



October 24, 2014



### Upcoming Events

Oct. 25— CIS Spooktacular, 6:00-9:00 p.m., CIS.

Oct. 29— SLE Fall Family Fun Night, 7:00 p.m., SLE.

Oct. 30— KME Third Grade Music Program, 6:45 p.m., KME.

Oct. 30— Parent Teacher Conferences, CIS, 4:00-7:30 p.m., CIS.

Nov. 1—Kings Marching Band, Centerville Invitational, 6:30 p.m., Centerville High School.

Nov. 1—Kings Klosest, 9:00-11:00 a.m., KEC.

Nov. 4—NO SCHOOL, District In-Service Day.

Nov. 6— Community Common Core Presentation, 6:30 p.m., KJH Multipurpose Room.

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

Tonight our Football Knights travel to Glen Este. Kick-off is at 7:00 p.m.

GO KNIGHTS!



### Kings Common Core Presentation

You've heard about Common Core in the news but do you really know what it means for your child? The Kings Local School District's Curriculum Coordinators will be presenting on the Common Core on Thursday, November 6th at 6:30 p.m. in the Kings Junior High Multipurpose Room. You will receive information about what the Common Core is and what it is not, how the Common Core is assessed, and how you can help your child to be college and career ready.



There has been so much talk about Common Core and its standards. This will give parents an opportunity to ask questions and better understand Common Core. Hope to see you there!

### KHS Among Best Schools



In a recent edition of Cincy Magazine, they featured an article about how Southwestern Ohio and Northern Kentucky high schools rank based on not only academics, but graduation rate, student/teacher ratio, and the number of Advanced Placement classes offered. While the article features the top seven schools, they also compiled the top lists of Average ACT Score, Four-Year Graduation Rate and Student/Teacher Ratio. We are pleased to announce that Kings High School was recognized as a top school in the area placing 11th for average ACT Score and 15th overall. To read more [click here](#).

## A Cold or the Flu?



How do you tell the difference?

## Flu Season is Upon Us

As we begin to head into flu season, we would like to share some information with you to help keep our school community healthy. Students, staff, and families need to share in the responsibility for helping to slow the spread of viruses by practicing these steps to keep from getting sick and protecting others from getting sick. The following information and the guidelines are based upon the recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

**The CDC recommends 4 main ways you and your family may keep from getting sick:**

1. **Practice good hand hygiene** by washing your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after coughing or sneezing. Alcohol-based hand cleaners are also effective.
2. **Cover your mouth and nose** with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your elbow or shoulder; not into your hands.
3. **Stay home if you or your child is sick** for at least 24 hours after there is no longer a fever (a fever is a temperature that is equal to or greater than 100 degrees Fahrenheit) without the use of fever-reducing medicine, such as ibuprofen or acetaminophen. Keeping sick students at home means that they keep their viruses to themselves rather than sharing them with others. Students and staff with a temperature that is equal or greater than 100 degrees Fahrenheit will be sent home from school to protect others in our school community.
4. **Get your family vaccinated** for seasonal flu.

**Signs and symptoms of the flu:** Fever (100 degrees Fahrenheit), cough, sore throat, a runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headaches, and feeling very tired. Some people may also vomit or have diarrhea.

**Tips for taking care of children with the flu:**

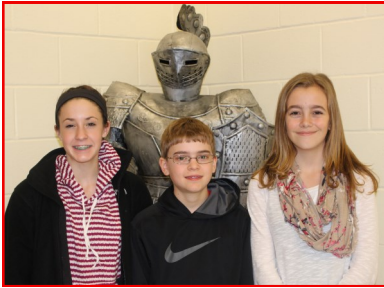
- Contact your doctor if your child is sick
- Keep your ill child at home until at least 24 hours after there is no longer a fever or signs of a fever (without the use of a fever-reducing medicine).
- Make sure your child gets plenty of rest and drinks plenty of fluids to keep from getting dehydrated.
- If your child has a fever, use fever-reducing medicines that your doctor recommends based on your child's age or weight. Aspirin (acetylsalicylic acid) **should not** be given to children and teenagers who have flu; this can cause a rare but serious illness called Reye's syndrome.
- Keep your sick child in a separate room in the house as much as possible to limit contact with household members who are not sick.

