

KMS May Newsletter 2019



Students of the Month

Congratulations to Nevaeh Hugley, Manny Wilson, Ben Sams and Grace Lodge. They will receive a McDonald's gift card compliments of PTO. Keep it up!

8th Grade News

Departure for the DC trip will be at 6 AM on Thursday, May 9. Please arrive at 5:15 AM and report to the gymnasium. Make sure everything you need for Thursday, including lunch money, is in your carry on bag.

Career speakers will visit KMS on May 17th to share information about their jobs. All 8th graders will then be required to job shadow on May 21st at an occupation of their choice.

Power of the Pen

Best of luck to Emma Mulligan as she competes at the state competition on May 24 at the College of Wooster.

Yearbooks

Do not forget to order your yearbooks online. Email or call Mr. Bartlett with questions.

Band News

Congratulations to the following 7th grade band students who are performing in the Bowling Green State Middle School Honor Band on May 6: Kinley Howe, Lauren Woltz and Trenton Rogers. Awesome work everyone!

Student Government News

Choose Hope and Field Day for Kenton Middle School will be on Wednesday, May 22 from 8:45 AM-12 PM. The Choose Hope part of the day is where KMS students not only remember and honor those that have battled cancer, but a day where money is raised for a non-profit organization that helps those who are currently fighting the fight against cancer. During the field day, the students will be involved with many activities where they can compete for prizes.

We are also asking that if any of our students know a person that has battled cancer to email the names to millerr@kentoncityschools.org or 23whitjenna@kentoncityschools.org so that we can remember them during our opening ceremony. At the closing ceremony a check will be presented to our non-profit organization.

The Kenton Middle School will once again put on the last day of school talent show. One major change to this year's show is that the show will not be judged. Instead, the focus of the show is simply for entertainment purposes. We are putting on a "SHOW". This year the show will begin at approximately 8:20 AM and will finish before lunch (11:30 AM). There will also be a 15 minute intermission. Students can purchase tickets for \$1 at lunch starting the week of May13, and parents and community members can purchase tickets from 8-8:15 AM the day of the show from the box office at the back of the auditorium. All proceeds go towards the purchase of a sound system for our gymnasium. Please be on time.

Dates to Remember

- May 1-3 7th grade to Camp Heartland
- May 6 6th graders visit KMS
- May 9-13 8th grade to Washington D.C.
- May 14 KMS Track Awards
- May 21 8th grade Job Shadowing
- May 21 KMS Awards Night at 7 PM
- May 22 Choose Hope 8:45 AM- 12 PM
- May 23 Last Day of School
- May 23 KMS Variety Show 8:20 AM
- May 23 8th grade Promotion 2 PM



Show Choir News

Any 8th grade student interested in joining the award-winning Top Twenty for the 2019-2020 school year as a member of the singer-dancers or Tech Crew, please grab information in the main office or the choir room. If you are interested in Crew, please sign your name so Mr. Daquino can contact you with more information.

If you are interested in playing in our show band, the A-Company, please contact Mr. Gibson or Mr. Daquino. We are especially looking for an electric guitar player that can read music or at least play at a high level.

Top Twenty is an award-winning group at KHS comprised of more than 60 students that travel to and compete in show choir competitions in Ohio, West Virginia, and Indiana. We are scored based on how well we sing and dance, play instruments, execute a diverse, popular show with a unified theme, and how efficiently we set up and tear down our stage. It's a lot of work, and a lot of fun! Questions? Email Mr. Daquino at daquino@kentonschools.org or Mr. Gibson at gibson@kentonschools.org



7th grade Science News

This is our Hydroponic tower that several of Mrs. Long's 7th graders are managing. We are growing fancy lettuce that we hope to donate to the cafeteria for some lunches very soon. We are learning about food sustainability and what it takes to grow food for groups of people. We would like to thank Quest Federal Credit Union, American Electric Power and Robinson Finn for donating to make this tower possible.

Other News

Check your student's lunch account often, so they always have a positive balance. Please remember that the cafeteria opens at 7:30 AM for free breakfast, so students should not arrive any earlier. Also, all fees and fines must be paid to go on all trips. Contact the KMS office, if you have any questions.