

# Bird's Eye View

August 21, 2013 Issue 3

### **IMPORTANT: Annual Fundraising Donation Campaign/FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

Our annual "BUILD THE NEST" donation campaign will begin on September 9th and run through Sept 20th. For Kenrose newcomers, this involves asking parents for a family donation RATHER THAN having the kids sell products. received from this fundraiser goes directly to the teachers to provide materials for classrooms. This campaign was super successful last year and we look forward to another great year! Forms will be sent home just before the campaign begins.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the best night of the Kenrose year! "FAMILY FUN NIGHT" always concludes our annual fundraising campaign. It will be Friday, Sept 27th from 5pm-8pm. Join us for our FREE carnival with rides, inflatables and games. We will have Louis Lee Entertainment providing fun music, interactive games and contests for the children. There will also be vendor tables for shopping, a silent auction, teachers' treasures, and a bake sale for kids only. We have been working hard since this past spring on our auction and Family Fun Night. This night is always a highlight and is a fun way to start the year--full of fellowship with our families and teachers.



There are PLENTY of volunteer opportunities coming up for this night. It takes a lot of parents to make it a success. Please go http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EADA623A75family if you are interested in helping with planning this important event.

#### **Dates to Remember:**

08/28 General PTO Meeting 8:30 am, Kenrose Café

09/06 Spirit Friday!

09/09- Build the Nest

09/20

09/10 September Skate Night, 4:30-6:30 pm, Brentwood Skate Center

09/19 September Chick-fil-A Spirit Night, 4-8 pm

09/27 Family Fun Night, 5:00-8:00 pm

#### **Nutrition Nuggets Fun:**

(WCS CSH Newsletter)

**Q:** What is a frog's favorite game?

A: Leapfrog!



For more healthy tips: http://www.wcs.edu/csh/nuggets/

### **AUCTION ITEMS & VENDORS NEEDED!**

We are looking for businesses and families to donate items to our auction at FAMILY FUN NIGHT on Sept 27th. All donations are tax deductible. We have volunteers who are going to local businesses in the community to solicit, but some of our most successful items have come directly from our families. The success of our auction depends on the items donated, so we encourage you to be creative:

Do you have tickets for a Titans or Predators game or another sporting event that you could donate?

Do you have a vacation home in which you are willing to donate a weekend or week use?

Do you have any autographed memorabilia you are willing to donate?

Do you have a special service that you could donate like public speaking lessons, music/voice/instrument/acting lessons, a sporting lesson, interior design skills, photography skills?

Do you own a business or know someone that owns a business in which an item or service could be donated?

Do you have any unused gift certificates- donate them and get a tax deduction!

## COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW WITH YOUR DONATION INFORMATION OR GO TO:

### BIDDINGFORGOOD.COM/KENROSE

YOU CAN DONATE AN ITEM, BECOME A SPONSOR OR JUST LOOK AT THE ITEMS ALREADY DONATED!
OUESTIONS: CONTACT IENIFER LAPINSKY AT 615-498-6426

### Kenrose Elementary PTO Family Fun Night Annual Fundraiser September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2013



### **Donation Form**

Item donated:	
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Retail value of item donated S_	Minimum bid (if applicable)S
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Special instructions with item (i.	e. Appt. necessary, dates available, minimum age, etc.):
Company / Individual donating item:	
Phone F	axEmail
KES Representative:	A. F. (1) - A. (1) 13
	AUCTION OFFICE ONLY
Item No.: Item Type: (sports, restaurant, etc.)	Donor No.:
Item Status: (merchandise or gift co	ertificate)
Date Received: Pick up	date: By whom:
Solicitor:	Note of Thanks
of	
	Elementary School PTO Auction Receipt
	1702 Raintree Parkway
	Brentwood, TN 37027
	(615) 472-4630 Tax ID #20-0556821 September 27th, 2013
Item donated	
Retail Value	
Received by KES Representative:	
TUA	NKS FOR VOUR SUPPORT!