**Watch for emergency warning signs that need urgent medical attention:** These include fast breathing or troubled breathing, bluish or gray skin color, not drinking enough fluids, not urinating or no tears when crying, severe or persistent vomiting, not waking up or not interacting, being so irritable that the child does not want to be held, pain or pressure in the chest or abdomen, sudden dizziness, confusion, or flu-like symptoms improve but return with fever and worsening cough.

**For more information visit:** <http://www.cdc.gov/flu/keyfacts.htm>.

## Kings Celebration

There are always reasons to celebrate at Kings! On Wednesday, October 22nd, we honored our students of the quarter and other outstanding students and staff members at our first of three yearly District Celebrations. District Administrators and School Board members were on hand to celebrate these fantastic students. Congratulations to everyone recognized!



KJH 7th Gr Honored Students: Ellie Wade, Aaron Ripley, & Olivia Gatto.



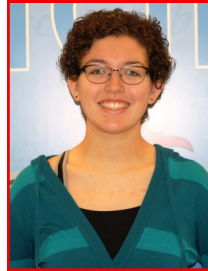
JFB Students of the Quarter: Marianne Erickson, Ben Ewing, Nurmuhammad Kambaraliev, Hudson McDowell, Grady McKelvey, Riley Platter, & Gavin Turner.



KJH 8th Gr Honored Students: Juliana Danko, Gwyneth Gorley, & Sydney Theiss.



SLE Students of the Quarter: Darby Harrahill, Bryce Barrett, Aubree Lovely, & Chesnie Weisbrod.



Emily Swanson-United States Army All-American Marching Band Drum Major.



CIS Students of the Quarter: McKenna Lewis, Autumn Woltman, Katie Ripley, Chris Allgeier, Maya Hicks, & Ella Hancock. Not Pictured: Davia Annis-Gillespie & Ellie Kowitz.



National Merit Commended Scholars L-R: Leah Ball, Matthew Tracey, Jacob Meyer, & Samantha Paulson.



KME Students of the Quarter: Front: Harrison Milthaler, David Rimkevicius, Rhys Williams. Back: Dylan Altemeier, Samantha Lawrence, & Isabella Land.



National Merit Semi-Finalists L-R: Gina Grosso, Luke Danko, & Alexa Murray.



KHS Staff Recognitions Dedication to Making a Difference: Heidi Murray, Jason Shields, & Brittany Selhorst.



## KHS Student's Artwork in Exhibition

Congratulations to the students in Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Shields KHS Digital Media Arts classes whose art work was judged and recently selected for inclusion in the 2014 Xavier University Regional High School Junior and Senior Juried Exhibition. The opening reception is Friday, November 7th from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Xavier Art Gallery. Great work!



Leslie Bonzella



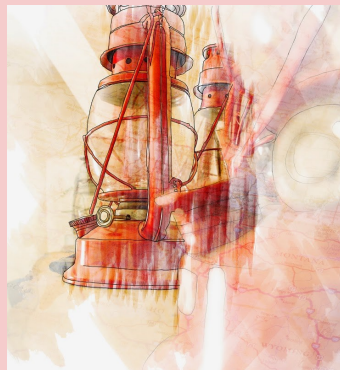
Ryan Dilts



Reagan Heck



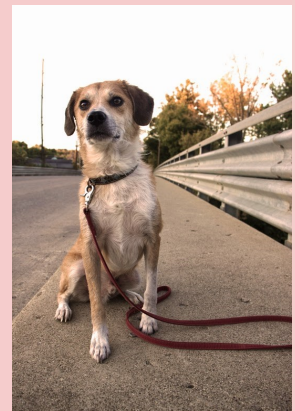
Courtney Herald



Kylie Gay



Abby Ketterer



Cheyenne Winter

### Pumpkins and Chemistry

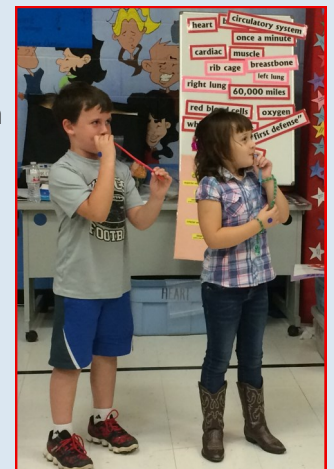
This week in Ms. Angie Niemann's Integrated Preschool Classes the students had a cooking lesson with speech pathologist, Mrs. Kathy Wells. Mrs. Wells carved a pumpkin and the students helped to clean it out. Then, they received a lesson in chemical change. Mrs. Wells showed the students what happens when you mix vinegar with baking soda. It appeared that the pumpkin didn't feel so well!



