



Kenrose Elementary School
1702 Raintree Parkway
Brentwood, Tennessee 37027

Bird's Eye View

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Dates to Remember:

- 04/10 Encore Registration, 5:00-7:00 pm
- 04/10 Cardinal Conn., Love & Logic, 10:00 am
- 04/13 WAW Celebration Event at Pinkerton Park, 9:00 am
- 04/18 General PTO Meeting, 6:20 pm
- 04/18 4th & 5th Grade Choir Concert
- 04/23 Cardinal Conn., Common Core, 8:45 am
- 04/28 Fun Run/ING KiDS Rock Marathon

Nutrition Nuggets Tip: (WCS CSH Newsletter)

Research shows that students who skip breakfast have shorter attention spans and don't do as well on tests. Make sure your youngster gets up in time to have a nutritious breakfast.
<http://www.wcs.edu/csh>



*Congratulations to our Character Award Winners
For TRUSTWORTHINESS!*

Kindergarten: Lauren Barnes, Isabella Marrow, Siena Rustici, Allison Clark, Madeline Welby, Nola O'Sullivan, Alexander Marino

First Grade: Christopher Johnson, Harper Forshee, Molly Luteran, Presley Soto, Gabby Fowler, Jacob Balt, Kathryn Edwards

Second Grade: Carter James, Ava Powenski, Ella Montgomery, Macallister McLaughlin, Haru Sakai, Carter Johnson, Christopher Jones

Third Grade: Levi Seegmiller, Caroline Whetstone, Casey Maloy, Kota Kawanami, Kylee Smith, Griffin White, Lucy Grams

Fourth Grade: Wes Geuther, Madison Smith, Andrew Samide, Lucas Tyson, Jillian McBane, Gabriel LaBrin

Fifth Grade: Taylor Andrews, Joshua Cortez, Savitha Saminathan, Daniel Niter, Emily Vezina

A Very Special Thank You!

Thank you to all of our Parents who have volunteered this year to make all of our events so successful!

The PTO would like to thank the following individuals for going above and beyond in volunteering their time and talents.

Johnna Miller – Thank you for organizing our 1st annual Mother/Son Event and Father/Daughter Dance! **Dee Ann Stone** – Thank you for helping Johnna make these events such a great success! We appreciate all of the parents who helped in every capacity to make these events so wonderful!

Sheri Hayes – Thank you for organizing Munchies for Moms for us!

Sherri Hanfland – Thank you for mailing in all of the Boxtops and Campbell's Soup labels everyone sends in.

Angie Wright – Thank you for helping organize our 2nd annual “Family Math Night” and “Family Reading Night”. Everyone looks forward to answering the riddles/quiz questions in hopes of winning the great baskets you put together.

Lori Dawson – Thank you for being our “Skate Night” Mom! Your dedication makes all of our skate nights extra fun!

Trisha Furbee - Thank you for being our “Room Parent Coordinator”. We appreciate all of your hard work this year. We will miss you!

Bradley McLaughlin – Thank you for taking care of our Spirit Fridays. The class winners wouldn't have their treats without you.

Robyn Mastroleo – Thank you for taking care of playground repair and maintenance. The tetherball line thanks you as well. ☺ We appreciate you keeping the playground a safe & fun place to play.

Traci James – Thank you for organizing the upkeep on the Landscaping all around the school.

Robin Wilson – Thank you for organizing the school supply packet orders. It's nice to be able to get school supplies in one simple order.

Cynthia Heard – Thank you for heading up the Recycle Drives and helping our school be a better friend to the environment.

Robin Severance – Thank you for organizing the Fall and Spring Glenview Clothing Drives. We appreciate you getting everyone together to collect and distribute the clothes & shoes to our friends at Glenview Elementary School.



Thank you!



Walk Across Williamson Celebration Event at Pinkerton Park

A HUGE thank you to all the students, parents, teachers, friends of Kenrose that turned in an activity calendar to support our PE program!! We had over 300 calendars turned in with just under 650,000 minutes!

