

Bird's Eye View

January 15, 2014 Issue 21



An outreach of our Counseling Services is offering parent education opportunities for our Kenrose community. The following program will be held as part of our "Cardinal Connection" program. The Counseling Committee will be providing breakfast treats. Please join us!

JANUARY 17THAT 8:45AM IN THE CAFÉ: UNDERSTANDING THE COMMON CORE

PROGRAM WILL BE PRESENTED BY OUR KES PRINCIPAL, DR. MARILYN WEBB.

Dates to Remember:

01/17 Cardinal Connection, Kenrose Café-8:45 am

01/17 Talent Show

01/20 No School, MLK Day

01/23 Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

01/28- Book Fair Preview Days

01/29

01/30- Book Fair

02/07

01/31 2014-2015 PTO Executive Board Nominations

Deadline

02/06 Munchies for Moms, A-M Kenrose Café, 7:30 am

02/07 Munchies for Moms, N-Z Kenrose Café, 7:30 am

02/07 Father-Daughter Dance, Café & Gym, 6:00 pm

02/14 Valentine's Day Parties, 2:30 pm

02/17 No School, Professional Development Day

02/24- Pennies for Patients

02/28

The Kids Rock ING marathon is open to Kindergarten through 5th grade! Kids only run one mile in downtown Nashville on race day! Come and join team Kenrose as we join other surrounding schools to celebrate physical fitness and running!

Anyone can sign up online or send in a paper copy. Please do not send any registration forms though the school, they must be sent in directly by the parent or guardian.

Be sure to select, "Kenrose" as your team school. Please contact team captain, Anna Sellers at <u>anna.sellers@wcs.edu</u> for more information or our sharepoint page for information on training and links to website.

Please be aware, some grades fill up quickly so early registration will ensure a place on race day!

Look for information in the New Year regarding a Spring Run Club to get those little legs ready for race day!



Let's





What is KiDS ROCK?

- Through four, six and eight-week training programs, kids can train with parents, teachers, coaches and friends to work toward the common goal of completing 12 to 25 miles.
- On race day, participants come together to complete their final mile on the course and become official KiDS ROCK finishers (Kindergarteners run ½ mile).
- All finishers receive an official race number, medal, t-shirt, and reusable goodie bag for their accomplishments.
- The program is open to kids grades K-7.
- The training program also includes tips to help kids start and maintain an overall healthy and active lifestyle.
- KiDS ROCK is a nationwide program held in conjunction with the Rock 'n' Roll Marathon Series.

KiDS ROCK in 2014

- KiDS ROCK events will take place in 12 markets Phoenix, New Orleans, Washington D.C., Dallas, Nashville, San Diego, Philadelphia, Montreal, Denver, Los Angeles, Savannah and San Antonio.
- KiDS ROCK will impact an estimated 17,000 20,000 kids in 2014.
- It is currently one of the largest kids-only running series in the U.S. and continues to expand.

KiDS ROCK Nashville in 2014

- Date: <u>Sunday, April 27, 2014</u> Time: <u>2:00 pm</u>
- Location: LP Field
- Registration is open
 - o \$25 until December 31, 2013
 - o \$30 January 1- Sell Out
- In order to form a team you need to complete an "Intent to Form a Team"
- Team Captains can pick up their entire team's t-shirts, and race numbers.

Group pick-up is only for registered teams.

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT:

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

If you have any questions please contact your Team Captain.

KIDS ROCK Nashville • April 27, 2014

register online at **RUNKIDSROCK.com** Race it



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January 2014

| 6 Administrative Day | 7 | 1 Winter Holiday | 2 Winter Holiday | 3 Winter Holiday | 4 | 5. |
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| Administrative | | 8 | | | | |
| | First Day for Students - 2 nd Semester | | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| 3 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 MLK Day - No School! | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |

PTO News & Events



What's for Dinner Thursday, January 23rd?

Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night

Chick-Fil-A 3063 Mallory Lane Franklin, TN 37067

During the hours of 4pm til 8 pm.

Dine in or drive thru. Let them know you are from Kenrose Elementary and a portion of your meal will support our school. Teachers, kids, families and even grandparents or friends.

