

# Kenwood School Newsletter

**Principally Speaking**

**April 11, 2018**

I would like to welcome all of our families back from our recent Spring Break. As we shared with the students at our Monday morning assembly, we have only 37 days (if you are reading this on Wednesday, April 11<sup>th</sup>) until the end of our current school year. We want to make every moment count! This can be a very hectic sprint from after our break to the end of the year on June 1<sup>st</sup>. As a team, we will continue to work together to encourage our students to maintain their focus on “finishing strong” as we head into the final portion of the school year.

On an entirely separate note, I would like to thank all of our families, students and staff for a tremendous “Grandparents and Special Friends” Day on the day prior to our break. It is always heartwarming to have so many special people in the lives of our students come and visit our school. Thank you, as always, to the Kenwood Education Foundation for coordinating this great event! I know that the teachers, support staff and students had a wonderful time and shared the many reasons that we are proud of our children and our school community.

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## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

4/12 Board of Trustees Meeting, 4 p.m. Closed Session, 4:30 p.m. Regular Session, School Library

4/20 K Field Trip to Jelly Belly Factory Tour, 8:30-12:30

4/20 Grade 1 Field Trip to Dairy Farm, Sonoma, 10:15-2:15

4/24 KEF Meeting at 6 p.m.

4/27 Grade 4 Field Trip to Hatchery in Geyserville, 8:45-2 p.m.

### **State Testing Window for Grades 3-6 April 30 - May 10**

5/2 School Site Council Meeting, 2 p.m., School Library

5/3 Grade 2 Field Trip to Montini Preserve, 8:50-1:30

5/12 Lights, Camera, Auction! May 12, 2018



## COUGAR CLUB NEWS

April contracts are out!

Please pick up contracts from the main office, Cougar Club or print online from the [www.kenwoodschool.org](http://www.kenwoodschool.org) website. Knowing your childcare plans help us be prepared for staffing. Contracts are due Friday, April 13th.

Thank you,

Cougar Club

## *SAFETY CONCERNS*

- 1) Please do not park in the fire zone in front of the school.*
- 2) Please do not drop your child off in the back staff parking lot.*
- 3) Please do not send your child's lunch in glass containers.*

*Thank you.*

## *Rainbow Garden Preschool News*

Rainbow Garden is now accepting enrollment applications for the 2018-2019 school year.

Rainbow Garden Preschool

(707)833-6551

**Homework Club** meets on Mondays from 3:05-3:45 in the Grade 4 or Grade 6 classroom.

### **School Lunch News:**

On Facebook, search for the "Kenwood Café" to find out about our exciting school lunch program.

**Main Office: 833-2500**

**Attendance Line: 341-0102**

**Cougar Club: 833-4383**

**Rainbow Garden Preschool: 833-6551**

# Join the Kenwood Elementary School Climate Action Team!

Teachers, parents and students are joining with schools across the nation to take action on climate change as part of the Schools for Climate Action campaign.

[Schools for Climate Action](#), launched by a father and son in Sonoma County, empowers schools to speak up for climate action by promoting the adoption of Climate Action Resolutions by schools districts within Sonoma County and beyond. In just three months, resolutions have been passed by Sonoma Valley Unified School District, Sebastopol Unified School District, West Sonoma county Union High School District, Santa Rosa City Schools, and the Sonoma County Office of Education. These resolutions recognize that the children of today will bear the greatest burden of the impacts of climate change, and that our schools have a responsibility to equip them with opportunities to respond.

We are bringing together teachers, parents and students in grades 4-6 to create a Kenwood Climate Action Team to lead this effort.

Join us for a discussion of what a Kenwood School District Climate Change Resolution could include, learn what our school has done thus far to mitigate climate change, and discuss what climate actions our school could take in the future.

Wednesday, April 25, 1:30-2:15 in the 5th grade classroom.

To learn more about the Schools for Climate Action campaign, read Climate Resolutions passed by other schools districts, and see videos of students speaking on the importance of climate action to their school board members, see the [Schools for Climate Action website](#).

Sincerely,

Jen Palladini (parent)

Mike Terwilliger (5th grade teacher)

Sheila Morrissey (6th grade teacher)



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# SHOP & DONATE

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RARITIES, ROCKS & REMEDIES



## GRAND OPENING

Friday, April 13th from 4:00 to 6:00

& Spring Fling - Saturday, April 14th 10:00am- 5pm

*Shop for Rarities, Rocks & Remedies  
while enjoying local wine and food bites.  
20% of all purchases go towards-  
Kenwood Education Foundation.*



FRIDAYS PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS KEF

&

SATURDAYS PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS KSA

LOCATION: 9255 SONOMA HIGHWAY, KENWOOD

PHONE: 707-934-7015

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**AGENDA**  
**April 12, 2018**  
**Board of Trustees Meeting**  
**4:00PM Closed Session - 4:30PM Regular Session**  
**Kenwood School Library**

- I. Call to Order – Board President Pat Alexander or alternate**
- II. Closed Session**
  - A. Comments-Individuals:** At this time members of the public may seek clarification about any item being discussed in closed session.
  - B. Recess to Closed Session**
    - 1.) With respect to every item of business to be discussed in closed session pursuant to Gov. Code Section 54957.6: CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR – Agency Negotiator: Board Members Employee organization or unrepresented employee: KSTA
- III. Regular Session**
  - A. Pledge of Allegiance**
  - B. Roll Call of Board Members**
  - C. Report out of Closed Session**
  - D. Adjustment of Agenda**

