

# WELCOME TO JEROME PRAIRIE

SEPTEMBER - 2009

We at Jerome Prairie wish to welcome our new students and parents and all our returning students and parents. Even though school started a week earlier this year we were all ready to see the smiling faces of our students.

Our school's motto is:

***“JEROME PRAIRIE THERE'S NO BETTER PLACE TO LEARN”***

The whole staff will do their best to live up to this motto by providing a safe, warm and welcoming environment for our students to learn. Please feel free to contact the school at 476-2802 if you have any question or concerns. Our staff includes:

<b>Principal</b>	-	Dave Fuller	
<b>Office Mgr.</b>	-	Paula Biles	
<b>Office Clerk</b>	-	Julie Rauch	
<b>Kindergarten-</b>		Mrs. Strangis	Rm. 1
<b>1<sup>st</sup> grade</b>	-	Ms. Coppes	Rm. 2
	-	Mrs. Pendleton	Rm. 4
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> grade</b>	-	Mrs. Brucher	Rm. 3
	-	Mrs. Richardson	Rm. 6
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> grade</b>	-	Ms. Kenney	Rm. 7
<b>4<sup>th</sup> grade</b>	-	Mr. Clogston	Rm. 10
	-	Mr. Harrington	Rm. 11
<b>5<sup>th</sup> grade</b>	-	Mr. Harrington	Rm. 11
	-	Mrs. Katz	Rm. 12
<b>Special Education</b>	-	Ms. Vaughn	Rm. 5
<b>Title I-</b>		Mrs. Mills-Price	Rm. 9
<b>Librarian Mgr.</b>	-	Mrs. Marietta	
<b>Education Assistants</b>	-	Vangie Caldwell, Charleen Dollarhide, Sue Renz, Cindy Riggs, Lori Sanders, Debbie Sauro, Judy Standley	
<b>ERC Ed Assistants</b>	-	Debbie LeMoine, Clarie Olsen	
<b>Family Advocate</b>	-	Judy Standley	
<b>Cafeteria</b>	-	Sherrill Rush, Head Cook; Sami Stracener	
<b>Custodians</b>	-	Mike Delay, Head Cust.; Charleen Dollarhide, Night Cust.	

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### **Open House**

Jerome Prairie will be holding their annual Open House on **Thursday, September 17**, starting at **5:45 to 7:30 PM**. The teachers will be looking forward to seeing all of you. Please plan on attending and see the classroom that your student will be learning in. This evening will also give you the opportunity to visit the Book Fair in the library.

### **Scholastic Book Fair**

Our annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held in the school library on September 16, 17, and 18. Students will be able to come in during noon recess to look around and purchase books if they wish. Parents are invited during noon recess and for those who cannot attend at that time the library will be open September 17<sup>th</sup> during Open House from 5:45 to 7:30 PM.



### **School Picture Day**

School Picture Day is just around the corner. Please mark your calendars. All students will have their pictures taken on Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> with the exception of our Monday/Wednesday kindergarten class. Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup> will be the day for them to put on their smiles.

**SEE ATTACHED CALENDAR  
FOR SEPTEMBER'S EVENTS.**

### **Delayed Start**

Just a reminder that there is a 2 hours delayed start for students on Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>. If you have any question regarding this please call the office.

### **Jog-A-Thon Assembly**

We will be holding our annual Jog-A-Thon on October 7<sup>th</sup>. Students will attend a Kick Off Assembly on September 25<sup>th</sup>. This assembly will explain what our Jog-A-Thon is all about. It's a time for students to get all their questions answered. There will be more about this event in our October Newsletter.

### **Crosswalk**

Parents, please use the crosswalk at all times when picking up your child. There are some that are cutting across the yard and this is not only unsafe, but it sets a bad example for other children that are watching. Our goal is to be sure every child is crossing in a safe manner.

### **Please, No Pets**

We realize that in some cases pets are a big part of your family, we are asking that you refrain from bringing your pets to school at the end of the day. It makes for a lot of confusion and if a child were to get bitten or an animal hurt, we could have some serious repercussions. Thank you for adhering to this.

