

## Dear Parents/Guardians,

On behalf of the staff at Kings Junior High, welcome to the 2023-2024 school year! I hope that you have had a restful and relaxing summer and are looking forward to a great year at Kings. As summer comes to an end, there are a few events that are coming in August at KJH. These events are listed below.

- August 9th: School Pictures/Building Tours, 10:00-6:00 pm (Grades 7-8)
- August 11th: New Student Breakfast (new to the Kings District), 9:00am
- August 14th: KJH Meet the Teacher, 4:00-6:00 pm
- August 17th: Staggered Start, Student Last Names A-L
- August 18th: Staggered Start, Student Last Names M-Z
- August 21st: First Day of School for all students
- August 23st: Lifetouch Fall Picture Day (for all students who have not been photographed)

Student schedules will be available through **Progress Book beginning August 9th**. Please check **Progress Book** on August 9th to view your student's schedule. The building will be open for Building Tours on August 9th to walk the building and familiarize yourself with KJH (see above).

School Fees can be paid in person with cash or check on August 9th or 14th or with credit card at <a href="www.payschoolscentral.com">www.payschoolscentral.com</a> on or after **August 9** (*fees will not be finalized and set until schedules are finalized*). Requests for fee waivers are completed through the <a href="Free and Reduced Lunch fee application">Free and Reduced Lunch fee application</a>. Applications can be found on our website under Food Services or in Final Forms and can be turned into the main KJH office or sent to Jennifer Arlinghaus at <a href="mailto:jarlinghaus@kingslocal.net">jarlinghaus@kingslocal.net</a>

Students entering 7th grade will need to have one dose of meningococcal (MCV4) vaccine and one dose of the Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, and acellular pertussis) vaccine. Medical records can be turned in during August 9th or 14th or open building days. They can also be sent to Mrs. Dias at mdias@kingslocal.net or faxed to 513-229-7974.

School supply lists can be found on our KJH webpage under <u>KJH Supply Lists</u> however your student may need additional supplies for their team or an encore class. The team information will be posted on our website in August along with team supply lists.

All information must be updated through <u>Final Forms</u> before the beginning of the school year. Forms must be signed by both parent/guardian and student. Students can check their school email account for the link to Final Forms (new students will complete this at school if necessary). This information must be updated to ensure you are receiving communications from the District, School and teachers.

The August 11th New Student Breakfast is for those students who are new to the district. If you are new to the district please come and hear about KJH and Kings Schools.

Once again, the staff at Kings Junior High is looking forward to a great school year with your child. We believe that all students can be successful and carry themselves with our PACT Principles on a daily basis. We look forward to meeting and working with you this coming school year.

Sincerely,

Eric Dunn

Principal

Kings Junior High