



Bird's Eye View

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Dates to Remember:

06/01	School Supplies Order Deadline
06/10- 06/14	Encore Camp
06/17- 06/21	Encore Camp
07/10	WCS Online Registration Opens
07/29	Newcomer's Breakfast, 9:00 am: 1 st & 2 nd Grades 11:00 am: 3 rd , 4 th & 5 th Grades
08/06	Back to School Bash 4:00-6:00 pm
08/09	First Day of School for Students, ½ Day
08/19	Kindergarten First Full Day of School
09/27	Family Fun Night

Kenrose Summer Library Hours:

June
12, 13, 19, 20 3:15 - 4:45 pm

July
9, 10, 17, 18 3:30 - 5:00 pm

From Our Principal ...



As the 2012-13 school year comes to an end, I want to thank everyone in the Kenrose community for your support this year! We have loved working with your children. Our continuing goal is to make Kenrose the best school that it can be, and the successes that we experience are clearly the result of many people giving their time, energy, and resources to support Kenrose teachers and students. Thank you for all that you do!

The end of our school year marks the retirement of two outstanding Kenrose teachers, Joan Blackwell and Lynda Gunter. Both Ms. Blackwell and Ms. Gunter are committed professional educators who always put children first. We will miss Ms. Blackwell and Ms. Gunter at Kenrose, and we wish them the happy retirement that they so deserve!

Williamson County Schools is beginning a new online

registration process for the 2013-14 school year. The parents of new and returning Kenrose students are asked to complete online registration as soon as possible after the registration system opens on July 10th. Additional information about the registration system will be distributed via the Bird's Eye View and the call-out system in mid-July. Additional information is provided in this newsletter.

It is very important for us to have accurate enrollment numbers in order to provide sufficient teachers for our classes next year. During the summer, if you meet new neighbors whose children will be attending Kenrose, please have them contact the school office as soon as possible. Also, if you find that you will be moving and your children will not be attending Kenrose, please notify our school office.

Our teachers have put to-

gether "Summer Fun" activities to help students retain their academic skills over the summer. As we have in the past, students who participate in "Summer Fun" activities will be invited to participate in a reward activity when school begins. See the Kenrose website at www.wcs.edu/kes for more information about "Summer Fun" activities.

Have a safe and relaxing summer enjoying family and friends! We look forward to seeing you back at Kenrose in the fall!

Dr. Marilyn Webb,
Kenrose Principal



Dear Kenrose Community,

Wherever your summer plans take you, may the memories you make complement our special school year. We want you to know that you have AMAZING children who we have been proud to counsel this year.

We have SO appreciated *Jacqueline Cartailier's* beautiful and professional publishing of the Bird's Eye View communication tool. We have utilized this resource each week as a way to share our program highlights, events, and educational opportunities. We began our "Counseling Connection" with Kelso the Frog and so we thought it most appropriate to end with our favorite green problem solving friend.

On the following page, please find a Kelso's Choice wheel. Be reminded that from Kelso, children learn that they are smart and strong enough to solve small problems. Kelso's poster shows 9 choices that children can try as they solve small problems. If a child comes to you with a small problem that they want you to handle, encourage them to go to Kelso's "wheel" for problem solving ideas. This not only hands the problem back to the child in a caring way (also a Love and Logic technique), but it empowers the child to build their character, self confidence, and life skills. Kids also learn from Kelso that BIG problems, such as a scary or dangerous situation, are for trusted adults to handle.

