

August 14, 2015



Check out
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for important
Back to
School
events!





Just a reminder-Early Release will not begin until Wednesday, August 27th!

Upcoming Events

Aug 18—Board of Education Meeting, 6:30 p.m. KEC.

Aug 19—First Day of School for Grades 1-12.

Aug 21—First Day of School for Kindergarten.

Sept 7—Labor Day, NO SCHOOL.

We want to see you in your
First Day best. Take a pic and
tweet us with the hashtag
#KnightSelfie.

More event information can be found at: http://kingslocal.tandemcal.com/index.php

Welcome New Staff

There's been a lot of excitement around the Kings district recently. The teachers have been in their classrooms getting ready for the student's arrival for the first day of school next week. The



Kings Administrative Staff met for 2 days last week to go over new policies, curriculum, technology, and safety. The Curriculum Teams from each school building have held meetings and many of our staff have attended Google training and Professional Development seminars this summer to be ready for the school year. Additionally, all schools have had their schedule pick-ups and fee pay days. Finally, 36 new staff members have been hired in the district. Be sure to give these new staff members a warm Knight welcome when you see them!

In Memory of Kaylyn Daumeyer

KJH 8th grader Kaylyn Elizabeth Daumeyer passed away last weekend after being involved in a tragic accident. Family and friends will be received from 10:00 a.m. - noon on Saturday,



In memory of Kaylyn Daumeyer 2002-2015

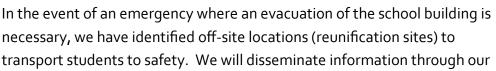
Beloved daughter, sister, and friend.

August 15 at Tufts Schildmeyer Family Funeral Home, 129 N Riverside Ave, Loveland, OH, where services will be held at 12 noon. In lieu of flowers, the Kaylyn Elizabeth Daumeyer Memorial Fund has been set up at 5/3 Bank. Donations may be made at any branch with checks made out to the Kaylyn Elizabeth Daumeyer Memorial Fund. The family will be putting this money back into the Kings Theatre/Arts Programs.

Kaylyn loved Kings. She was involved in dance, theatre, and band. She will be dearly missed. If anyone has any pictures of Kaylyn to share, please drop off at KJH or leave them in the basket that will be provided at the funeral service. Guests at the service will be invited to share a memory of Kaylyn or write a memory to be that will be read on their behalf.

Parent/Student Emergency Notification Protocol

The Kings Local School District takes the safety and security of our staff and students very seriously. As a part of a new Ohio Revised Code requirement, the District is required to inform students and parents/guardians before the first day of school each year of our emergency parental notification protocols.





All-Call system, as well as use email, text messages, website, district mobile app, and district social media. We will continue to provide updates through the above avenues as needed.

The Kings Local School District believes it is as important for parents to know the resources the district will use in the event of an emergency. It should be noted that an evacuation from any given campus may cause your children to be picked up at a secondary location. If this circumstance occurs, we will utilize a parent reunification form to reunite you with your child.

We will ask parents to be sure that their emergency contact information is up to date in our files in order to be contacted in case of emergency.

Please take some time to review this important information and fill out your reunification information and put it in your car's glove box.

Click here for more information and the reunification form.

Kings Kloset Back to Distribute School Supplies Tomorrow

Kings Kloset is our attempt to serve those in our Kings community that are in need! It is simple, people need clothes, and we collect them and then give them away! We offer free Men's, Women's and



Children's clothes. Recently, a school supply drive was held at all the schools during schedule p. Thank you for the generous donations! Those school supplies will be distributed at the Kings Kloset tomorrow, Saturday, August 15th from 9-11 a.m. in the Kings Education Center, 1797 King Ave. Click here for this year's schedule.

If you need more information contact Kim Ketterer at kimketterer@cinci.rr.com.

KME Has a New Driveway

In order to help with traffic flow, Kings Mills Elementary has a new driveway. By design, there is now a separation between buses and regular vehicular traffic. All visitors and parents are to begin using the new entrance for entry, parking, and exiting KME.

