

# Bird's Eye Vie



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#### Dates to Remember:

04/03 Kindergarten Registration, 9:00 am-2:00 pm

04/03 Cardinal Conn., Love & Logic, 10:00 am

04/04 Kindergarten Registration, 10:00 am-6:00 pm

04/05 WXW Calendars Due

04/05 Spirit Friday

04/09 April Skate Night

04/10 Encore Registration, 5:00-7:00 pm

04/10 Cardinal Conn., Love & Logic, 10:00 am

04/23 Cardinal Conn., Common Core, 8:45 am

#### **Nutrition Nuggets Fun:** (WCS CSH Newsletter)

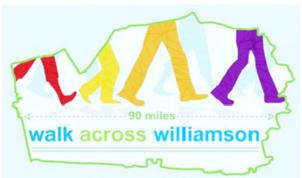
#### Just for fun

**Q:** What gets harder to catch the faster you run?

A: Your breath.



http://www.wcs.edu/csh



**Walk Across Williamson Activity** Contest has come to a close! Please submit ALL calendars to Mrs. Sellers no later than Friday, April 5th! Make sure to count all those activities over Spring Break! Go Team Kenrose!!

#### LAST CHANCE TO ORDER KES RUN CLUB T-SHIRTS

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The T-shirts will be bright yellow, pre-shrunk 100% cotton and are available in youth sizes small - extra-large, as well as adult sizes

The shirts cost \$10 and we will order only what has been paid for. You may order by filling out the form on page 4 with \$10 (checks payable to "Kristen Helou"—I will be charging the shirts) in an envelope in your student's folder. Please mark the envelope "PTO-Kris Helou, Run Club shirts" and I will collect them from the office.

If you have questions, contact Kris at kghelou@yahoo.com or 377.7936.



## **Kindergarten Registration 2013-14**

We are excited to register our Kenrose kindergarten students for the 2013-14 school year! Kindergarten registration at Kenrose will be held on Wednesday, April 3rd, from 9 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Thursday, April 4th, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Following is a list of the items that are required for kindergarten registration in Williamson County Schools.

- Minimum of TWO utility bills (gas, electric, or water for last month prior to enrolling), and
- Photo I.D. (driver's license or passport).
- TENNESSEE CERTIFICATE OF IMMUNIZATION & HEALTH RECORD completed and signed by physician
- PHYSICAL EXAMINATION Must be within a year of entrance to kinder-garten, so on or after August 9, 2012.
- BIRTH CERTIFICATE (CERTIFIED COPY)
- **IF APPLICABLE**, COURT ORDERED PARENTING PLAN INDICATING PRIMARY RESIDENTIAL PARENT. PARENTING PLAN MUST BE SIGNED BY COURT OF-FICIAL AND ALL PARTIES INVOLVED.

PLEASE BRING ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS; COPIES WILL BE MADE AT TIME OF REGISTRATION.

ENROLLMENT IS NOT CONFIRMED UNTIL ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS ARE RECEIVED. CHILDREN MAY NOT ATTEND SCHOOL UNTIL ALL DOCUMENTS ARE RECEIVED AND CONFIRMED.

Questions about kindergarten registration can be directed to Kenrose Attendance Secretary Terri Tidwell at 472-4630 (territ@wcs.edu).

Welcome to Kenrose!

# Cardinal (S) Connection

An outreach of our Counseling Services is offering parent education opportunities for our Kenrose community. The following three programs will be held this spring as part of our "Cardinal Connection" program. Please join us!

APRIL 3RD FROM 10-11:30AM AT THE

BRENTWOOD LIBRARY: LOVE AND LOGIC

INTRODUCTORY WORKSHOP

PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED BY WCS
COUNSELORS: DEB FINCH AND NANCY ROSE.
LOG ON TO THE FOLLOWING LINK TO REGISTER.

APRIL 10TH FROM 10-11:30AM AT THE BRENTWOOD LIBRARY: LOVE AND LOGIC INTRODUCTORY WORKSHOP

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Love and Logic Registration

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Student Name(s)	Teacher		
	Teacher		
Phone	Parent email		
Please indicate the quantity new	eded next to the size you want. Please include \$10 for each shirt ordered (cash or check ı).		
Youth Small	Adult Small		
Youth Medium	Adult Medium		
Youth Large	Adult Large		
Youth x-large	Adult x-large		



# All spirit days are the first Friday of the month Next Date: Friday, April 5th

- Show Your School Spirit By Wearing Your Kenrose Spirit Apparel!!!
  - The Class winner in each grade will receive a special treat
    - Bring in your box tops!

