



# Jim Stone Elementary Newsletter

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## Mr. Lewis' Weekly Round-Up....

Happy Friday to everyone! I don't know if you've realized it yet or not, but this year is truly flying by. As we head into the Thanksgiving and Christmas Holidays, things will continue to pick up around here.

We have a wonderful evening planned for our MASHmoms and WatchDOGS Pizza Night on Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. Please send in your RSVP if you plan on attending. Heather Kendrick will join us as a guest speaker for our moms, and School Resource Officer Daniel Hogan will be here for the dads. Also, please remember that this is for grandparents, aunts, uncles, and all of our Jim Stone Family Members who play a significant role in the lives of our students.

With your help, we have made tremendous gains in speeding up drop-off time in the mornings. We can't control the thru traffic, but by parents assisting us by dropping off and not escorting kids to class it has shaved four minutes off of our time in the mornings, thus helping us get our parents to work on time and getting our kids' days started. Thank you for your cooperation!

Have a great weekend!

### Upcoming Events

- November 12-16-Book Fair
- November 12-Watch Dog/ Mash Mom Pizza Night 5:30pm
- November 15-Grandparent/Special Friend Day
- November 16-Yearbook Order Forms Due
- November 16-Turkey Trot Money Due
- November 19-23-Thanksgiving Holidays
- November 27-Fundraiser Pickup
- November 28-PTO meeting 2:00-3:00

**Yearbook orders are due November 16th.** Make checks payable to Jim Stone PTO. If you send cash, please send exact amount.

### Character Counts

November



Thankfulness-Being grateful for who I am and what I have

**Jim Stone Elementary All Star Book Fair**  
Every Ready is a Star!

**November 12-16**

Monday-Friday 7:45-4:00  
Monday Evening 5:15-7:00



Grandparents welcome on Grandparent's Day.  
Shop online as well! Follow the link on the Jim Stone Elementary Website.

**GREAT EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING IDEAS!**



## School Menu November 12-16

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Choice of One</b> Mini French Toast & Crispy Bacon or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart  Fruit Juice Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Breakfast Pizza or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart  Fruit Juice Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Pancake & Sausage on a Stick or Whole Grain Cereal w/Honey Wheat Donut  Fruit Juice Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Pillsbury Mini Cinnis & Sausage Link or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart  Fruit Juice Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Sausage Biscuit or Whole Grain Cereal w/Whole Grain Poptart  Fruit Juice Milk of Choice
<b>Choice of One</b> Mini Corn Dogs or Ham & Cheese Melt  <b>Fruits Offered</b> Grapes Apple Juice <b>Vegetables Offered</b> Baked Beans Sweet Potato Fries  Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Chicken Tenders or Baked Breaded Fish  <b>Fruits Offered</b> Grape Juice Apple <b>Vegetables Offered</b> Roasted Potatoes Cucumber Slices  Chocolate Chip Elf Grahams  Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Hamburger on Bun w/Baked Potato Crisps or Yogurt w/Cheesy Breadstick  <b>Fruits Offered</b> Applesauce Pineapple Juice <b>Vegetables Offered</b> Seasoned Whole Kernel Corn Vegetable Soup  Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Turkey Breast w/ Dressing Mashed Potatoes Seasoned Green Beans Strawberry Cup Hot Roll  <b>Fruits Offered</b> Fruit Choice Apple Juice <b>Vegetables Offered</b> Vegetable Choice Broccoli Soup  Milk of Choice	<b>Choice of One</b> Pepperoni Pizza or Turkey & Cheese Melt w/Baked Chips  <b>Fruits Offered</b> Fruit Choice Apple Juice <b>Vegetables Offered</b> Vegetable Choice Broccoli Soup  Milk of Choice

BREAKFAST

LUNCH

\*\*\*We need pictures from the K, 1st and 2nd grade Musical and Character Kid Awards for the yearbook. Please upload!!! You can upload throughout the year. We love any pictures from school events or any pictures taken at school (lunch, recess, special class project, class parties, running club etc.....

### UPLOAD DIRECTIONS

1. point your web browser to: [images.balfour.com](http://images.balfour.com)
2. enter project number 317046 and password STALLIONS
3. enter contact information
4. browse and select one or more images from your computer and upload (see reminders)
5. add captions to photo --names of children, teacher name, grade
6. click BEGIN UPLOAD

### REMINDERS

- IMAGES SHOULD BE IN JPEG FORMAT, RGB
- MAXIMUM FILE SIZE IS 20MB PER IMAGE
- CELL PHONE PHOTOS DO NOT WORK

**You are Invited**  
**November 15**  
**Grandparent/Special Friend**  
**Day**

### Schedule

- Kindergarten: 9:30-10:00
- First Grade: 8:45-9:15
- Second Grade: 10:30-11:00
- Third Grade: 1:00-1:30
- Fourth Grade: 11:30-12:10  
(4th grade guests ONLY will eat lunch)



Jim Stone Elementary voted for a few of the key races from Tuesday's election. We voted before the national election. How well did Jim Stone students choose?

Jim Stone Votes			
United States President			
Barack Obama		Mitt Romney	
218		154	
US House of Representatives			
Tim Griffin	Herb Rule	Chris Hayes	Barbara Ward
158	54	35	111
Mayor of Conway			
Mark Elsinger	Randy Herrold	Tab Townsell	
147	56	167	
AR Senate			
Jason Rapert		Linda Tyler	
215		194	

Turkey Trot/  
Canned Food  
Drive



Food and checks are due no later than noon on Friday, November 16. Make checks payable to the Salvation Army.

Mrs. Hammons needs parent volunteers to help hang and take down art work so it can be switched out periodically.

AND

The morning running club needs lots of help. There are three times: 7:00 am, 7:40 am, and 7:50 am.

Please contact the school if you can help!

Be sure to sign in at the office as a **VOLUNTEER** and not a **VISITOR**.

Thanks so much for making Jim Stone the best!

**ATTENTION PARENTS! PLEASE READ BELOW!**

Boxtops for Education Marketplace gives **FREE** and **EASY** money to our school for purchases you make. Please keep this in mind when holiday shopping.

<http://www.boxtops4education.com>

If you are going to buy online, try here first.

**FREE \$\$ FOR OUR SCHOOL!!**

FYI: Walmart.com gives free shipping for orders over \$40.00 at the Boxtops Marketplace. Check this out and more!