During the school day, the cross drive that connects the bus route to the visitor parking will remain closed.

Click here to view the enlarged map.



Looking for Distinguished Alumni

The Kings Local School's Distinguished Alumni Award began in 2009 to honor graduates of Kings High School who have made a significant impact in their communities and professions and serve as exemplary role models for Kings Schools.

The award is presented during KHS Graduation. Nominations are accepted year-round and will be kept on file and considered each year. In order to be considered for the 2016 Distin-

guished Alumni Award, the nomination is due by February 1, 2016. If you know anyone who you feel would make a great Distinguished Alumnus, <u>click here</u> to access nomination form.

Pictured is 2015 Kings Distinguished Alumni Bryan Volpenhein.

Kings Band Tag Day

Doorbells in the Kings Local School District will be ringing the afternoon of Saturday, August 15th. Tag Day, as it is called, is an annual Marching Band tradition throughout our area. Members of the award-winning Kings High School March-



ing Band won't try to sell residents another candy bar, cookie dough or coupon card. They will simply ask for a donation.

"We continue to be so fortunate to have solid support from the Kings Administration, but costs associated with a competitive marching band can be quite high. We want every student, regardless of means, to be a part of the music program," says Julia Cooke, Tag Day chairperson. "We budget to raise at least \$5000 from this one day event".

While students pay a participation fee of nearly \$600/yr, additional funds are required to cover the increasing costs of transportation, music copyright fees, uniforms and equipment. "Travel costs alone can be in excess of \$400 every time the band leaves the KHS campus to support our football team or compete in local and regional competitions" says Cooke.

Come see the band in action during halftime at Kings Football games or when Kings High School will host bands from Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana on September 12th at our first invitational of the season. This year, the band will compete in several regional competitions throughout Ohio and travel as far away as Sandusky.

Tax deductible donations, in any amount, will be gratefully accepted. Tag Day donations are accepted anytime. Checks should be made payable to KBB and sent to Kings Band Boosters, Tag Day Donations, PO Box 10, Kings Mills OH 45034.

New School Access Protocol

At the Kings Local School District, we strive to make sure that our schools are safe, caring, healthy, and an inclusive place in which to learn and to work. Fire drills, visitor badges/sign in, and other safety and security protocols and practices are important components of our commit-

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ALL VISITORS
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ment to maintaining a safe and secure school environment. This year, a photo ID will be required to enter our school buildings. Thank your for your cooperation.

Important Back to School Dates

First day of school for students in grades 1-12 is Wednesday, August 19, and Kindergarten is Friday, August 21.

KHS

KHS Open House

August 20, 6:30 p.m.

KJH

7th Grade Open House

August 17, 5:00—6:30 p.m.

KME

Meet your Teacher and Popsicles on the Playground

August 17, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Kindergarten Parent Orienta-

August 20, 6:30 p.m.

1st Grade Orientation

August 18, 6:30 p.m.

2nd Grade Orientation

August 25, 6:30 p.m.

3rd Grade Orientation

August 24, 7:00 p.m.

4th Grade Orientation

August 24, 6:00 p.m.

CIS

CIS Open House

August 18, 6:00-7:30 p.m.

6th Grade Band/Orchestra Parent Meeting

August 27, 7:00 p.m.

Kings Preschool

Open House (2, 3, & 5 Day)

August 18

AM Classes 5:30-6:15 p.m.

PM Classes 6:30-7:15 p.m.

Open House (4 Day Classes)

August 27 & 28, TBA

Orientation Night (4Day Classes)

August 25, 6:00 p.m.

Orientation Night (2, 3, & 5 Day)

August 26

AM Classes 6:00 p.m.

PM Classes 7:00 p.m.

First Day of Preschool

August 19 - 3 & 5 Day Classes

August 20 - 2 Day Classes

August 31 - 4 Day Classes

JFB

Ice Cream Social & Meet the Teacher

August 17

Grade 1 1:00 p.m.

Grade 2 1:30 p.m.

Grade 3 2:00 p.m.

Grade 4 2:30 p.m.