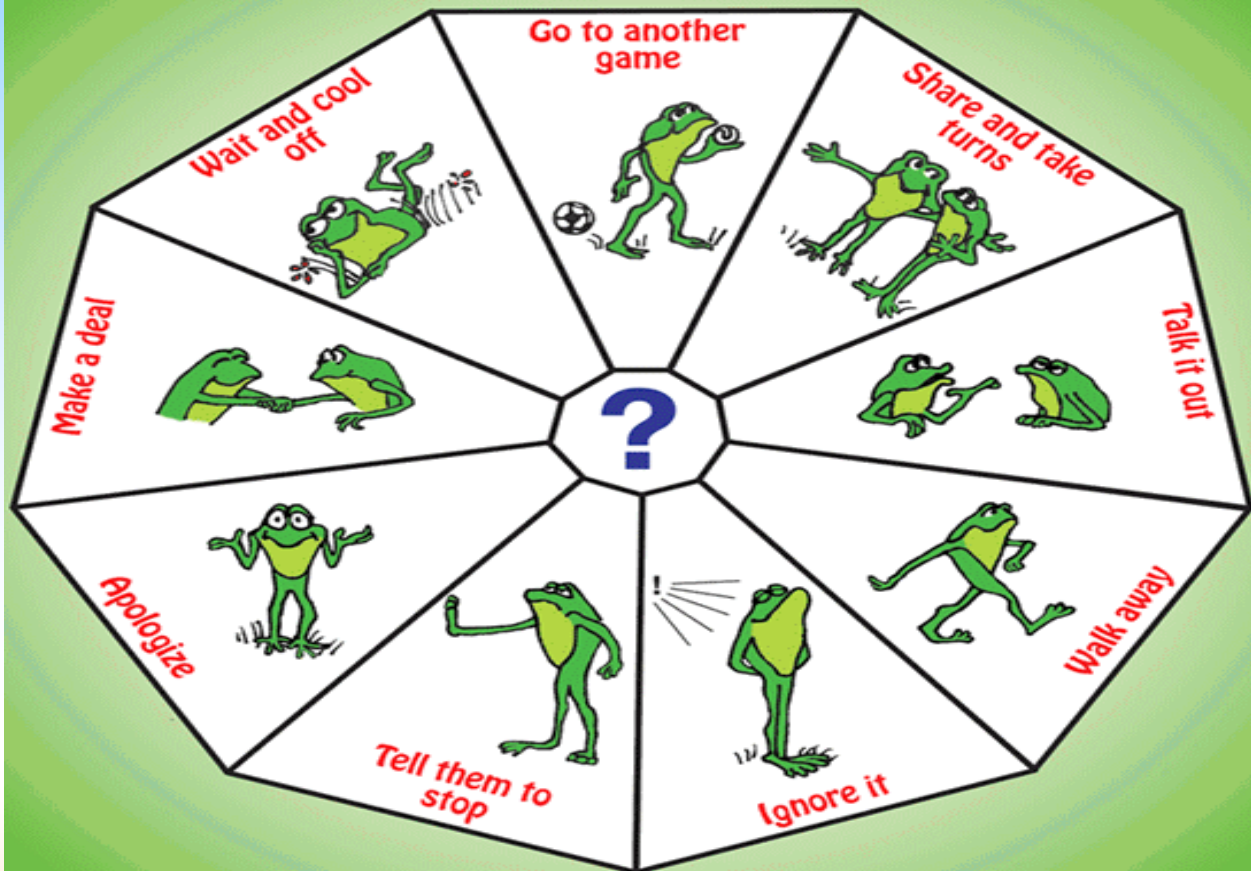
We trust that you will enjoy every minute with your children and that your summer is full of laughter, peace, and positive growth.

Your KES Counselors, *Tracy Bernstein and Deb Finch*



It's Your Choice!

DO YOU HAVE A SMALL PROBLEM?
TRY 2 OF **KELSO'S CHOICES**:



IF YOU HAVE A **BIG** PROBLEM,
TELL AN ADULT YOU TRUST.



Our Final Report for BOX TOPS/LABELS for EDUCATION:

Ms. Evans won again this year collecting 1207 boxtops!!

(She has won 10,000 points to pick out items for her classroom!-about \$200 value!)

2nd - Ms. Neu- 1,108 tops

3rd - Ms. Kon 1,052 tops

4th - Ms. Shenoha 1,028 tops

5th place - Ms. Derck - 944 tops

Do you see how close these numbers were? Every boxtop counts, so even if you only have a few don't hesitate to send them in with your child when we have spirit Friday's. (Label with your teacher's name so they get credit)

Parents, we raised \$2505!!!!!! These little 10 cent box tops really do add up! Of course, none of this would be possible without the efforts of Sherri Hanfland, star Boxtop coordinator since 2007!!!! THANK YOU SHERRI! Your contribution of time to Kenrose has been priceless!

