



Well at Wooden...

February
2026



February Dates to Remember

- Feb 2-6 ■ Candy Grams for sale @ lunch
- Feb 7 ■ ISSMA Solo/Ensemble
- Feb 10&11 ■ Musical auditions



Please donate to our JRW Pack Away Hunger program by clicking [HERE](#).

JRW PARENT COUNCIL MEETING

6 p.m. • Monday, Feb. 9 • JRW Library

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JRW PARENT COUNCIL PRESENTS

JOHN R WOODEN MIDDLE SCHOOL
VALENTINE'S DANCE

THURSDAY FEB. 12 TH

6 to 7:30 p.m.

ADMISSION IS \$5
BRING \$\$\$ FOR CONCESSIONS

WEAR VALENTINE COLORS
HAVE YOUR RIDE PICK YOU UP PROMPTLY AT 7:30

@ JRW GYM

ROBOTICS

On Saturday, Jan. 17, the JRW robotics team traveled with the MHS robotics team to their first competition at Bloomington High School South. They competed against 38 other teams, most of them high schoolers. Two of JRW's three teams made it past the qualification matches into the finals.

CANDY GRAMS

For sale Feb 2-6 for \$1
(Ring Pop + Hershey Kisses)
Will be delivered Feb 13
during Success

MRS. FLOYD'S LUNCH GROUP

Tuesday, Feb. 17
Lunch A, B, & C – Rm 11
Pick up your food in the cafeteria and join us!

KINDNESS AMBASSADORS

Wednesday, Feb. 4 & 11
Library Conference Room
after announcements

Follow us on Social Media

Please follow our social media accounts for news, information, and daily activities happening at John R. Wooden Middle School. Click on the icons, and you will be directed to our pages!



The JRW Clinic is in need of SWEATPANTS. Donations appreciated.

FEBRUARY CALENDAR

at a glance

View the full school calendar [here](#).

Wednesday, February 4

→ 6 p.m. Swim/Dive @ MHS

Friday, February 6

→ Midterm

Saturday, February 7

→ ISSMA Instrumental Solo/Ensemble
→ 9 a.m. 7/8 Girls Basketball Morgan Co Tournament @ Monrovia MS

Monday, February 9

→ 6 p.m. 7/8 Girls Basketball @ JRW
→ 6 p.m. Parent Council

Tuesday, February 10

→ 2:30 p.m. Musical Auditions Day #1

Wednesday, February 11

→ Midterms posted on Skyward
→ 2:30 p.m. Musical Auditions Day #2
→ 5:30 p.m. Wrestling @ JRW

Thursday, February 12

→ 6 p.m. Swim/Dive @ MHS
→ 6 to 7:30 Valentine's Dance @ JRW

Tuesday, February 17

→ Club photos for yearbook
→ Musical Rehearsals begin
→ 5:30 p.m. 7/8 Girls Basketball @ JRW

Wednesday, February 25

→ 5:30 p.m. 7/8 Girls Basketball @ JRW

Thursday, February 26

→ 5:30 p.m. 7/8 Girls Basketball @ JRW

ABSENCES-DISMISSALS-APPOINTMENTS

To report an absence, to change dismissal, or if you are picking up your student for an appointment, please call the attendance office before 2 p.m. at 765-342-6628 and choose option #1.

JRW Athletic Event Prices

Adults \$6
Students \$3

JRW YOUTH, LEADERSHIP CLUB LEARNS LOCAL GOVERNMENT

On Jan. 12, the Youth and Leadership Club learned more about how our local government runs and operates. Mack Porter, the mayor's executive assistant, gave the students a tour of the historic city hall and introduced them to Mayor Kenny Costin. Then they sat in on and were recognized at both the Board of Works and Common Council meetings. During the Common Council meeting, they witnessed the swearing in of the new police chief and deputy police chief as well as the election of several common council appointments and positions.



L to R: Sophia Ennis, Violet Leitzman, Hunter Ennis, and Martinsville Mayor Kenny Costin pictured in the Council Chambers at City Hall.



CONGRATULATIONS DECEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

L to R Kensley Freed (7), Lillian Bunton (8), Elijah Cook (8), and Eli Chamberlain (7)

JRW CANDY BAR FUNDRAISER

The JRW Candy Bar Fundraiser will be February 27 through March 13. The funds from the sale directly support our students and school programs. Students will have the opportunity to win prizes for their efforts.

This is our major fundraiser of the year; so please help support John R. Wooden Middle School by encouraging your student to participate and by helping them plan safe and responsible selling. Thanks in advance for your support!



Student Services

Student's last name A-L: [Jayne Mertz](#)

Student's last name M-Z: [Lisa O'Neal](#)

Social Worker: [Janelle Floyd, LCSW](#)

Student Handbook – An electronic version is available on our [school website](#) under the Home tab or at [John R. Wooden Student Handbook](#)

JRWMS OFFICE INFO

7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday
(765) 342-6628

PRINCIPAL Fred Kutruff

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL Adam Peterson

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR Mike Johnson

COUNSELORS Jayne Mertz and Lisa O'Neal

SOCIAL WORKER Janelle Floyd