



March 27, 2015



Upcoming Events

Apr 7—Kings Community Meeting, 7:00 p.m., KJH Multipurpose Room.

Apr 11—Knight to Remember, 5:30-11:30 p.m., Great Wolf Lodge.

Apr 16—Senior Community Service Night, 6:00 p.m., KHS.

Apr 21—Kings Board of Education Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Kings Education Center, Conf. Rm. 2.

More event information can be found at: <http://www.kingslocal.net/Calendar/Pages/default.aspx>

There will be no EBBN next week. We'll see you back on Friday, April 10th!



Kings Community Meeting

Please join Kings Superintendent Timothy J. Spinner and Treasurer Shaun Bevan for a Community Meeting on Tuesday, April 7 from 7:00—8:30 p.m. in the Kings Junior High Multipurpose Room. They will discuss the district's current financial situation, the district's financial forecast, and information concerning the upcoming Permanent Improvement Levy which will be on the May 5, 2015 ballot.



A brief question and answer session will immediately follow the presentation. Kings Board Members and District Administrators will be in attendance to help answer questions.

Please join us!

Enjoy your Spring Break! School Resumes on Tuesday, April 7th.

CIS Visiting Artist

During the week of March 23 -27th, renowned ceramic artist George Woideck was at Columbia Intermediate School to create an all-school glass tile mosaic for the cafeteria. Mr. Woideck guided all students in the making of this art project that measures 32 inches tall and 20 feet wide. The design is based on students' ideas that were given to Mr. Thomas who in turn organized them into a cohesive work of art.

Mr. Woideck who is from Shaker Heights Ohio has been developing a career as a prominent ceramic artist trained as a painter with time off to tour and record as a rock musician, he has become well known for creating major ceramic tile murals and mosaics installed in dozens schools and business locations including Newton D. Baker Elementary School of the Arts in Cleveland, the Inland Paper and Packaging Headquarters in Streetsboro, Ohio and the new Performing Arts Center at Westlake, High School in Westlake Ohio. Recently he completed a ceramic tile kitchen for a summer home in Maine and has begun work on a fireplace and chimney tile installation for a home in one of the Chicago suburbs.

When not working in his studio, George Woideck gives ceramic workshops on new techniques to school instructors for the Teacher Resource Center of the Cleveland Museum of Art. He completes artist-in-residences in Northeast Ohio for Young Audiences of Northeast Ohio and regularly curates and juries exhibitions.

This week's visit was sponsored by the CIS PTO. This afternoon, there will be a special unveiling of the new mosaic in the cafeteria. Stay tuned for the next EBBN to see the finished product!

To learn more about Mr. Woideck check out his website at <http://www.tileandclayart.com>.



Warren County Soil and Water Conservation District Visits SLE



The second grade at South Lebanon Elementary had a visit by the Warren County Soil and Water Conservation District. Marta Farrell taught the students how water moves in a continuous cycle. The students played a game using beads to map their journey in the water cycle.

Susie Giesler from Warren County also visited recently and taught the students how to make paper!



Best Buddies Club Raises Funds

The Kings Junior High School's Best Buddies Club Fundraiser was a big success. They sold more than 450 bags of treats! Thank you to Pets & People who employs adults with disabilities to make the treats.

The students and their Buddies had a dog party last Sunday to celebrate with man's best friend when the treats were delivered. They had games and competitions for all the puppies. Dogs won for Best Trick, Cutest Dog, and Best Doggie Selfie. The club is looking forward to doing it again in the fall!



SLE Students Taking Part in Veggie U Curriculum



This week the students at South Lebanon Elementary studied the importance of consuming local vegetables to help promote ecologically friendly agricultural practices. The students sampled many different new and unique vegetables like rutabagas, parsnips, arugula, kale, turnips, radishes, and beets. Many of their vegetable choices were root veggies, as the students have been studying photosynthesis and how some plants store their excess sugars in their roots. The best part of the lesson is that students got to reap the benefits in the consumption of root veggies! They have also been investigating germination rates of peas depending on different soil types used for planting.

Mrs. Elder said, "The kids had a fun experience learning about and trying all of these new vegetables!"

