



JENNINGS HIGH SCHOOL'S **COLLEGE CONNECTION**

MAY EDITION
Dayle Burgdorf, Principal

The **College Connection** is a bulletin concerning programming, colleges, important testing information, and general announcements. Please contact Ms. Adams, Ms. Jones or Ms. Meads with any questions.

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Congratulations Class of 2013



COMMENCEMENT **Friday, May 24th, 2013**

CHAIFETZ ARENA– St. Louis University
7:00 PM



General Announcements

Monday-Friday:

Counselors are available by appointment. Please see Ms. Fowler, our registrar, to schedule yours today.

Daily Announcements:

Please listen to the daily announcements during the beginning of 3rd hour. There is always very important information and possible changes regarding our school day, graduation, prom, and other activities.

Monday-Friday: Stars and Heroes

After school activities are available for all students interested in dance, theater, art, computer applications, sports and tutoring. Please see Ms. Halk to sign up.

Tutoring:

Homework Central is now in conjunction with Stars and Heroes' after school activities.
Please see Ms. Halk to sign up.

Career and Technical Education Program

Spring classes in Construction and Nursing began March 4, 2013.
Please see your counselor for more details as you prepare your schedule for the 2013-14 school year.
Mrs. Miranda Avant-Elliott, Consultant for Career and Technical Education

Senior Exit Survey

Please take a moment to complete the senior exit survey located on Jennings' website at:
Click Here to Take the Senior Exit Survey by May 17, 2013: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZPQ3ZJN>

Scholarship Information
Congratulations Jennings' Class of 2013
Scholarship offers total as of May- **Over \$1,600,000**

Congratulations to **Na'ana Wilson** - recipient of the Black Student Union Scholarship in cooperation w/Nelly through Lindenwood University.

- ♦ Amount: **Full Ride**

Congratulations to **Landon Jordan** - recipient of a National ROTC Scholarship and will be attending Jackson State University.

- ♦ Amount: **Full Ride**

The Press Club Metropolitan St. Louis and Journalism Foundation Scholarships

- ♦ Amount: Varies
- ♦ Students must major in journalism, Media Communications or related field.
- ♦ Deadline: May 4th, 2013
- ♦ See Ms. Smith for an application.

Please visit Ms. Smith, our college adviser, for more scholarship information. Also, visit <http://jenningsk12.org> and click on departments to find more scholarship information.

Contact **Ms. Smith** at 314 653-8142 or smitha@jenningsk12.org

DON'T MISS OUT!!! THERE IS STILL TIME TO APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

For a more extensive list of scholarships and college readiness information,
visit Jennings' website at: <http://www.jenningsk12.org/?>

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Graduation from Jennings High School requires students to meet the State of Missouri requirement of 24 units prior to graduation day.

- 1. Graduating seniors must maintain a minimum of 93% overall attendance each year, grades 9-12.**
- 2. Graduating seniors must have met all credit requirements based on the career path each student chose. Any correspondence courses taken by a senior must be completed a month prior to scheduled graduation date.**
- 3. The minimum graduation requirement for the graduating class of 2013 is 24 credit hours in the proper academic areas.**

See senior counselor, Ms. Adams, should you have questions.

By appointment through Ms. Fowler.

SENIOR ANNOUNCEMENTS

SENIOR ACTIVITIES-TENTATIVE DATES

May-3 -All correspondence courses must be completed & turned into Guidance Office.

May 6 -Senior Luncheon tickets on sale (Cost approximately \$20.00)

May 13- Deadline to purchase Senior Luncheon tickets

May 16 & 17 -Graduation cap & gown distribution (students take cap & gown home & HANG IT UP!)

May 17 - Senior Luncheon at Catering To You Banquet Center 10:30 -1:30pm

May 20 - Six Flags Tickets money due \$15.00

May 20 & 21- Senior Finals

May 22-Senior Six Flags Day 8:30 am

May 22 - Senior Fines are due

May 24 - Commencement rehearsal 4:00 pm. All students participating in Commencement must attend rehearsal. Rehearsal will be at Chaifetz Arena

May 24 -Commencement - 7:00 pm Chaifetz Arena St. Louis University



Jennings High School graduation will take place Friday, May 24, 2013. This year's event will be held at Chaifetz Arena and begins at 7p.m.

For more information contact Jennings High School at 314-653-8100, or Principal Dayle Burgdorf at dburgdorf@jenningsk12.org.

Order your cap and gown, TODAY!

Congratulations to
May's Senior of the
Month:
Juaneisha
White

Visit Jennings School District's College and Career Readiness websites:

<http://jennings.k12.org>

Look under departments and click on the [college readiness](#) or [career readiness](#) links for helpful information.

Senior Seminar May Updates:

Students are preparing to enter into their post-secondary career fields by completing cover letters and resumes, applying for jobs, job shadowing, and creating custom-made pennants for Decision Day on May 17. Several professionals have visited Senior Seminar, imparting invaluable career advice on each student, including Officer Davenport, the school's resource officer, Herman Barnes, former police captain and Jennings Councilman, and members of the Urban League Young Professionals organization. We are also expecting visits from law enforcement officers and attorneys from the city's juvenile detention center this month. Additionally, all students have engaged in financial planning lessons, encouraging them to save, invest, and budget their fiscal resources.

Let's Celebrate
Jennings'

ACT 21 and Up Club:

Juaneisha White
Bryant Wesley
Raven Desoto
Jasmine DeHart
Jessica DeHart
Darrell Green
Darius Neal
Antonio Daniels-Brazier
Prince Lyons
Trevon Buckner
Brandon Grigsby
Courtney Stockard

A+ Program

A+ Scholars: Students are giving back to their Jennings' community by committing at least 50 hours of unpaid tutoring and mentoring to elementary-aged students as well as their peers after school.

Contact: Dr. Hill, Seminar Teacher,
A+ Community Service Coordinator
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