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Dear Parent / Guardian:

PYRAMID OF SUCCESS: The following students are to be congratulated for completing a minimum of 180 assignment points during the second 6 week grade reporting period of the Fall 2010 semester and earning the Gold Honor Roll award: *Alejandra Reyes, Mark Domingo, Vicky Manzo-Garcia, Cassandra Villegas, K'Lynn Mackey, Brian Carcamo, Antonela Panella, Richard Mai, Vasilis Tsangaris, Brenda Aguilar, Valerie Montano, Jorge Sanchez, and Jessica Reyes.*

OUTSTANDING STUDENT: *Alejandra Reyes* has been selected as the JRWHS outstanding student for the first 6-week grade reporting period. She completed over 270 assignment points, demonstrated excellent attendance and exemplary citizenship.

All students earning the Pyramid of Success recognition and the Outstanding Student recognition were invited to participate with the Leadership class, Mr. Trapani, and Mrs. Jepson in a screening of the movie "*The Green Hornet*" at the Northridge Theaters.

SCHOOL BUSINESS:

SCHOOL START TIME: **School begins at 8:00 am.** All students need to be in a classroom as soon as they are clocked in. Parent/Guardians will be notified for excessive tardiness.

ABSENCE NOTES: Students are required to provide written notification for all absences. These notes are to be turned into the Main Office upon their return. Unexcused absences are considered truancy until a written note has been submitted clearing the absence.

NIGHT SCHOOL/INTERVENTION: Tuesday evenings from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm. All JRWHS students are invited to attend. Take advantage of this opportunity to get extra assistance from staff, work with classmates, and/or take advantage of our technology. **All students must clock in and clock out in the Main Office.**

NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION: Every Tuesday evening from 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm in Room 4. Any student interested in learning more about our school should attend this meeting prior to enrollment. This meeting is informational only; it does not guarantee acceptance into JRWHS.

STUDENT PROGRESS: Your student's progress can be viewed on a daily basis by going to www.jrwhs.com and clicking Student Progress. There you can view daily attendance and weekly point totals. In addition, teachers often will make comments, make class announcements and/or reminders.

JRWHS SWEATSHIRTS: Will be made available for purchase for \$35.00. This year's sweatshirts will have a special, embroidered insignia honoring our beloved John R. Wooden 1910-2010. Please contact the Main Office to place your order.

SCHOOL REMINDERS: English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC), Compensatory Education Advisory Committee (CEAC), and School Site Council (SSC) meetings are held every second Tuesday of each month. The ELAC meeting begins at 5:00 pm, CEAC meeting begins at 6:00 pm, and the SSC meeting begins at 7:00 pm. All meetings will take place in Room 4. We invite and encourage all parents/guardians and community members to attend.

STUDENTS RUN LOS ANGELES (SRLA): Congratulations to the following JRWHS family members for all their hard work in preparation for the Honda Los Angeles Marathon XXVI: *Julio Galvez, Abednego Jaimes, Eddie Maldonado, Buddy Williams, Richard Mai, Ms. Dow, and Mrs. Papu.* Up next is the SRLA Friendship 18 Miler...GOOD LUCK!!!

JRWHS AMBASSADORS: Our partnership with Lull Special Education Center has been an incredible experience for all those involved. Thank you to the following students for being such outstanding representatives for our school and community: *Abednego Jaimes, Arnold Torres, David Arnel, Eric Varner, Evan Johnson, Jannette Garcia, Jonas Eisenberg, Kezzy Jaictin, Lacey Reynolds, Leonela Panella, Madeline Huertas, Tyler Bulpitt, and Vasilis Tsangaris.*

SAVE THE FARM: The JRWHS Farm is in great need of your assistance, please contact the Main Office for more details on how you can help. We look forward to building new family/community partnerships that will assist us with the maintenance and operations of the JRWHS Farm.

Donations are graciously accepted throughout the year. If you would like to make a donation to "Save the Farm" please contact the Main Office.

THANK YOU: To the Leadership class for organizing our outstanding school activities. The Winter Holiday Feast was excellent and greatly enjoyed by everyone. Your leadership skills and hard work were showcased and much appreciated.

THANK YOU: To the RESCATE Crew for their participation and hard work assisting with the annual food drive on November 22 and the toy drive on December 17 for families less fortunate. These students participated in these bighearted activities while being on vacation from school. Thank you again to...*Mora Azimi, Noemi Salazar, Abednego Jaimes, Vishal Roy, Leonela Panella, Antonela Panella, Ingrid Tetlalco, Alberto Martinez, Waldo Barrientos, Diego Olandez, David Arnel, Lacey Reynolds, Angela Garcia, Eric Varner, Madeline Huertas, Ashley Gonzalez, Nancy Gutierrez, Vasilis Tsangaris, Tyler Bulpitt, and Jonathan Garcia.* They were joined by alumni students *Ron Gomez* and *Arnold Torres* and JRWHS teachers *Ms. Jepson* and *Mr. Trapani.*

CALENDAR:	January 17	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – NO SCHOOL
	January 21	Gold Honor Roll Activity#2
	February 1-2	CAHSEE Testing
	February 4	New Student Brunch
	February 8	ELAC (5:00PM) / CEAC (6:00PM) / SSC (7:00PM) Meetings
	February 14	1 st Day of Second Semester
	February 21	President's Day – NO SCHOOL
	March 8-9	CAHSEE Testing
	March 8	ELAC (5:00PM) / CEAC (6:00PM) / SSC (7:00PM) Meetings
	March 13	Day Light Savings Time
	April 1	Cesar Chavez Day – NO SCHOOL
	April 18-22	Spring Break – NO SCHOOL