KME 4th Grade Wax Museum of Ohio Heroes

Neil Armstrong was the first man to walk on the moon, Toni Morrison was the first African-American woman to win the Nobel Peace Prize, and Jesse Owens won four Olympic gold medals in 1936. And what do all these people have in common? Well, they're all from Ohio.

On Thursday, March 26, the 4th graders at Kings Mills Elementary dressed up as Ohio heroes for a wax museum as part of the Ohio Heroes program at KME. At the wax museum, family and students could make their way around the gym and cafeteria and talk to the dozens KME students dressed as Ohio Heroes ready to tell their history.





OMEA Orchestra Solo & Ensemble Contest

Congratulations to the following 7th and 8th grade orchestra members who participated for their first time in OMEA District 13 Solo & Ensemble Contest last weekend at Clinton-Massie. All students received either one of the top two ratings of Superior or Excellent. 7th grade - Keegan Fitzgerald - viola, Olivia Gatto - bass, Saliya Geary - violin solo, Abby Lodewyck - violin. 8th grade - Mo Junger - bass, Manjari Kavi - violin, Lila Mattaridi - cello, Evan O'Brien - viola, Made-line Reeves - violin.

Way to go musicians!



Scientists on the Playground

It may look like these J.F. Burns second graders are just enjoying the playground but they're really scientists at work! While studying forces, the students in Mrs. Bogard and Mrs. Thomas' classes observed the equipment on the playground to see what forces were at work.

Guest Readers at SLE

South Lebanon Elementary 4th graders Sophie and Maddie Guibord have taken the role as guest readers in Mrs. Elder's third grade class. The girls earned the raffle prize of guest readers from SLE's monthly Castle giveaways. In the spirit of a late winter, the girls thought it would be fun to theme their choice in books to align with our late winter spell!



KHS Rain Barrels Ready for the Zoo!

Take some time over Spring Break to head to the Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Gardens to check out the rain barrels that our Kings High School Art Students painted for the Regional Storm Water Collaborative.

The three barrels that our students painted, join 47 others that will be auctioned off during the Party for the Planet and the Tune for Blooms at the Cincinnati Zoo on April 23 from 5:00-8:30 p.m.

The rain barrels will be on display in the zoo's Go Green Garden during the month of April. The zoo is FREE after 5:00 p.m. on Thursdays so get out on a nice day and check out these beautiful works of art!

Pictured L-R: Samantha Reese, Maddie Mettey, Katy Hampton, Logan Woody, Jessie Young, Katlyn Brown, Lauren Huhn.

Edible Solar System



Students in Mrs. Briscoe's 5th grade Science classes at Columbia Intermediate School made edible Solar System models. They used various pieces of candy like Smarties, Nerds, Skittles, licorice, and red hots, to use for the planets, orbits, sun, and asteroids. The students had to decide for themselves which candy would fit for which planet based on size and composition. Once their model was complete, they then answered questions about their model and solar system on paper and attached them together.

Pictured is Sophia Jeng.

Planting "Sprout Pencils" at SLE

The 3rd quarter reward for PBS (positive behavior system) at South Lebanon Elementary was to plant a "Sprout Pencil." The students earned their pencils during the second quarter and are now taking on a green thumb to prep them for planting in the SLE gardens in April. The students will have a chance to watch their seeds germinate in the classroom and be delighted in their hard work that help them earn their Sprout Pencil!

Pictured are Mrs Cefalu's 4th graders helping some of the Kindergarteners that earned this reward.



Kings A Cappella Group featured on National CD Recording



We are excited to announce that KHS A Cappella group *2Knight 2Knight* has been selected to be featured on the 2015 edition of the Best of High School A Cappella compilation CD!!!! This CD is produced by Varsity Vocals and features the top high school a cappella groups from around the United States. This is the first professional recording that 2Knight 2Knight has made and marks the first time they have been selected for this recognition. The BOHSA collection CDs are now available for purchase.....if you would like a copy of the CD, please email Scott Hayward at shayward@kingslocal.net for ordering information.



Just a reminder that due to the winter weather and school closures, we have 3 make-up days at the end of the school year. Our make-up days are May 29, June 1, 2, 3, & 4. As of today, our last day of school will be June 2nd.

