Heidi Kunz



	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 1	SAT 2
	4	5	6	7	8	9
	• Monday Mingle 5:30–7 pm @ TCC Act #7376-B4	Daytime     Friendship Club     10 am-3 pm @ TCC	● Fun with Music 6-6:50 pm @ TCC	Daytime Friendship Club 10 am-3 pm @ TCC HANUKKAH BEGINS!	• Friday Frolic Snowball 7–9 pm @ TCC Act #7375-C4	
	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Daytime     Friendship Club     10 am-3 pm @ TCC		Daytime Friendship Club 10 am-3 pm @ TCC		
	18	19	20	21	22	23
		Daytime     Friendship Club     10 am-3 pm @ TCC		● Daytime Friendship Club 10 am-3 pm @ TCC		
	25	26	27	28	29	30
HAPPY NEW YEAR'S EVE!	MERRY CHRISTMAS!					

# **SPIRIT WEEK**

December 18th-December 22nd

MONDAY-DECEMBER 18TH GRINCH DAY-WEAR GREEN OR DRESS

LIKE A HOLIDAY CHARACTER

TUESDAY-DECEMBER 19TH
CHANGELYOUR FLANGEL DAY-

WEAR FLANKEL SHIRTS
WEDNESDAY- DECEMBER 20TH
BABY IT'S COLD OUTSIDE DAYWEAR UGLY HOLIDAY SWEATER OR
FESTIVE WEAR

THURSDAY- DECEMBER 21ST

WALKING IN A WINTER WONDERLAND DAY-

FRIDAY- DECEMBER 22ND
SILLY SOCKS DAY-

**WEAR HOLIDAY SOCKS** 



# Jardon MoCI Community-Based Instruction for the Upcoming Week:

Monday- 12/18- P.M. - Kroger - Oak Park

Thursday- 12/21- A.M. - Sam's Club P.M. - Target

## Jardon ASD Community-Based Instruction for the Upcoming Week:

Monday- 12/18- P.M. - Centerline Library

Thursday- 12/21- P.M.- Meijer

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











# Student Council Will Be Selling Candy Grams

December 4th- December 15 .50 Cents Fach

Will be delivered on December 20th



Jeremiah Mitchell - Alex Mathews Joseph Turner - Dorian Warren Jodie Miller - Denise Thorington Taylor Burns - Miracle Miles David laconelli

Meet our Student Council members!







# STUDENT OF THE MONTH November

Miracle Miles



Danilah Neesan



Dylan Kalt



Joseph Turner



Tara : I Adil al all



Simon Fairley



Taylor Burns





Hello families! I'm Nurse Stephanie. I am honored to serve and support your students at Jardon. Everyone here has been so welcoming, and the program is simply amazing!

My journey into school nursing began when I worked as a parapro with medically fragile students. Inspired by the nurses caring for them, I wanted to do the same. So, after earning my RN-ADN through Schoolcraft College, I went on to provide care as a 1:1/classroom nurse, bus nurse, and substitute nurse in a variety of settings, even field trips - "Have nurse, will travel!"

Later, while taking time off to raise a family, and all through managing pandemic schooling with four teens, the intersection of education and healthcare continued to call. After these experiences and subsequently completing a refresher course at Madonna University, I returned with greater understanding of autism, allergy and asthma management, mental health care, parenting special needs children, advocacy, and many other topics.

In my spare time I enjoy yoga (often with Chikku, my Senegal parrot, joining in!), reading humorous stories, and learning to play the steel tongue drum.

Your turn! What topics interest you for future articles? Questions, comments, concerns? I'd love to hear from you. My hours are 10:30-2:30 full school days. You can also email me at:

stephanie.fowlereglan@myhpsd.org

Warmly,

Stephanie Fowler-Eglan



# The ARC is an excellent resource for families and those with IDD (Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities).

The Arc of Oakland County is a 501(c)(3) non-profit charitable membership organization working directly with children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. We advocate for the rights and full participation of all children and adults with disabilities. We strive to improve systems of support and services; connect families; inspire our community and influence public policy.

#### PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

#### Information and Referral

The Arc of Oakland County provides information about community resources, programs and services (such as schools, job training, residential opportunities, physician, dentists, lawyers and more). We also offer assistance with out-of-state referrals when possible.

#### Legal Advocacy

The legal team at The Arc of Oakland County assists families with a variety of issues such as drafting power of attorney and patient advocate documents, guardianship petitions, estate planning and other probate matters. We also collaborate with private practice attorneys who specialize in issues specific to individuals with disabilities.

#### Supported Decision-Making

The Arc of Oakland County offers useful information and guidance regarding the options available for supported decision-making to families whose loved one reaches the age of eighteen years old. We discuss all options including release of information, power of attorney, patient advocate, and guardianship.

#### **Governmental and Financial Benefits**

Many people with disabilities qualify for disability benefits such as Supplemental Security Income, Social Security Disability Insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, Family Support Subsidy, Adult Home Help Services, ABLE Act savings accounts, and much more. We can help answer questions that parents or guardians have about these and other entitlements.

#### Special Education Advocacy

The Arc of Oakland County provides knowledgeable assistance and support to parents and guardians preparing for an Individualized Education Plan (IEP), based on the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act (IDEIA) and Michigan's Mandatory Special Education Act, for children or young adults with disabilities.

#### The Forever Plan

The Forever Plan was developed for parents and family members who are concerned about the many complex needs of a child with disabilities when they themselves can no longer manage life situations because of illness or death. The Forever Plan is a formal, comprehensive, lifetime advocacy program. It provides consistent follow-up and secures appropriate community resources for persons with disabilities. The plan also provides for trustee and/or guardianship arrangements if so desired by the family.

#### **Financial Management Services**

Contracted by MORC, Inc., The Arc of Oakland County provides Financial Management Services (FMS) to individuals who have chosen Self-Direction. As the FMS agent, we process invoices and timesheets on behalf of each consumer, help them monitor their individual budget, current PCP guidelines, and Medicaid law. Our staff works with the individual, his/her family, and their MORC, Inc. supports coordinator to help them flex their budgeted dollars to further meet their needs while staying within the guidelines of the current PCP and Medicaid. The Arc of Oakland County acts as "Payroll Agent" for individuals who directly employ their own staff.



Saturday, January 20th, 2024- Troy Athens High school
4333 John R Rd., Troy, MI 48085
Times to be determined
Family transports

Thursday, January 25th, 2024- Dakota High School

21051 21 Mile Rd, Macomb, MI 48044

Bus leaves Jardon by 8:45 A.M.

Bus returns to Jardon by 2:00 P.M.

Box lunch will be provided

Please wear uniform under warm-ups when you arrive to Jardon

Saturday, February 10th, 2024- Lynch Elementary

2035 Roods Lake Rd, Lapeer 48446 Lunch will be provided by Area 13 Transportation to be determined

Tuesday, February 13th, 2024- Webb Gymnasium 2100 Woodward Heights Ave



Special Olympics Michigan & Premier Athletic & Tennis Club are partnering for a Pickleball & Tennis Expo. Join us on Sundays: December 17th, January 21st, & February 11th, 2024 for the Sports Expo's! During these events the athletes can try out the new sports of Tennis & Pickle ball while learning from professionals!