Sherri is ready to "pass the torch" and train our next star, if you would like more information please email Sherri Hanfland at:

sherrihanfland@comcast.net

Kenrose School Supplies

******DEADLINE JUNE 1******

Time is running out to pre-order your school supplies for the 2013-14 school year!! The school supply program is provided as a service by the PTO to assist Kenrose parents in purchasing supplies that the children will need.

Please note, all items that are requested from your teacher will be included in the kit price and delivered to the classroom. You will not need to purchase any items separately!

Also, all orders will be placed on-line directly with Innisbrook. It is very easy and secure to order on line. Follow these directions:

1. Visit the website at www.innisbrook.com
2. Click on "Buy School Supplies"
3. Enter our school code: **115235**
4. Confirm the school
5. **Select your child's grade for next year** and complete the order.
(*You may order for multiple children on one order.*)
6. Your child's supplies will be waiting for them in their classroom on the first day of school with no worries!

You may place your order by using Innisbrook On-line Store from Wednesday, May 1 thru **Saturday, June 1.**

To view the full list of supplies that are required by each grade, go to www.wcs.edu/kes.

If you have any questions, please contact Robin Wilson at wjohnrobin@bellsouth.net or at 945-2637.



Box Tops is having a promotion and you can help earn free box tops for Kenrose. Just "Like" Box Tops for Education on Facebook, select your school and get 5 Free Box Tops. Note that to select your school you must be on a desktop or laptop computer. **Deadline is May 26th or when 5 million Box Tops are given away.**



Our Kenrose library will be open the following dates and times for our returning Kenrose students to check-out books.

June 12, 13, 19, 20 from 3:15-4:45

July 9, 10, 17, 18 from 3:30-5:00

Our returning Kenrose students should be accompanied by an adult who will stay with them as they make their book selections. Books will be due August 13, 2013.

Looking forward to seeing you this summer!



WCS Student Registration Goes Paperless July 10, 2013

Williamson County Schools announces an online student registration and data validation system for the upcoming school year. The system is a secure and green process, which allows the district to collect all new student demographic, emergency and medical information prior to the start of the new school year. The system will also allow families to electronically sign the annual permission forms. In short, this online process replaces all the hard copy student registration and permission forms that you would generally have to fill out prior to starting the school year. Online registration will open July 10, 2013 for new and returning students to the district.

If you do not readily have access to the Internet, contact the Kenrose school office in July and you can make an appointment to use a school computer to complete the process. If you have any further questions, please contact the school office.



SAVE THE DATE: ANNUAL FAMILY FUN NIGHT 2013!

**PARENTS and TEACHERS- You
won't want to miss this!
Friday, September 27th, 2013**

This year's will be bigger and better than ever, with more inflatables & more fun!

We are looking forward to a great auction so we want to go ahead and get the donation form out to you. If you are doing something fun, having a spa treatment, enjoying a great new shop or restaurant, consider asking the business for a contribution to our school. Some of your own businesses like to help support our school as well. You can send the completed forms to allisonlhayes@aol.com.

If you would like to join our Family Fun Night Auction Committee, please contact me as well. **Jen Lapinski** will be this year's auction chair and we are so excited to have her!

**Kenrose Elementary PTO
Family Fun Night
Annual Fundraiser
September 27th, 2013**



Donation Form

Item donated: _____

Retail value of item donated \$ _____ Minimum bid (if applicable) \$ _____

The donation is in the form of: Gift Certificate _____ Merchandise _____ Other _____

Will the item be delivered? _____ Does the item need to be picked up? _____

Special instructions with item (i.e. Appt. necessary, dates available, minimum age, etc.): _____

Company / Individual donating
item: _____

Address: _____

Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

Would you like to be listed in our program? _____ Yes _____ No

Donor or Authorized Signature _____

KES Representative: _____

AUCTION OFFICE ONLY

Item No.: _____ Donor No.: _____

Item Type: (sports, restaurant, etc.) _____

Item Status: (merchandise or gift certificate) _____

Date Received: _____ Pick up date: _____ By whom: _____

Solicitor: _____ Note of Thanks _____



Kenrose Elementary School PTO Auction Receipt

1702 Raintree Parkway
Brentwood, TN 37027
(615) 472-4630 Tax ID #20-0556821
September 27th, 2013

Item donated _____

Company/Individual Donating _____

Retail Value _____

Received by KES Representative: _____

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

May 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 Full Day Students	22 Administrative Day	23 Professional Development	24 Professional Development	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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 kenrosept@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, Christy Geuther, PTO President, at tmgcag@comcast.net, and Jacqueline Cartailier at kenrosept@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

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.