Kindergarten Orientation

August 18, 6:00-6:45 p.m.

1st Grade Orientation

August 18, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

2nd Grade Orientation

August 19, 6:00-6:45 p.m.

3rd Grade Orientation

August 19, 7:00-7:45 p.m.

4th Grade Orientation

August 20, 6:00-6:45 p.m.

SLE

K-2nd Grade Orientation

August 26, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

3rd & 4th Grade Orientation

August 27, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Bus Schedules Are Ready

To protect student's safety and privacy, bus schedules will only be accessible online this year. You will need your student's lunch/id number for your user name and password. Please <u>click here</u> to access our Bus Lookup Link. If you have any questions or are having

difficulty finding your student's bus, please call Kings Transportation at 513-398-8050, ext. 10034.

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. <u>Click here</u> to get to the Kings Athletics Webpage.

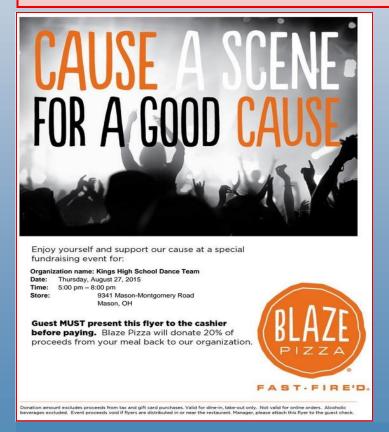
Athletic Season Passes Now On Sale

The 2015-2016 Kings Athletic Season Passes are now on sale! You can renew your season passes online or order your new package by visiting www.kingsathletics.com. If you have any questions regarding the passes or the process for ordering, contact the Athletic Department at 513-459-2937. Make sure to reserve your pass to watch the Knights for the entire 2015-2016 season! Passes grant entry to all High School and Junior High athletic events, excluding tournament contests. Thank you for your continued support of Kings Athletics!

The Varsity Football team will host an OHSAA "Jamboree" scrimmage next Friday, August 21st playing host to the St. Xavier Bombers and the Northwest Knights. The freshman will scrimmage St. Xavier at 5:00 p.m. and the Junior Varsity and Varsity will take on Northwest at 7:00 p.m. at Kings Stadium. Gates will open at 4:30 p.m.

The Ohio High School Athletic Association permits schools across the state to participate in a third scrimmage (Jamboree) to help support catastrophic accident insurance for student-athletes throughout the school year. In addition to supporting this cause, Kings Athletics will donate fifty percent of the admissions revenue generated, to the local Make-A-Wish Foundation. Admission for the scrimmage is \$4 per person and \$2 will be donated to Make-A-Wish. Passes will not be accepted.

We hope to see you next Friday to help support our Knights and the Make-A-Wish Foundation! The Knights will officially kick off their 2015 campaign when they travel north to take on the Lebanon Warriors in the 5th Annual Outback Steakhouse Boomerang Bowl on Friday, August 28th at 7:00 p.m. More details on the Boomerang Bowl to come!





Kings Cross Country & Track and Field Present:



The Disney Family Vacation Raffle

Only \$10.00 per Ticket! \$3,500 Value!

Drawing to be held at the Kings CC Invitational at Landen Park, Tuesday, September 29th, 2015. Winner will be notified by phone.

Contact Lynn Brant at lbrant@kingslocal.net or Michelle Jantzen at mjantzen@cinci.rr.com or 509-3300 for raffle information or to purchase tickets.



Winner receives a vacation in the amount of \$3,500.00 booked by <u>Leslev Sawhook with Pixie Vacations</u> (www.destinationmagic.com). Vacation can be at Disney World, Disneylyand, Disneylya Aulain resort in Hawaii or a Disney crusus. If Yadie of the vacation desired is over \$3,500.00, then the \$3,500.00 can be be applied towards the total value of the vacation. Any remaining money not applied to the vacation, if applicable, will be given in a Disney gift card. Transportation to and from vacation destination not included.

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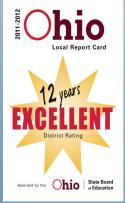


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