#### KINGS LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

November 17, 2017







#### Senior Pictures Due NEXT WEEK

Seniors have until November 21, 2017 to submit a picture for the yearbook. Photos must be in color and in jpg form.

Contact Mrs. Shields
for more
information.

There will be no EBBN next week.
Our next edition will publish on Friday,
December 1!



#### **Upcoming Events**

**Nov. 21**—Kings Board of Education Regular Meeting, 6:30 p.m., KEC Conference Room 2.

**Nov. 22— NO SCHOOL,** (Covers 2 Conference evenings)

Nov. 23-24—NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Break.

**Dec. 12**— Kings Board of Education Meeting, 6:30 p.m., Kings Education Center, Conf, Rm. 2.

Dec. 21-Jan 2— NO SCHOOL, Winter Break.

More event information can be found at: <a href="http://kingslocal.tandemcal.com/index.php">http://kingslocal.tandemcal.com/index.php</a>

#### **Veterans Day Around the District**

Last week on Veterans Day, over 500 veterans were honored and recognized throughout our district. Students met veterans who served in World War II, as well as those who have just recently served in Afghanistan.

Kings Mills Elementary Veterans were entertained by the KHS Symphony Band as they walked through the halls in the annual parade after being treated to breakfast. Over 80 Veterans walked with loved ones through the halls of J.F. Burns Elementary in the annual Veterans Day Parade. Each Veteran was



introduced by our own Kings Board of Education President, Robert Hinman.

At South Lebanon Elementary, the day began with the 4th grade Choir singing the National Anthem and the student body listening to two Veterans speak. They also hosted a lunch for Veterans. Columbia Intermediate School hosted the 81oth Quarter Master Company from Kings Mills who brought their vehicles and let students tour them. They also hosted a Veterans lunch.

Lastly, Kings Junior High Students lined the halls to greet the Veterans who were visiting for the annual Veterans Day Lunch.

It was truly a moving day around the district. A day we look forward to every year!

To see a gallery of pictures from around the district that day click here.

We give thanks for all of our students, staff, and community.

Have a Happy Thanksgiving!

Remember, NO SCHOOL November 22-24.



#### Kindness Week at SLE

South Lebanon Elementary celebrated Kindness Week this week. They spend the entire week focusing on being kind to one another. The theme of the week was "Choose Kindness."

Students started each morning off with a video clip about kindness. They also completed a "Kindness Challenge," decorated paper bags for Kroger to pack groceries, and participated in many other kindness activities.



The highlight of the week was the Jim "Basketball" Jones assembly on Thursday! Jones travels the country to inspire and encourage students to believe in themselves and realize their potential. For Jones' visit, the entire SLE student-body wore a blue t-shirt with the words "Choose Kindness" on the front. The shirts were donated by the SLE PTO.

SLE Guidance Counselor, Susie Burdine said, "Kindness Week is my favorite week of the school year. Having this time set aside to really focus on spreading kindness throughout our community is important to SLE. We love our community and know that these kids can make a difference in the world!"



#### KHS Yearbook Receives High Honors

A special shout-out to the Kings High School 2017 Yearbook Staff. Their yearbook was selected for the annual Gallery of Excellence by Walworth Yearbooks for the third year in a row!

Only a small percentage of yearbooks published by Walsworth are included in the Gallery of Excellence, which is a showcase of the best yearbooks published by Walsworth.

The winning yearbooks feature

superior examples of coverage, design, photography, and copy. KHS was the only school in the area included in this elite group.

Walsworth representatives will be taking the KHS 2017 edition to schools and regional, state, and national conventions and workshops to use as idea generators. Walsworth President, Don Walsworth said, "The induction of your yearbook honors your staff's exceptional work and dedication to excellence."



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#### **Prosecutor Fornshell Visits KJH**

On November 6, Warren County Prosecutor, David Fornshell presented to the Kings Junior High School 8th grade class. His presentation, "Juvenile Decisions, Grown-Up Consequences" touched on subjects such as school threats, sexting, and sex related crimes.

He gave the students a lot of pertinent information and gave them the opportunity to ask questions. Thank you Prosecutor Fornshell for taking time out of your busy schedule to talk to our students!



The above mural was created by the students in the nineteen Kings Preschool Classrooms. The children in the childcare rooms decorated leaves to add to the mural.