Patrick Whitlock

Athletic Director/ Boys Basketball Coach

Social Studies

Ravenwood High School

615.472.4808



2013 RAVENWOOD RAPTOR YOUTH FOOTBALL CAMP

Dates: June 17-19, 5:30-7:30pm

Ages: Rising 1st-8th grade (no experience required)

Location: RHS Stadium

Cost: \$60 (includes official camp shirt)

For more information on registration go to ravenwoodfootball.com

Brentwood Children's Library



Summer Reading Registration begins May 24th at 9:00am in the Children's Library. The Children's Library staff has planned a wonderful summer of activities/programs and hope children from toddlers through elementary age will join the fun and learning opportunity and **Dig into Reading!**

For the Summer Reading, each child sets their own goal and may sign up to read as much as they wish. If the child is too young to read, they may sign up to be a listener. Each child (or parent) will keep a list of books that they read or that are read to them. Prizes will be awarded at the end.

There will be entertainers for large groups of children through the Summer too! Large group entertainers do not require registration.

[Summer Reading 2013 Brochure](#)

[Summer Reading Program 2013 Website](#)

Dig Into READING



Registration Begins May 24th, 2013 at 9:00a.m. at the Brentwood Library, Children's Library

Summer Explorers Story Time

Wednesdays, 10:00-11:00am.

Ages 6-8. Let's dig into reading and explore our earth through stories, music, and other activities. We will meet in Meeting Room B of The Brentwood Library. (Must be 6 by August 31st). **Limit of 30 children per session.**

Registration is required. FREE EVENT

Summer Book Club

Friday, June 21st – "Justin Case: School, Drool, and Other Daily Disasters" by Matthew Cordell

Friday, July 19th – "Young Fredle" by Cynthia Voight

Ages 8-12. Join our fun book discussion! We will play trivia games and discuss themes. Snack will be provided. We will meet twice this Summer from 1:00-2:00 p.m. in the Storytime Room at the Children's Library. (Must be 8 by August 31st). **There is a limit of 12 children per session. Registration is required. FREE EVENT**

Create Your Own Story: Creative Writing Classes

Wednesdays, June 12th: What if? (Story Workshop)

Wednesday, July 10th: Playing with Words (Poetry Workshop)

Ages 9-12 – 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Ages 6-8 – 3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

Explore the world of fiction through games using creativity and some clever writing skills! In this fun and interactive program local author Jennifer Trafton will show how a story can be developed with just a few basic building blocks and a wild imagination. **There is a limit of 12 children per session. Registration is required.**

FREE EVENT

Art Lessons

Monday, July 22nd - Friday, July 26th at 12:00, 1:00 and 2:00.

Ages 6 and up (must have completed Kindergarten) can learn the basic principles of drawing using a variety of techniques. Taught by Trish Walker. Children's Craft Room. **Registration is required. FREE EVENT**

School Age Craft Class

Mondays at 1:00 p.m.

Ages 7 to 9 (Must turn 7 by August 31.) Cool off for a bit and get crafty this summer. Each week we will create a fun and easy craft project. **Registration is required. FREE EVENT**

Lego Mania® Classes

Ages 6-7- Fridays, June 7 and July 5 at 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Ages 8-12- Fridays, June 14 and July 12 at 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Unleash your creativity! Join us for a fun filled afternoon of building your own designs with Legos®. We will explore different themes. Bring your imagination and we'll provide the Legos®! Limit of 40 students per session. (Must turn 6 by August 31). Meeting Room B. **Registration is required. FREE EVENT**

Scholastic Chess Club

Friday, June 28th and July 26th 4:30-6:00pm.