### JFB Learns About the Heart

The second graders at J. F. Burns Elementary were treated to a PTO sponsored program from the Cincinnati Museum Center entitled, Your Heart, Your Blood, Your Health. The students what an amazing machine the heart is. They learned how the heart works, the way it sounds, to which system it belongs, and what it pumps. They also got to look at some giant microbes.

Pictured are students from Mrs. Bogard's class.



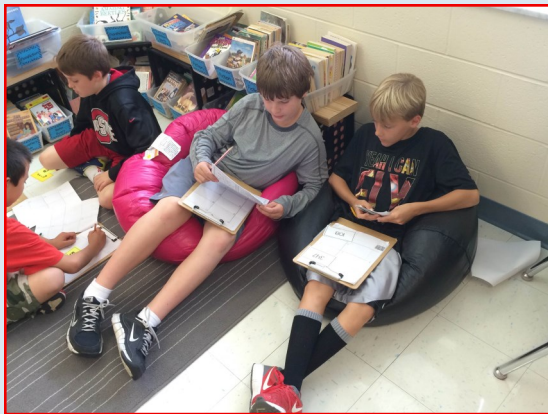


## Leaf Exploration at JFB

The kindergarten students in Micki Hoffman's class at J.F. Burns Elementary have been talking about the season of fall. They thought about all the evidences of fall and leaves changing color. They made a leaf book and took some time on a beautiful day to go outside to collect fall leaves that matched the leaves in their books.

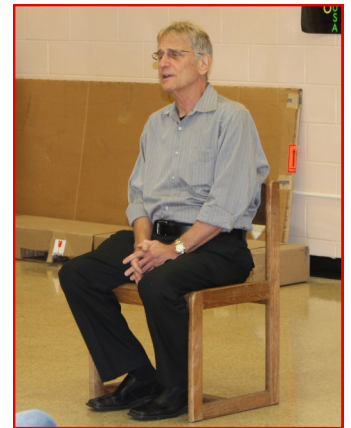
## Working Together at SLE

Students in Mrs. Clements' class at South Lebanon Elementary were caught this week working together to solve a problem. Mrs. Clements said, "I love watching the kids work together and problem solve!"



## Broadway Writer/Producer Visits KHS

Well-known speaker, educator, author, talent scout, and producer, Peter Sklar visited Kings High School this week. He is an expert on young performers. He spoke to small audience of students and their parents about getting into the performance industry and the what it takes to work in the industry. Sklar conducts week-long art workshops and camps that cater to young adults and teenagers seeking careers. After he spoke to the group, he interviewed each of the students one on one to see if he would like to invite them to his summer acting camp in New York. He selected junior Ella Jolicoeur. Ella said she is excited for the opportunity.



## Firefighter's Visit Kings Preschool

Mrs. Frazier's preschoolers addressed many of the Early Learning and Development Standards during their October Safety studies. Knowing that young children are often afraid of firefighters in uniform, the Deerfield Township Fire-fighters were invited to the Kings Education Center. They came dressed in plain clothes, and met the preschoolers in the gym for their presentation of 'Dress the Firefighter.' As the firefighters discussed each piece of equipment they wear, the students could see that they truly are community helpers. The preschoolers were so thankful that the firefighters came to visit, and they all signed

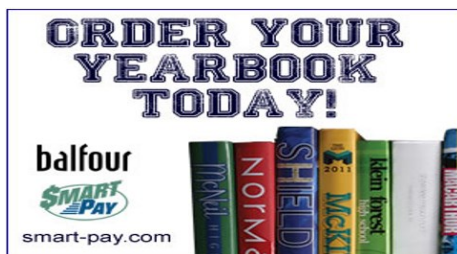
a large thank you card. The week was completed with a color-mixing science lesson, a mathematics cooking activity, and an interactive literacy chart."



