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MEDIA ADVISORY

National Guard Helicopter landing at Lumberg Elementary

A Presentation of the Colorado Joint Counterdrug Task Force Red Ribbon Program

When: Monday, May 11, 2015 at 8:00 a.m.

Where: Lumberg Elementary
6705 W. 22nd Ave.
Edgewater, CO 80214

What: The Colorado Joint Counterdrug Task Force will land a Blackhawk helicopter at Lumberg Elementary as part of the Red Ribbon program to keep kids healthy and drug-free.

Background:

The Colorado Joint Counterdrug Task Force has been flying Blackhawk helicopters to schools as part of the Red Ribbon program since 1998, to reinforce to students the importance of staying healthy and drug-free.

Students will assemble in the schoolyard for the helicopter landing, and help the ground crew direct the helicopter, and grant the pilot permission to land. Then a member of the Drug Enforcement Administration and a Colorado Joint Counterdrug Task Force member will talk to the students about the importance of staying drug-free.

Inclement weather, mechanical, or other problems encountered by the helicopter/ground crews or school, etc. may affect the landing and presentation. As weather or mechanical problems occur the presentation may be moved inside the school or rescheduled.

About Jeffco Public Schools

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future. The district has 155 schools on 168 campuses. Additional information about Jeffco Public Schools can be found at JeffcoPublicSchools.org.

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