

# Jaguar News

Tri-County Early College

#TCECProud

September 19, 2017

## End-of-Year Trip

The last day to turn in a deposit for this year's trip to Savannah is this Thursday, September 21. We must have 50 participants for this trip to happen.

## Host Families Meeting

*There will be a mandatory meeting for all families who will be hosting Danish students this Thursday evening at 5:15pm in Room 102.*

## Open House #2

\*\*\*All students and their immediate families are invited to TCEC's second Open House of the year to be held next Tuesday, September 26th beginning at 5:30pm in the School's Pavilion. Dinner will be a soup and chili potluck!! Each House group will be signing up to bring a crockpot of their family's favorite soup or chili, a salad or side, sandwiches or bread, toppings like shredded cheese or sour cream, drinks, or desserts. After dinner, families will meet with their student's adviser for updates about this year's grading and assessment methods and how to access PowerSchool Pro to see a student's progress. We look forward to seeing each and every one of you!

*Being gentle means forgiving yourself when you mess up. We should learn from our mistakes, but we shouldn't beat the tar out of ourselves over them. The past is just that, past. Learn what went wrong and why. Make amends if you need to. Then drop it and move on.*  
--Sean Covey

## Survival Skills Friday

Friday will be Survival Skills! Students will be doing activities based on Creativity and Imagination. We will be doing this monthly to cover all seven skills: Critical Thinking and Problem-Solving, Collaboration Across Networks, Agility and Adaptability, Initiative and Entrepreneurship, Effective Communication, Accessing Information, and Curiosity and Imagination.



## Community Service Opportunities

The Clay County Rotary Club has the following volunteer opportunities available:

\*\* Pet Celebration on the Hayesville Square this Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10am until 4pm. This is a celebration of the human/pet bond. Events include a pet parade/costume contest, pet/owner look-alike contest, a pet talent show, and a wiener dog race. Four volunteers are needed to work in the Rotary Food Booth selling hamburgers, drinks, and snacks. Those interested need to sign up at the front office no later than Wednesday.

\*\* Punkin' Chunkin' in Brasstown October 21-22. Volunteers can work one or both days selling turkey legs and snacks from 10am-4pm. Please sign up at the front desk if interested.



US Army recruiter, Sgt. Brandon Bell, will be here this Thursday, September 21 at 1:30pm to meet with anyone interested in enlisting. See Mr. Alt if you would like to be included.



## Needed



One of our project groups needs plastic bottles to build their new species creature. A lot of their animal will be made from plastic so they need as many bottles as possible! Bring them to the front office. Please help!

Payton McKnight is missing her black Beats headphones. If anyone has seen them, please return them to Payton or let the front office know. Thank you!

### FOLK SCHOOL JUNIOR APPALACHIAN MUSICIANS (JAM)

The Folk School Junior Appalachian Music Program is open for enrollment until Oct. 9. It is a free of charge, after-school music program that will be held Monday & Wednesday afternoons at Tri-County Early College from 3:30-5pm. The program offers students in grades 9-12 the opportunity to learn guitar, banjo or fiddle, or to practice in a string band and connect to the musical heritage of rural Appalachia. It will run October 16, 2017- April 26, 2018. Search "Folk School JAM" or contact Geraud Barralon, Program Director [folkschooljam@gmail.com](mailto:folkschooljam@gmail.com)  
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