## KJH Yearbook Early Order Special

Order your KJH yearbook by December 1st so your student doesn't miss out on this \$30 price! It's easy to order your copy of this year's book. You can order online, by phone or by mail. This year's book is a hardcover book with over 72 pages of your student and their friends. So order yours today because after December 1st, the price will go up to \$40!

To order online go to [www.smart-pay.com](http://www.smart-pay.com) and type in Kings Mills and follow the instructions. If you would like to order by phone, call 1-800-853-1337. Finally, if you would like to order by mail, send your form with the bottom portion filled out and mail payment to Balfour, P.O. Box 150069, Austin, TX 78715-0069.



## It's Pumpkin Time!

The integrated preschool classrooms from Kings Pre-school went to Niedermann's Farm on Thursday, October 23rd. There was so much to do there! The students had so much fun swinging on the pipe swings, jumping on the big pillow, walking through the corn maze, seeing the animals, checking out the pumpkin school, riding on the hayride, and picking out a pumpkin!



## CIS Presents SPOOKTACULAR 2014



Please join us for a "Fangtastic" time on Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> from 6-9 pm



Club Dungeon returns for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year with Music by DJ Woody! Spook T-shirt's will be sold at the door for \$10! Limited sizes available

Questions? Contact Kristen Monroe  
kamonroe3@gmail.com



The night will be filled with Games, Activities, Music, the famous Cake Walk, PRIZES, Treats & Concessions galore! KONA ICE will be there too! (Kona Ice only accepts cash)



### New this Year...a Costume Contest!

Each group listed below will be judged on most creative or authentic costume to win a prize! **Contest starts at 7:00!**

- 1-4 year olds
- Kindergarten-1<sup>st</sup> graders
- 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> graders
- 5<sup>th</sup> graders
- 6<sup>th</sup> graders



### Tickets Prices:

- 4 tickets for \$2.00
- 25 tickets for \$10.00
- 50 tickets for \$20.00
- 75 tickets for \$30.00
- 100 tickets for \$40.00

- Most games are 1-3 tickets
- Food is 1-5 tickets
- Raffle Tickets are 4 tickets
- Tickets available at the DOOR



## Parents you can SHOP-till-ya-DROP!

That's right, drop your tickets in the buckets for some **AMAZING** raffle packages like "Dinner Date" with Bucks, Mac's Pizza & other gift cards, Cut & Style from Dani Poggi Salon, "Game-day Ready Tailgate package", "Kings Spirit Spectacular", "S'mores by the Fire", "Tea Party", "Day at Findlay Market", Necklace from GirlyBeads by Carmen Woody, "Tastefully Yummy" "Fiesta!" and more!



## South Lebanon Historical Society Fall Festival

The South Lebanon Historical Society would like to invite Kings Families to their Fall Festival on Saturday, October 25th. It will be held at the South Lebanon Community Center (Old South Lebanon Elementary), 83 Section St. The event begins at 11:00 a.m. There will be live music all day, a women's self defense class at noon sponsored by the Warren County Sheriff's Department, Home Depot Workshop for boys, Miss South Lebanon 2014 Pageant, games, food, and raffle. There will also be a Trunk or Treat from 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Those interested in the Miss South Lebanon Pageant will have judging on October 18th from 1:00-3:00 p.m. at Lytle's Market. For more information contact [alexncook@yahoo.com](mailto:alexncook@yahoo.com).

### Senior Picture Guidelines

Seniors have until November 25, 2014 to submit a picture for the yearbook. Photos must be in color and in jpg form. They can be submitted by attaching the picture to an email to Mrs. Shields, or submitting the image on a CD. [Click here](#) for more detailed information.

The Kings Local School District is looking for Substitute Teachers and aides for this school year. Application and information can be found online by clicking [here](#).



The Kings/Hoxworth Blood Drive for November will take place on Monday, November 24th in the KJH Multipurpose Room from 10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 1:30-4:15 p.m. Donors must be at least 17 years old. 16 year olds may donate with parental consent. To schedule an appointment [click here](#).

Kings Transportation is hiring Bus Drivers and Bus Monitors. Please contact Sharon Earnhart at 513-398-8050, ext. 10024.