All ages and skill levels are welcome to enjoy this noncompetitive and fun atmosphere. On-site chess coach, Dr. Jim Lech, Nashville Chess Center, teaches beginning fundamentals, as well as advanced strategies. Free of Charge. Boards will be provided. **No reservations necessary... just come and play! FREE EVENT**

Brentwood Library Scholastic Summer Chess Camp:

Beginner Chess Class: Saturday, June 29th 10:00 am- 2:00 pm (Class fee of \$40.00) Ages: 3rd Grade or Higher
Beginners are those who have not played in a rated tournament. On-site chess coach, Dr. Jim Lech, from the Nashville Chess Center, will teach strategies and engage students in structured-play. Bring a snack. Boards will be provided. **Registration Required**

Experienced Chess Class: Saturday, July 27th 10:00 am– 5:00 pm (Class fee of \$60.00) Ages: 9 years or Older
Experienced players are those who have played in a rated tournament. On-site chess coach, Dr. Jim Lech, from the Nashville Chess Center, will give no less than 4 hours of pure instruction that covers the opening, middle game, end game, and official tournament rules. Then, 1-3 tournament rounds, under tournament conditions. There will be prizes awarded! Players bring a lunch . A Bug-house tournament during the one hour lunch break. Boards will be provided. **Registration Required**

Tickle the Strings

June 27th 2:30-4:00pm Meeting Room A & B

Sponsored by the Williamson County Youth Orchestra and the Nashville Symphony

Would you like to learn how to "Tickle the Strings?" The Williamson County Beginner Reading Orchestra will demonstrate how to play a violin, viola, cello and string bass. You'll get to see what a beginner string student can play after only 4-9 months of lessons. **Grades K-5th. No registration required. FREE EVENT**

Raptor Rhythm

Saturday, July 20th Children's Library Storytime Room

Sponsored by the Ravenwood High School Marching Band

Members of the Ravenwood High School Marching Band will gather together to inspire children to play musical instruments. The band will play a short musical piece and explain what types of instruments they play.

Depending on the age of the child, they can the instruments up close. Children's Library Storytime Room

Grades K-5th. No registration required. FREE EVENT

DON'T MISS THESE SPECIAL PERFORMANCES

THESE EVENTS DO NOT REQUIRE REGISTRATION

Anthony – the Balloon Kid (Comedy, Magic) – Thursday, June 6 at 1:00 p.m.- Audience: All Ages

Be amazed by this International Award Winning Balloon Artist and Entertainer and his unbelievable creations, most commonly referred to as "BALLOONS OF PURE AWESOMENESS!" Have a FUN-derful time and laugh until your side hurts while you watch his silly antics and discover that at any age, it is FUN-tastic to be a "KID" AT HEART!!

Kevin Kidd - (Music) – Tuesday, June 11 at 1:00 p.m.- Audience: Toddler to Age 7

Join us for a performance by Kevin Kidd where children's music meets character education. His shows are interactive and entertaining and his whimsical songs combine clever dialog and toe-tapping tunes that make him the favorite. With a healthy dose of silliness and a heartfelt calling to enrich the lives of children, you don't want to miss "the Enrichertainer."

Rachel Sumner - (Music)– Thursday, June 13 at 1:00 p.m.- Audience: Age 5 and up

Rachel has performed at festivals, museums, fairs, schools, libraries, and special events. Her concerts promote language development (including sign language) and help to promote self-esteem and stimulate kids' imaginations. With lots of fun-filled, diverse music, Rachel has gained fans young and old. Rachel Sumner's lively performances will include singing songs and telling stories that teach as well as entertain.

Bruce Amato - (Magician) – Tuesday, June 18 at 1:00 p.m. - Audience: Age 6 and up

Join us for a show consisting of magic, comedy and audience participation with a focus on the importance of reading. Bruce will "dig into magic" to help us celebrate our summer.

