Holiday Baskets Delivered

Thank you to the many Jefferson families who contributed to our Volunteers of America food baskets. They were stocked full of yummy food for the winter break. Thank you to Santa's helper Heidi Barker for delivering the baskets to VOA ☺.

Holiday Store

Thank you to chairperson Tracy Jacoby and her right-hand helper Senta Barrett for running another successful Holiday Store for our Jefferson students. Did you know that this is not a fundraiser for Jefferson PTA? Rather, it is a service for our Jefferson students where they can experience the joy of giving. Thank you to the many, many helpers who make this magic happen at Jefferson!

Talent Show

Our chairperson of Talent Show has stepped down. Is this a program you are interested in chairing? You have willing committee members ready to help! Contact jeffersonptaboard@gmail.com if this is the volunteer opportunity for you!

Time Commitment:
Wednesday, **January 9th** from 3:30 – 5:00 pm, Cafeteria
Wednesday, **January 23rd** from 3:30 – 5:00 pm, Cafeteria
Wednesday, **February 6th** Dress Rehearsal from 3:30 – 5:00 pm, Cafeteria
Friday, **February 8th** TALENT SHOW from 6:30-8:30 pm, Cafeteria

Students interested in performing should submit the entry form as soon as possible (this went home via backpack mail before break). It is our goal to have each act be allowed to perform, but we may need to cut acts depending on the total number of entries. Fifth grade students will have a priority if we need to reduce the total number of acts. Parents, please watch your student's act, listen to the lyrics, and check for overall appropriateness. Thank you!

Nomination Committee

It is already time to start thinking about our PTA board for next year. A nomination committee is needed to seek potential board candidates to serve on the board during the 2013-2014 school year. If you are interested in being on the nomination committee, please contact jeffersonptaboard@gmail.com.

♫ These Are a Few of My Favorite Things ♫

Have you ever wanted to get your child's teacher a little something special but lacked ideas? What if the teacher hates chocolate? (Based on survey results, that is far from reality!)

Check out **jeffersonpta.org** to find out their favorites!

General PTA Meeting
January 10th at 6:30 PM

Please plan to attend the PTA General Meeting on Thursday, January 10th, from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm in the library.

On the agenda:

- Nomination Committee
- Success Time Information
- Watch DOGS and Safety at School
- Green Team Budget Request
- Ga-Ga Ball Request

Refreshments and childcare will be available! We look forward to seeing you!