Please send in your Box Tops, Tyson A+ and Campbell Soup Labels on Spirit Days. Remember to put your neatly clipped tops in a ziploc bag with your TEACHERS name on it. This way we can track how many TOPS that each class collects.

Visit <a href="https://www.BoxTops4Education.com">www.BoxTops4Education.com</a> and register your email address to earn extra Box Tops for our school. The website offers great coupons, recipe ideas, and promotions. Support Kenrose and register today!

If you shop online, we can earn even more Box Tops for our school! Please register on the website today and visit the Box Top marketplace. Stores like Target, Gap and Best Buy offer Box Tops when you shop! This is another easy way to earn extra money for our school!

**Every Box Top counts!** 

Collect, submit and show your support on Spirit Days

## Tuesday, April 9th

Kenrose Skate Night

at Brentwood Skate Center
402 Wilson Pike Circle
from 4:30pm to 6:30pm!
Doors open at 4pm....

Admission is \$6 with half going back to Kenrose! Bring your own skates or rent for \$3.

It's Tuesday After School Open Sk8'n Time .. Featuring our Super Awesome Sk8'n Pals from Kenrose!!

Two hours of super-fun for the entire family, and a great way to unwind after school or work ..

And in two hours, a Sk8'er can expend over 600 calories easily, and also enhance her or his agility and balance,

while enhancing the cardio-vascular system like no other indoor sport

Plus, there's plenty of awesome music from selected Top '40 Hits, and enjoyable Sk8'n games and prizes

Plan on coming to play skate games, choose songs, and have fun with your friends from school. Tuesday, April 9th is designated for Kenrose. Sign in with our skate mom, Lori Dawson, at the Kenrose table so your name will go into the drawing for door prizes given near the end of each party and the class with the most attendance will get the Lolly Pop Stand--it will be brought to your classroom and your entire class will receive a treat!

Don't miss the "Roll the Dice" game, races, and limbo on skates.

See you there!





## Information about ENCORE!

Join us this summer as Kenrose presents another summer of fun. On June 10-14 and June 17-21. ENCORE! offers opportunities for children, who will have completed Kindergarten through 4th grades (by the end of the school year), to attend a week-long camp designed to provide exploratory learning experiences based upon individual interests. We hope to ignite and foster a love of learning through challenging, creative, and interactive educational classes.

Camp runs from 8:30am to 3:00pm daily. We begin our morning rally at 8:30am so, drop off begins at 8:15am.

Dismissal begins at 2:50pm.

Each student will attend 5 classes daily. Classes last for 60 minutes and are designed for 7-10 students.

Each day will begin with an exciting rally with various performances.

Students will bring a sack lunch each day.

Parents are welcome to attend a closing assembly on Friday, where students will share their learning, creations and excitement of their accomplishments.

#### **Enrollment Deadlines**

REGISTRATION DATES AND TIMES ARE LISTED BELOW. We will process forms based on the date you register. Class enrollment is on a first come, first serve basis. Payments are due at registration.

Please contact Sandy Stephens (<u>sandys@wcs.edu</u>) or Victoria Skoczen (<u>victorias1@wcs.edu</u>) if you have any questions or require further information.



#### **ENCORE REGISTRATION DAY**

What? Registration Day for Encore summer camp!

Kenrose Elementary will be hosting ENCORE this summer.

This enrichment program will be held at Kenrose Elementary

during the weeks of June 10-14 and June 17-21.

When?

Tuesday, April 2, 2013, 4:00pm-6:00pm

Wednesday, April 10, 2013, 5:00pm-7:00pm

## June 10th - 14th, 2013

#### **High Tech Treasure Hunting**

Treasure hunting has now gone digital in the form of Geocaching! Your child can engage in this rewarding activity as an individual or as a part of a team. Students will problem solving skills and knowledge of geography while partaking in physical exercise. Activities include a review of geocaching basics; the use of a **Global Positioning System** (GPS); use maps, globes, compasses, program a GPS; and document "finds" and "hiding" geocaches.

#### **Power Play Hockey**

Increase your hockey skills through Power Play Hockey! Your child will learn the basics of hockey including how the equipment is used, how to control the puck, different methods of shooting on goal, and the different types of passes. They will also learn positional play, basic rules of the game, sportsmanship, and being a team player. Provide your child with the skills to participate in the fastest growing sport in Nashville!

#### **Artist Workshop 101**

Let your child's creative juices flow with an Art Workshop!

Students will be introduced to art materials such as paints and pastels. They will learn processes such as metal tooling, plaster, printmaking, and action painting. Lastly, they will dabble in clay the first day and bring their creation home at the end of the week. Come prepared to create, and get messy! Art clothes are encouraged.