### Kings Local SLE – Jump & Play Party!

**Tuesday, Nov. 4th, 10:00 am – 12:00 noon**

**Bring this flyer and receive the admission price of \$6 per student & siblings!**

**Your respective PTO will receive \$1.50 for each student!**

•Fun built for kids, ages 3 - 12! Please have your child wear socks & soft pants without buttons or rhinestones for the playground soft surfaces.

•Jump Stop Safari™ is a locally owned business, where children can jump, bounce and explore a massive playground. **Arcade:** Please bring cash for the Token machine!

**JUMP STOP SAFARI™ - Lebanon**

**801 W. Main St. (enter at CARSTAR service road)**

**(513) 228-0333**

[www.jumpstopsafari.com](http://www.jumpstopsafari.com)

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The KHS National Honor Society is now accepting applications. This year, applications are only open to juniors and seniors. Applications are due on Friday, October 31st.

Interested students may pick up an application in Mrs. King's room 145, Mrs. Thomas' room C117, or [click here](#) for more information including the application.



## 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.

This week in athletics, the Kings Women's Soccer Team ended their season at the Sectional Final with a loss to St. Ursula 2-0. Sophomore Hannah Rasmussen will head to Troy on Saturday to run at the Regional Cross Country Meet. We have 3 KYO Football teams competing in the Super Bowl this weekend. Good luck to 3rd grade Platter, 6th grade Henderson, and 6th grade Kwasniewski teams!

Our 8-0 Football team travels to Glen Este tonight to try to win the ECC title outright. Fox 19 recently featured Kings Head Football Coach Andy Olds in a segment they call "Mic'd Up." [Click here](#) to get a glimpse of Coach Olds and his players on the practice field. **GO KNIGHTS!**

### College Lacrosse at Kings Stadium

Lacrosse has been called the "fastest game on two feet". Come watch as two of our local college teams battle it out at Kings High School Stadium on Saturday, November 1st. Game-time is 7:00 pm. There will be a \$5.00 admission for all adults, and concessions will be available.

There will be a high school 7v7 tournament at the stadium from 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. During that time, try your hand at a fastest shot speed shot competition. Entries will be taken from 12:00 - 7:00 p.m. The fastest shot in the 3-4 grade, 5-6 grade, 7-8 grade, and high school age groups will win prizes and will be recognized during half time of the college game. A free youth clinic taught by our high school players will be held from 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. Bring your stick and your helmet. Don't have equipment? Don't worry, we will lend you a stick. Those in attendance will have an opportunity to meet the UC and Miami lacrosse players after the game!

Spend the day at Kings Stadium and see why Lacrosse is "the fastest game on two feet!" We look forward to seeing you at an exciting day of men's lacrosse at Kings Stadium!



UC vs MIAMI  
7:00 PM



ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE KINGS MEN'S LACROSSE PROGRAM



### Christmas Trees and Kings Men's Lacrosse-Your NEW Family Tradition

There is still time to order your beautiful fresh cut Christmas tree and support Kings Men's Lacrosse. Student athletes in grades 7-12 will benefit from your generosity. And you will select your family's Christmas tree from a large selection of the finest Balsam and Fraser firs in the area. Prices for our trees are comparable to trees you'll find in local tree lots, but if you buy from Kings Lacrosse, 30-50% of your purchase will come back to our program! These funds allow Kings Lacrosse to keep participation fees low giving more of our students an opportunity to play.

Start your family's New Tradition this year and support our student athletes.

Contact a player, scan the QR code with your smart device, or [visit here](#) to purchase your tree, wreaths or greenery today. You will receive an email receipt and voucher to print and bring to The Green Corner where you will find the perfect tree and trimmings for your holidays.



The Green Corner - 6524 Montgomery Rd., Cincinnati, OH, 45213 (~2 miles south of Kenwood Mall) Nov. 22 - Dec. 20, Weekdays: 5pm - 9pm, Saturdays: 9am - 9pm, Sundays: 9am - 7pm



## KINGS SKI AND BOARD CLUB

NOVEMBER 8th deadline...prices increase 30%  
after that and buses might be full.

