



WOODLAND ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER April 13, 2022

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Woodland Families!

April is here! I hope you are excited for the long Spring Break weekend coming up and that you get to spend some quality time together as a family. It is hard to believe that we are in April, already into the final academic quarter of the school year. These last few months are going to go fast!



There are a lot of fun events that have happened during the past few weeks, and several more fun activities planned for the weeks to come. On March 29th, students had a Winter Activity Day as a way to celebrate the year, and to emphasize our community values. Classes participated in a schoolwide trivia contest, door decorating, and created a fun mural project led by Mrs. Englebert. We were able to invite in some special judges as well, which was comprised of a few parents who serve as police officers or firefighters. It was a fun day as we celebrated our community!

In April, our classes are participating in the Fang's Reading Program, having a PTO sponsored ice cream day, and have the next spirit day on April 14th which is "Mismatch Day." We are also celebrating Library Month in April and our LMC staff have some fun activities planned for our learners. We know this time of year can be a challenge as kids want to be outside. These activities help keep the focus on learning, and allow our kids to have some fun, which we are all about!

As we head into the final months of school, I want to thank you in advance for your help with keeping the kids focused on their learning. This is a rich time of year as kids start to pull all of their learning together, and they grow exponentially as readers, writers, mathematicians, musicians, artists, and problem-solvers, more than any other part of the year. Each morning, tell your children to show us what they know, to work hard, and to make the day the best one yet. After school, ask them about their learning, ask what was easy, what was hard, and what they want to do next as a learner. When we engage in these rich conversations, even with our youngest learners, we see that exponential growth. There is power in conversation!

Woodland is a special elementary school, and Kimberly is a special community. The world is a changing place, and education is the most powerful tool to help our kids navigate that world. We are fortunate in the KASD to have one of the best sets of programming for our learners. They will no-doubt do amazing things and be the future leaders in our communities. Thanks to all of our teachers and staff who guide this journey each day. We have the best!

This has been an outstanding year and I am looking forward to seeing how our learners finish up strong during the final quarter. It has been fun watching them learn and develop into future leaders and I cannot wait to see this continue over the next two months. Thank you for your ongoing support and please call or email with any questions or concerns. Best wishes to all of you on a safe and healthy spring!

Go Wolves!

Timothy M. Doleysh, Ph.D.

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Dates to Remember

Apr. 15 - 19 - No school. Classes resume on Wednesday, April 20th

Apr. 14 - Spirit day - theme is Mismatch Day

Apr. 27 - Book swap

May 10 - Skate Night at Skate City 6-8 pm

May 13 - 12:00 pm release

May 27 - 12:00 pm release

May 30 - No school

June 2 - Last day of school

SPIRIT DAY

Thursday, April 14th is a spirit day at Woodland School and the theme is mismatch day. The PTO will be serving popcorn as a snack.



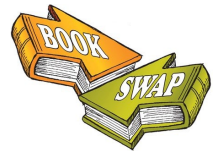
NO SCHOOL



There will be no school on Friday, April 15th through Tuesday, April 19th. Classes resume on Wednesday, April 20th. Enjoy the long weekend!

BOOK SWAP

Woodland Elementary School will be holding its next book swap on Wednesday, April 27th. Your child can bring in a book from home to swap for a book that is “new” to them. We are in need of chapter books. This is an optional activity.



HWY N/MIDWAY ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



Construction of a roundabout will be starting on May 2nd at the intersection of Hwy. N and Midway Road. Please note that this project could impact travel and busing, causing delays, as travel north and south through the intersection will be blocked during construction.

FANG'S READING CLUB



The Fang's Reading Club with the Wisconsin Timber Rattlers is wrapping up this week! Please see the [attached flyer](#) with additional details. Woodland Night at the ballpark is scheduled for Friday, May 20th.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Please visit the KASD website and check out the [Community Events](#) page for more great opportunities and activities for your family.



1ST DAY SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Please click [here](#) to order your 1st Day School Supplies. Supply kits for each grade can be pre-ordered for the 22-23 school year and will be shipped directly to your home at least 2 weeks before school starts. Orders must be placed by July 1st.



WOODLAND SKATE NIGHT



Woodland Skate Night at Skate City will be held on Tuesday, May 10th from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm. The cost is \$7.00 and includes rental. Come and join us for a fun night with friends!

WOODLAND WEAR STORE

The Woodland PTO has launched an online spirit wear store! Please click [here](#) to shop 1st Place Spiritwear. There are many pieces to choose from and items are delivered to your home in days!