#### **Bon Appetit!**

Experience the world without leaving the classroom! In Bon Appetit students will experience foods from around the world besides their cultural practices. Students will learn cooking safety, how to prepare simple recipes, and develop an appreciation of different foods. Students will leave with a cook book and craft to bring home reminiscent of their cultural journey.

#### It's Sand-tastic!

Sand is a great medium to work with when creating works of art. Your child will learn about all things sand art including the weathering process that creates the sand to how the final pieces are created. There are three main categories: sand structures,

bottle art, and sand paintings. Students will also learn the history of where and when each art form began. Activities include coloring sand, creating sand bottle art and sand sculptures, sand painting, and decorating plastic jars to function as vases.

#### Making Reading App'en

Throw out the paper and go digital with reading using iPads. In this class students will learn about several reading apps and on-line books. They will learn how to access and navigate digital reading by finding digital sources to find information, and developing a deeper love for reading. They will also create their very own digital book!

#### <u>Dinosaurs</u>

Bring Jurassic Park to life as students are submerged in the world of dinosaurs! Your child will tap into their creative side and imagination as they learn about different dinosaurs and how they lived. They will learn about a Trex to a Stegosaurus and everything in between. Students will even raise their own dinosaur egg and create a dinosaur!

# June 10th - 14th, 2013 (cont.)

#### **Wizards Academy**

Come play in the magical world of Harry Potter in the Wizards Academy! Students will learn magic spells, how to play quidditch, and learn about magical creatures. They may even meet a creature! Lastly, students will learn an appreciation for the environment and animals developed through mythical creatures.

#### <u>A Summer to Remember : Kids</u> <u>Crafts</u>

Commemorate your child's summer by creating keepsakes. Students will learn how to make several products while creating lasting memories while exploring different materials. Crafts may include a memory box, decorating a clip board, patriotic streamers, a push pin board, and a self-reflection collage.

#### <u>Lights...Camera...Action!</u>

Become a videographer for the summer with this technical class. Students will be given an introduction to taking videos. Learn the whole process of taking videos from brainstorming ideas for video concepts, shooting videos, uploading to laptops, and editing them. Students will even publish their videos to a DVD and share with the class at their own Kenrose Film Fest!

#### <u>Paparazzi</u>

Get a new perspective by looking at life behind a lens. In Paparazzi students will be introduced to taking pictures. Students will learn about framing, lighting, and action shots before taking pictures. Next, your child get behind the lens and take indoor and outdoor pictures, proceeding to editing the pictures with different effects. Lastly, students will publish their pictures and show their slideshows with the class.

#### <u>To Infinity and Beyond: Rocket</u> <u>Building</u>

Do you like space, building objects, or dabbling in science? Then this class is for you! Learn how to make model rockets from scratch and how the engine works to propel the rocket through the sky. Build, paint, and launch your very own rocket, and the different uses for rockets through history.

#### **Game Crazy**

Do you go crazy when someone mentions a game night? Well, you can play games for an entire week with this fun class! Games include Go Fish, Crazy Eights, Uno, and Set. Learn the rules, basic strategies, and how to take turns and be a good sport.

#### **Wonders of Wixie**

If math is your idea of a fun summer, than join this digital math class! Learn how to use the basic tools of Wixie and how to apply them to math activities. Explore paint, text boxes, clip art, and voice recording besides completing math activities.

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Students will engage in challenging, but fun exercises through Just Dance videos. It will encourage your child that exercise is good for their heart, mind, and body!

#### The Wonderful World of Legos

Bring out the builder in your child with this interactive class! Students will create lego projects using technology, written directions, pictures, imagination, and team work. They will even learn to build a Nashvilian building and create a large project as a team.

#### **Beading And Beyond**

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#### **I Heart Art**

Girls, are you ready to start designing your own clothing? Well, this class is for you! Each day you will create a design for an object or clothing for an event. Designs include personality cubes, paper quilled animals, island paradise, wedding party jewelery, and M&M character day.

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Enhance your baseball and swinging skills with this active sport! Learn how to hit the long ball in baseball or softball. Learn techniques and fundamentals of the power swing, and learn exercises that will help put more power in your swing. You will also have the chance to combine all your skills in a whiffle ball game and home run hitting contest!

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# 2013 Encore Registration

Student's Name

School/Current Grade			
Address			
Home Phone			
Email address			
and classes are filled on a first come	rment is expected on the day of registration. Seating is limited, e, first serve basis! (If you are enrolling for both camp weeks, 0.) Checks should be made payable to Kenrose		
Every effort will be made to give yo event this cannot happen.	u your first choices, but you must give alternative choices in the		
June 10-14	June 17 - 21		
First Choices:	First Choices:		
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Alternative Choices:	Alternative Choices:		
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## **ENCORE** Behavior Policy

Students attending ENCORE! are expected to follow all Williamson County School Board policies and Kenrose Elementary rules. Students who do not follow the board policies and school rules are subject to being removed from their ENCORE! classes. Parents will be called to pick up students who continue to be disruptive to the program. If a student is asked NOT TO RETURN to the program, they WILL NOT be given a refund on their tuition. If you have any questions about the behavior policy, please contact Sandy Stephens at <a href="mailto:sandys@wcs.edu">sandys@wcs.edu</a>.

