



JRT

December 2019

# Chief Talk

## Important Dates

Basketball	12/9
Wrestling	12/10
Region Soccer	12/11
Basketball	12/12
Wrestling	12/12
Wrestling	12/13
Basketball	12/16
Holidays	12/19-1/5

## Boys Soccer Undefeated



The boys soccer team is undefeated and headed to the Region Tournament as the #1 team. Region playoffs will be held at JRT December 10-13. The Girls soccer team finished the season with a 2 and 5 record.

# S p o t l i g h t s



Sukumar Paidi is in the 8th grade at JRT. His favorite food is chicken quesadillas. Initial D is his favorite movie. Sukumar's favorite book is Maze Runner. His hobbies include playing tennis, wrestling, biking, and playing around with toy cars. He races go-carts. Sukumar goes to India every year for a month. He is in the Chess Club and Beta at JRT. His favorite subject is Science and he enjoys Coach Montford's class because he teaches in crazy ways that helps remember the information. His favorite thing about JRT are the teachers. When he was little he wanted to become a race car driver, but knows that is never going to happen. Now he wants to become a psychiatrist specializing in brain disorders like his dad. The person he admires the most is Ben Carson because he saves so many lives with his surgeries.

Olivia Allen is in the 6th grade. She enjoys running. Her favorite subject is Science and enjoys Coach Carter's class because he makes learning fun. Her favorite food is blueberries. Olivia's favorite book is The Luck of Texas McCoy. Spirit is her favorite movie. The person she admires the most is her family and friends. When she grows up she wants to become a nurse.



Ian Moyer enjoys hunting, and playing baseball and tennis. He loves going to Panama City Beach for vacation. His favorite book is Divergent. Jackie Robinson is his favorite movie. Ian's favorite food is homemade fried chicken. His favorite things about JRT are sports, connections, and lunch. He is a part of FCA and FBLA. When he grows up he wants to become a professional baseball player. The person he admires the most is Mike Robbins because he pushes me to be a better person and baseball player.

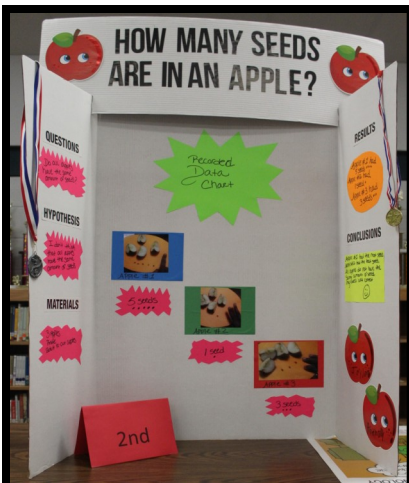
# Teacher of the Year

*Mrs. Portia Anderson*

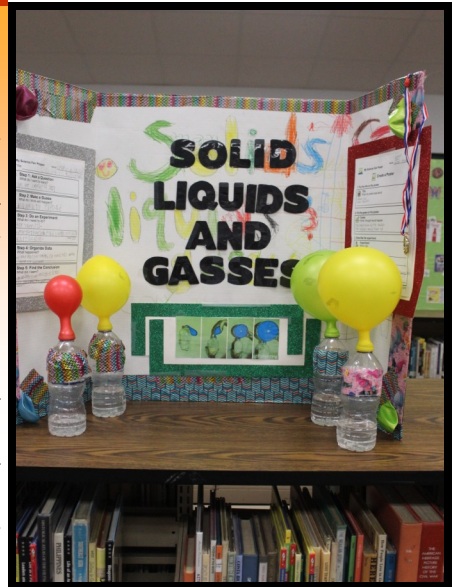




# System Wide Small Group Science Fair



The students in small group classes worked hard to develop science fair projects. They learned the scientific method and had a great time in the process! JRT Middle School hosted all the classes and invited the others to set up their projects in the media center. The Middle school students served refreshments and entertained the students with games. Not only did they practice their science skills, they worked on life skills by planning an event, managing their resources and hosting. Their social skills were also in play as not only did their peers come, so did administrators, parents, and BOE leaders. Judges included Coach Carter and Coach Montford. Two of JRT's students won 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places. Jaylan Anthony won 2<sup>nd</sup> and Lane Mimbs won 3<sup>rd</sup>! The first place winner was from the High School. We are especially proud of all the participants. All students and teachers had such a wonderful experience that this will become an annual event!



The Chess Team brought home the gold again this year. Out of 56 players, 9 of the top 11 finishers were students from J. R. Trippe. Individual winners were Sukumar Paidi (1st Place), Connor Higgs (2nd Place), and Alexander MuzaFarov (3rd Place)



We are so proud of these students and so thankful for the parents that have invested in their future! Congratulations to the 2019-2020 REACH Scholars for signing their commitment contract for an amazing future. Paradyse Jacobs, Adelyn Williams, Deserae Lumley, Antonio Aguilar, J'Da Bacon, and Kynzyerra McGee.







# Christmas Concert

