

JBS NEWS

FROM THE DESK OF JULIA BROWN

Welcome to the **50th** anniversary school year of the Julia Brown Schools. This is truly a momentous occasion and one that my late husband Charlie and I dared not dream would happen. But it has and for that we thank our wonderful staff and parents who have been with us all these years.

While Charlie is no longer with us, his spirit and drive certainly are. This is further manifested in the enormous contribution that our daughters Theresa and Ellen make on a daily basis.

In celebrating this occasion we have been fortunate to have been featured in a number of publications. For this Desk of Julia Brown I would like to share this article from Washington Family – see enclosed.



CALENDAR

September

9/19

Share Your Class Night
- Laurel

9/20

Share Your Class Night
- Silver Spring

9/22

Fall Celebration

9/26

Share Your Class Night
- Columbia

9/27

Share Your Class Night
- Olney

October

10/9

JBS CLOSED

Columbus Day

10/10

In-Class Observations
begin

FROM OUR JUNIOR CLASS

Our Juniors spent part of their summer learning about and writing Newsletters.

This new section in our Monthly newsletter will be written by our Junior students starting with our October issue.

They will use this section to tell you about news from their classes, explain their Montessori materials and more.

*“Within the child lies the fate of the future.” -
Maria Montessori*

REMINDERS

Share Your Class Night is at the end of September. This is an opportunity for your child to show you his/her classroom firsthand. Classrooms will be open from 5-6 pm on the designated day for your location.

Please label all of your child’s belongings. In an effort to make sure that your child returns home each evening with his/her items, please write their name on everything that comes to school.

Seasonal Celebrations: JBS celebrates the seasons in lieu of holiday parties. Sign-up sheets will be posted for your child’s in- classroom celebration.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT



Ms. Moreland is our Junior Directress in the Laurel School. She has been with JBS just shy of 8 years. Ms. Moreland holds her Bachelor Degree in Elementary Education and holds her Montessori certifications in both the Primary/ Kindergarten as well as the Lower Elementary.

Ms. Moreland has a passion for her work and many families through the years have noted this back to the Administration. Ms. Moreland enjoys creating detailed lessons for her students ranging from Art History to understanding our Solar System. Her students have enjoyed making models, researching and presenting their newly learned facts.

Under Ms. Moreland’s lead, the Laurel Junior room is off to a bright and steadfast year!