



# Kenton Elementary News

Home of the Champions!

January 28th, 2019



## Staff Spotlight

This week we will spotlight Mrs. Richman, Second Grade teacher. Mrs. Richman has been teaching for 18 and a half years. She has been teaching at Kenton for 9 years. While at Kenton, she has been a special education teacher for five year and a Second Grade teacher for the last 4 years. She has also served as an Emotional and Behavior Disorder and an Educational Diagnostician. Mrs. Richman has a Bachelor's Degree from NKU in Elementary Education with an emphasis in Learning and behavior disorders and a Master's Degree from NKU in Educational Leadership. Mrs. Richman received training at Northern Kentucky University through the MIT (Math Intervention) grant. This year she became a National Board Certified teacher with an Emphasis in Early Literacy age 3-12. She enjoys boating, camping, and golfing with friends and family.



## Lunch Information

If you need to drop lunch off for your child please be sure to drop it off before their lunchtime. You will be asked to write your child's name on their lunch. Your child will pick their lunch up on the way to the cafeteria.

## Did you know...

*The Kenton County School District Code of Expected Behavior* discusses the requirements for school entry on page 9. This is important information to know when enrolling your child into school.

This month our Choose Love theme is courage. Students will learn and discuss ways to show courage when trying new things.

## General Assembly Meeting & SBDM Council Election

Our next General PTA Assembly Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:45 p.m. At this meeting, we will hold an election for the Site Based Decision Making Council (SBDM). Kenton Elementary is seeking two new parent representatives for the SBDM Council. The Site Based Decision Making Council consists of the principal, three teachers, and two parents. The purpose of the council is to support student achievement. The council discusses school budgets, the Comprehensive School Improvement Plan, school data, and makes policies governing the school.

## Parent Qualifications

A "parent" means a parent or foster parent. Guardians also qualify as parents if the student lives with them and they have a court order giving them legal custody. A parent council member will be the parent of a student pre-registered to attend the school during the parent's term of council service. Three groups of people may not serve on the council as parent representatives: Employees of Kenton Elementary School or their relatives (mother, father, brother, sister, son, daughter, husband, wife, aunt, uncle, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law). Employees in the district administrative offices or their relatives (mother, father, brother, sister, son, daughter, husband, wife, aunt, uncle, son-in-law, or daughter-in-law). Members of the Board of Education or their spouses. If you are interested in joining the SBDM Council please submit a short resume that includes a single page summary of your background and experiences to the school office, in an envelope marked **ATTN: SBDM NOMINATING COMMITTEE**. This information will be shared with voters prior to the elections. Please turn in all information by Friday, March 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Car Riders

**AM-** Pull to the north end of the building along the sidewalk. Let your child out when they are the first three cars in line. Staff will help with students getting out of the cars so parents are asked to remain in cars. If you arrive after 8:40am you will need to sign your child into school in the front office.

**PM-** To allow buses to enter the lot in a timely manner and to keep traffic off of the highway, please be sure to pull up behind the car in front of you leaving an appropriate space. Please do not leave large gaps between cars. Please make sure your car tag visible to the Kenton Elementary staff. If your car tag is not visible, you will be asked to park and go to the office to pick up your student. Please bring photo identification to present to the office staff. During dismissal, you will not be able to exit the main school parking lot until all the cars and buses have left.

## Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten enrollment night will be held on Thursday, February 14<sup>th</sup> between 6:00 and 7:30. You can also enroll your child during the day between 11:30 to 1:30.

## Yearbook Information

Yearbooks can be ordered online at Jostens.com. The due date for all orders is February 28<sup>th</sup>

## Lost and Found

Items in the lost and found will be donated to the Kenton Elementary FRC on February 28<sup>th</sup>. Please come and check our lost and found for any times your child may have lost at school.

## Inclement Weather Information

In order to get the fastest updates on school delays and closures, please follow us on Twitter at [twitter.com/theKCSd](https://twitter.com/theKCSd). You can also download our app in Google or Apple and enable push notifications.

Also, be sure to use My Bus Buddie to track your child's bus location. You can find more information; regarding closings or delays please see the Kenton County School district homepage.

