



## ***JDHS News Stories for 1/3/20***

- **Did you know that January is National Blood Donor Month? Or that 1 in 7 patients entering a hospital have a need for blood? Or that MORE than 34,000 units must be collected from volunteers every day to satisfy emergency blood needs? Or that LESS than 10% of Americans who are eligible to donate actually DO – but YOU can help us change that statistic! Our January Blood Drive is NEXT WEEK!! Friday, January 10th from 9:30-3:30 – See ANY JSA member to sign up NOW or during all lunches, or stop by and see Mrs. Cokeing in Room 219 for an appointment time and a 16-year-old consent form.**
- **The Winter Band Concert is Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup> at 7PM. All band members should return their permission slips by January 3<sup>rd</sup>. Thank you to all the musicians for their ongoing hard work.**
- **Attention all students your dreams are finally coming true! PIE YOUR TEACHER IS UNDERWAY! The lucky contestants this month are Mrs. Chomko and Mrs. Cokeing. If you would like to see one of these teachers get a face full of pie the Senior board will be walking around with two jars collecting money. Put your money in the jar of the teacher you would**

**like to see get a face full of pie. You can donate anything from a penny to \$1,000,000. At the end of the month the teacher that has more money will be pied by the teacher that has less money. This event will be filmed and put on the morning news for you all to see. So, crack open those piggy banks and find a Senior board member, or Mrs. Mortensen, to cast your vote!**

- **Any female student interested in participating in the exciting field of cybersecurity is invited to sign up to participate with Girls Go CyberStart. Girls Go CyberStart is an interactive online program designed to introduce high school girls to cybersecurity. Students will learn disciplines such as cryptography, digital forensics, open source intelligence, and many more by completing challenges and games. As you level up, you could help our team qualify for the National Championship on April 23rd-24th, which is an invite-only competition where 4 girls from each team compete in an online Capture the Flag competition against other qualifying teams nationwide. Winning teams will be awarded prizes, along with recognition from their state governor. If you are interested in joining, please see Ms. Powers or Mr. Silva.**
- **The JDHS Volunteer Club's Annual Coat Drive is up and running. If you would like to make a donation, the bin is located in the Main Office. The coat drive accepts new and gently used coats, winter gear and boots. If you are in need of community service hours and would like to volunteer your time, we could always use your help! Please see Mrs. Mortensen or Mrs. Gutierrez for more information.**