\*\*Interested in setting up a vendor table in the gym during our annual FAMILY FUN NIGHT? It is Kenrose's own "marketplace" for that evening of Sept 27th.

If you have a particular craft or have a home based business and would like to sell product or just highlight your business at this event, please contact Allison Hayes @ 256-371-3863 or Tricia Murray @ 429-3510 or complete the form below. All of the families will be able to browse and purchase items from you. It is a wonderful opportunity for small businesses!

### **Vendor Form**

During our Family Fun Night festivities on Sept 27, 2013, we are allowing "vendors" to purchase a table for the evening at a cost of \$100 per table. If you have a particular craft or have a home based business and would like to sell product at this event, please fill out the form below. We have a limited number of available tables that will be sold on a first come basis.

of						
Kenrose Elementary Vendor Reservation Form						
Product description:						
Number of tables needed: # of chairs needed Do you need to be placed near an electrical outlet?						
Company / Individual:Address:						
City Zip Phone						
E mail						
Would you like to be listed in our program? Yes No						

Please enclose a check for the total number of tables reserved. Make checks payable to "Kenrose PTO" and return by Sept 3, 2013.

Kenrose would like to thank you for your support. If you have any questions please contact Allison Hayes @ 807-0083 or Tricia Murray @ 429-3510.

#### Mail to:

Kenrose Elementary School Attn. Allison Hayes/Tricia Murray 1702 Raintree Parkway Brentwood, TN 37027

Or send to school with your child in an envelope marked:

"Attention Allison Hayes/Tricia Murray Fundraising"

### Kenrose Elementary PTO Family Fun Night Sept. 27, 2013 Corporate Sponsor Form



Company / Individu			
Address:			
Phone	Fax	Email	
Would you like to b	e listed in our program?	Yes No	
Donor or Authorize	d Signature		
Kenrose Representa Signature:			
		_ \$250 (Includes Vendor Table to promote n our Family Fun Night Marketing Mater	
business at Family	-	_ \$500 (Includes Vendor table to promote y Logo on all Family Fun Night Marketing played at the school)	•
I would like to mak	e a monetary donation: \$	<b>3</b>	
THANKS FOR YO	UR SUPPORT!		
Please remit form/p	ayment to:		

Kenrose Elementary School PTO 1702 Raintree Parkway Brentwood, TN 37027 (615) 472-4630 Tax ID #20-0556821 Attn.: Allison Hayes/ Tricia Murray

### Advertise in the Kenrose Directory!!

Business owner? Starting a new endeavor? Consider placing an ad in the Kenrose Directory.

The PTO is currently selling ad space and would love to have Kenrose business owners purchase an ad to be included in our school directory.

For more information and pricing, please email Dana Garrard at <u>dana.garrard@comcast.net</u> by Thursday, September 12, 2013.

Thank you for supporting Kenrose PTO.



School Age Child Care (SACC) is excited to announce the opportunity for your 3<sup>rd</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grader to join a beginners string class. This opportunity is available through a partnership with Williamson County Youth Orchestra. The children



will pick an instrument and spend the school year learning to play Violin, Viola, Cello or String Bass. For more information please attend the parent meeting on Thursday, August 29th at 5:30pm at Kenrose Elementary cafeteria. The days and times the class will meet are still being discussed and will be announced at the parent meeting on August 29<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Kelsey Wood, Kenrose SACC Site Leader, for more information (615-472-4640; http://teachers2.wcs.edu/elem/kes/kelseyw/default.aspx.









Dear 4th and 5th grade students and parents,

I am pleased to announce that the Kenrose Choir will begin rehearsals on Thursday September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2012 for students in 4th and 5th grade! We will meet on Thursday mornings at 7:30 am. Students, please remember this is a commitment to each of your classmates in the choir so your best effort to be at all rehearsals is expected. Choir is open to all 4th and 5th graders who wish to attend! All of our hard work will be showcased at a winter concert in December as well as a special musical program in the spring.

If you need to make arrangements for your child to be dropped off at school before 7:25 please contact Kelsey Wood with the SACC program. You can email Kelsey at kelseyw@wcs.edu.

