



KINGSWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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PARENT BULLETIN #10

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Dear Parents,



The days are getting longer, the birds are singing, and gardens are starting to bloom. A sure sign that summer is just around the corner.

As third term begins there are many events and activities planned. The annual track and field meet will be held on Tuesday, May 2nd and track attack practices will begin on Monday, April 10th. Third term is a time for celebration as we creep closer to the 2016/17 school years end. Please continue to pay close attention to classroom newsletters and school information going home, as there are things happening at Kingswood every week!

R. Manning, Principal

CONTINUING EDUCATION – SUMMER 2017: This brochure will be coming out shortly. Please ask at the school office if you would like a copy.

ATTIRE REMINDER: At Kingswood, mutual respect for ourselves, each other and the environment, is one of the most important aspects of our school culture. Therefore, staff, students and parents are expected to dress in a respectful and responsible manner for all school activities. Clothing worn by students must be appropriate and should not be distracting to others, e.g. no tank tops, bare midriffs, and/or backs. Also clothing should not contain offensive words or pictures.

CLASS PLACEMENT INFORMATION: If you have information that you would like us to consider when placing your child in a class for next year, please take this opportunity to submit this information to us in writing by May 31. This information will be shared with teachers during the meetings to make up preliminary class lists for September. It will not be possible to consider information or requests submitted by parents in September once classes have been established. Please do not request specific teachers - at this time we do not know which teachers will be teaching which grades next year.

We are currently looking for parent volunteers. Please sign up in front of the library if you're able to help out. Come on by and check it out!

EARLY DISMISSAL @ 2 PM – MAY 23: Students will be released at 2 PM on Tuesday, May 23, so teachers may attend their annual general meeting.



WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN – JUNE 1: Our Welcome to Kindergarten open house will be held on Wednesday, June 1 from 1-2 p.m. We look forward to meeting our newest Kingswood students soon.

PARENT APPRECIATION – MAY 26: The Kingswood staff applaud our Kingswood parents, and are ever-thankful for the partnership that we share. We appreciate the support and dedication that continually comes our way, and of course to the children.

As a very small token of our appreciation, we wish to treat you to a muffin for breakfast on the morning of Friday, May 26. If you are unable to make it into the school building, we hope to catch you outside before school begins.



YEAR END COMMUNITY FAMILY PICNIC: JUNE 14: We hope your entire family can join us for our year end picnic on Wednesday, June 14 from 5-8 PM. This is a pot-luck community event. Hope to see you there!

SPORTS DAY – JUNE 9: This special event will be held on Friday, June 9, rain or shine. Parents are reminded that there will also be a food day and all students will be dismissed at approximately 1:30 p.m. on that day.

RETURNING LATE IN SEPTEMBER?

ANY FAMILIES WHO WILL BE UNABLE TO RETURN BY 12 NOON ON WED. SEPT. 6, 2017 MUST NOTIFY THE SCHOOL IN WRITING OR YOUR CHILD'S SPACE IN THE CLASS MAY NOT BE RESERVED.

MOVING?

BE SURE TO LET US KNOW IF YOU PLAN ON MOVING AND/OR CHANGING SCHOOLS OVER THE SUMMER.



**** FUTURE EVENTS & ACTIVITIES ****

THE BOOK FAIR'S COMING ~ May 8 - 12th! Mrs. Lau has arranged to have the Scholastic Bookfair come to Kingswood from May 8 - 12th! The hours will be from 8:15-8:40 AM, during lunch and 3:15-4:00 PM. The book fair provides students with the opportunity to purchase books and literacy-related items at competitive prices, while also functioning as the main fundraiser for the library. A percentage of every purchase made by the students is given back to the library in the form of books and library materials.

**** DATES TO REMEMBER ****

- MAY 1.....PRO D DAY
- MAY 2.....TRACK AND FIELD MEET (MINORU)
- MAY 4.....PAC MEETING @ 6 PM – SCHOOL'S STAFF ROOM
- MAY 11.....HOMEWORK CLUB
- MAY 14.....MOTHER'S DAY
- MAY 15.....K & GR. 6 IMMUNIZATION
- MAY 17.....SPIRIT DAY - BEACH DAY
- MAY 18.....HOMEWORK CLUB CANCELLED FOR TODAY
-PAC HOT LUNCH
- MAY 19.....PRO-D AFTERNOON (11:10 DISMISSAL)
- MAY 19.....S. ARM GYM PROGRAM CANCELLED FOR TODAY
- MAY 22.....VICTORIA DAY (SCHOOLS CLOSED)
- MAY 23.....TEACHERS' AGM: EARLY DISMISSAL @ 2 PM
- MAY 24.....PHOTOGRAPHER GROUP PHOTOS 8:45 AM
- MAY 25.....HOMEWORK CLUB
- MAY 26.....PARENT APPRECIATION MORNING
(*THANK YOU, KINGSWOOD PARENTS!!*)
- MAY 26.....ASSEMBLY @ 9 AM
-SOUTH ARM GYM
- MAY 30.....PAC HOT LUNCH
- JUNE 1.....WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN EVENT – 1 PM
-HOMEWORK CLUB
-PAC MEETING @ 6 PM – SCHOOL'S STAFF ROOM
- JUNE 2.....FINAL SOUTH ARM GYM PROGRAM FOR YEAR
- JUNE 9.....SPORTS DAY – 1:15 DISMISSAL
- JUNE 14.....FAMILY PICNIC 5-8 PM
- JUNE 15.....FINAL HOMEWORK CLUB FOR YEAR

JUNE 18.....FATHER'S DAY
JUNE 22.....PAC AGM ~*Location & Time TBA*
JUNE 26.....SOUTH ARM SWIM - ALL 11:00 - 12:00
JUNE 28.....GR. 7 GRAD ASSEMBLY @ 9 AM
JUNE 29.....9:00 AM RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY
JUNE 29.....REPORTS HOME/ 11:10 AM EARLY DISMISSAL
JUNE 30.....FINAL DAY FOR STAFF (*NO STUDENTS IN ATTENDANCE*)

***DATES FOR NEXT YEAR'S 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR
WILL BE SENT TO YOU BY THE END OF MAY.***