



SHAMROCK SHOUT OUT

September 2023



IMPORTANT EVENTS FOR SEPTEMBER

4 - NO SCHOOL - LABOR DAY

5 - JG School Board Meeting 7 PM

9 - Progress Reports sent home

13 - NLES Picture Day

19 - JG School Board Meeting 7 PM

11 - PTO meeting @ 4:30 pm, Library

25-29 - College Go! Week and dress-up days

9/25-10/4 - Grandparents Days/Scholastic Book Fair

29-10/1 - FALLOWEEN FESTIVAL

10/2 - NO SCHOOL - Post Falloween Monday

OFFICE REMINDERS:

Absences: In the event that your child is sick, please contact the office, 574-656-8123, prior to 8:30 AM with reason of illness or scheduled appointments. Doctor excuse notes are required with any appointment for proper documentation. **Transportation Changes:** The school needs a written note with the name of the person picking up by car. When calling, notify the office before 2:00 PM. A weekly plan is encouraged in place of daily changes that may cause confusion with students.

AM & PM CAR RIDERS The pace of drop-off depends on everyone following procedures. We ask that you pull ahead as far as possible in the drop off zone. Have your child(ren) exit the right side of the vehicle and walk along the sidewalk to the entrance. If you wish to walk your child to the door, park in a diagonal parking spot and walk your child to the sidewalk. This means no parking along the drop off lane by the sidewalk.

NLES PTO BOARD

If you have a heart to serve and enjoy working with other parents, we would love to hear from you. Come to the Sept. 11 meeting or email nlespto@gmail.com or rromer@jgsc.k12.in.us

PTO Executive Board Members

President: Kandis Tubb

Vice President: Jessie Witkowski

Treasurer: Christy Lewis

Secretary: Angie Peterson

Staff Reps.: Tara Dome

The 1st public meeting will be Sept. 11 at 4:30 in the library, all parents are welcome to attend.

SEPTEMBER MENUS Just a reminder that **BREAKFAST** and **LUNCH** have a cost this year. Money can be sent to the office in an envelope with your child's name.

PICTURE DAY IS SEPTEMBER 13, please be sure to visit the link below to purchase a portrait package. <https://my.lifetouch.com/mylifetouch/#/prepay-student-info>

College Go! Week will take place September 25th-29th. Students will learn about post-high school options, we will be sharing information about Indiana Colleges, Universities, apprenticeships and trade schools. Play along with us and have fun with **College Go! Dress up days!**

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES will be held on October 17 & 18 from 3:15-7:15 PM.

FALLOWEEN FESTIVAL 2023 Mark your calendars for the weekend of **Sep 29- Oct 1** for the Falloween Festival held on the grounds of John Glenn High School. Highlights of the festival include: midway rides, fireworks, parade, lots of food, games, music and much more. About \$500,000 has been raised for student scholarships dating back to 2009! Visit www.falloweenfest.com for more information. Wristbands can be pre-purchased in any JGSC office after Labor Day Until 9am, Friday, September 29. Pricing: single session tickets for \$25 and a 3 day mega wristband for \$65.

GRANDPARENTS/VIP DAYS will be held again this year and we are so excited to share our school with them! From September 25 to October 4, each grade level will have a designated day to invite their Nannas and Pappas or VIPs to come see them in action from 8:30 - 9:30 AM. Specific day listed below.

Sept. 25 - KDG, Sept. 26-1st Gr., Sept. 27-2nd Gr.

Sept. 28-3rd Gr., Sept. 29-4th Gr., Oct. 3-5th Gr.,

Oct. 4-6th Gr.

BOOMER ASSEMBLY ON SEPT. 14

Boomer (the Pacers Mascot) will excite the students with a high-flying acrobatic dunk show and more importantly a positive message on "being a buddy, not a bully".

BLESSINGS IN A BACKPACK NLES is holding a Yard Sign FUNDRAISER, this program assists students in need with food on Fridays to help get through the weekend. The fundraiser will highlight fall high school sports, with plans to promote clubs and winter/spring sports in the future. [Click here to view examples of available signs.](#) Signs are \$20 each, personalized signs are \$25. Orders may be placed online [here](#). Send payment to any school office. Cash and checks made payable to NLES. Orders due by Friday, September 1. Orders will not be placed until payment is received. Monetary donations may be earmarked for the program and dropped off at any school. Please make checks payable to NLES. Have questions about the fundraiser or the program? Contact Julie Brinkhoff at blessingsinabackpacknles@gmail.com

GOLFERS AND FUTURE GOLFERS get some extra lessons at Swan Lake for a good price with PGA pro John Ericsson, with Golf pro Matt Kay attending. \$60 per student (10% discount for 2 or more siblings Junior golf instruction for all levels of experience. A mini-camp building fundamental motions of the full swing and short game. Clubs can be provided to those without them. Sundays 2:30-3:45 EST. October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, November 5. To sign up: Contact John Ericsson at 574-935-5680 ext. 722 OR jericsson@swanlakeresort.com

LADY FALCONS BASKETBALL LOCK-IN The team is excited to host a Lock-In on September 22 at JGHS. This is an opportunity for kids to have a fun night with friends, games, and pizza while we raise funds for the 23-24 season. For more information, click [here](#). Forms and payment due by September 18th.

[NL BRANCH LIBRARY EVENTS](#)