**Class with most participation wins a Chick-Fil-A Cookie Tray & Lunch for their Teacher!

We supported Kenrose at Chick-Fil-A Spirit Night.

| Child's Name | |
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| Child's Teacher | Grade |
| Parent Signature | (send in one slip per child) |
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Thank you for supporting Kenrose!

2014-2015 PTO Executive Board Nominations



The election for your Kenrose Elementary 2014-2015 Executive PTO Board is just around the corner. If you would like to serve on the board or know someone who would be a good candidate, please complete the following Nomination Form and return it to school by Friday, January 31, 2014 in an envelope marked "PTO Nominating Committee". If you have any questions about the nominations or a Board Position, please contact Johnna Miller at 618-4776 or johnna.miller@comcast.net.

| Nominee for President: | Name | Phone |
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| | | Meetings and serves on the Building Leadership Team. Supervises all are accomplished on a timely basis. |
| Nominee for VP Membe | rship: Name | Phone |
| Promotes and tracks PTC Back to School Bash, Bo | O memberships. Oversees the o Hoo Breakfast, Book Fair, Do | following committees: Directory, Volunteer Connection, Hospitality, nuts for Dads/Muffins for Moms, and Room Parent Coordinator. inability of the President to serve. |
| Nominee for VP of Funda | raising: Name | Phone |
| Coordinates annual fun | draising projects: Build the Ne | st & Family Fun Night. Oversees the following committees: Food for ommittees for all other fundraising events. |
| Nominee for Assistant to | VP of Fundraising: Name | Phone |
| | with all fundraising projects. | |
| Nominee for VP Projects | | Phone |
| | committees that support every scaping, and School Supplies. | day school functions: Spirit, Playground, Environmental and |
| Nominee for Treasurer: | Name | Phone |
| income/expense statem | nent and balance sheet for the | ties of the PTO. Prepares annual PTO budget. Provides a monthly e Executive Board and General PTO meetings. Responsible for econciles monthly bank statements. |
| Nominee for Assistant Tr | easurer: Name | Phone |
| Responsible for check d | isbursements and collection o | Phone f funds for all PTO activities. |
| Nominee for Recording | Secretary: Name | Phone |
| Keeps all records of atte minutes to the Kenrose of | endance and proceedings of to community on the bulletin boo | Phone the Executive Board and General PTO meetings. Publishes those ard. |
| Nominee for Parliament | arian: Name | Phone |
| Advises the presiding of | ficer of parliamentary procedu ne By-Laws and Nominating Co | ures and procedural matters during Executive Board and General |
| Nominee for Public Rela | tions Coordinator: Name | Phone |
| by the Principal. Overse | es and coordinates volunteer | cooperation with the school designated media contact as assigned s for the marquee, bulletin board, correspondence envelopes, mers Breakfast and Handbook, and PTAvenue. |

Hard to believe, but the Spring Book Fair is right around the corner! Due to the very busy spring calendar at Kenrose and the change in TCAP dates, our spring fair is about two weeks earlier than it has been in years past. Despite this change, we know it will be another great book fair!

Book Fair opens for business on *Thursday, January 30th and runs until 9:00 a.m. the following Friday (February 7th)*. It takes a lot of volunteers to make book fair happen and we are so appreciative of all the parents who share their time. As a reminder, all proceeds from the Book Fair are used to purchase new books and other equipment for the Kenrose Library!

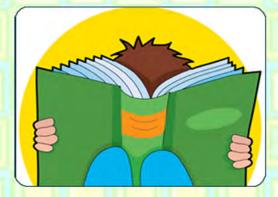
Students will visit the book fair with their class *during Specials* when they go to library. If you go to the sign up, please remember note: *MRS. KON, MRS. SMITHSON AND MRS. MOSER ARE NOT LISTED. THE STUDENTS IN THOSE CLASSES ARE SPLIT AMONG THE OTHER CLASSES IN THEIR GRADE FOR SPECIALS. THEY WILL COME TO BOOK FAIR WITH THAT CLASS.*

If you want to help with Book Fair, click <u>HERE</u> or cut and paste the following address in to your browser: http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080E44ACAD2EA02-kesspring3

In addition to needing volunteers when the book fair is open during the school day, we also need help with set up, tear down, preview day and during Munchies for Mom! If you have any questions, contact Kris Helou at kghelou@yahoo.com. We're looking forward to another great book fair!