We are proud of our efforts even if I do have to wear a Scales tshirt. It is a win-win. **Come out on the April 13th to find out!**



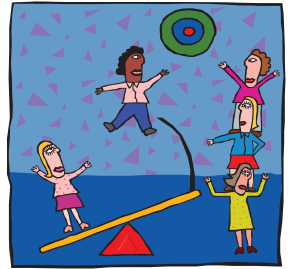
An event to celebrate the completion of WAW is scheduled for **Saturday, April 13th from 9am to 11am at Pinkerton Park in Franklin. Word is the prizes are impressive!! Please wear your Kenrose tshirts to support our team!!**

Winners will be announced and great prizes will be given away for all participants!

Please contact Anna Sellers with any questions at anna.sellers@wcs.edu

COUNSELING CONNECTION

April is for... **COOPERATION!**



Thank you...

KIDS on the BLOCK!

Every year, we welcome Kids on the Block, an interactive character education puppetry program, to KES. This is a United Way initiative that we bring each year as a community outreach through Life Skills class. We present the program as an assembly setting so we greatly appreciate the support of all Specials teachers. Since Kids on the Block perform 4 shows per visit per year, we alternate the grades that see their show in our curriculum. This year, our students enjoyed:

Sticks and Stones (Kindergarten)- promoted caring and respect by showing words can really hurt

Child Abuse Prevention (3rd grade)- promoted personal safety awareness

Bullying Prevention (4th grade)- promoted message of our Olweus

Bullying Prevention Program

Respecting and Accepting Diversity (5th grade)- promoted fairness, good citizenship and respect for all



**LET'S ROCK THE
TCAP!**

**AS THE TCAP ASSESSMENT
APPROACHES, KENROSE CELEBRATES
THE OPPORTUNITY TO SUCCEED BY
HAVING A THEME OF "ROCK THE TEST"!
PLEASE JOIN US IN COMMUNICATING
THIS THEME TO YOUR STUDENTS!**



Cardinal 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 10TH 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:**

[Love and Logic Registration](#)

**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.

Please contact Shelly Lockett 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.



General PTO Meeting

Thursday, April 18, 6:20 p.m.

Kenrose Gym

Join as we vote on the approval of PTO funds to be reserved for track repairs, as well as on the following amendment to the PTO Bylaws.

The Kenrose PTO Bylaws currently state:

Article IX: Budget

- a. The PTO school year budget will be made up the summer prior to the start of the school by the executive board. It will be ratified at the first general PTO meeting in August of the new school year.
- b. The PTO Executive Board is authorized to make payments for items incurred over the summer prior to the ratification at the first General PTO meeting, provided such expenses do not exceed 10% of the proposed budget.

A motion will be presented to amend Article IX to read:

Article IX: Budget

- a. The PTO school year budget will be complied by the Executive Board prior to the start of the school year. The budget will be ratified by the General Membership no later than the first General PTO Meeting of the school year.
- b. The PTO Executive Board is authorized to make payments for items incurred prior to the ratification of the budget by the General Membership, provided such expenses do not exceed 10% of the proposed budget.

We hope to see you there!



(RESCHEDULED)

CARDINAL CONNECTION

When: Tuesday, April 23rd

Where: KES Café

Time: 8:45am

TOPIC: Understanding the Common Core

Presented by: Dr. Marilyn Webb,
KES Principal

We hope you can join us!!

International WEEK (May 6 – May 10) at Kenrose!
All KES parents are invited!

Dear Parents:

We are fortunate at Kenrose Elementary School to be well represented by families from around the world. For the past eleven years, we have been celebrating our school's diversity. This year, we will have an **International Week** with a final celebration on **Friday, May 10th**. International Week (May 6 – May 10) will feature displays of continents throughout the Kenrose hallways. We would like to include *all parents* who would enjoy helping set up hallway themes with gateways and decorations. This is for everyone, not just families of ESL students.

The May 10th International Day itself showcases the cultures of **all** families who come from other countries and now reside in the United States. Displays of traditional clothing, games, music, photos, maps and performances are set up for viewing. Throughout the day, all Kenrose students "travel" to the countries and take part in the activities. Students have the opportunity to learn so much about the cultures represented among their classmates' families.

If you would like to take part in this special learning experience at Kenrose, please fill out the lower part of this page and return it to the ESL Department, or email the information.

