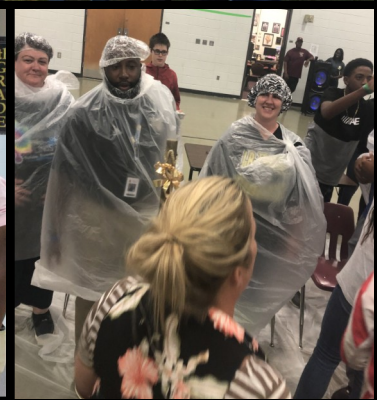


October 2019

J R TRIPPE

Chief Talk

Homecoming 2019





The J. R. Trippe Middle School Competition Cheer Team began their 2019 season by placing second place behind Savannah Christian in the West Laurens Raider Invitational in September. They continued their success by placing first at the Sweet Onion Classic Invitational this past weekend at Vidalia High School. There were eight teams in their division. The team will compete on Saturday, October 19, 2019 at the Falcon Frenzy Invitational at East Laurens High School.



Congratulations to Zoey Alvarez and Andrew Norfleet who were selected for the 2019-2020 GaDOE Superintendent Student Advisory Council.

Congratulations to Reagan Burton, our recently crowned 2019 Junior Miss Hobachee.



Coach Korn teaches Health & PE at JRT and is the head baseball coach at VHS. He graduated from Armstrong State University with a Health & PE Degree. He obtained his master's in leadership from Georgia Southern University. He is married to Janet and they have two children, Tyler and Morgan, and one granddaughter, Payson Layne who is 20 months. His favorite food is pizza and he enjoys reading in his spare time. He decided to become a teacher to be able to coach and be a positive influence on students. He believes teaching is about building relationships with students, knowing them, and understanding what they are coming from. The person he admires the most is his Papa because he treated everybody the same, and knew no stranger.



Mrs. Anderson is married to Veteran Staff Sgt. David Anderson and they have two children, Heather and David. She teaches 7th grade Math and has been teaching for 20 years. Her teaching philosophy is to find the weakness in a student and make it his/her strength. She thinks a challenge as a teacher is when you know the students' capabilities and they don't show their full strength. She is this year's Teacher of the Year at JRT. Her favorite food is Japanese or Thai. She loves the GA Dawgs, and her favorite movie is Top Gun. The person she admires the most is her mom because she is her best friend and is always there when she needs someone. She has shown her how to overcome hardships in life.



Lawson Simpkins is in the 6th grade. His favorite food is chicken alfredo and his favorite book is Harry Potter's Secret Chamber. He enjoys playing football and wrestling. Science is his favorite subject. He likes Coach Carter because he is very nice and funny. Wendell likes all the sports at JRT. When he grows up he wants to become an Olympic wrestler. Some cool facts about Wendell are that he is a good flipper, and loves playing with his two dogs.

Germannick Durham enjoys playing football and baseball. His favorite thing about JRT is seeing his friends. His favorite food is pizza. Spiderman is his favorite movie. Mrs. Anderson is his favorite teacher, and science is his favorite subject. Germannick is in the 7th grade. When he grows up he wants to become an NFL player. The person he admires the most is his grandma because they have been through a lot together.



Jameson Rolan is an 8th grader and is a part of the Beta Club and Technology Student Association. He enjoys playing tennis, soccer, traveling and cooking. His favorite subject is social studies. Coach Montford is his favorite teacher because he is funny, kind, and has a fun and unique teaching style. His favorite things about JRT are the teachers and staff, they are really nice and helpful. Jameson's favorite vacation is traveling to Costa Rica. Crab Legs is his favorite food. His favorite book is the Divergent Series. San Andreas is his favorite movie. The person he admires the most is his mom because she is really nice, smart and has a fun personality. When he grows up, he wants to become a physical therapist.

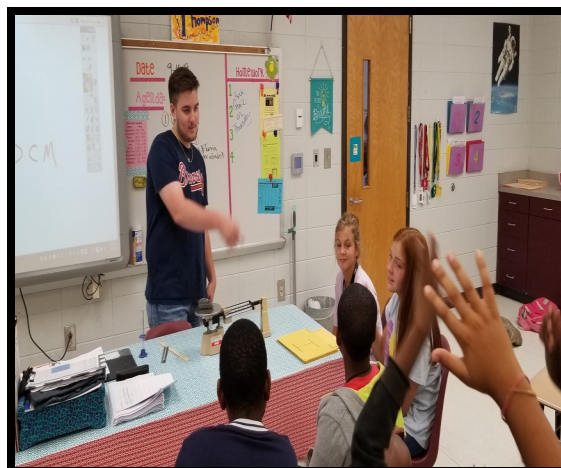


Congratulations to these Chiefs for being voted by their 8th grade peers to represent JRT on the homecoming court.. Adam Alderman, Dugan Johnson, Jacaree Washington, Antonio Barron, Andrew Norfleet, Bralie Carey, Emma Vinson, Cristal Franklin, Anika Jackson, and Paradyse Jacobs.

TAP students from VHS come each day to help our teachers and work with our

students. Tyler is a Senior at VHS who is participating in the TAP program. He is

teaching kids about how scientists use a triple beam balance to measure mass during 6th grade Tribal Time.



The Lady Chiefs Softball Team finished up their season in 4th place. They finished the season with a record of 11-6.



The Cross Country team traveled to Bleckley County October 8 for the Region Championship. The Boys brought home 4th place finish with the team of Roderick Berry, Dakota Brannon, Abrien Anthony, Justus Gabbard, Jack Godbee, Ryker Hyers and Eben Glaser. The stand out performer was first year runner, Roderick Berry who placed 17th overall with a time of 14:06. Dakota and Abrien were just behind Roderick, narrowly missing the awards stand. The girls had three runners that completed finishing up their season with solid times, Deserae Lumley, Olivia Allen and Justice Cook.