Kenwood School Newsletter December 14, 2022

Kenwood School

Holiday Performance

Thursday, December 15th

Morning Performance at 10:30 a.m.

Evening Performance at 6:00 p.m.

Have Leftover Gift Bags or Tissue Paper?

KSA will be collecting gently used small and medium gift bags and tissue paper to use for next year's Holiday Boutique. We will have a box in front of school to put your donations in January 3-6.

Thank you and Happy Holidays!

Upcoming Events

12/15/22	Board of Trustees Meeting, School Library Closed Session 3:30 p.m. Regular Session 4:00 p.m.
12/15/22	Winter Concert, 6:00 p.m., MPR Rehearsal 10:30 a.m., MPR
12/15/22	Lego Robotics Forms Due
12/16/22	Pajama Day!
12/16/22	Early Dismissal at 1:30 p.m., K at 1:15 p.m.
12/16/22	NO COUGAR CLUB TODAY
12/19/22 - 1/2/23	Winter Break
1/3/23	Return to School
1/16/23	Martin Luther Kind Holiday: No School

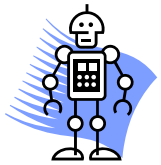
Parent Reminder
Wednesday
Dismissal Time is
1:30 p.m.
For Grades 1-6

Early dismissal on 12/16
Kindergarten: 1:15 p.m.
Grades 1-6: 1:30 p.m.
NO COUGAR CLUB
School Resumes: 1/3/23

Lost and Found: Please remember to check for missing items at the end of the main hallway. The rack is overflowing. All items left after December 16th, will be donated to a local charity.

Main Office: (707) 833-2500
Attendance Line: (707) 341-0102
Cougar Club: (707) 833-4383
Rainbow Garden Preschool: (707) 833-6551

Lego Robotics



Open to ALL 4th through 6th Grade Students!!!!

It's once again time for Kenwood School's Lego Robotics Program!

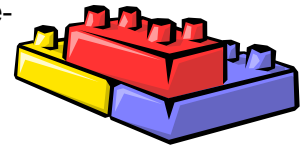
Lego Robotics will prepare students to compete against students from other Sonoma County schools with Lego-based robots they have built and programmed with the computer. Competition events include drag races, sumo-bots, and obstacle courses, among many others. Kenwood students will prepare for the competition with weekly meetings to get ready for the event on **Saturday, May 6, 2023**. If you like Legos, and you want to learn computer programming, this is the class for you!

Lego Robotics sessions will meet weekly to prepare for the competition in May, either on Tuesdays OR Thursdays beginning in January and February from **3:05 to 4:00**. In **March, April and May**, we will meet every Tuesday OR Thursday from **3:05 to 4:30**.

This year there will be two separate groups, one on Tuesday, and one on Thursdays. Please indicate your preference for your child's meeting day on the form below.

There is a limit of 24 spots in this class— **if more than 24 student sign up, there will be a lottery to select participants**.

Also—**we need parent volunteers to help coach students throughout this program**. If you are interested in coaching (you don't need to have robotics or computer programming experience), please check the box on the form below. **We need at least 6 coaches to make this program happen!**



There is no charge for the class.

Lego Robotics Sign-Up Form—Tuesdays **OR** Thursdays 3:05-4:00 (**March/April/May 3:05-4:30**)

Name: _____ Grade Level : 4 5 6

Preferred Meeting Day : (Circle One) Tuesday Thursday Either Day

Phone Number : _____ E-Mail Address : _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

☐ I am interested in volunteering as a coach. (You will be contacted with further details)

Please read the important reminders below:

By signing above, I agree that my child will be able to participate in the Saturday, May 6, 2023 competition.

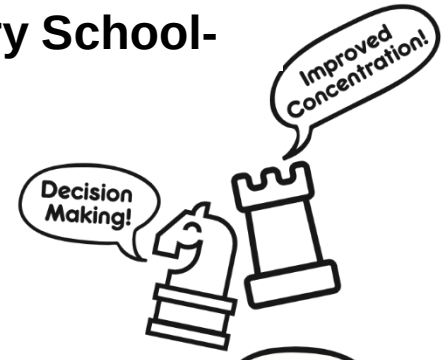
More than 3 non-illness related absences during practices or inability to attend the competition day may result in you child's spot being given to another student.

