## **BULLDOG BEACON**



**Fantastic Teeth** Jefferson Masonic Lodge #38 recently provided toothbrush kits for First Grade Students at Jefferson Elementary School. This service is a part of the Fantastic Teeth Fan Club from the Masonic Home and School of Texas. JES Nurse Brandy Music and Jefferson High School students Caitlyn Sharp and Alexus Thomason reminded students how important it is to take care of their "fantastic teeth." Toothbrush kits contain a toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss and a 2-minute timer. Pictured with First Graders are (L to R): Mr. Cotton Hampton, Brandy Musick, RN, Caitlyn Sharp, Alexus Thomason, Mr. Buddy Rich, and Mr. Harrold



## **Animal Friends**

Friends of Marshall Animals recently held a coloring contest. Jefferson **Elementary School First Grade winners** are (pictured L to R) Kaely Shockley -

1st Place, Bentlie Bonner - 2nd Place and Emma Naquin - 3rd Place. They are pictured with (L to R) Bridget Fugler and Amy Owens from Friends of Marshall Animals.



May 18, 2019 at the ITHS Auditorium Starts at 7pm

## **New Jefferson High School Bass Fishing Team Is Tops**

After winning top honors in the Ultimate High School Fishing Circuit Competition, the newly launched Jefferson High School bass fishing team is actively looking for a sponsor and recruiting new members.

And if you're wondering if it's worth getting involved on any level, you bet it is!

With the lakes around Jefferson providing a perfect venue for bass fishing, there are many families in the area that have produced highly skilled fishermen. Their enthusiasm prompted Jefferson High School to launch a Bass Association earlier this year.

Not only did the new club score a total tournament win out of five, but two club members, Logan Bonner and Jacob Ray, clinched Angler of the Year after being placed first in points for six of the seven months during the recent bass fishing season. As a result, they won a new Skeeter boat and college scholarships.

This week four of the new bass fishing club's other founding members chatted to the Jefferson Jimplecute and gave us some insight into the attractions of competitive bass

Like Bonner and Ray, James Rorabach, Trent Foster, Brett Ansley, and Jackson Furlow are all seniors at Jefferson High who have been pretty much fishing their whole lives, if not competitively.

James, who said the biggest fish he's ever caught was a seven-pounder, told us his mother, who is currently president and head person, started the club earlier this year.

Asked what attracted them to the club, the boys were unanimous that it was fun to get out on the water, catch big fish and have a good time. But they were equally adamant that it isn't necessary for participants to have fished their whole lives to enjoy being in the club.

Asked how they would help a total newbie get started, the members said they'd just give them a boat captain and let them fish. He said Chris McGregor had taught them a lot, even though they've all been fishing for quite a while, and admitted they still had a lot to learn.







## **Congratulations**

to the 2019 - 2020 Student Council for Elementary School! They were selected by their peers and will represent Jefferson Elementary School in the community and at special school functions.

Standing (L to R): Mrs. Linda Scott, Counselor/Advisor

**Executive Council Members** 

- Jasiah Williams.
- Jade Mallory
- Layla Neuville, **Cooper Bonner**
- **Aubree Acosta**

Seated (L to R): Secretary

- Jakyi Williams **President Brently Woods** 

Vice President **Xander Kile** 

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