



# TJCA Today

WELL THAT WAS NEWS TO ME...

## Current Happenings:

To kick off the 2017 College Application Week, all students and staff are invited to wear a college shirt on Monday (with appropriate uniform pants/bottoms). If you do not wear a college shirt, please wear regular full uniform - no other "teams" or non-uniform shirts allowed.

### MS Boys Basketball:

Practice for MS boys basketball will be today, Monday from 5-6:30.

### MS and HS wrasslin:

Wrestling for MS and HS will be held on today-Thursday from 3:30-5pm in MS gym. No experience required to participate

### Ren Fest is almost here! Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>:

Hear ye! Hear ye! Calling all clubs! Lords Keller and Foust would like to invite all of the clubs to participate in a pre-festival procession at RenFest this year. Clubs should prepare a banner with a sigil that represents their club. All recognized school clubs are invited to participation. We will gather with our banners at the beginning of the festival and process into the event to signal the kick-off at 10:00.

### Upcoming Blood Drive:

The Beta Club/NHS will be hosting a blood drive on **Thursday, November 30** as part of the Talon Challenge with Lincoln Charter School! Staff and students 16 and older may donate. See Mrs. Powell to schedule your appointment.

### Jr Civitan:

The meeting has been moved until this Thursday the 16th from 3-4pm.

### Drop those box tops like it's Hot:

There are two Box Tops receptacles-one at the Middle and one at the High School. You will find attached to each receptacle some pre-labeled bags for your name, grade and to track 50 Box Tops. You will also find some extra bags and label sheets in the receptacles.

The requirements of eligibility for the Box Top\$ Pick a Prize Contest of \$25 cash or a gift card each trimester are:

1. Turn in unexpired Box Tops.
2. Write your name and grade on the bag or sheet turned in.

Earn an entry for every 100 Box Tops turned in.

It's Never too soon to get your yearbook!!



[http://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse/1416625/Thomas-Jefferson-Classical-Academy/2018-Yearbook/2017080504362165776/CATALOG\\_SHOP/?REF=A01079585](http://www.jostens.com/apps/store/productBrowse/1416625/Thomas-Jefferson-Classical-Academy/2018-Yearbook/2017080504362165776/CATALOG_SHOP/?REF=A01079585)

**Just like Thomas the Train, Toys 4Tots Book collection is picking up steam:**

**Toys For Tots have requested new children's books and classics. You could also donate coloring books, word searches and crosswords puzzle books.**

**Grand Total - 1145 We Are Over Halfway To Our Goal!**

### Home Rooms

- 1 - KD Scruggs - 277 KD Keeps The Lead**
- 2 - Yelton - 178 Yelton Is Now In Second Place**
- 3 - B. Turner -173 B. Turner Is Only 5 Behind Yelton!**
- 4 - Keller - 128 Keller Takes 4th Place**
- 5 - Powell - 92**
- 6 - Maimone - 61**
- 7 - Moffitt - 42**
- 8 - Moore - 34**
- 9 - E. Scruggs - 31**
- 10 - Schmoutz - 30**
- 11 - McComas - 19**
- 12 - Masterman - 19**
- 13 - Longerbeam - 10**
- 14 - Book Donations at game - 19**
- 15 - Cash Donations - \$1220.00**

### Upcoming Field Trips:

Chamber Theater: 7<sup>th</sup> Grade 11/14  
 Eastern RELIGIONS Charlotte: 12<sup>th</sup> grade WR class 11/14  
 Freshmen Service Project: 9<sup>th</sup> grade 11/20  
 Carl Sandburg Home: 6<sup>th</sup> grade 11/30  
 Biltmore House: 7<sup>th</sup> Grade 12/5  
 Rutherford Life Center: HS Guitar class 12/13  
 Ivy Grove Nursing Home - 6-12 Chorus - 12/14  
 Tyron Fine Arts Center: 7<sup>th</sup> Grade 1/31  
 Jr. Beta Convention: Jr. Beta Club 2/5

### Field Trip Opportunities:

<http://www.peacecenter.org/community-engagement/pop>

### College Visits:

An admissions counselor from East Carolina University, Monday at 2:00

Interested juniors and seniors may attend with permission and a pass from their teacher.

### Upcoming Sporting Contests September:

Varsity Football: Home 11/17 @7:30

### Birthdays:

11/13: Michael Rash, Mariah Navas  
 11/14:  
 11/15:  
 11/16:  
 11/17:  
 Weekend 11/18 & 11/19:

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**Veterans' Day(NO SCHOOL)**

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**Visit from East Carolina  
University**

12:00 PM – 2:45 PM

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**12th Grade World Religions  
Class to Charlotte, NC**

**7th Grade to Chamber Theatre**

**Spartanburg, SC**

**Western Charter School**

**Consortium at TJCA**

**Parent Forum Meeting(ALL**

**Are Welcome)**

8:00 AM – 9:00 AM