Please return this form to the office no later than Thursday, December 15th.
Students will be selected for the class by lottery and notified before Winter Break. Classes begin 1/10/2023

CHESS FOR KIDS

- Kenwood Elementary School-

Mondays:
January – 23, 30
February – 6, 27
March – 6, 13, 27
No class Feb 13, 20 Mar 20
Time: 3:10 – 4:10
Location: 14 Steam Lab
Fee: $115 per Student
Siblings are always
Half Price.
(Scholarships considered)



CHESS FOR KIDS, Inc. is a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing chess to as many young people as possible in Sonoma and Napa Counties.

No refunds or make-ups. We will call ONLY if the class is full and cannot accept any more enrollments. Please inform us in advance of any special needs.

Name: **Boy** ☐ **Girl** ☐ **Grade:** **Phone:**

Email:

Address:

After Chess Class destination: Parent Pick up ☐ **Daycare** ☐ **Other:** **Cell:**

No refunds or make-ups. Initial Here: **Amount Enclosed:**

Checks payable to CHESS FOR KIDS, Inc.

Mail to: Chess for Kids, 1275 4th St. SR CA, 95404

Kenwood Elementary School – January 2023

Call: (707)364-5193 for info

Enroll online at: www.chessclubforkids.com

Kenwood Elementary School
Student Council Canned Food Drive

December 5th to December 16th

For their 1st community service activity, the Student Council is sponsoring a Canned Food Drive in support of the Redwood Empire Food Bank. The canned food drive will be running for 2 weeks. Please help us support our community by bringing in non-perishable foods. Please, no food in glass jars or opened or expired food items.

Students will bring in canned food to their classes. The top 3 classes who bring in the most cans or other non-perishable items will win a class prize.

Help the Redwood Empire Food Bank end hunger by donating food and funds for our neighbors in need.

MOST NEEDED ITEMS:

- Tuna and Canned Meat
- Peanut Butter
- Canned Soups + Stews
- Rice and Dry Beans
- Cereal
- Canned Fruits + Veggies
- Protein Bars

*NO GLASS CONTAINERS

Thank you for helping us fill our cans and feed our community!

Sports Basement

Kenwood Education Foundation

You're invited to a holiday shopping event!
Head to Sports Basement for:

20% off for Basementeers*

***Non-Basementeers still get 11% off**

Basementeers stack their discount for 20% off.
Limited time only. Exclusions apply.

Can't join us in-store? Shop online with code: **2050009698874**
Valid from 12/3-12/10/22. **Not valid on trips, rentals, services or bikes.**
See website for exclusions.

POS, enter both codes:

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Shopping for Education

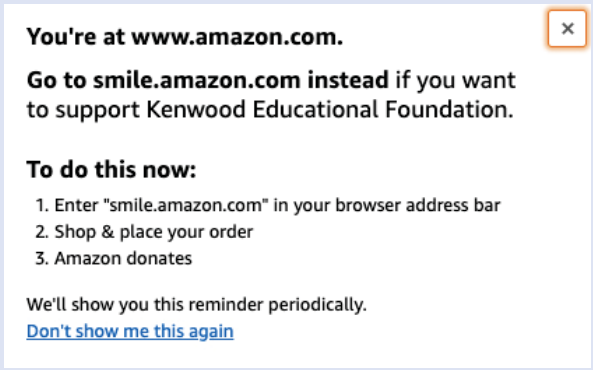
Anytime you place an order on Amazon.com you have an opportunity to raise money for our school through the Amazon Smile program and ***it's so easy to use***!

1. Go to smile.amazon.com

2. Log in with your Amazon username and password
(if you aren't automatically logged in already)

3. Search "Kenwood Educational Foundation" to select us for your charity of choice - this can be changed/updated anytime.