Happy Thanksgiving from Kings Preschool!

#### KHS Engineering Students at OSBA Student Achievement Fair



Kings High School Engineering students traveled to the Columbus Convention Center this week to be a part of the 2017 Ohio School Boards Association Capital Conference Student Achievement Fair (SAF).

The SAF promotes outstanding programs across Ohio school districts. The engineering students showcased the electric car they designed and built. Seven KHS engineering students, along with teachers Jason Shields and Sam Mizener spent the day demonstrating the process they used to design and build the car.

Additionally, artwork created by Chris Stock and Anna Claire Barker were on display in the Convention Center as a part of the

Student Art Show. The show featured outstanding artwork from around the state.

Kings Community Relations Coordinator, Dawn Gould attended the Fair and said, "I was so impressed by the maturity and leadership these students exhibited. It made me very proud to be a Knight!"

More than 9,000 public educators attended this year's conference. It is one of the nation's premier education events.

Pictured L-R: Mr. Mizener, Gideon Diebel, Christian Kagy, Tristan Sprenger, Savannah Mussari, Tommy Mitchell, Michael Naughton, Mr. Shields, and Juliana Danko (in the car).

## #KINGSSTRONG



#### **KJH Publishes First Online Publication**

This fall, *KJH Chronicle* was added to the elective course options at Kings Junior High School. It is a one-semester course, throughout which students study the fundamentals of journalism, explore news values through current events, develop questioning and interviewing skills, and write articles based on their own (and their audience's) interests. Please check out our first issue by visiting <a href="https://kihchronicle.wordpress.com">https://kihchronicle.wordpress.com</a>.

Pictured Front L-R: Rilynn Roberts, Makenna Younger, Sage Burress, and Sam Palmieri. Back L-R: Drew Gray, Jeremy Stottmann, Wes Jones, Chris Adams, Sean Connors, Zoey Cornelisen, and Lily Webb.

#### JFB Candy Drive

Once again, the Kings Local School District and the surrounding communities have come through in a BIG way for our troops. A record 3,206 pounds of candy was collected for the Yellow Ribbon Support Center through the 7th Annual J.F. Burns Elementary School's Candy Drive for the Troops.

1,130 pounds was donated by the students at J.F. Burns
Elementary, 1,007 pounds was donated by the students at
Columbia Intermediate School! 510 pounds was collected at
Salemtownship Elementary School, an effort spearheaded by
Kings parent Tim Hueker. CVS in Landen donated 222



pounds, Riverwalk Subdivision & surrounding areas donated 156 pounds of candy & care package items, Prominent Title Agency donated 54 pounds and Kings Junior High, Kings Mills Ohio donated 127 pounds.

The Drive organizer, Hope Cantrall said she couldn't do this alone. "Thank you to Mac's Pizza Pub Landen for letting us put a drop box there for collection. Last weekend I got a call that I needed to come empty the box because it was overflowing!" she said. She is also grateful to Dayna Patrick and the Kings students who helped weigh all of the candy. Additionally, Nurse Frecker, Mr. Luke, and Mr. Griffin are owed a big thank you as well for helping to get everything taken care of at CIS, and Mrs. Bigelow for heading up collecting candy at the junior high. "We could not do this without all of your help, that includes the entire community. You all are what makes us #KingsStrong!" she said.

Volunteers at the Yellow Ribbon Support Center sort and package the candy to send out to deployed military all over the world. The packages can take anywhere from 2-4 weeks to reach their destination.



#### Kings Kloset Seeking Donations-Can You Help?

The Kings Kloset is in need of donations of the following items: new socks - infant to adult (male/female), new thermal ware - child to adult (male/female), winter clothing for infant 12-18 months, teen boys jeans - all sizes, men's jeans - all sizes, shoes - all

sizes (male/female), and school supplies / backpacks. If you can donate any items, please contact Kings Kloset.

#### CIS Runner's Club Ends Their Season

Columbia Intermediate Runner's Club had a great Fall season! Students met every Tuesday and Thursday to run 2.3 miles around Landen Lake. The students ran over 30 miles this fall!

For the end of the fall season Runner's Club, the students were able to redeem the "runner's bucks" they received every time they attended Runner's Club at a raffle and silent auction arranged by Mr. Griffin & Mrs. Rutkouski.