MULCH MADNESS

KINGS FOOTBALL MULCH SALE



Supports the whole program (7th-12th)

FREE DELIVERY TO YOUR HOME OR PLACE OF BUSINESS ON
APRIL 18-19 (within 5 mile radius of the Kings School District)
**10 bag minimum

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\$4.00 per bag (2.0 cubic feet)

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\$4.00 per bag (2.0 cubic feet)

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4.00 per bag (2.0 cubic feet)

To place an Order: email Coach Olds at aolds@kingslocal.net or call
398-8050 ext. 12021.

Checks can be made out to "KABC" and mailed to Coach Olds; 5500 Columbia road, Kings
Mills, 45034 OR taped to the door on delivery day.

Buy a Senior Yard Sign

Show your graduate how proud you are of them by purchasing a 2015 KHS Senior Yard Sign. For 14 years, the



Kings After Prom Party Committee has sold the signs as a fundraiser to help support the Party After the Prom.

The actual sign is 24x18 and your student's name will be printed on the bottom of each side. Signs are \$10 and will be available to pick up on Tuesday, May 5 in the KHS Cafeteria from 6:00-7:00 p.m. All orders are due by Friday, April 17.

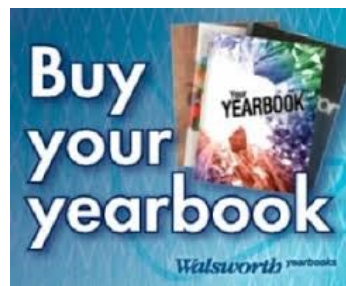
[Click here](#) for the order form.

Bowling for Kids' Sake

Five KHS Bowlers participated in the Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Warren County Bowl for Kids' Sake. This Big Brothers and Big Sisters event is their largest national fundraiser, raising over \$20 million annually for children in need across the country.

Each bowler is asked to raise a minimum of \$30. While this event is about raising money, it is also about having fun to help kids continue on a positive path.

Pictured from L-R: Kelsi Schumacher, Cullan Karabinus, Matthew Huhn, Libby Coleman, Lauren Goslee, and Cooper Coleman (front).



KHS Parents and Students: The last day to purchase a 2014-2015 Kings High School Yearbook is May 2nd. Please purchase your copy today at www.yearbookforever.com. Students who can't remember if they have already purchased a book can check the list posted outside of Mrs. Shields class, Room 143. Yearbooks will be delivered in the fall. **BUY NOW!**



Kings Kindergarten Registration Date Set

Kindergarten Registration for the 2015-16 school year is 4:00-7:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9th, at the Kings Junior High School Multipurpose Room, located at 5620 Columbia Road. Your child must turn 5-years old on or before Sept. 30, 2015, in order to register.

Beginning with the 2015-2016 school year, the Kings Local School District will offer "Young 5 Kindergarten." This half-day program will allow students to overcome achievement gaps that may occur at young ages; as we blend play based activities to meet the academic and developmental needs. The program will be available for children who will turn 5 between July 1st and September 30th. Children who attend the "Young 5 Kindergarten" program will be required to attend full day Kindergarten the following year. This program is tailored for children that are chronologically young and typically have not had a preschool experience. If parents would like to have their child attend a 1/2 day program and then attend full day kindergarten the following year and the child turns 5 **before** July 1, a 5 year old pre-school would be their option. Packets will be available online at the end of March. For more information [click here](#).

Kings Preschool Registration 2015-2016

It's time to register for Preschool! The Kings Preschool & Childcare is now accepting registrations for the 2015-16 school year. The preschool/childcare program meets in the King Local School District's Kings Education Center (KEC) located in Kings Mills. Kings Preschool offers both preschool and childcare for 3-5 year olds. Two, three, four & five day classes are available. All programs are licensed by the Ohio Department of Education.



More information may be obtained on the Kings Local School District website at www.kingslocal.net. Click on the "Departments" heading at the top of the page, and then follow the Childcare/Preschool link. [Click here](#) to obtain the registration forms. To schedule a tour or ask questions regarding the program, call Susan Guckert at 398-8050 ext. 10043.



