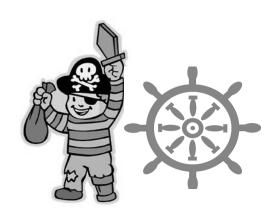
## STEER CLEAR OF DRUGS! DON'T GET HOOKED!





Our third, fourth and fifth grade classes are participating in a Red Ribbon Week poster contest!

Prizes will be awarded to students at each grade level for the top posters that meet the contest requirements and send a clear anti-drug message.

Students will receive instructions for the poster contest in class during the week of October 5th.

Posters are due October 22nd.

"Draw yer 'art out, matey!"

## The Red Ribbon Story: why we celebrate

The first nationwide Red Ribbon Campaign was organized and held in 1988 to commemorate the ultimate sacrifice made by DEA Agent, Enrique "Kiki" Camarena, who was killed by drug traffickers while on assignment in Mexico. Since that time, Red Ribbon Week has been celebrated every year to honor Camarena and all people who have died in the battle against the illegal drug trade. No other single drug prevention movement has had such an impact on so many lives.

We encourage students to lead healthy, drug free lives by making good choices. Our celebration week at school will include educational, charitable, and even some silly activities as a reminder that it is more fun to be drug free!

## **RED RIBBON RAFFLE CONTINUES!**

We will have a red ribbon raffle to help fund our own school food pantry. Students earn one entry into our daily drawing for each dollar donated. For example, if a student donates \$10, they will get ten chances in the drawing. Names will be drawn daily and winners announced to come choose from the Pirate's treasures! Donations are tax deductible and checks may be made out to the Jefferson Elementary Student Assistance Fund or you may also send Kroger gift cards. Ms. Brown will gladly accept prize donations too! Thank you so much for helping!

Monday, October 26	Tuesday, October 27	Wednesday, October 28	Thursday, October 29	Friday, October 30
KICK OFF RRW! Sock it to drugs! Wear silly socks and/or shoes to kick off Red Ribbon Week events!	USE YOUR HEAD AND DON'T USE DRUGS! Wear a hat or hair accessory and don't lose your head to drugs!	DRUG FREE IS COOL! LET'S ROCK IT OLD SCHOOL! It's the 50th day of school, so wear rocking styles of the 50's, 60's, 70's, 80's or 90's!	FOR DRUG FREE! Wear your HOG GEAR or any red athletic gear	GET HOOKED ON READING AND NOT ON DRUGS! It's AR day at Jefferson—so dress like a pirate and get hooked on books!