I will communicate with parents mainly through email so please return this form to me so that I can keep you up to date on information and rehearsal schedules! I will also post on my share point page. (First rehearsal is Thursday, September 12th!!! 7:30am)

You can contact me at <a href="mailto:lorip1@wcs.edu">lorip1@wcs.edu</a> in case you have any other questions.

THANK YOU TO THE KENROSE PTO AND DR. WEBB FOR MAKING CHOIR POSSIBLE!!!!

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Name:	
Grade:	
Choirs I have sung with:	
Parent's Name:	
E-mail address:	
Phone:	Homeroom Teacher:
Other instruments I play:	

#### **Kenrose Elementary PTO Enrollment 2013-2014**



# Membership Bird's Eye View Newsletter School Directory Volunteer Opportunities

The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) at Kenrose is a group that works to enhance the education of our children by supporting programs and events, assisting the teachers and staff, and raising funds to promote these activities. Through PTO involvement, members make new friends and have a strong connection to the school. The cost of membership is \$20 per family which includes your school directory and helps support PTO sponsored events. In order to receive the school directory, you must join the PTO.

The Kenrose PTO will be using a new database, PTAvenue, to organize volunteers this year. PTAvenue will be used to create the directory and send the Kenrose newsletter, the Bird's Eye View, as well as inform members of volunteer opportunities. Your information will be entered on PTAvenue and included in the school directory unless otherwise indicated below. If you would like to receive the newsletter, but do not wish to join the PTO, please provide your email address and indicate below that you do not wish to join.

Mother's Name:
Father's Name:
Home Address:
Phone Numbers:
Email 1:
Email 2:
Students at Kenrose:
Name/Grade/Teacher:
Name/Grade/Teacher:
Name/Grade/Teacher:
\$20 PTO Membership which includes one copy of School Directory:
CashCheck made payable to Kenrose PTOI do not wish to join at this time (no directory).
I would like an <b>extra</b> directory for \$10.
Do <u>No</u> t Include my Information in the School Directory
Do Not Enter my Information in the Kenrose PTO database, PTAvenue, with the understanding that I wil
NOT receive the Bird's Eye View newsletter. (The Kenrose Bird's Eye View newsletter will only be sent to those email addresses entered on PTAvenue.)

Questions? Colleen Blanchette at Blanchette\_colleen@yahoo.com or Johnna Miller at johnna.miller@comcast.net.

Please see next page for volunteer opportunities.

Please return this form at the Back to School Bash or to your child's teacher.



### **PTO Volunteer Interests**

Your Name
Please indicate the areas in which you are interested in volunteering by checking the appropriate box(es).  Without the help of parents, many of these events would not be possible!
Art Garden – help maintain landscaping in the courtyard outside the art room
Audit Committee – conduct an audit of the PTO books once a year
Bird's Eye View newsletter – collect and assemble weekly newsletter
Boo-Hoo Breakfast – assist with planning, set up, cooking of this breakfast for kindergarten parents
Book Fair – assist with set up, sales, volunteers
Box Tops - a job that can be done from home, help sort and count box tops collected monthly
Bulletin Board – update and decorate bulletin board outside of office
Cardinal Connection —a venue for parents to meet and connect - provide snacks and beverages
Chik-Fil-A Spirit Nights – oversee this fundraising program
Clothing Drive – assist with collection and distribution of clothing for Glenview Elementary
Directory – coordinate the data and publishing of the school directory
Doughnuts for Dads— assist with set up, clean up and/or be present at event
Family Fun Night: Auction Committee – coordinate auction items for Family Fun Night
Family Fun Night: Bake Sale Committee – coordinate kids' bake sale for our annualFamily Fun Night
Family Fun Night : Clean-up Committee
Family Fun Night: Set-up Committee
Father-Daughter Event – organize and/or assist with annual event
Fun Run – organize or assist with this annual spring event.
Hospitality – coordinate and/or assist with teacher luncheons, provide food for events
Marquee – update marquee with upcoming events and announcements
Muffins for Moms - assist with set up, clean up and/or be present at event
KC Mascot – dress as our Kenrose mascot at school events
Mother-Son Event – organize and/or assist with annual event
Landscaping – assist with maintaining school grounds
Library – help shelve books
Literacy Coach – assist literacy coach with book room
Newcomers Breakfast – organize summer breakfast and tour for families new to Kenrose
Pennies for Patients – assist with daily collection during charily week
Picture Day – assist on school picture days
Playground – help maintain playgrounds
Recycling/Environment – coordinate 2-3 can drives, promote environmental awareness
Room Parent Coordinator – communicate with and organize procedures for room parents
School Supplies – handle all forms, money and orders for school supply packs
Skate Parties – oversee monthly skate parties at Brentwood Skate Center
Staff Birthdays – staff birthdays are celebrated once a month with cake provided by PTO
Teacher Workroom – help make photocopies, laminating and other related projects
Yearbook – assist teacher in charge with gathering pictures and designing yearbook