4. Continue shopping on Amazon like you always do!
A portion of any eligible purchases will go to your chosen charity each time you shop.



Whenever you visit Amazon moving forward the site will remind you to use the Amazon Smile program

FREE TO PARTICIPATE

NO CHANGE to your Amazon shopping experience or what you can browse or purchase

ANYONE can do it so please encourage family and friends to use this program

This program is **YEAR-ROUND**, so anytime you shop on the site you can help a charity

KENWOOD EDUCATION FOUNDATION

For more information visit www.kenwoodeducationfoundation.org

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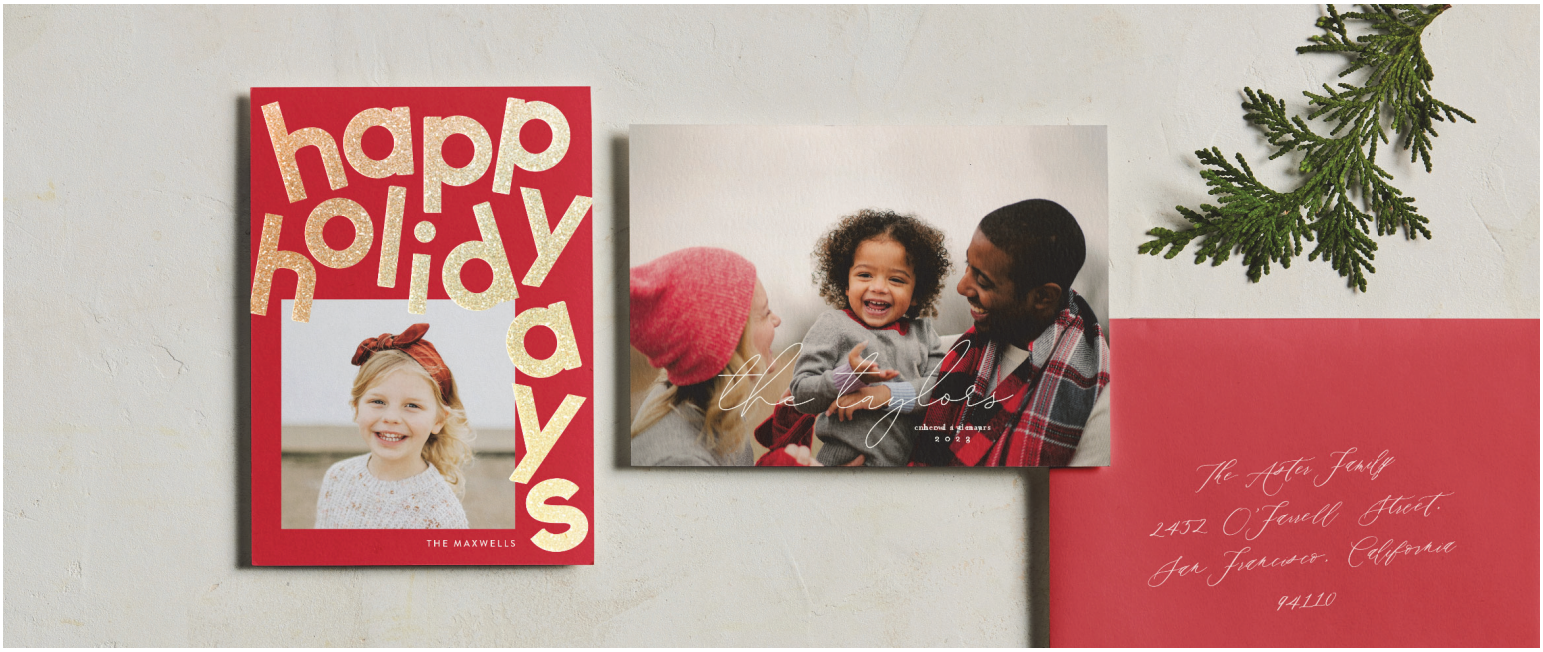
Use code: **FUNDRAISEKENWOOD**



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