

January 16, 2015

Weekly Wave

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1/07-1/30	Choice Enrollment
1/20-1/26	2015-2016 Kindergarten registration
1/19/15	No school- MLK holiday
1/20/15	GT open house
1/20/15	PTA/accountability 6-8pm
1/23/15	Father /Daughter Dance 7-9pm

Think, achieve, become!



School Announcements:

Reminders:

- Please check the school calendar on the KLES school website, this is where you will find all current and up to date information.
- **Attendance line # 303-982-8331 Please use this to call in your student absences even if you have already contacted the classroom teacher. Thanks!**
- **Auto-dialer:** If you are not receiving our auto-dialer, please check the preferences in your Jeffcoconnect account or give the office a call and we'll help!

Intramural Sports: 5th & 6th grades every Tuesday & Thursday mornings, 7:20 am

Boxtops # Contest #2 has already started & will end on February 25th. So..please continue to send in your boxtops! We just received a check for \$2,237.80..Thank you!!! Also, thank you Ms. Karklis for all of your hard work!

Classrooms-Mrs. Lesser's 6th grade math class has built businesses and created products to sell to earn money for themselves for their Outdoor Lab experience. They will be selling on Friday's through January. The kids want you to know they have worked hard to create fun products to sell. Please support them in any way you can!

Looking ahead:

Preschool Registration begins January 20th 2015.

We serve children who turn 3 and 4 by October 1st 2015.

There are morning classes and afternoon classes available. Please stop by the Preschool for more information.

Kindergarten Registration for 2015-2016 school year: January 20th-26th.

February 2-6: 6th grade to Outdoor lab.

"Always be a little kinder than necessary"-J.M. Barrie



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Dear KLES community,

Happy Friday. Here is the KLES PTA news:

Our next KLES PTA meeting will be Tuesday, January 20 from 6 pm to 7 pm in the library. The Accountability meeting will take place immediately after. Babysitting and dinner will be provided free of charge for both meetings. We are an active, welcoming, diverse group. I hope you can join us.

Our January meeting will feature a special presentation on preventing illicit drug use among minors. KLES PTA is proud to present Lynn Riemer, president of ACT on Drugs, Inc., has a regional and National reputation as a speaker, trainer, and advocate on the issues related to substance abuse. As an experienced chemist and prior member of the North Metro Drug Task Force in Colorado, her experience brings a real, personal, and vivid face to the issues presented by illicit drug use. Over the past 11 years, Lynn has spoken regularly with students, community child advocacy groups, industrial and professional groups, and employees of local and State governmental agencies about drug awareness, recognition, and prevention. Her presentations cover all abused-substances, including legal and illegal drugs or plant material, and synthetic "designer drugs". Lynn also targets methamphetamine including information on recognizing in-home clandestine "meth-labs" and discusses the dangers these laboratories present to children living in the homes and the devastating and dangerous effects these "meth-labs" have on the home and the community.

Lynn's subject knowledge and experience, along with her ability to transfer this knowledge in an captivating and dynamic manner, make her a sought-after person for educating children, families, and communities on the issues and hazards of illicit drug use and substance abuse.

Father Daughter Dance This special event is coming up Friday, January 27 from 7 to 9 pm in the KLES gym. Admission per family costs \$5 in advance or \$8 at the door. Send payment in envelope marked KLES PTA Father Daughter Dance by January 22. Please include with payment adult's name and child(ren)'s name, grade, and teacher. Submit Father/Daughter photos for a slideshow during the dance to nate_b@speakeasy.net by January 20.

Volunteers are needed to make this event a success. We will need help with photography, check-in, crafts, desserts, decorating, and clean-up. Please contact Jessica if you can help at nate_b@speakeasy.net or 303-350-8301.

After School Activities Zumba Kids classes start next week on Wednesday, January 21. Students will learn dances that are specially choreographed to kid-friendly routines and music that all kids love. They will learn several different styles of dances, including salsa, cumbia, hip hop, and merengue. This class is offered to students in all grades K-6th. Cost for this class is \$22.50. There is still space to sign up on the KLES PTA website.

Ukelele classes for grades 3 and 4 will start on Monday, January 26 and continue each Monday through March 9. This class will be taught by Mrs. Bayert and Mr. Donofrio. Students will further their classroom knowledge of the ukulele and learn basic playing skills in this class. The cost for this class is \$15. Please see the flyer in your Friday folder if you are interested in participating in this class and sign up on the KLES PTA website.

Membership Thank you to everyone who has already joined PTA! There is still time to join. Together, we can do great things for our kids. Each one-year membership costs \$10 per person. You can find the form online at klespta.org. Return the form and dues in your child's backpack or put it in the KLES PTA box across from the office.

King Soopers Card Fundraising Use a reloadable King Soopers gift card at any King Soopers or Loaf and Jug filling station for groceries or fuel EVERY TIME you shop or fill your fuel tank. King Soopers donates 5% of all funds loaded onto designated cards to KLES PTA. Each year we raise thousands of dollars through the King Soopers reloadable gift cards. These funds support KLES PTA activities such as Family Movie Night, community breakfasts, Father/Daughter dance, Mother/Son bowling, Teacher Appreciation, classroom technology, after school activities...and much more!

To participate, GET A CARD using the order form at klespta.org. Return the form and check or cash in your student's backpack or place it in the KLES PTA box across from the office. LOAD the card with any amount at King Soopers or Loaf n Jug, USE the card to pay for groceries and fuel, RELOAD the card with any amount.

NEW! SAFEWAY reloadable cards are now available. They work the same way as King Soopers cards. Contact Lynette Huntley for reloadable cards or with questions nettie1499@aol.com.

Thank you for supporting KLES PTA!

Sincerely,

Molly Snyder
KLES PTA President