### School Counselor's Weekly Bucketfilling

Tracy Bernstein (tracyb@wcs.edu) and Rachel Lipsett (Rachel.lipsett@wcs.edu)





WELCOME KINDERGARTEN STUDENTS AND FAMILIES ☺
WE'RE SO HAPPY YOU'RE HERE! PLEASE LET US KNOW HOW WE
CAN SUPPORT YOU.



## News from Life Skills

(our classroom guidance class in the Specials rotation)



Kelso the frog. From Kelso, students learn that they are

smart and strong enough to solve small problems. Kelso's poster (the following page) shows 9 choices that students can try as they solve small problems. If your children come to you with a small problem that they are wanting you to handle, encourage them to go to Kelso's "wheel" to help solve the problem. This not only hands the problem back to the child in a caring way, but it empowers the student to build their character. Students also learn from Kelso that BIG problems, such as a scary or dangerous situation, are for trusted adults to handle.







### **PTO Updates**





Thank you Jack in the Box for generously donating breakfast sandwiches!

Thank you to our wonderful volunteers that made the Boo Hoo Breakfast a huge success!

Kris Helou
Julie Kelley
Johnna Miller
Jacqueline Cartailler
Jane McGrath
Christy Geuther
Colleen Blanchette
Rusty Ross

Colleen King
Leslie Lohrding
Kristen Richardson
Sarah Baurle
Ana Daniels
Robyn Mastroleo
Lynn Peck
Kim Collins









The Bird's Eye View is sent out every Wednesday during the school year to the email addresses registered with the Kenrose PTO, 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 contact Johnna Miller at <a href="https://www.wcs.edu/kes">johnna.miller@comcast.net</a> to update your information. If you have any questions, please contact us at <a href="mailto: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>, Christy Geuther, PTO President, at <u>tmgcag@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



#### Be a Girl Scout!!

Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence and character, who make the world a better place. Discover the fun, friendship and power of girls together.

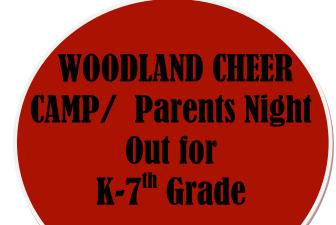
Join us for the Kenrose Girl Scout Information Night on Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup> at 6:30p in the café.

Questions? Contact Stephanie McDaniel (stephaniemcdaniel@comcast.net)









The Woodland Cheerleaders are hosting a CheerCamp/Parents Night
Out Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>! This camp/PNO will be fun for all who are
serious about cheerleading or who just want to give it a try! The camp will
consist of learning cheers, jumps and spiriting. Each camper will receive a free tshirt, words to the cheers, an instructional DVD and a pizza dinner! Do not miss out! Great night
for any Blaze, Cowboy, etc. cheerleader too! Come with your friends...or make new ones there.

It is not too early to start preparing for your cheerleading future!

When: Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-9pm. (parents are welcome to come at 8:40 to watch). Those who attend camp/PNOmay cheer at the nextWoodland Footballhome game on Tuesday, October 1st. The game starts at 5:00. Admission is free for the camper! All grades will perform at half time together and as age groups throughout the game.