5:30-7:00pm



Premier Athletic & Tennis Club, Grandville

**CLICK HERE** or scan the QR code above to register!





## **December Lunch Menu**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Nov 27 Choice #1 WG 3 Cheese Grilled Cheese	Nov 28 Choice #1 WG Pulled Pork Sandwich	Nov 29 Choice #1 Grilled Chicken w/WG Dinner Roll	Nov 30 Choice #1 WG Walking Tacos w/Salsa	1 Choice #1 WG Pizza Crunchers w/Marinara
Choice #2 WG Cheeseburger Veg: Baked Beans	Choice #2 WG Chicken Nuggets w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Roasted Broccoli	Choice #2 WG Mac & Cheese w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Roasted Asparagus	Choice #2 WG Chicken Sandwich Veg: Roasted Carrots	Choice #2 WG Pepperoni Pizza Veg: Curly Fries *Red Apple Day* *Lucky Tray Day*
4 Choice #1 WG Lasagna w/WG Breadstick Choice #2	5 Choice #1 WG Tacos w/Salsa Choice #2	6 Choice #1 WG Breaded Chicken Drumstick w/Combread	7 Choice #1 Meatloaf w/WG Dinner Roll	8 Choice #1 WG Bosco Sticks W/Marinara
WG Cheeseburger  Veg: Brussel Sprouts  *National Pear Day*	WG Chicken Nuggets w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Mexican Black Beans	Choice #2 WG Mac & Cheese w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Roasted Broccoli	Choice #2 WG Chicken Sandwich Veg: Seasoned Corn	Choice #2 WG Pepperoni Pizza Veg: Sweet Potato Fries
11 Choice #1 Iam & Cheese Bagel Melt Choice #2 WG Cheeseburger Veg: Roasted Broccoli *National Bagel Day*	12 Choice #1 WG Ham w/Cornbread Choice #2 WG Chicken Nuggets w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Mashed Potatoes & Gravy	13 Choice #1 WG Chicken Fajita W/Salsa Choice #2 WG Mac & Cheese W/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Mexican Black Beans	14 Choice #1 WG Hot Dog Choice #2 WG Chicken Sandwich Veg: Roasted Carrots	15 Choice #1 WG Cheesy Italian Puli Apart Bread Choice #2 WG Pepperoni Pizza Veg: Waffle Fries
18 Choice #1 WG Corn Dog Choice #2 WG Cheeseburger Veg: Baked Beans Discovery Kitchen @ Webb*	19 Choice #1 WG Taco Wedges w/Salsa Choice #2 WG Chicken Nuggets w/WG Dinner Roll Veg. Sessened Com *Discovery Ritchen @ Noover*	20 Choice #1 Meatballs in Pasta Sauce w/Breadstick Choice #2 WG Mac & Cheese w/WG Dinner Roll Veg: Roasted Broccoli *Discovery Kitchen @ U0*	21 Choice #1 Roasted Turkey w/Mashed Potatoes, Gravy & Cornbread Choice #2 WG Chicken Sandwich Veg: Seasoned Corn	22 ½ Day
25 Holiday Break	26 Holiday Break	27 Holiday Break	28 Holiday Break	29 Holiday Break

# Daily 3rd Choice Turkey Ham & Cheese Sandwich

Supplement your lunch from home with a milk, fruit, & vegetable for free!

Must take all 3 items

### Assorted Fresh Fruit & Veggie Bar Available Daily

A full student lunch includes a choice of entrée supplying protein, milk, grain, vegetable and fruit side dishes Milk Choices include: Flavored and unflavored 1½ milk Every student must recève a full serving (1/2 cup) of FRUIT or VEGETABLE to qualify for a reimbursable meal. Contact Dan Wrobbel with any questions at (248)658-5995 or daniel.wrobbel@myhpsd.org This institution is an equal opportunity provider



# Hazel Park Schools Administration Building



1620 E. Elza Hazel Park

# Distribution Dates Are Fridays beginning at 9 am unless noted

October 6, 2023 November 3, 2023 December 1, 2023 January 5, 2024 February 2, 2024 March 1, 2024 April 5, 2024 May 3, 2024

The food goes very quickly, so please come early to get in line. We cannot distribute items until the milk truck arrives and the setup is done.

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 deliver 20-30 lbs of food, including 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. Food dates are explained from Gleaners on the back of this flyer.

A form MUST be filled out every time food is picked up with your full name and address. Food pick-ups can only be for YOUR family. We are sorry, but you cannot pick up food for friends that could not make it. The USDA and Gleaners set up these rules and regulations.

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 MiStar or the school district website, <a href="https://www.hazelparkschools.org/parents/resources--quick-links">www.hazelparkschools.org/parents/resources--quick-links</a>, 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:

Dr. Amy Kruppe - Hazel Park Schools Superintendent (248) 658-5521 amy.kruppe @hazelparkschools.org

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### **COVID-19 FREE Home Tests**

COVID-19 cases are rising dramatically. In an effort to keep students & staff in school, we'd like to encourage you to take advantage of the free COVID-19 home test kits we have at our school. We will be sending one home with each student next week for your convenience.