

KCES Newsletter

December, 2018

Christmas Break

Christmas break begins on Friday, December 21st. Students return to school on Monday, January 7, 2019.

Lil' Redskins Boosters

Lil' Redskins Boosters will meet on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 3:15 in the KCES library.

Food Drive

The Knox Community School Corporation, Indiana Troopers Association, National Honor Society, KCSC Student Councils, Community Services of Starke County, and the Kiwanis, are conducting a food drive to help those in need. You may take part by sending nonperishable items to KCES from



November 26th through December 12, 2018.

We are asking that each grade level send in a specific food staple that we will pass on to those who will greatly appreciate your generosity. Please see the items below that each grade level has chosen.

Pre-K/Special Education:	Oatmeal
Kindergarten:	Pasta and Rice
1st Grade:	Cereal
2nd Grade:	Boxed Potatoes and Stuffing
3rd Grade:	Mac N Cheese
4th Grade:	Cans of Veggies and Fruit

PK-3 Christmas Programs

Please mark your calendar for the Preschool-Third Grade Christmas choral programs. They will be held in the KCES gym on the following evenings.

Monday, December 17, 2018

Kindergarten – 5:30 pm

Grade 2 – 7:00 pm

Tuesday, December 18, 2018

Grade 1 – 5:30 pm

Grade 3 – 7:00 pm

Thursday, December 6, 2018

Mrs. Suseland Preschool-8:30 A.M. & 1:30 P.M.

Mrs. Hazelton Preschool –10:00 A.M. & 1:30 P.M.

Scholastic Book Fair

KCES will again be hosting a Scholastic Book Fair. Students will shop for books with their class on the following dates

PreK-K December 12th

Grade 1-2 December 13th

Grade 3-4 December 14th

The Book Fair will be open to students during the school day and for parents after each grade level Christmas program.

Treats From Home

For the safety of all students, parents must send store-bought items as treats for birthdays or holidays.



“Shine Your Smile Day” is coming!

Knox Elementary School is hosting Smile Programs...the mobile dentists on January 17 & 18. We have invited the Smile Program...the mobile dentists to coordinate on-site dental care at our school because we know how important taking care of your children’s teeth is to keeping them healthy. Best of all, **your child can receive dental care at NO COST TO YOU**, as Medicaid, CHIP and most other insurances cover 100% of prevention treatment.

Tooth decay is the most common chronic and infectious disease among children. In addition, kids with oral disease can suffer with pain and difficulty eating.

The dental team will set up a mini-dental office in our building and provide dental services for all children who return completed forms. Dental services can be provided to families who need financial assistance, and there are subsidized fees for those who choose to pay for preventative care.

The Smile Programs has been servicing schools, and creating healthy smiles for over 14 years. All dentists are state licensed and will conduct a complete dental exam.

Signing up your children to see the mobile dental team is an easy way for them to get necessary dental care. **If you want your child to see the dentist on “Shine Your Smile Day,” just fill out the permission slip and return it to the school.**

You can learn more about Smile Programs...the mobile dentists by going to mobiledentists.com and watching the short video

Upcoming Events

Preschool Christmas Program	December 6
Lil’Redskins Boosters	December 11
Book Fair	December 12-14
Food Drive Ends	December 12
NWEA Testing Ends	December 14
Kdg. Christmas Program 5:30 PM	December 17
2nd Grade Christmas Program 7:00 PM	December 17
1st Grade Christmas Program 5:30 PM	December 18
3rd Grade Christmas Program 7:00 PM	December 18
End of the 2nd Nine Weeks	December 18
Christmas Break Begins	December 21
Students Return	January 7