

Date: November 08, 2013



Weekly Wave

11/13/13	Picture Re-Take Day
11/15/13	Report Cards Sent Home / Yearbook order deadline
11/15/13	All First Grade Grandparent Tea 10:45 am
11/18-11/22/13	Canned Food Drive
11/19/13	Accountability Meeting 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm/PTA Meeting 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm (Library)
11/21/13	4th Grade Field Trip - Museum of Nature and Science 10:00 am - 1:00 pm
11/22/13	1st Trimester Awards Assembly (times to be determined)
11/25-11/29/13	NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving Break
12/04/13	Early Release Day – Students Released at 12:15 pm
12/05/13	New Kindergarten Parent Meeting 6pm
12/06/13	Top Dolphin Assembly 2:00 - 2:30 pm

Shout Out: To our building engineer, Mr. Martinez and night custodian, Mr. Pacheco, for all their hard work keeping our building clean and picking up after over 400 students and staff members. They go above and beyond!

THANK YOU!

KLES STAFF

School Announcements:



Yearbooks on Sale: You may purchase a yearbook for a base price of \$18 or select a package to upgrade. Make payment to Life-touch or online at ybpay.lifetouch.com with yearbook ID code: 2349014 by November 15th.

Accountability Meeting: All are welcome at our monthly KLES Accountability meeting where we will learn and converse about student achievement and budget as well as other issues important to KLES - November 19th, 5:30 pm to 6:30 p.m., right before PTA. Dinner and babysitting provided; thanks, KLES PTA!

Early Release Days for the 2013-2014 School Year: **Wednesday, December 4th**, Wednesday, February 26th and Wednesday, April 23rd. School will be dismissed at 12:15 pm.

Clinic Request: The clinic is in desperate need of boys pants - size 5 to 10 and new boys underwear. Any donation would be appreciated. Thank you!

Lost and Found: Is your student missing a coat or other clothing item? Please check the lost and found box located in the west hall near the library. It's overflowing with coats, lunchboxes, etc.

New Kindergarten Parent Meeting: A parent information meeting for new kindergarten students is on Thursday, December 5, 2013 at 6:00 pm in the Library. Kindergarten registration for the 2014-2015 school year begins on **January 21 - January 27** during school hours, 8:00 am - 2:45 pm. We will be offering tuition-based, full-day kindergarten and/or a free half-day kindergarten programs. During registration parents **must** provide proof of residency, birth certificate, immunization and their photo ID. Parents must also complete Jeffco Connect for their student. If you have any questions please call our office at 303-982-8324.

Choice Enrollment: First Round Choice Enrollment applications for the 2014-2015 school year will be accepted January 8th - January 24th in the school office from 8:00 am -3:00 pm. Request will be approved based on space availability and there is no guarantee that your child will be able to attend any school other than their assigned neighborhood school.



PTA News:

Dear KLES community,

So many good things are happening at KLES. Here is a summary of KLES PTA activities:

Accountability and PTA Meeting

Our next Accountability and PTA meetings will be on Tuesday, November 19. Accountability starts at 5:30 and PTA is 6:30 to 8 pm. Both meetings will be in the library and PTA will provide dinner and child care.

Thank you

Thank you Sharon Koenig for organizing our participation in the National PTA's Reflections program. Be sure to see students' art work on display at Red Rocks Community College from December 7 through 14.

Academics

Do you have questions or concerns about the implementation of Common Core Standards? These new standards mean greater academic rigor and more consistent measures of achievement applied across Colorado and the nation. There are resources to help parents understand how the Common Core Standards affect students. KLES Principal Dave Singh, Instructional Coach Bridget Clark-Cooper, as well as your child's teacher, can answer questions.

Community

Get connected at KLES! Like the KLES PTA Facebook page for event updates and information and be sure to visit our website at klespta.org.

Have you thought about volunteering at KLES? KLES PTA offers a wide variety of volunteer opportunities. If you only have an hour, or if you are interested in serving on the PTA board, we gratefully welcome your donation of time and talent. Contact Molly Snyder for more information on volunteer opportunities at madalyn830@yahoo.com.

Fundraising

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Timbuk Toys will donate 20% of purchases when you mention KLES PTA from November 20 through November 30. Look for flyers in this week's Friday Folders and electronically. Timbuk Toys is a locally-owned, independent toy store in Belmar.

The King Soopers card program is our most reliable, lowest cost, and highest return fundraising effort. We use our reloadable cards and King Soopers sends us a check for about \$600 each month. It's that easy! Please don't fail to support KLES by using a reloadable card. To get a card or for more information, contact Andie Guajardo at andie-guajardo@gmail.com.

Have a great weekend!

Molly Snyder
KLES PTA President