

***“Every moment is a fresh beginning”***

**10/26/18**

# The *Pride* of John Marshall

## What's Happening

County Honor Choir	10-26 10-27
FBLA Fall Leadership	10-29 10-30
Happy Halloween	10-31
Region Honor Band Cheer Regionals	11-3
College Application Week	11-5 11-9
Central Blood Bank Blood Drive	11-5



## Remember!

The Spirit Club is selling pink out bandanas for the game on Friday 10-26-18. The Theme is Pink Out, and the bandanas can be purchased in the Main Office from Mrs. Coffield for \$3.



## College Application Week 11-5 to 11-9

\*Faculty and staff are asked to wear collegiate apparel every day; nice t-shirts may be worn with casual slacks—no jeans. College representatives from the eight local institutions and military recruiters from all local branches will have table displays during the lunch periods.

Monday, 11.5: “Taco ‘Bout College” Application Day--seniors will go to the computer labs to fill out and submit online applications. There is a CTE campus visit to Potomac State College.

Wednesday, 11.7: Students search for college mascots hidden around the school. The first to identify all mascots wins a \$20 Taco Bell gift card.

Thursday, 11.8: Coverall Bingo—Students find teachers fitting into various categories. First student with all correct answers wins a \$20 Taco Bell gift card.

Friday, 11.9: Students are to wear the colors of the college they will attend. Faculty will wear the colors of their undergraduate degree. Proclamation for American Education Week will be signed at JMHS.

## Understanding in Context

Mrs. Yates class analyzed Patrick Henry’s speech in an exciting classroom discussion. Mrs. Yates helped students create a context for the speech through leading and essential questions. Students were impressive in their responses even noting how the meaning of words changed over time. She has fantastic strategies for classroom discussion!

## Pets in the Classroom

Mrs. Shipman was awarded a Pets in the Classroom grant through Petco for a lovely little guinea pig named Cherry. Students in Intro to Ag love Cherry and say that she reduces stress and relieves anxiety by being in the room. Small Animal Care tends to the animals and allows students to interact with animals daily. There are several others who were awarded this grant and have turtles, lizards, and fish in the classroom. Stop by and check them out!

## NCTE Presenter

Mrs. Kuskey is on her way to present at the National Convention for Teachers of English this November. We are impressed by her selection to present at a national conference. She will showcase the project for the James Moffett Award she won last year that promoted research into a literacy topic. Last year, Mrs. Kuskey shaped school culture by creating teacher-led community book clubs. Now, she can share that project with teachers across the nation.

## Differentiated Instruction Goes Viral at JM

Mrs. Loughman and Mrs. Bushovisky give new meaning to “Going Viral!” They provided an open-ended DI project to Microbiology to represent a virus. The projects were so vivid and creative that they are now on display in the 3rd floor south showcase! Learn more about virus and how they influence us and our world by checking out their work. Great DI!!

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