

PJH RED RIBBON WEEK OCTOBER 23-27

Monday - **Red day** – “Red-y to live a drug free life” - We are having our “make-up” Panther Challenge play-day that got rained out last spring in the morning. 9:00- 11:30 am. Students may wear basketball shorts or any other shorts that are finger tip length.

Tuesday - **Purple day** – “Don’t be Mean on Screen” – anti-bullying, cyber bullying day - We have a presentation from the Wise County Juvenile Probation office regarding Apps and Safe use of phones, technology – all classes 8th period assembly. **Because this is a subject that some parents may feel their child is not quite ready for, we will have a presentation for parents only on Tuesday, October 17 in the Junior High Cafeteria. During this presentation parents will view the same program we will be showing students. If you do not wish for your child to view the program, there is an “opt out” form attached. Please fill it out and return it to the Junior High office prior to October 24. There will also be forms available at the “parents only” night.**

Wednesday – **mis-matched clothing day** –“Don’t let Drugs Mix You Up” - “Mix it up” at lunch (this is an activity where kids sit with different people at lunch and learn about each other)

Thursday – **College Day** - wear your favorite college spirit wear – “My Future is bright drug free” We will have college presentations in each class period from teachers – the first 10-15 minutes of each class period, teachers will share information about their alma mater with students. There will be a Jeffrey Dean presentation along with the high school students. See “opt-out” form attached.

Friday – **Panther Spirit day** - “team up against drugs”

Opt-Out For Sexting Program and Jeffrey Dean

The sexting program presented by the Wise County Juvenile Probation Office educates students on what the laws are for sexting, what can happen to them if they get caught sexting and what happens to the picture once it is sent out. It covers the long-term consequences of what it can be like for the sender once the picture is spread across the school and or Internet. This includes photos sent on apps such as Snap Chat and Instagram.

There will be a "parent only" program Tuesday October 17 at 6:00 in the Junior High Cafeteria. This will be the same program that will be presented to the students during Red Ribbon Week.

If you choose for your child to "opt-out" of the program, please complete the section below and return it to the Junior High office no later than 2:00 PM on October 24. If you choose for your child to "opt-out" of this program, they will be given an alternative activity during that time.

I choose for my child _____ to "opt-out" of the sexting program that will be presented at Paradise Junior High on Tuesday October 24, 2017.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Jeffrey Dean is a Christian speaker, ordained pastor, counselor, and author. He is one of the most in-demand, top motivational speakers for in the country. Jeffrey founded Jeffrey Dean Ministries in 1993. Since then, he has spoken to more than 3 million throughout our nation's churches, universities, conferences, prisons, and public schools. With 24+ years of experience communicating to teens, college students, and their families, Jeffrey has a pulse on this generation, their challenges and needs. Jeffrey has written for Stand Firm Magazine and writes regularly for several magazines and blogs, including Direction and Horizon, pluggedinparenting.com and, JD's official blog, jeffreydeanblog.com.

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I choose for my child _____ to "opt-out" of the Jeffrey Dean program that will be presented at Paradise Junior High on Thursday October 26, 2017.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____