The Club will take a break for the winter and be back at it in the Spring.



Mr. Griffin said, "Special thanks to Kings Cross Country Coaches, Jim and Lynn Brant and the KHS Cross Country Program for their support of the Runner's Club this fall."

Don't miss the next production by Kings Theatre called, "She Kills Monsters." The story is set in Athens, Ohio, 1995, Agnes Evans goes on a journey. She travels into the world of Dungeons and Dragons to reconcile with the spirit of her little sister and to learn how to have fun. Come join us on this adventure, filled with humor and heart! Opening night is Thursday, November 30 at 7:00 p.m., followed by shows on Friday, December 1 and Saturday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m. and a matinee performance on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.. Tickets are available online or at the door. \$8 for students. \$10 for adults. Don't miss this show. It's unlike any production this stage has ever seen!



## Breakfast with Santa



#### 2017 Breakfast with Santa

The Kings Baseball Program will, once again, host their annual Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 2 from 8:00-11:00 a.m. at Kings High School! A breakfast including pancakes,

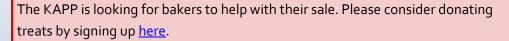
sausage, juice, milk, and coffee will be available for \$7/ person or \$25/family of 4. Festivities include crafts, music,

raffle, and, most importantly, SANTA! Feel free to bring your camera for pictures.

Click here for the pre-order form. Walk-ups are welcome!

#### KAPP Annual Holiday Bake Sale

The Kings High School After Prom Committee is hosting their annual Holiday Bake Sale on Saturday, December 2 from 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at Kings High School. If you don't have time to bake your annual holiday cookies, come out to the bake sale!





## Order Your

#### Order Your KJH Yearbook TODAY!



Kings Junior High Yearbooks are on sale now! Books are hard bound and contain 82 color pages and includes your student's name engraved on the front of the book which helps to eliminate theft.

Books can be ordered <u>online</u>, by phone or mail. To order by phone call 1-800-853-1337 (Para ordenar en espanol) or mail your order to Balfour, P.O. Box 150069, Austin, TX 78715-0069. Parents can order a Junior High Yearbook today through November 21 at the low price of \$40. After November 21 the price will be \$45, so don't delay. Get your student's book today!

We've added lots of great information in our <a href="VIRTUAL BACKPACK">VIRTUAL BACKPACK</a>! Make sure you check it out for district events and activities for your child!



#### THE HOLIDAYS ARE RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER

If you, your neighborhood or business is interested in sponsoring a student or family in the Kings School District for the holidays please contact



at kingsuknights@gmail.com.

Vendors, Crafters, and Home Party Reps WE NEED YOU.

Please join us...

#### South Lebanon Elementary Snow Shop, Craft → Vendor Night

#### Thursday, November 30 from 4-7pm

South Lebanon Elementary School 50 Ridgeview Lane Maineville, Ohio 45039

- 20 Vendors
- · One rep per company/concept.
- \$25 to join + donation of an item from your company
  - · You provide your table and everything to set up.
    - We will market this and get your name out!
  - Snow Shop is open and we get lots of visitors.
    - Food, Baked Items, Drink table welcome.

All spots must be paid for and confirmed by Wednesday, Nov. 8 to be in promotional materials distributed to the community and KLSD.

Contract on the back side of this form.

Contact Sommer at SLE.PTOPRESIDENT@GMAIL.COM

As of 10/26/17 we have LuLaRoe, Plunder Designs, Stella & Dot, & DoTerra Essential Oils along with some original crafters. We need YOU! Please join us.



### Kings Band



#### 2017 Poinsettia Sale!



The Kings Band Poinsettia Sale is back! Are you thinking about "decking the halls" once again? Let us help you with beautiful, full poinsettias in different sizes and colors, fresh pine wreaths & ropes, and gorgeous table arrangements! Band members will be out and about with order forms, or you can order on our website at <a href="www.kingsbandboosters.com">www.kingsbandboosters.com</a>. Any questions: please contact Michelle Jantzen at mjantzen@cinci.rr.com. Thank you for your support! We could not do what we do without you!

#### Open Order Period: November 6th - 27th

Pickup Date: Monday, December 4th KJH Multi-Purpose Room 4:00-6:00 p.m.