Anyone wishing to have an agenda item heard at a time other than as listed should make a request at this time.
  - E. Public Comment**

It should be understood that the Board will not respond to nor take action on presentations under “Public Comment”. This is simply a time for members of the audience to address the Board regarding items not on the agenda. Each presentation shall be limited to three minutes.
  - F. Announcements and Reports**
    - 1. Board Announcements**
    - 2. District Organizations’ Reports**
    - 3. Superintendent’s Report**
    - 4. Gina Cuclis: Area One Trustee, Sonoma County Board of Education**
      - a. SCOE Updates**
- IV. Action Items**
  - A. Approval of Budget Updates**
  - B. Approval of Warrants**
  - C. Approval of Board Meeting Minutes, March 8, 2018**
  - D. Accept Donation from Robert and Kathy Amend**
  - E. Approval of Interdistrict Attendance Permit for Grade 3 from Kenwood to Petaluma City Schools**
  - F. Approval of Fifth Grade Overnight Field Trip to Monterey Bay: May 23-May 25, 2018**
  - G. Approval of Job Share Proposal for 2018-19 School Year: Patricia Ehn**
  - H. Acceptance of Resignation: Cathy Wieschendorff, School Psychologist Effective- June 30, 2018**
  - I. Approval of Agreement Between Kenwood School Teachers Association and Kenwood School District 2017-18**
  - J. Approval of District Calendar for 2018-2019 School Year**
  - K. Approval of Salary Schedules, 2017-2018**
  - L. Approve Continuation of District of Choice Program**
  - M. Williams Quarterly for January – March 2018**
  - N. Acceptance of Proposal for Architectural Design and Construction Management Services from Quattrocchi Kwok Architects**

- O. Approval of Resolution No. 947: Commitment to Climate Change Action**
- P. Approval of the following Board Policy (BP) and Administrative Regulations (AR) updates as Recommended by the California School Board Association: December 2017**

**Adopt Revised:**

BP/AR 0420.4 Charter School Authorization  
BP 1325 Advertising and Promotion, Option #2  
BP 3100 Budget, Options N/A  
BP 3515.7 Firearms on School Grounds  
AR 3517 Facilities Inspection  
BP 4119.21/4219.21/4319.21 Professional Standards  
AR 4144/4244/4344/ Complaints  
BP/AR 4200 Classified Personnel, Option #1  
BP 5144 Discipline  
BP/AR 5144.1 Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process, Option #1  
AR 5148.2 Before/After School Programs

**Delete:**

E (1) and (2) 3515.7 Firearms on School Grounds  
BP 3517 Facilities Inspection

**Not Applicable Policies:**

BP 6146.1 High School Graduation Requirements  
BP/AR/E(1) /E(2) 6162.52 High School Exit Examination  
BB 9150 Student Board Members

**Q. Set Dates for 2018-19 Budget and LCAP Public Hearing and Board Adoption**

**V. Discussion/Report Items**

**A. Agenda Items for May 10, 2018 Board Meeting**

**VI. Adjournment**

Notice: The District adheres to the Americans with Disabilities Act. Should you require special accommodations, or more information about accessibility, please contact 833-2500. All efforts will be made for reasonable accommodations.

# April 2018 Kenwood School Lunch Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3	4	5	6
<b>Spring</b>	<b>Break</b>	<b>Have a</b>	<b>Great</b>	<b>Week</b>
9	10	11	12	13
<b>Breakfast for Lunch</b> French Toast, Fruit, & Breakfast Meat -Salad Bar & Fruit **	<b>Tacos</b> -Meat or Veggie option -w/Rice -Chips & Salsa -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Spaghetti</b> with marinara sauce -Garlic Bread -Seasonal Vegetable -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Lemon-Rosemary Chicken</b> -Feta Orzo Salad -Seasonal Vegetable -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Hot Sandwich &amp; Soup</b> -Choice of Meat or Veggie sandwich -Salad Bar & Fruit
16	17	18	19	20
<b>Pulled BBQ Sandwiches</b> -Shred Meat coated -w/ BBQ Sauce -Cabbage Slaw ** -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Cheese Quesadillas</b> -Rice -Guacamole -Chips & Salsa -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Chicken Pot Pie</b> Chicken and Veggies in a Creamy Sauce in a Buttery, Flaky Crust ** -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Chow Mein</b> -Noodles w/vegetable Stir-fry -Vegetable potstickers -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Meatloaf</b> w/ Mashed Potatoes & Mushroom Gravy -Salad Bar & Fruit **
23	24	25	26	27
<b>Sloppy Joes</b> -w/ BBQ Sauce -Cabbage Slaw -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Cheese Enchiladas</b> Tortilla topped w/red sauce -Rice -Chips & Salsa -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Chicken Katsu</b> Breaded Chicken w/ Sweet & Tangy Sauce over rice -Salad Bar & Fruit**	<b>Garlic Citrus Chicken</b> -Served w/ White Rice & Black Beans -Salad Bar & Fruit	<b>Jambalaya</b> Tomato Sauce, w/ Sausage and Vegetables & Rice -Salad Bar & Fruit
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<b>Chicken Parmesan Sandwich</b> -w/Marinara Sauce ** -Salad Bar & Fruit				