

KMS November Newsletter 2019



Students of the Month

Congratulations to Adrienne Frey, Cameron Jesionowski, Avery Miller & Kale House. They received a McDonald's gift card compliments of PTO. Keep making KMS great!

If you have not signed up for Parent-Teacher Conferences yet, please go to:

<http://middleschool.kentoncityschools.org/> and follow the links to sign-up. ALL STUDENTS must be scheduled for a conference.

8th Grade News

Your child will soon have the opportunity to job shadow. Job shadowing is scheduled for November 22th. They will be excused from classes at KMS on this day so that they can experience a career option. Students and their parents must make arrangements for this six to eight hour experience. Classroom teachers will be discussing how to do this appropriately.

The purpose of job shadowing is to allow time for career exploration. This will help them as they begin to design an individual career plan. This career plan will help them to find a direction as they start planning for high school. Job shadowing provides first hand experience in exploring the world of work. The ultimate goal is for them to be a productive citizen and to one day be working at a job they enjoy.

Robotics Team News

Our Robotics Club team has been busy designing and building robots since early September. The first competition for the club will be Saturday November 2nd at North Union High School. The competition starts around 9:00am and will conclude around 2:30 PM.

The VEX Robotics Competition called Tower Takeover is played on a 12'x12' square field. Two Alliances – one "red" and one "blue" – composed of two Teams each, compete in matches consisting of a fifteen second Autonomous Period, followed by a one minute and forty-five second Driver Controlled Period.

The object of the game is to attain a higher score than the opposing Alliance by placing Cubes in Towers, or scoring Cubes in Goals. Good luck team!

Thank You

The staff and students of KMS would like to thank all those who participated in Uncle Jerry's fundraiser. We were able to earn \$1,958.80 for various activities throughout the school year. Thank you for your support!

Yearbooks

KMS yearbook order forms can be picked up in Mr. Bartlett's room or in the main office. Students may return the flyer or go online to place an order. Email or call Mr. Bartlett with questions.



The Student Government held a successful Halloween Costume and Scare Party on October 26th. Thank you to all the parents and staff that gave of their time to make it so much fun!

Dates to Remember

11-6 2 Hour Early Release
11-6 & 11-7 Parent Teacher Conferences
11-7 & 11-8 NO SCHOOL
11-20 Jeff Yalden Assembly
11-22 8th Grade Job Shadowing
11-27 through 11-29 Thanksgiving Break

Please remember to check your child's lunch balance often!

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To promote the health and well-being of ALL Wildcats, our entire campus is tobacco-free.

#KMSLeaders Challenge

What is it? Kenton Middle School's students are committing to develop highly effective habits and acts of leadership outside regular school hours. Through this challenge, families will help develop their student leaders by documenting habits and leadership happening outside the traditional school day!

How? Families will take a photo of their student practicing one of the 7 highly effective habits or an exceptional act of leadership.

Requirements

Submit your photo with the following information via Google Forms at this link: <https://bit.ly/325rdFI>

1. What the student is doing
2. What leadership habit they are exhibiting



Submissions that meet the requirements will be posted. At the end of the month, one student will be drawn to win a \$50 gift card.

Winner to be announced at the winter music concert!

When? November 1st - 30th



Disclaimer

The photo may not be approved if the student(s) is not taking initiative in their leadership development. For example, doing an assigned chore or homework does not count.