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## Kings Mills Elementary

2017 Holiday

Craft & Vendor Fair





COST: \$20 PER VENDOR RAFFLE DONATION: \$15 (suggested retail value)

ALL Vendors & Crafters must provide their own table (6ft max) and extension cord, if needed.

Please submit completed form, payment and donation by **NOVEMBER 17, 2017** 

KME Vendor/Craft Fair Attn: Betsy Fredericks

1780 King Ave.

Kings Mills, OH 45034

Contact Betsy Fredericks at betsyfredericks@gmail.com with questions

#### KINGS ATHLETICS NEWS



Check out Kings Athletics NEW website! You can find out schedule information, upcoming events, news about teams, and even get directions to away venues. Find us on Facebook!

Click here to access the Kings Athletics Webpage.

#### Check out this week's Knights Weekly & KHS Roundtable

The Athletic Department is now on YouTube. Subscribe today!

November 1 is the last day to nominate for Kings Athletics Hall of Fame!

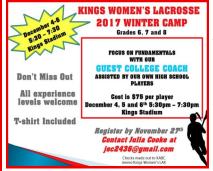
#### Calling all 7th & 8th Graders!

The Kings Junior High Winter Guard is seeking member for the 2017-2018 competition season.

Kings Junior High Winter Guard is an "artistic" sport that meets after school on Tuesday's until 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday's until 4:00 p.m. The group learns a show routine including elements of dance, acting and spinning flags and rifles, that we will take to competition' on Saturday's January through March.



It is a really fun activity that promises to entertain and challenge! The group is run by J.F. Burns Elementary Music Teacher, Jennifer Maegly. The first practice for all interested students is on Tuesday, November 28 after school in the KJH Cafeteria. Come prepared to find out how much fun is to be had by joining this group! If you have questions, please contact Jennifer Maegly at 513-398-8050, ext. 16045 or imaegly@kingslocal.net.



#### Women's Lacrosse Winter Camp

You have until November 27 to register for Kings Women's Lacrosse 2017 Winter Camp for grades 6, 7, and 8.

All levels are welcome! It will be held December 4, 5, and 6 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Kings Stadium and cost is \$75 per player. For more information click here.

Girls youth lacrosse registration is now available <a href="http://www.kingslax.info">http://www.kingslax.info</a>

#### Boys Youth Lacrosse Registration is Now Open!

Boys in grades 1-6 are now invited to register to play Lacrosse. All experience levels are welcome and equipment is available. Official season runs mid February through May. For more information visit <a href="https://www.kingsyouthlax.com">www.kingsyouthlax.com</a> or contact Lee Ann Mueller at <a href="https://www.kingsyouthlax.com">lmmueller88@yahoo.com</a>.





#### 2018 SAY Soccer Sign-Ups

The Kings Soccer Club online registration is currently open for Kindergarten through high school seniors. Registration will run through February 3, 2018. Registration fees for Spring 2018 is \$80 per player, with a maximum of \$240 per family.

Click here for more information.



Girls in grades 2 & 4 are invited to join Girl Scout Troop 45972! The troop will meet the first and third Wednesday of each month.

For more information click here.

#### **Support Kings Women's Lacrosse**

Show your school spirit and support the Kings High School Lady Laxers with a driveway painted "K" logo! The KHS Women's Lacrosse Team will visit and paint in your desired location. It's a great way to show how #KingsStrong you are and support the Lady Lax team.

The logo is 16x15 inches and is painted with Sherwin-Williams a-100 flat paint. The cost is \$20.

Send check and information to: Brian Schuckman, 1240 Ascot Dr., Maineville, OH 45039. Please include name, address, neighborhood or subdivision, phone number, quantity of logos. Please make checks payable to KABC. For more information contact <a href="mailto:bschuckman@gmail.com">bschuckman@gmail.com</a>.



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Keep up with everything Kings by following us on social media. We can't possibly report all of the great things happening in our weekly

EBBN. We update our social media pages daily with exciting things that happen in and out of our classrooms! Follow us on Facebook,

Twitter and Instagram to keep up with all of the great things that happen on a daily basis.

#### www.kingslocal.net

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Find us on Twitter: @Kings\_Schools



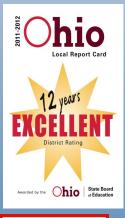














Did you know that many of our schools and their PTO's have social media pages? Click on the icons below to take you to their pages!





