If you have any questions or comments, please ask. Thank you.

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Please return to: **Anne Marie Peterson or Dawn Drugeot**

☐ I am interested in receiving information about International Day

My name: _____

My phone: _____ email: _____

My child/children at Kenrose: _____

Homeroom grade and teacher(s): _____

Country of representation or interest: _____

April 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 TCAP	27	28
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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 <http://www.wcs.edu/kes>. If you need to change or add an email address on our distribution list, please sign-on to the Kenrose PTO Manager website at <http://kenrose.ptomanager.com> and update your information. If you have any questions, please contact us at KenrosePTO@yahoo.com.

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 kenrosepto@yahoo.com.
- 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 marilyn@wcs.edu, Jane McGrath, PTO President, at mjmcgrath1010@comcast.net, and Jacqueline Cartailier at kenrosepto@yahoo.com.
- 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



Second-grade education program for Franklin Special School and Williamson County School Districts

Keep Williamson Beautiful *hosts*

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@williamson-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



Date: March 25, 2013
Contact: Laurie Rousseau
Release: For Immediate Release
Subject: Safely Dispose of Hazardous Waste

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Keep Williamson Beautiful, Williamson County Solid Waste Department and the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation have scheduled the Williamson County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day event for Saturday, May 4, 2013 at the Williamson County Administrative Complex parking lot. This location is 1320 West Main Street in Franklin. The collection event will be held between the hours of 8:30 AM and 2:00 PM.

This is a good way to dispose of household hazardous waste in a safe way. Start preparing for the event today by looking around in your closets, basement, garage, cabinets, and outbuildings to see what you need to dispose of at the event. You can also bring household hazardous waste for your friends and relatives who

cannot attend.

What to bring: All households are invited to participate. Items that will be accepted include: paint thinners, automotive fluids, pesticides and herbicides, oven cleaners and drain cleaners, swimming pool chemicals, roofing tar, aerosols, and driveway sealant.

Items not accepted: BOPAE: Batteries, Oil, Paint, Antifreeze, and Electronics will not be accepted at the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day. These are accepted year round at 417 Century Court by the City of Franklin Department of Solid Waste Monday - Friday from 6:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. No explosives, radioactive materials, medical waste, or commercial wastes will be accepted.

How to bring it: Line your trunk with plastic or newspaper. Store all hazardous materials in closed containers. Containers with original labels are preferable. If the material is unknown please give the attendants working the event as much information about it as possible.

Upon arriving at the event, please stay in your vehicle and allow the contractors to empty your trunk of hazardous wastes. This will keep traffic moving steadily and wait time down to a minimum.

For more information about this event or other recycling and litter prevention visit www.williamsonrecycles.org, or call Williamson Recycles at 786-0166.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

May 4, 2013

8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Williamson County Administrative Complex, 1320 West Main Street, Franklin

HHW Collection Day is paid for by the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation

NO X

Batteries
Oil
Paint
Antifreeze
Electronics

*These items are accepted year round at 417 Century Court, 37064 794-1516

NO X

Medical & Infectious Wastes
Ammunition & Explosives
Radioactive Wastes including smoke detectors
Any Empty Containers
Wastes from non-household sources such as Businesses, Schools, Farms, Churches, etc.

See more items not accepted at www.williamsonrecycles.org

YES X

Waste gasoline, oven cleaners
Wood, metal cleaners & polishes
Toilet bowl, tub, tile cleaners
Grease & rust solvents
Paint thinner, varnish
Roofing tar, pesticides, herbicides
Fertilizers, wood preservatives
Mercury containing devices e.g. thermometers & thermostats

*see more examples of accepted items at www.williamsonrecycles.org

Questions? call 615-786-0166



For a complete guide to Household Hazardous Waste please visit www.williamsonrecycles.org



The Ravenwood High School 6th Man Club will be hosting 2 basketball camps this summer. The Middle School camp will be from May 29th -31st for rising 6th-8th graders from 9-11am and will cost \$60. The Junior day camp will be from July 8th -11th for Rising 1st – 5th graders from 9am-12pm and the cost is \$90. For a brochure and registration form email Coach Whitlock at patrickw@wcs.edu.

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