



# Bird's Eye View

December 4, 2013  
Issue 17

## Canned Food Drive!

Items go to GraceWorks Ministries

### Individually-Sized Items Needed:

- Microwavable Meat Meals
- Cereal
- Pudding Cups
- Beans and Franks
- Easy Mac
- Peanut Butter to Go
- Fruit Snacks
- Packaged Meat and Crackers



### Food Pantry Items Needed:

- Rice
- Vegetables
- Canned Ham or Chicken
- Pasta Sauce (Jars and Cans)
- Jelly
- Peanut Butter
- Deodorant
- Razors
- Dishwashing Liquid
- Toothbrush and Toothpaste
- Fruit
- Beans
- Crackers
- Canned Beef Stew
- Meals (Like Hamburger Helper)
- Soup
- Laundry Detergent
- Shaving Cream
- Cleaning Supplies

**November 18th-  
December 18th**

Please bring items to the front of the school  
by Dec. 18th.

Thank you from the Kenrose  
Elementary Student Council

### Dates to Remember:

- 11/18- 12/18 GraceWorks Canned Food Drive
- 12/06 Spirit Friday
- 12/10 Dec Skate Night, 4:30 pm  
Brentwood Skate Center
- 12/20 Winter Party, 11:00 am  
1/2 Day
- 12/23- 01/03 Winter Holiday
- 01/06 No School for Students  
Administrative Day
- 01/07- 01/09 Talent Show Auditions
- 01/17 Talent Show

### Nutrition Nuggets Fun:

(WCS CSH Newsletter)

**Q:** What did the gingerbread man put on his bed?

**A:** A cookie sheet.



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

## Kenrose Talent Show

Attention all third, fourth, and fifth grade parents and students, due to the busy assessment schedule in May our annual talent show this year will be held in January!!! Auditions will be January 7<sup>th</sup>– 9<sup>th</sup>, 2014. (Please note that January 7<sup>th</sup> is our first day back from winter break.) Audition times will be available both before and after school. Talent show participants will be based upon the results of auditions. I will post a list of the participants on Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, outside my door, and the talent show will be performed for the entire school on Friday morning, January 17<sup>th</sup>. Students who wish to sign up for the talent show must sign up for a time outside the music room door between December 9<sup>th</sup> and December 13<sup>th</sup>. I expect that the audition times will go fast so please sign up as soon as possible. Students will be notified of their audition time before they leave for winter break on December 20<sup>th</sup>. I am excited to see the wonderful talents of our third, fourth, and fifth grade students!

Ms. Lori Pike, Kenrose Music Teacher

# ING | KIDS ROCK

It is that time again to register for this year's ING KiDS ROCK marathon in downtown Nashville! Registration is open and the cost is \$25 thru 12/31/2013, the cost goes up to \$30 in January until race day in April or they sell out.

Please select "Kenrose" from the list of schools when registering.

Run Club information will be available after the New Year to help prepare for the big race day! For more information, please click on the following link or contact Anna Sellers at [anna.sellers@wcs.edu](mailto:anna.sellers@wcs.edu)

<http://ingkidsrock.competitor.com/event-info/nashville/>

## December 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 <small>½ Day for Students - No specials</small>	21	22
23 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	24 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	25 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	26 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	27 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	28	29
30 <small>Winter Holiday</small>	31 <small>Winter Holiday</small>					

# PTO News & Events

## ***SPIRIT FRIDAYS!!***

All spirit days are the first Friday of the month  
Next Date: Friday, December 6th

- **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 TEACHER'S name on it. This way we can track how many TOPS that each class collects.

Visit [www.BoxTops4Education.com](http://www.BoxTops4Education.com) 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, Dec. 10th**

# **Kenrose Skate Night**

**at Brentwood Skate Center**

**402 Wilson Pike Circle**

**from 4:30pm to 6:30pm!**

**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, Dec 10th 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!**

**Have you checked out the new Kenrose PTO website yet?**

# PTAvenue

[www.ptavenue.com](http://www.ptavenue.com)

parent log in: KenrosePTO

\*Stay up to date with the Calendar of School Events\*

\*Use the online store to order t-shirts, headbands,  
envelopes and more!

Use the Document link to:

View PTO financials

View Past BEV

Newcomers Handbook

PTO Enrollment Form

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 <http://www.wcs.edu/kes>. If you need to change or add an email address on our distribution list, please contact Johnna Miller at [johnna.miller@comcast.net](mailto:johnna.miller@comcast.net) to update your information. If you have any questions, please contact us at [KenrosePTO@yahoo.com](mailto: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 [kenrosetpto@yahoo.com](mailto:kenrosetpto@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 [marilynw@wcs.edu](mailto:marilynw@wcs.edu), Christy Geuther, PTO President, at [tmacq@comcast.net](mailto:tmacq@comcast.net), and Jacqueline Cartailer at [kenrosetpto@yahoo.com](mailto:kenrosetpto@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



## An Evening with author CHRIS GRABENSTEIN

**Where:** Woodland Middle School

**When:** Thursday, December 5

Chris will be speaking from 5-6pm in the WMS Band Room and will sign books from 6-7pm in the library. Books will be available for sale in the library as part of the book fair, but please feel free to bring your own copies for him to sign for you. He is the author of numerous books for children, young adults, and adults, including the award winning series *The Haunted Mysteries*, *Escape From Mr. Lemoncello's Library*, and he has co-authored *I Funny*, the *Treasure Hunters series*, and *Daniel X* with James Patterson. Before he was writing books, he wrote for the Muppets, and he co-wrote a TV movie *The Christmas Gift*. Please join us for an exciting evening! If you have any questions, please email Lindsey Anderson ([lindseya@wcs.edu](mailto:lindseya@wcs.edu)).

**The Ravenwood Dance Team  
is turning into  
**SANTA'S HELPERS**  
by providing a  
“Night Out for Parents”  
during the busy holiday season!**



**Friday, Dec 6<sup>th</sup>  
6:00pm-10:00pm  
K-5<sup>th</sup> graders - girls and boys  
Cost: \$25/child (\$5 for each additional sibling)  
Drop off at RHS Gym**

**The RHS Dancers, RHS Dance Boosters and RHS Sponsor will provide  
a variety of activities, including games, movies, face painting, crafts...  
AND A VISIT FROM SANTA!**

**Advance reservations are requested, but not required.**

Parents must fill out a form for each child.

**Contact: Melinda Seibert at [ataggienseibert@comcast.net](mailto:ataggienseibert@comcast.net) or call 615-497-4990**



**SANTA'S HELPERS – PARENT'S NIGHT OUT!!!**  
**DECEMBER 6, 2013**  
**RHS DANCE TEAM & BOOSTERS**

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

Additional forms available at [www.ravenwood-dance.org](http://www.ravenwood-dance.org)

CHILD'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE/GRADE \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT'S NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF PERSON(S) WHO MAY PICK UP CHILD: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (if we need to contact you during event): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ ALT PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby release Ravenwood High School Dance Team members and their parents/guardians (boosters), Ravenwood High School faculty and staff and/or sponsors from liability from any injury sustained by my child during the 'Santa's Helpers' – Parent's Night Out at Ravenwood High School. I assume full responsibility for any injury sustained by my child during the course of this event.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN:

\_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

*Thank you!*

**Scan and email your child's registration to**  
**[aggieseibert@comcast.net](mailto:aggieseibert@comcast.net)**  
**or call 615-497-4990 to reserve a spot!**