Wild Goose Chase Theater- Thursday, June 20 at 1:00 p.m. - Audience:

Wild Goose Chase Theater will present "The Legend of Walter Weirdbeard," the story of a crew of pirates on their search for buried treasure. After much tragedy and travail on the high seas, the pirates finally find their fabled treasure, only to discover that the chest holds no gold, no silver, and no jewels! The treasure chest is full of old, musty books! He keeps his crew at bay by reading aloud the books from the treasure chest, leading his pirates into the world of the imagination and revealing to them, one story after the next, how valuable a treasure books can be.

Runaway Theater – Tuesday, June 25 at 1:00 p.m. – Audience: Age 4 and up

While most everyone is familiar with the tales of the Three Billy Goats Gruff, the Ugly Duckling, and Goldilocks and the Three Bears, what happens when the usual lead characters from these stories can't make it to the show? Then the stage manager must fill the roles with whoever is available so that the show can go on. Runaway Puppet Theater presents three classic tales with a twist in A Rollicking, Rib-tickling Rigmorale!

Barry Mitchell – Thursday, June 27 at 1:30 p.m. – Audience: Age 5 and up

Barry Mitchell combines magic, storytelling, humor and lots of audience interaction to create a memorable show. He has performed at Dolly Parton's Dixie Stampede, opened for country music stars and worked as a street magician in the New Orleans French Quarter.

**For more information call the library at 371-0090 ext. 8380
or visit our website: brentwood-tn.org/library**



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THESE EVENTS DO NOT REQUIRE REGISTRATION

The Natural History Educational Co(Animals) – Tuesday, July 2 at 1:00 p.m.- Audience: Age 5 and up

The “Groundbreakers!” program focuses on the predators which hunt creatures that live underground. Meet a raccoon, a possum and a bobcat and learn about them and their carnivorous (or omnivorous) lifestyles and the special adaptations that allow them to find and capture their prey.

Scott Humston - (Magician)- Tuesday, July 9 at 1:00 p.m. - Audience: All Ages

Scott’s show is full of music, magic, stories, songs, while messages about honesty, self-respect, cooperation and many other qualities are discussed via entertainment and involvement. It is a combination of music that inspires and comedy that will have folks laughing like they haven't laughed in a long time.

Matt Fore - Thursday, July 11th at 1:00 p.m. – Audience: Age 6 and up

Matt Fore’s magical comedy show features his unique style of comedy along with non-stop magic. He will make your eyes see things that can’t be possible and he’ll do it with everyday objects like money, rope, coins, cards, fruit and a spoon with a hinge on it. It’s fast paced, funny, and amazing!

Urban Safari (Animals, Magic and More) – Tuesday, July 16 at 1:00 p.m. Audience: All Ages

Safari Greg is back with his own unique brand of entertainment featuring awesome animals, amazing magic and side-splitting comedy which is guaranteed to bring a smile to your day. With the skills of a master magician, the humor of a comedian, and the knowledge of a wildlife biologist he creates a show unlike any other.

Rodney Kelley – ((Magician) – Tuesday, July 23 at 1:00 p.m. – Audience: Age 6 and up

Are you ready to laugh and be amazed? Be sure that you do not miss Rodney Kelley’s show. He has performed at Opryland theme Park as well as at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel and his magic has been featured on America’s Funniest Videos – Twice!

Mr. Bond - (Science) - Thursday, July 25 at 1:00 p.m. - Audience: Age 6 and up

Bond is back! Enjoy another great summer reading program with Mr. Bond's, Science Guy's Big Adventure. This year we are thinking BIG. Look for amazing experiments about BIG things! The Oceans, The Sky and The Heavens. And some really big Explosions!!! (No library books will be harmed in the performance.)

Roger Day - (Music) - Tuesday, July 30 at 1:00 p.m. - Audience: Age 3-8

Roger Day will perform a concert featuring his action-packed and interactive songs that will have kids jumping for joy. His third album “Dream Big” is a culmination of his 10 year focus on creating joyful children's songs and his latest CD, “Why does Gray Matter” has been awarded the Parent’s Choice Gold Award! Don’t miss this turtle-wrangling, rhino-kissing live show where kids can sing along with Roger and “Dream Big!”

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The Children’s Library staff wishes to thank the Friends of the Brentwood Library who have made it possible to provide the programs and activities for our summer program using proceeds from the Book Sales.