Spring into great dental health with
Dr. Hyo Kim and the staff of Kim Dental Care:

Dr. Hyo Kim and the staff of Kim Dental Care is offering a FREE dental care day.

On April 3, 2015, Kim Dental Care is offering FREE dental care to any children without dental insurance. Children will receive: dental cleanings, x-rays, fluoride, fillings, extractions, and root canals.

Dr. Kim and his staff are excited to give back to the community that has given them so much. Last year Kim Dental Care gave over \$11,000 worth of dental care to local children. Call Mare or Jennifer at 513-899-3789 to see how Dr. Kim can help you.

If you know of any families who could benefit from this service, please pass on the information. Dr. Kim is located at 155 E. Pike St., Morrow, OH. Spaces are limited so call today to reserve your appointment or visit www.kimdentalcare.com.



The KHS choir members are once again selling Shirley's Popcorn (Ohio company located in Bluffton)! The sale runs through TODAY, Friday, March 27 and delivery is on May 5th. Checks are made to KHSCD and can be given along with your order to any high school choir member, or contact their director at hmilthaler@kingslocal.net. [Click here](#) to see the brochure.



All About Kings Athletics



Did you know that Kings Athletics has its own website? You can find out schedule information, upcoming events, news about teams, and even get directions to away venues. [Click here](#) to get to the Kings Athletics Webpage.



*Kings Athletic Booster Club presents
A "KNIGHT TO REMEMBER" IN PARIS*

*Saturday, April 11, 2015
5:30 pm to 11:30 pm
Great Wolf Lodge Conference Center
\$75 per person / \$150 per couple
Early Bird Pricing until March 11th
\$70 per person / \$140 per couple
Cash Bar Available
1 Complimentary Drink Ticket per person*

*Information: Genevieve Brewster (513) 312-0758
Semi-Formal Attire

Check out the Knight to Remember website at:
<http://www.knight-to-remember.com/>

A Knight to Remember is the Kings Athletic Booster Club's biggest fundraiser of the year.

Don't miss it!

KJH Lacrosse

The Kings Junior High Men's Lacrosse A Team defeated Wyoming last Thursday, March 19 by a score of 10-2. The B Team lost to Wyoming 5-4. The A Team brought a win home by defeating Lakota East 10-4. Dalton Evans scored 4 goals, Jake Stylski scored 3 goals, Hunter Jesse scored two goals, and Ashton Koeller finished the scoring with one goal. Jack McDonald, as the goalie for the team, had 2 saves. The Kings B team lost to the Lakota A/B team with a score of 10-1. Alex Witter scored the only Kings goal. Xavier Legault had 3 saves as goalie and Shepard Seibel had 2 saves as goalie.



KABC Columbia Intermediate After School Golf Clinic

The Kings Athletic Booster Club will offer their 12th golf clinic taught by Kings Varsity Women's and Men's Golf Coaches; Kathy Abrell and Ben Tilton.

The clinic will take place on Mondays and Wednesdays April 27, 29, May 4, 6, 11, and 13 from 3:45—4:45 p.m. The clinic will take place at the Cincinnati Golf Center and open to Columbia 5th and 6th grade students.

Students will be taught various techniques and etiquette of golf. Students may bring their own clubs or use clubs provided by Cincinnati Golf Center.

Registration and payment must be turned in by Friday, April 24. For more information and registration form [click here](#).

