May/June, 2015 District Newsletter

# It's Great to Be a Wildcat!

# The Latest BUZZ from Mrs. B



#### Wildcats are Roaring with good news....

There are so many things to be proud of when we talk about all our kids in the district! After reading, please let all our kids and staff know you are proud of them too!!!!

- Young Authors District Winners: K: Mira Acosta, Austin Cavanah, Selena Rodriguez; 1st: Gabe Wamhoff, Joey Scheri, Vance Pienta; 2nd: Dylan Eimer. Sandro Quiroz Martinez, Isabel Verucchi; 3rd: Luke Bogatitus, Bailey Ryman, Gianni Guerrini; 4th: Ella Taliani, Shechinah Ridley, Macy Zeglis; 5th: Dominic Guerrini, Callie Meyer, Aiden Jones; 6th: Kalyleigh Kirsch, Maddie Hannon, Mark Parlier; 7th: Abigail Draper, Regina Scarpaci, Paige Blackburn, Dillon deJong; 8th: Kayla Stropes, Alana Flores, Delaney Hawton.
- Thank you to the Spring Valley Police
  Department for their support of PBIS this
  year. Please share your thanks with all of our
  officers for supporting our kids!
  AND....many thank to staff, parents and
  STUDENTS for working together on PBIS.
- Do you know of a student who will be 3 or 4 by September 1<sup>st</sup>? Pre-school screenings are June 8<sup>th</sup> —10<sup>th</sup> at JFK. The days are filling up, please call 815-664-4601 immediately to sign up. Also, please note, PreK will be at JFK next year.



### You will be MISSED!!!

At the end of this school year, *Mrs. Pat Watson* will be retiring. How blessed we all have been by her presence in this district!!! When you see her, please wish her well on her next endeavors *and* how we will all miss her.

## JPK this year...

Did you know the new library at JFK is named the Lincoln Library? Did you know the big multipurpose room is called the Kennedy Center?



## and....one year ago....



Due to the bad weather days, the last day of school for the 2014-15 school year is June 12<sup>th</sup>. From May 29<sup>th</sup> – June 12<sup>th</sup> dismissal will be at 2:00 pm.



#### Reminders:

- Pre-K graduations are on June 5<sup>th</sup>. Your child's teacher will be sending more information.
- 8<sup>th</sup> grade graduation is on Friday, May 29<sup>rd</sup>.
   There is a 2:00 pm dismissal this day.
- The first day of the 2015-16 school year is set for August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015.
- If you know of any students that will be 5 by September 1, 2015 and have not registered for Kindergarten yet, please have them call JFK at 815-664-4601.
- Round 2 of PARCC Assessments begin May

Wildcats' three key words: RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, and SAFETY!!!!!