4K/5K REGISTRATION



Residents in the Kimberly Area School District can now register their newest Papermaker in Kindergarten. If your child is going to be 4 or 5 years old by September 1, 2022, registrations for 4K and 5K can be completed [online](#). Please see the [KASD website](#) for additional information.

OPEN ENROLLMENT

The timeline for submitting open enrollment applications is February 7, 2022 to April 29, 2022 at 4:00 pm. A link to the open enrollment application will be available on the [Kimberly Area School District website](#) beginning February 7th. To obtain more information about open enrollment, please contact Jen Bixler at 423-4166.



MEET OUR SPECIALS CREW



Hello Woodland Families! My name is Michelle Englebert and I am the Elementary art teacher here at Woodland. I also spend some of my time teaching at Westside Elementary in Kimberly. I graduated from the University of Wisconsin- LaCrosse with an art education degree. This is my eleventh year of teaching and third teaching in this district. I student taught in Kimberly at Woodland and Sunrise and was always compelled to come back! This is a great place to be!! I have been married to my husband, Anthony, for six years and together we have two boys- Easton (age 5) and Everett (age 3). We love spending time together outdoors and weekends at the cottage. I enjoy tennis, hockey, fishing, hunting, baking, and crafts/art projects. I absolutely love teaching in Kimberly and creating art with all of our students! ~Mrs. Englebert



Hi there! My name is Katy Marino and I love music! My love for music began when I started violin lessons at the age of six. I attended high school at the Governor's School for the Arts in Norfolk, Virginia. I continued studying music education at the Eastman School of Music then later got my Master's from Boston University. I spent my first seven years of teaching in Strings and general music at North Broward Preparatory School in Florida. I have been teaching in Kimberly since 2017 and now have a son at Woodland in 5K who loves learning and sports and a 2-year old daughter who loves to sing and dance. I love teaching music at Woodland because I have such wonderful students! ~Mrs. Marino



Hi Woodland families! My name is Hannah Baron and I teach 2nd grade music here at Woodland and 5K music across the district. I graduated from Lawrence University earlier this year with a BM in Music Education with emphases in instrumental and general music. This is my first year teaching and I am so lucky to get to start my career here in Kimberly. In my free time I play in the Green Bay Civic Orchestra, teach cello lessons, play cribbage, and bake A LOT. Thank you for welcoming me into the Kimberly and Woodland community! ~Ms. Baron



Hi! My name is Bree Draves, and I am the Physical Education teacher here at Woodland. I graduated from UW La Crosse with degrees in both Physical Education and Health Education. Even though this is my 14th year of teaching, I started teaching in KASD in 2015. To start, I was lucky enough to travel to all of the elementary schools and teach our 5K kiddos PE. After 3 years of traveling, I worked at Janssen for 1 year. I have been back at Woodland now for the past 3 years and getting to teach our wonderful kiddos Elementary PE! I also love spending time with my family and friends. I have two dogs, Tucker and Indee, that keep me very busy and active! ~Ms. Draves



Hello Everyone! I am Colin Englebert, I am a Kimberly native and the 2nd grade Physical Education teacher at Woodland. This is my fourth year of teaching in the Kimberly Area School District. My official title is "Traveling Elementary Physical Education Teacher" so Woodland is one of the four schools I travel to throughout the Week. I also teach 5k at Westside, Sunrise and Janssen. My wife and I are both Physical Education teachers, she works in the Howard Suamico School District. We recently bought a house in Combined Locks! In addition to teaching I also coach baseball at the high school. I love being part of the district and community I grew up in! ~Mr. Englebert



Hi Woodland Families! My name is Jen Harke, and I have been working at Woodland for 10 years now. Before working at Woodland, I worked as a dental hygienist in a pediatric office in Madison, and before my role as a library para, I volunteered in classrooms at Woodland, was a PTO member, worked in the lunchroom, subbed as a para, and worked as a 4K para (when 4K was still at Woodland). I love my current role for so many reasons. I love getting to know all of the students and staff here at Woodland, love helping the kids find books they will enjoy, and I love getting to hear the kids talk about what they are learning from our informational collection. Outside of school, I love spending time with my family: my husband, Brian, son, Nolan(20) currently a student at UW Stout, and daughter, Sam(17) a junior at KHS. We enjoy playing board games and outdoor games together as well as just finding the time to be together. ~Mrs. Harke



