



The HOOT

May 2026

OWL Community Newsletter



Principal's Message

Dear OWL Families,

Happy May! Can you believe it? We're in the final month of the school year...and what a busy month it is! Grades 3-8 jumped right into state testing and are close to the finish line. Our OWLS have been working hard in their efforts! We appreciate your support at home in having your student(s) present at school, arriving on time and in encouraging them to try and do their best. Thank you!

Force Museum work and prep have been in full swing. Our teachers & students have been busy finishing their grade level projects to share with our JMC school community. Please read below for more information about this special night!

We have plenty more things upcoming, including **Teacher & Staff Appreciation Weeks, grade level events, field trips & celebrations, music performances for band & choir, Force Museum, Career Day, Field Day and 8th Grade Promotion!**

This month is packed with excitement and all the happenings to culminate another OWLmazing school year at JMC! We look forward to sharing these very special moments together with you and our OWLS.





JMC Force Museum

Get Ready for an Epic Adventure at the JMC Force Museum!

Calling all JMC families! We are so excited to invite you to our spectacular **Force Museum** event on **Thursday, May 7th, 2026**, from **6:00 PM to 8:00 PM**.

While you're marveling at your children's genius, you can enjoy some incredible food and fun treats. **Taco Fiesta & Catering** will be on-site with delicious meals, and you can cool down with a classic **Kona Ice** shaved ice!

This is more than an event; it's a celebration of curiosity, creativity, and community. We can't wait to see you there. The date again is **Thursday, May 7th, 2026, from 6:00 - 8:00 PM**.

May the Force be with us all at JMC!

PS: Check out the link below for the EVENT MAP!

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1QCah_F53tkRYZC2nSBPUQqfXQCoT8--qHhLluloMWsg/edit?usp=sharing



PTSA News

PTSA Owlance Board Members 2025-2026

President: Jen Monroe

Vice President: Alyssa Escano

Secretary: Dawnelle O'Brien

Treasurer: Marlene Chann

Parliamentarian: Kourtney Marriott

Historian: Heather Downing

School Reps: Jonah Kellar & Marisa Meeks

Find all the details and links to JMC's fundraisers on our

Linktree: <https://linktr.ee/JMCOwlance>

May Happenings

5/4: Early Release @ 1:30

5/4: ELAC Meeting @ 3:15 - Perch

5/11-5/5: JMC Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week

5/6: Lincoln Llympics Grades 4-6 @ 8:30-12:30 - LHS

5/6: LUSD Board Meeting @ 7:00 - Beverly Holt Boardroom

5/7: Force Museum @ 6:00-8:00

5/8: Friday Flag Salute/Check Lost & Found

5/9: Grades 6-8 Band Performance - NCBA Large Ensemble
@ 8:00 am - Lincoln High School

5/11: Early Release @ 1:30

5/11-5/15: JMC Teacher/Staff Appreciation Week

5/12: JMC Spring Band Concerts - OWLS Nest

- 6:00 - Beginning Band
- 7:00 - Intermediate & Middle School Band

5/13: Lincoln Llympics Grades 7-8 @ 8:30-12:30 - LHS

5/14: JMC Board Meeting @ 6:00 - OWLS Nest

5/15: Career Day @ 9:00-11:00 - OWLS Nest

5/15: Spirit Day Friday/Check Lost & Found

5/18: Early Release @ 1:30

5/20: Kinder Field Trip to Children's Museum @ 8:30-11:15

5/20: LUSD Board Meeting @ 7:00 - Beverly Holt Boardroom

5/22: Field Day/Spirit Day/Check Lost & Found

5/25: Memorial Day - No School

5/26: JMC Choir Concert @ 5:30 - OWLS Nest

5/27: 8th Grade Promotion @ 4:00 - Gym

5/28: Last Day of School: OWLS & STEM Habits of Mind

Award Assemblies

TK-2 @ 8:30

3-6 @ 9:15

7-8 @ 12:45

Early Release @ 1:30!

5/29: Staff Work Day

Have an OWLtastic Summer!





JMC Music Performance

Please join us for our end of the year music performances with our JMC students! Under the direction of music teacher, Ainsley Berryhill & Choir Teacher, Cintia Ramos, our JMC band & choir will display their musical talents for all to enjoy. We hope you'll join us!

JMC MS Band (grades 6-8) Performance - NCBA Large Ensemble Festival

Saturday, May 9th, 8:00am

@ Lincoln HS Theater (6844 Alexandria Place)

JMC Spring Band Concerts

Tuesday, May 12th @ Owls' Nest

- 6:00pm: Beginning Band
- 7:00pm: Intermediate Band & Middle School Band

JMC Choir Concert

Tuesday, May 26th @ 5:30 @ Owls' Nest



Important Drop-Off & Pick-Up Reminders!

- Follow **safe driving practices** for drop-off and pick-up
- Pull **all the way forward** when dropping off your student in order to prevent blocking the flow of traffic
- If arriving after dismissal time, please pick up your student by **1:45 on Monday** and **3:30 on Tuesday-Friday**
- **Keep open communication** with your student's teacher
- Please **do not park in and/or block areas of surrounding businesses**. Park along the street or arrive closer to the end of dismissal time at 3:30
- Please **do not park in the painted RED zones**.
- Please be **patient & appropriate** when talking with school staff and family members

We appreciate your cooperation...THANK YOU!



Contact info

If you have any comments, questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact us. Please reach out via the following means:

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