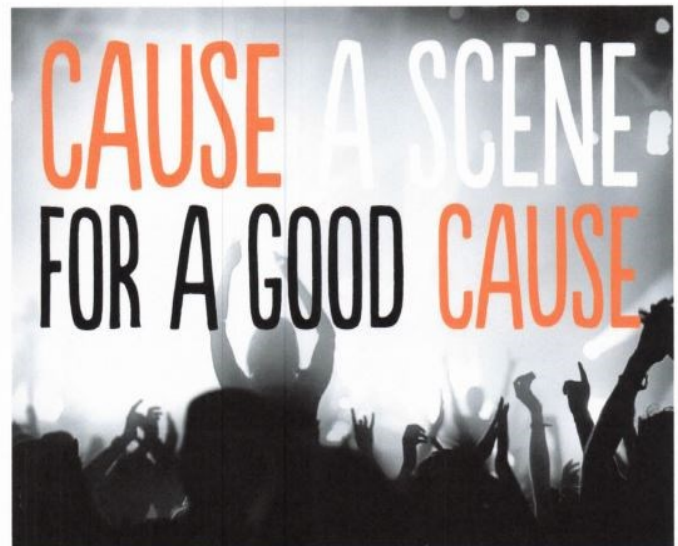
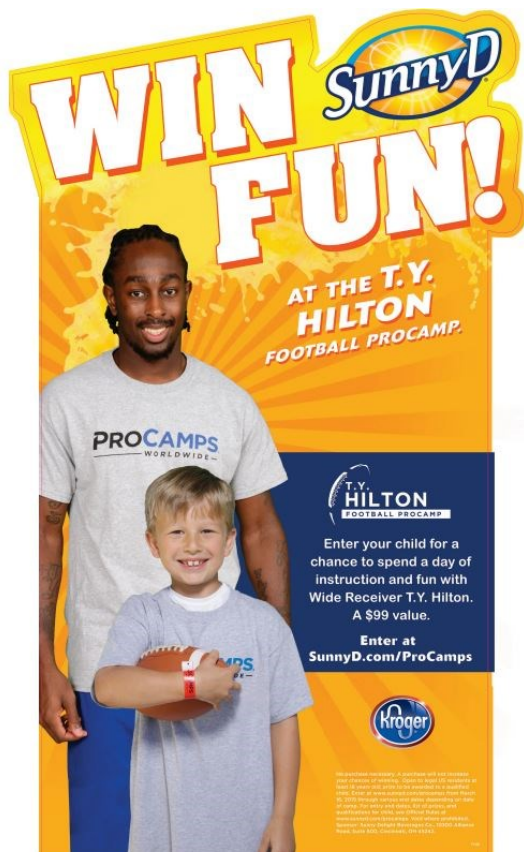
4th Grade Etiquette Lunch

For the past several weeks, the 4th graders at South Lebanon Elementary have been taking Etiquette classes with Anne Overturf. Mrs. Overturf began by teaching the students the 7 Knightly Virtues of courage, justice, mercy, generosity, trust, nobility and hope. They learned how and when to write thank you notes, polite phone manners, conversation skills, proper eating etiquette, and much more. After learning all their manners, students finished the unit with an Etiquette Luncheon at TPC Rivers Bend Country Club.



All of the students practiced perfect manners while eating a four course meal. The students were taught that when a lady left the table, the gentlemen stood up. The students agreed that the new skills would serve them well in life, especially as they get older and start working. Thanks to everyone who made the Etiquette Luncheon a big success, especially the SLE PTO who sponsored the event. It was a wonderful event, and all of the students were very well mannered.

Congratulations to J.F. Burns Elementary third grader Riley Platter who was chosen to be the face of the Sunny D® Pro Camps Campaign!



Enjoy yourself and support our cause at a special fundraising event for:

Organization name: Kings Girls Softball

Date: Thursday, April 16, 2015

Time: 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Store: 1020 9341 Mason-Montgomery Road
Mason, OH

Guest MUST present this flyer to the cashier before paying. Blaze Pizza will donate 20% of proceeds from your meal back to our organization.



Donation amount excludes proceeds from tax and gift card purchases. Valid for dine-in, take-out only. Not valid for online orders. Alcoholic beverages excluded. Event proceeds void if flyers are distributed in or near the restaurant. Manager, please attach this flyer to the guest check.

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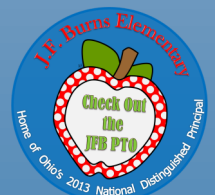
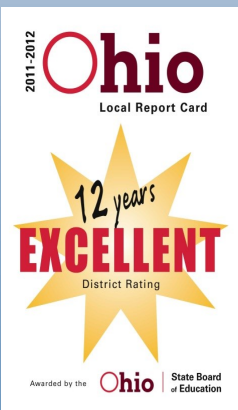
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Contact: Lt. Patrick Strausbaugh

513-459-0875 or email pstra@deerfieldtwp.com

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