Hello! My name is Erin Wedemeier and I am the 4K-8th grade library media specialist for Kimberly schools. I oversee the library activities of seven schools in the district. Prior to this role, I was a library media center coordinator and reading interventionist at JRG for 6 years, and before that I was a middle school language arts teacher for 6 years in three different districts. I live in Brillion with my husband and 5-year-old daughter. I (obviously) love reading, walks in the woods, and exploring my family genealogy. ~Mrs. Wedemeier



Hello! My name is Missy Van Krey. I am married and have 2 children ages 26 and 24. I grew up in Kimberly, married someone from Kimberly and my kids went to school in Kimberly. I have worked for the district for over 15 years at several of the schools. I love working in the Woodland Library because I get to see all the kids from every grade level. When I am not working, I enjoy traveling, camping, going to sporting events and of course reading! ~Mrs. Van Krey



WOODLAND PBIS WINTER ACTIVITY DAY

On Friday, March 25th, Woodland Elementary students enjoyed a winter activity day. The theme of the day was “Community” and the students participated in classroom activities, a door decorating contest and a school wide game of Kahoot! The afternoon was a time to celebrate all of the students’ hard work this year and to also bring our school together as a community. A special thanks to Mr. Schaumburg, Mr. Enneper, Mr. Vander Weilen, and Mr. Pearson for judging all of the awesome doors! Mrs. Vanden Boom’s 5K class was the winner of the door decorating contest and Mrs. Fronsee’s class won the school wide Kahoot! Thanks also to our PTO for providing popcorn for everyone as an afternoon snack. A fun time was had by all!



**Mrs. Vanden Boom's
Class & Winning Door**



FANG'S READING CLUB



WOODLAND NIGHT AT THE BALLPARK
FRIDAY, MAY 20



Woodland classes will once again be participating in Fang's Reading Club with the Wisconsin Timber Rattlers. It is an incentive-based reading program. Your child will have the opportunity to improve their reading skills while earning prizes from the Timber Rattlers!

If your child completes the program, they have hit a **HOME RUN** by reading and will be rewarded a complimentary ticket and hot dog and soda voucher.

The program runs from March 14 through April 14 and each grade has an assignment which must be met to earn a base. See grade specific information below.

The goal is to hit a **HOME RUN** and receive a complimentary game ticket and hot dog and soda voucher! Mark your calendars, Woodland Night is Friday, May 20!



Grade 5K - Click [HERE](#)

1st Grade - Click [HERE](#)

2nd Grade - Click [HERE](#)

3rd Grade - Click [HERE](#)

4th Grade - Click [HERE](#)

5th & 6th Grades - Click [HERE](#)

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& RECEIVE
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Sponsored by the Kimberly Area Running Club (KARC)
Meet is open to children 12 & under from all communities
KARC Youth Track Championships also sponsored by:



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Meet Date: Saturday, May 14th, 2022

Time: 8:00 am – Registration (pre-registration preferred & needed to guarantee t-shirt)
8:30 am – Field events begin
Long Jump, high jump and shot put
9:00 am – 100 meter dash
All times after the 100 meter dash are approximate; meet may run ahead
9:45 am – Mile run
10:15 am – 400 meter run
10:40 am – 800 meter run
11:00 am – 200 meter dash

Entry Fee: \$5 per Athlete (Includes t-shirt for pre-registered and up to 3 events)

Location: JR Gerrits Middle School Track, 545 S. John Street, Kimberly, WI 54136

Awards: T-shirt to all participants (*t-shirt availability NOT guaranteed for entries after 4/30/2022*)
Ribbons to all participants
Medals – Gold, Silver & Bronze per Event, per Age Group

More Info: Contact Lace Luedke (lace.luedke@gmail.com) with questions

2022 KARC Youth Track Championships Entry Form

Athlete Name _____ Phone Number _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Age on May 14, 2022 _____ Birthdate _____ Boy or Girl
E-mail address (only used if questions about your registration): _____



Shirt size(circle one): Youth sizes (YSM 6-8) (YMD 10-12) (YLG 14-16) Adult sizes (Adult S) (Adult M)

T-shirt availability not guaranteed at meet for entries submitted after 4/30/2022

Participation and Consent Waiver: I grant permission for my child to participate in the 2022 KARC Youth Track Championships. I recognize that competing in the sport of Track and Field is potentially a dangerous activity. In acceptance of this entry, I for myself, my execution, administration and assigns, do hereby release any rights and claims for damages I may have against KARC and any and all sponsors and individuals involved with the presentation and conduct of the 2022 KARC Youth Track Championships. I verify that this applicant is physically fit and sufficiently trained to participate in this competition. Entry fee is non-refundable. I grant permission to use any photo or record of this event for any purpose.