**Where: Woodland Gym** 

<u>Cost:</u> \$30first child, \$25 for additional children in family. Payment must be received by September 13<sup>th</sup> in order to receive your t-shirt. Please make<u>checks payable to Woodland Middle School</u>. Mail the form below with payment to: Jennifer Fick, 1827 Legacy Cove Ln, Brentwood, TN 37027Any Ouestions?jbfick@msn.com

Name:	School:	Grade:	
Address:		Phone:	<del>-</del>
T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL S M L	XL		
staff from liability from any injury sustained by my assumed risk of injury. I assume full responsibility	ardian of, her child during the Cheer Camp/PNO or performance at th for any injury sustained by my child during the course of camp rules. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE	e WMS football game. I understand that   If the camp/PNO or performance. I unde	participation in a cheer activity carries an
Parent/Guardian Signature:		Date:	

### RAVENWOOD HIGH SCHOOL VARSITY DANCE TEAM 2013 DANCE CLINIC

"BEACH PARTY!"

Clinic: Saturday, October 5th 10:00am – 1:30pm

Performance: Thursday, October 10th at RHS Football Game

Cost: \$40.00 K-8<sup>th</sup> graders Invite your friends to join you!

No dance experience is required to participate in The Ravenwood Beach Party.  $K - 8^{th}$  grade participants will be instructed in a dance routine to be performed on Thursday, October 10th prior to the RHS home football game.

REGISTRATION: <u>Register no later than September 24<sup>th</sup>to receive a complimentary clinic t-shirt (to be worn during performance)</u>. After September 24<sup>th</sup> we cannot guarantee participant will receive a t-shirt, but you may still register.

LUNCH OPTION: Lunch catered by Papa John's Pizza, Fruit, Chips and bottled water. (Please include \$6 in registration payment.)

DAY OF CLINIC: Registration begins at 9:30 am. Dancers should wear comfortable clothes and dance or tennis shoes. Dancers should bring a water bottle. Instructional DVD's (of the routine), as well as a "Beach Party" hair accessory and commemorative photo of participant will be available for purchase on clinic day.

PERFORMANCE NIGHT: Dancers should wear their complimentary t-shirt with a pair of black shorts. Please arrive at 4:45pm at the front entrance of RHS. Send a snack/dinner. Participants will rehearse from 5:00-6:00pm, eat, and then perform prior to the game with an approximate performance time of 7:10 pm.

REGISTRATION PROCESS: Complete the form below, detach and mail with your check (payable to "RHS Dance Team") to: Pamela Needham 604 Limestone Ct., Nolensville, TN 37135; Email: <a href="mailto:fpneedham@yahoo.com">fpneedham@yahoo.com</a> Phone: 615-516-2583. Please include the optional lunch payment, if desired, with your registration payment. You will receive confirmation via email or phone upon receipt of your registration form.

SPONSORSHIPS: To become a Clinic Sponsor, contact Rhonda McKissock at rhondamck@comcast.net or 615-772-5100. REGISTRATION AND ORDER FORM (additional forms available at www.ravenwood-dance.org) DANCER NAME: GRADE/SCHOOL: ADDRESS: ALT PHONE: YEARS OF DANCE: SHIRT SIZE: (CIRCLE ONE) YS YM YL AS AM AL TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: LUNCH: (\$6.00 OPTIONAL) YES NO CHECK# (\$40 CLINIC ONLY; \$46 CLINIC & LUNCH) , hereby release Ravenwood High School Dance Team members and their parents/guardians, Ravenwood High School faculty and staff and/or sponsors from liability from any injury sustained by my child during the Fall Clinic or performance at Ravenwood High School. I understand that participation in a dance activity carries an assumed risk of injury. I assume full responsibility for any injury sustained by my child during the course of the workshop or performance. I further understand that the clinic reserves the right to dismiss any individual who does not conform to the clinic rules. REGISTRATION FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. DATE: SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN:

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE CLINIC?: \_\_\_\_\_\_