**FORMS, PASSWORD AND SIGNUP  
INFORMATION AT:**



[www.CISSKICLUB.COM](http://www.CISSKICLUB.COM)  
[www.KHSSKICLUB.COM](http://www.KHSSKICLUB.COM)

**BUS SEATING IS  
LIMITED:  
SIGNUP EARLY !**

Friends, family and community members are welcome  
to join our school ski clubs. Only students can ride the  
bus.



**REMINDER:** After registering at  
[www.perfectnorth.com](http://www.perfectnorth.com) participants **MUST** complete the medical/  
permission forms on the Ski Club web site and return as indicated  
on forms.

## Join CIS Ski and Board Club and ski Perfect North Every Wednesday in January! Passes are Available NOW!!



Who can use the Club Discount?  
**ANYONE!!!** Anyone can purchase  
a 4 week Club Pass or discounted  
Season Pass if they sign up by the  
**NOVEMBER 7th deadline**

Signup early, before these pass discounts disappear!

**\$90 for a 4 week ticket**

(Includes the lift ticket, ski or board rental and a one  
hour weekly lesson.)

Bus transportation is provided for CIS students for  
an additional one time fee of \$50

[Perfectnorth.com](http://Perfectnorth.com)

Tickets and passes, Club, Club Log-in (bottom of the screen), Choose  
Columbia Intermediate and use "Rehearsal" as the password  
(You must follow these instructions to receive the Special Kings  
discounted rate.)

Don't miss out on the fun or the discounts. Any questions contact Damon and  
Sara Legault at [CISSKIANDBOARDCLUB@gmail.com](mailto:CISSKIANDBOARDCLUB@gmail.com)

## Boys Youth Lacrosse

Boys Youth Lacrosse registration is now  
open. Boys in grades 3-6 of all experience  
levels are welcome. Equipment will be pro-  
vided by Cory's Closet. Practices will begin  
in mid-February with games from March-  
May. Players are required to have a U.S.  
Lacrosse Membership and can be purchased  
at [www.USA Lacrosse.org](http://www.USA Lacrosse.org). Register at  
[www.KingsYouthLax.com](http://www.KingsYouthLax.com). For more infor-  
mation contact Erin Deutsch at  
[erin@springdot.com](mailto:erin@springdot.com).



Join Columbia In-  
termediate for their  
1st Annual 3V3 Bas-  
ketball Tournament  
for 5th and 6th  
grade boys and

girls. The event takes place on Saturday,  
November 1st beginning at 10:00 a.m. Cost  
is \$10 per player/\$40 per team. Registration  
deadline is Friday, October 24th.

The proceeds from the tournament will  
help defray Artist in Residence, George  
Woideck. Mr. Woideck will visiting CIS for a  
5 day workshop and will be creating a tile  
mosaic with each of the 800 students con-  
structing part of the masterpiece. The huge  
mosaic will hang in the CIS cafeteria for all  
to enjoy.

Support the arts and CIS by forming a team  
and have fun! [Click here](#) for the entry form.

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## Girls Youth Lacrosse

Sign-ups are now open for Kings Girls Youth Lacrosse. Registration is open to girls in grades 3- 6. Cost is \$130 per player plus US Lacrosse membership which is \$25.

Practices will start in late February to early March on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Each player will receive a jersey. Sweatshirt, and skort. Player will need to supply their own stick, mouth guard, and mask.

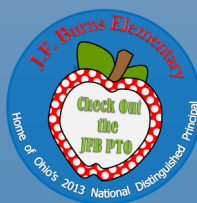
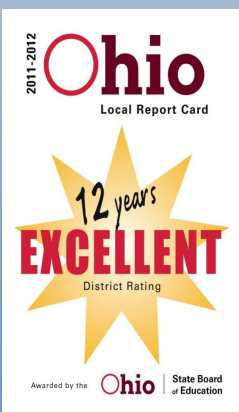
Registration is open now until December 1st. For more information go to [www.kingslax.info](http://www.kingslax.info).



**Don't forget to use the #KINGSSTRONG when you post pictures from Kings events!**

## Support Kings Women's Soccer

When you eat at Buffalo Wild Wings at Harpers Station, 11363 Montgomery Road, through October 31st, you can have a great meal AND support Kings Women's Soccer at the same time. Tell your server before you get your bill that you are supporting Kings Women's Soccer (Team C), and 10% of your entire bill will be donated to the team!



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