

## Freshmen Orientation has been set!

Freshman Orientation is Wednesday, August 8th. This is a required day of school for all freshmen in Jefferson County. Students are encouraged to wear red, white and/or blue to show Patriot Pride because the theme for the day is The Patriot Way. Listed below are some highlights:

- Buses will be available at the four middle schools for pick up only.
- Buses will depart the middle schools promptly at 8:35.
- Parents may drop students off at the Patriot Academy at 8:30.
- Parents must pick students up at the end of the day. **This year we will be staggering the release time to alleviate traffic issues. Release times will be sent home on Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup>. Athletes who have practice at the high school will be released to ride a bus to the main campus. Remaining students will be released according to their assigned team. Students will be pick up on Patriot Lane which is on the side of the Patriot Academy. The release schedule is as follows:**

**2:30**        *Athletes who have afternoon practice will board the JCHS activity bus and be transported to the High School for practice. Parents can pick up students after sports activities.*

**2:40**        *Regulators and Reformers will be released for pick up.*

**3:00**        *Renegades and Radicals will be released for pick up.*

- Students will not need to bring any classroom materials. The only thing students might need is money for breakfast/lunch. Students may also bring their lunch. All other materials will be provided.
- Students will attend core classes at the Patriot Academy. Students will not attend classes at the main campus today.
- Students will be given class specific supply lists and other important class information.
- Breakfast and lunch will be served. Students can add money to lunch accounts today or students can bring their own lunch.
- Breakfast will be served from 8:30-9:00.
- We will have two lunch periods. The first lunch period will be from 11:35-12:05. The second lunch period will be 12:45-1:15. Students can choose either Pizza or a Chicken Sandwich. Both choices will include leafy green salad, baby carrots, fresh fruit, peaches and milk. Students may also bring their own lunch.
- The day will end at 2:40 and 3:00 respectfully. Parents must pick up their student at the assigned team pick up time. No return buses will be running at the end of the day. All students will be picked up on Patriot Lane

and will be released according to their team names. **Students will know their team names on Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup> when they receive schedules.**

- An Open House will be schedule in September.

We look forward to seeing you on August 8th. **Remember, the dress code will be in effect on this day.** The Dress Code can be viewed on the JCHS webpage in the student handbook section. Remember, August 8th is a required day of school for all freshman students. See you there!

If you have any questions, you may email Cyndi McClancy at [cmclancy@jcboe.net](mailto:cmclancy@jcboe.net).

### **General Supply List**

Loose leaf paper

Tab dividers

Colored pencils

**Headphones for laptops 😊**

3 prong folders

Pens/Pencils

3 ring binders

Sticky notes

Highlighters

Lock for locker