Pre-Register for Events (check up to 3 boxes: 2 running + 1 field or 1 running + 2 field):

Age/Event	100	200	400	800	Mile	LJ	HJ	SP
4 & Under		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
5 & 6				N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A
7 & 8					N/A		N/A	N/A
9 & 10								
11 & 12								

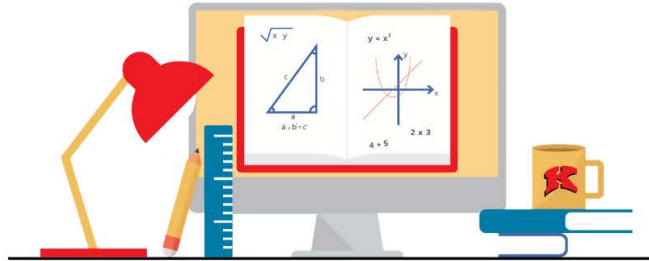
Signature (by parent or guardian) _____ Date _____

MAIL: Entry Form, Signed Waiver and \$5 per Athlete (make checks payable to KARC) to:
KARC c/o Lace Luedke, N8922 Sugar Maple Way, Menasha, WI 54952
Entries allowed day of the meet but t-shirt not guaranteed. Questions? Email: lace.luedke@gmail.com

KASD ONLINE PROGRAM

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

- *Programming for Grades 5K-12*
- *Enrollment open until May 6, 2022*
- *Wisconsin Virtual School (WVS) Partner*



Visit our website or scan
to learn more.

www.kimberly.k12.wi.us/departments/online-learning



GOLF TEAMS & SPONSORS NEEDED!

FORE! OUR KIDS 2022 GOLF OUTING

Thursday, June 16, 2022 | High Cliff Golf Course, Sherwood

**Benefitting Students and Families in the
Kimberly Area School District and Community**

For more information contact Sara Vogel svogel@kimberly.k12.wi.us or 920-423-4122

Register online at: <https://www.ForeOurKidsGolf.com>



Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

- Kimberly Library [Chapter Chat](#) for 5th and 6th Graders Mar/Apr/May
- [Village of Kimberly Park and Rec is Hiring for Summer 2022](#)
- Appleton Little League Registration [Information](#)
- [Baby chickens meet and greet](#) at Kimberly Public Library April 7



COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

Keep your child home when:

- They are sick (If experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, testing is recommended regardless of vaccination status.)
- They are diagnosed with COVID-19
- They are being tested for COVID-19

COVID protocols vary on a case-by-case basis, but are based on CDC/Wisconsin DHS guidelines. For detailed guidance, see [CDC website](#). Generally however, protocols will be:

IF MY CHILD...	THEN HE/SHE/THEY SHOULD...
Tests positive for COVID-19 regardless of vaccination status	Option 1: • Isolate for 5 days • If you have no symptoms or your symptoms are significantly improved, you can return to school on day 6 • Wear a mask for days 6 to 10 Option 2: • Isolate for 10 days, return on day 11
Was exposed to COVID-19 and are NOT *up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccinations	Option 1: • Quarantine for 5 days after the last contact with a positive case. Test on day 5 and with a negative result return on day 6 (provide a copy of the lab report negative result to the office) • Continue to wear a mask for days 6 to 10 Option 2: • Quarantine for 10 days after the last contact with a positive case, return on day 11
Was exposed to COVID-19 and are *up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccinations	• Remain in school and monitor for symptoms for 10 days • Mask for 10 days
Was exposed to COVID-19 and had COVID-19 in last 90 days	• Remain in school and monitor for symptoms for 10 days • Mask for 10 days

**Up-to-date: A person is considered up-to-date after completing their COVID primary vaccination series.*



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Kimberly Area School District is seeking support from our community. Make a difference and consider becoming a **substitute teacher** or a **substitute paraprofessional**.