We have read and understand the ENC	CORE! Behavior Policy.
Parent Signature	Date
Student Signature	Date

# Are You a Parent of a Child with Special Needs or Giftedness? Join us for these April 2013 wcsLink events!

#### **Q&A** with Superintendent, Dr. Looney

Thursday, April 25 from 6-7pm

**Franklin High School Library** (Use back entrance near library) 810 Hillsboro Road

Join Superintendent, Dr. Mike Looney as he addresses special education families. He will discuss Williamson County Schools gifted and special education programs and answer parent questions as well.

## **Support Group for Parents of Students with Special Needs**

Tuesday, April 9 from 9:30-11:00 am at Pediatric Therapies

1880 General George Patton Drive, Suite 202 Cool Springs Area in Franklin

This month is open topic and an opportunity for parents to share experiences and resources.

Please contact Shelly Luckett with questions at shelly.wcslink@gmail.com or 794-8067

wcsLink is a parent group that provides support and information to families of children with special needs and giftedness in WCS. We strive to build connections among our families so that we can be resources to each other. Our organization is also an effort between parents and WCS student support services to create a strong partnership between parents and our schools. To learn more about us, visit our website at www.wcslink.org. Sign up here to be on our email list on the enrollment page.

#### **April** 2013 Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday 7 13 14 17 18 21 16 20 23 24 25 26 27 28 TCAP TCAP TCAP

## The Bird's Eye View Newsletter

The Bird's Eye View is sent out every Wednesday during the school year to the email addresses you provided, as well as posted on the Kenrose Elementary website at <a href="http://www.wcs.edu/kes">http://www.wcs.edu/kes</a>. If you need to change or add an email address on our distribution list, please sign—on to the Kenrose PTO Manager website at <a href="http://kenrose.ptomanager.com">http://kenrose.ptomanager.com</a> and update your information. If you have any questions, please contact us at <a href="KenrosePTO@yahoo.com">KenrosePTO@yahoo.com</a>.

#### Bird's Eye View Guidelines:

Our Mission is to make the school newsletter as concise as possible while still providing parents all of the important information they need. We would like to avoid lengthy articles, and instead, include links to the article online if parents need/want more information. Thank You!

- 5 pm Monday is the deadline for submittals to <u>kenrosepto@yahoo.com</u>.
- Submissions should be in Word format, or in the body of an email. Please send a separate file/email for each submission.
- All submissions must be approved by a Board member or Dr. Webb, and copied to Dr. Webb at <u>marilynw@wcs.edu</u>, Jane McGrath, PTO President, at <u>mjmcgrath1010@comcast.net</u>, and Jacqueline Cartailler at <u>kenrosepto@yahoo.com</u>.
- Please limit 1 picture per article.
- Use limited clip art at your discretion.
- No advertisements allowed. Only WCS camps or activities that our students can participate
  in. We can post brief descriptions of an event to our feeder schools with a link to the web
  address for parents to access more information, if needed.

## **Community Event Invitations Extended to Kenrose Students**



ENVIRONMENTAL READING MONTH March 18 - May 3, 2013

This spring, Williamson Recycles is bringing The Environmental Reading Program to area second grade classrooms. Resourceful community volunteer readers and recycle-themed books promote environmental education and life long community pride.

Please contact our office at 615-786-0166 or recycle@williamson-tn.org to schedule a volunteer reader for your students this spring



Email recycle@wiliamson-tn.org www.williamsonrecycles.org

## **Brentwood Library**

**Teach Children to Save Day** is an annual awareness day when Reliant Bank's top banker's come out of their offices to teach young people about the value of saving and how to develop lifelong saving habits. Come and participate in a FREE, informal, drop in/ drop out event where parents and children, grades K-6, can come visit different table stations to learn how to save; savings children's craft, savings lessons, savings read aloud

reading corner, savings family resource table, door prizes, and group tours of the Brentwood Library Children's Library! We will

provide snacks!

**Date:** April 25, 2013 **Time:** 4:30-6:00 pm

**Location:** Children's Storytime Room, Brentwood Library Questions: Amanda Phillips, (615) 371-0090, ext. 8290 or

phillipsa@brentwood-tn.org