Kris Helou and Christy Geuther

Book Fair Chairs



THANKYOU

A big thank you to our Kenrose volunteers that made Holiday Cheer a huge success!

Melissa Sansom
Joelle Colhour
Jodi Harrison
Lee Ann Gruver
Ansley Black
Carie Harter
Lynn Peck
Johnna Miller
Joanna Blood
Kristyn Roseborough
Colleen King
Michelle Watkins

Jennifer Ryan
Janelle Anderson
Kimbr Hellige
Surabhi Choudhury
Julie Hunsinger
Lanesia Strange
Anna Grizzle
Kristen Richardson
Jennifer Luteran
Lee Cazayoux
Jenny Slaughter
Raquel Abel
Colleen Blanchette

Anna Daniels
Sujatha Chitturi
Jane McGrath
Ashley Mittermeier
Marian Karp
Angie Wright
Kris Helou
Christy Geuther
Julie Kelley
Carla Green
Tami Smith

Please join us for Munchies for Moms!

Bring your Mom or other special someone and enjoy breakfast together in the Kenrose Café 7:30 am - 8:30 am

Thursday, February 6th Friday, February 7th Last names beginning with A through M Last names beginning with N through Z

You won't want to miss a special presentation from our Kindergarteners at 8:00 a.m.!

We need your help! If you would like to volunteer or help out for this event, please contact Christy Steinfeld at christysteinfeld@me.com.

Kenrose Father - Daughter Dance!

Fríday, February 7, 2014 Kenrose Café and Gym 6:00~8:00

Dinner and Dancing

Dads, please join us for a sweet night of dinner and dancing with your favorite little girl(s). Please dress in your best dancing attire and enjoy this special evening.

Dinner provided by Chick-fil-A Corsages available for pick up at Publix, the day of the event

Photography by Kristen Mayfield

Please RSVP to Colleen King at colleenking0424@yahoo.com or Jennifer James at jenzjames@yahoo.com by February 3, 2014

Hi and Happy New Year!

Kenrose will be participating in the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society's Pennies for Patients Program again this year. This year will be our 12th year to help support this program, which raises funds to find cures for the blood cancers: Leukemia, Lymphoma, Hodgkin and non-Hodgkin Lymphoma, and Myeloma, and to help patients with these diseases.

The program will run for one week, from Monday, February 24th to Friday, February 28th. Students will bring in change, cash, or a check with all of the proceeds going to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (LLS).

I will need 4 or 5 people each day during the campaign to help collect the change from the classes as well as to take the change to a coinstar location where it will be counted and donated directly to the LLS. I will have complete instructions for each volunteer. It is very easy! We will meet in the school lobby and it should take about two hours from 9-11am.

If you could, please sign up on the sign up genius with the link here. www.SignUpGenius.com/go/30E0D4CADAC2FA20-kenrose Also, it is really best if you do not have small children with you, as it may get difficult with all of the change (usually a shopping cart full of buckets) and everything (sorry)!

Again, thank you for your time. This charity is very near to my heart as my now 12th grade son, Blake, is a Leukemia Survivor who completed 3 years and 2 months of chemotherapy and is at his 9-year anniversary of stopping chemo. Thanks to volunteers like you and programs like this one, we will find a cure in our lifetime.

If you should have any questions or need any further information, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thanks again,

Polly Diggs
Pennies for Patients Chairperson
jdiggs5@comcast.net
661-0346/(c)218-0082

PS: Last year, Kenrose raised \$8,709.95 bringing our 11 year total to \$89,708.04. We were 1st place in the state of Tennessee. So we are making a difference!! Save those pennies! They really do make a difference.

Save the Date!

Kenrose Moms and Sons

Get ready for a great night for moms and their sweet son(s)

Friday, March 7, 2014

6:00-8:00

Keep an eye out in the Bird's Eye View for more info coming your way!

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 to 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 <u>marilynw@wcs.edu</u>, Christy Geuther, PTO President, at <u>tmgcag@comcast.net</u>, and Jacqueline Cartailler at <u>kenrosepto@vahoo.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



Woodland Middle School Fifth Grade Open House Monday, March 31, 2014

Tours begin at 6:00 pm followed by program in the gym at 6:30 pm for all incoming fifth grade students and parents.