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PARENT CALENDAR

2021-2022

September 2021

M	T	W	TH	F
		1	2	3
NS	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	AM
27	28	29	30	

October 2021

M	T	W	TH	F
				1
4	5	HS	7	E2
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	NS	NS

November 2021

M	T	W	TH	F
1	2	3	4	Q
8	9	10	E2&C	12
E2&C	16	MS	MS	AM
22	23	24	NS	NS
29	30			

December 2021

M	T	W	TH	F
		1	2	E2
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	NS	NS
NS	NS	NS	NS	NS

January 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	E2
17	18	I	I	Q/AM
24	25	26	27	28
31				

February 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	NS	NS
14	15	HS	17	E2
21	22	23	24	25
28				

March 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
	1	2	3	E2
7	8	9	MS	AM
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
Q	29	30	31	

April 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
				E2
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	NS
NS	NS	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

May 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	AM
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	EN
NS	31			

June 2022

M	T	W	TH	F
		1	2	*SNOW DAY MAKE-UP

*If needed, snow day make-up will be on Friday, June 3rd

NS No School

AM AM classes only (exception: No school for 4K) KHS dismissed at 11:31am, JRG & Intermediate dismissed at 11:20am, Elementary dismissed at 12:00pm

E2 Elementary Early Release - Elementary dismissed at 2:00pm (Exception: 4K morning classes 8:45am - 10:45am, afternoon classes 11:45am - 1:45pm)

EN Elementary Noon Release - All Elementary students dismissed at 12:00pm (exception: No school for 4K)

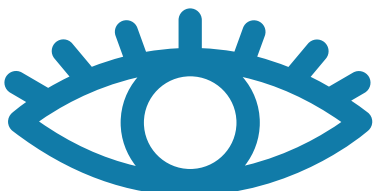
HS High School Parent/Teacher Conferences - KHS students dismissed at 2:00pm

MS Middle School Parent/Teacher Conferences - JRG students dismissed at 2:00pm except on November 18th - students will have a full day of school

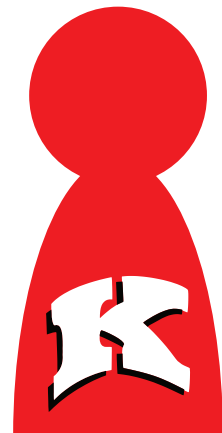
I Intermediate School Parent/Teacher Conferences - Intermediate students dismissed at 2:00pm

E2&C 4K-4th Gr. Parent Teacher Conferences; No school for 4K; Grades 5K-4th Grades dismissed at 2:00pm

Q End of quarter

IF YOU  **SEE
SOMETHING**

**SAY
SOMETHING**



IF YOU
See something
Read something
Hear something
Know something
Then you should
SAY SOMETHING



TELL YOUR
Parent
Teacher
Principal
School Counselor
School Secretary
Librarian
Any Trusted Adult
***Or Call 911 for
Emergencies***

We are encouraging school and community members to become the eyes and ears of the Kimberly Area School District in order to provide information that keeps our students, staff and schools safe.

It sometimes can be difficult to define:

- Take your time to pay attention to your surroundings and to the behaviors of others around you.
- Know what suspicious or concerning behaviors look like.
- Does the activity look strange to you?
- Are you worried someone you know is thinking about hurting others or themselves?

Report it, don't just repeat it.



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*See Something, Say Something® is modeled after
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INFORMATION FOR PARENTS



IF YOUR FAMILY LIVES IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SITUATIONS:

In a shelter



In a motel or campground due to the lack of an alternative adequate accommodation



In a car, park, abandoned building, or bus or train station



Doubled up with other people due to loss of housing or economic hardship

Your school-age children may qualify for certain rights and protections under the federal McKinney-Vento Act.

Your eligible children have the right to:

- Receive a free, appropriate public education.
 - Enroll in school immediately, even if lacking documents normally required for enrollment.
 - Enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents.
 - Enroll in the local school; or continue attending their school of origin (the school they attended when permanently housed or the school in which they were last enrolled), if that is your preference.
- * If the school district believes that the school you select is not in the best interest of your children, then the district must provide you with a written explanation of its position and inform you of your right to appeal its decision.
- Receive transportation to and from the school of origin, if you request this.
 - Receive educational services comparable to those provided to other students, according to your children's needs.

If you believe your children may be eligible, contact the local liaison to find out what services and supports may be available. There also may be supports available for your preschool-age children.



Local Liaison

KASD Homeless Liaison
Rob DeLain
920.788.7905

State Coordinator

WI State Coordinator
Kristine Nadolski
608.267.7338

If you need further assistance with your children's educational needs,
contact the National Center for Homeless Education:
1-800-308-2145 * homeless@serve.org * <http://nche.ed.gov>