

Kenwood School Newsletter May 10, 2023

Principally Speaking



Dear Kenwood Families,

As you probably know, Mrs. Eileen Vukicevich will be retiring at the end of this school year. Mrs. V. has been with Kenwood School for 24 years as a parent, instructional aide, PE teacher, and classroom teacher. Her calm and happy demeanor will be missed, though she promises to visit and maybe even substitute teach for us on occasion. We will all miss her greatly.

Luckily for the students at Kenwood School, Mrs. Shinn will be switching from one day a week 4th grade teacher to 4 days a week. She will teach Monday -Thursday and Mrs. Katie Hernandez, our Art/1st grade teacher will be shifting to Art/4th grade teacher. Mrs. Hernandez will teach 4th grade on Fridays. We are currently looking for a PE teacher to replace Mrs. Shinn. So if you know somebody please let them know!

Kenwood School is lucky in that we have two fantastic teachers that can step in to continue making 4th grade a wonderful and engaging experience for our students. The two teachers have already been making plans and creating ideas to bring an exceptional learning experience to our students.

Upcoming Events

- 5/12/23 8:00 a.m. Special Board of Trustees Meeting, School Library
8:30 a.m. Coffee with the Principal, School Library
- 5/18/23 All Library Books are Due Back!
- 5/18/23 Early Dismissal: K at 1:15 and grades 1-6 at 1:30 p.m.
5:40 Ukulele Performance
Open House 6:00-6:45
- 5/20/23 Lights, Camera, Auction, (LCA) 5:00 - 10:00 p.m., Fairview - Oakmont Country Club
- 5/29/23 Memorial Day Holiday: No School
- 5/30-6/2 Early Dismissal: K at 1:15 and grades 1-6 at 1:30 p.m.
- 6/1/23 Board of Trustees Meeting, 4:00 p.m.
- 6/1/23 Sixth Grade Promotion at 6:00 p.m.
- 6/2/23 Last Day of School

Main Office: (707) 833-2500

Attendance Line: (707) 341-0102

Cougar Club: (707) 833-4383

Rainbow Garden Preschool: (707) 833-6551

KEF Upcoming Events

Light, Camera, Auction (LCA)

Saturday, May 20, 2023

5:00-10:00 pm

Fairview at the Oakmont Country Club

Press Release!

The Kenwood Ukulele Band will perform our current program starting at **5:40 p.m. on Thursday, May 18th, immediately before Open House begins at 6:00 p.m.** We will be performing for the first time, our original song, "Potato Chips Rock," written by Kenwood's 4th, 5th, and 6th graders.

We encourage all parents and kids to attend to enjoy and support our musicians.

Gary "Mr. V." Vogenesen

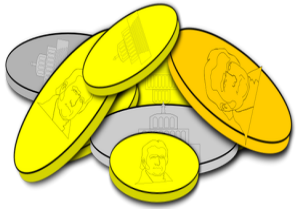


Parent Reminder:

If your child is absent, please call our attendance line at (707) 341-0102. Please state your child's name and the reason for his or her absence.

Safe Drop off/Pick up Reminder

We would like to remind everyone that our students' safety is our number one priority. During morning Drop Off and afternoon Pick Up, students are out and about and walking around. They are not always the easiest to see, especially when we have rainy weather. Please remember that our designated Drop Off and Pick Up location is at the front of the school. Our circular driveway allows parents to drive straight forward and not put their vehicle into reverse. This increases visibility and safety. Unfortunately, the back Staff Parking Lot is not set up for such a situation. Please do not use that parking lot for student Drop off or Pick Up and let's all work together to keep our students safe.



Class Coin Drive Competition

Sponsored by KES Student Council

2022-23



Congratulations Kenwood Elementary!

YOU RAISED \$1087.61!!!

For UNICEF

This money will be used to help child refugees all over the world.

1st place- 2nd Grade!\$380.04

2nd Place- 4th Grade!\$173.10

3rd Place- \$119.40



Great Job Kenwood!

Thank you for supporting this important cause!



You are Invited - Our Kenwood Hometown Parade is back!

July 4th - Depot Park @ 10:30 am - Plus Footrace, Pancake
Breakfast, Silent Auction & Picnic in the Park



Be a part of the magic & history.



Be in the parade: Grab Family, Friends &
Neighbors, Clubs, Organizations, Sports
Teams, Scouting Troops, etc.

All Are Welcome

<https://kenwoodparade.org/parade/>



We hope
to see you
there....

Contact
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with questions

