



# Kenton Elementary News

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### Did you know...

On pages 28-32 in *The Kenton County School District Code of Expected Behavior* lists different offences and levels of the consequence. These correlate with the levels listed on page 26.

### Staff Spotlight

This week we will spotlight Suzanne Pennington, second grade teacher. This is her 20<sup>th</sup> year teaching. Mrs. Pennington has a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education and Master's with an emphasis in reading from NKU. She has been the Team Leader for the past two years. She currently serve on the PBIS committee.

### Cats Expectations

Students are reviewing the CATS expectations each day. Please review the bus expectations at home with your child.

- Stay seated
- Talk at a voice level 2
- Obey driver
- Practice safety rules

### Committee Information

Looking for a way to be more involved in your child's school? Have special skills with technology? Want to be involved in discipline programs or reward programs for staff and students? Please consider joining either the technology committee, Wellness/School Culture Committee, or the PBIS (spell out what it stands for here) Committee. We are looking for one parent member to serve on each committee. Most committees meet before or after school and on an as needed basis as determined by the chairperson. Please contact Ms. Huss if you would like more information or are interested in joining a Kenton Elementary Committee for the 2018-2019 school year. Deadline to respond is Monday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>.



### Lost and Found

Items in the lost and found will be donated to the Kenton Elementary FRC on November 1<sup>st</sup>. Please come and check our lost and found for any times your child may have lost at school.

### Yearbook Information

Yearbooks are on sale until February 28th. All orders must be done online at Jostens. The Jostens website will give you directions on how to complete your order.

### Literacy Night

Literacy Night will be Tuesday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at 5:45pm. Please see the attached documents for more information.

### Golden Spoon Winners

- K- Mrs. Nachazel/ Ms. Spille
- 1<sup>st</sup>- Mrs. Curry/Mrs. New
- 2<sup>nd</sup>- Mrs. Richman
- 3<sup>rd</sup>- Mrs. Willoughby
- 4<sup>th</sup>- Mrs. Roberts
- 5<sup>th</sup>- Mrs. Fessler/Mrs. Monhollen

### CATS Cube Winners

- K- Mrs. Nachazel
- 1<sup>st</sup>- Mrs. Houston
- 2<sup>nd</sup>- Mrs. Richman
- 3<sup>rd</sup>- Mrs. Dainczyk
- 4<sup>th</sup>- Mrs. Roberts
- 5<sup>th</sup>- Mrs. Degenhardt

**Tips for managing lice:** Schools have been dealing with head lice for centuries. Having head lice have nothing to do with hygiene and cleanliness and they don't cause any health problems. That said, most people don't want them around. What can you do to reduce the risk of your child having head lice?

- A regular check of your child's hair will help to control head lice. After washing your child's hair or when brushing the hair have a quick check under good lighting. If a lice infestation is found it can take up to 14 days for it to clear – so stay diligent by checking your child's hair daily.
- Head lice are about the size of a sesame seed and cling to the hair staying close to the scalp which they live off. A female louse can lay up to 10 nits per day, and it usually takes about 7-10 days for them to hatch.
- **Nits** are the eggs of head lice; are tear-drop shaped and the lice actually "glue" them to the shaft of the hair so they're tough to remove. It is important to remove them or they will hatch.
- Using a heavy duty metal 'nit' comb is a very effective way to comb through the hair. Go through each section of the hair. Make sure the teeth of the comb slot into the hair at the roots, with the bevel-edge of the teeth lightly touching the scalp.
- Long hair should always be pulled back and up when at school. Hats, brushes and clothes that touch hair should never be shared.

While we cannot rid the world of lice one can regularly check their child's or children's hair and take action when necessary.

### CATS Letter Winners

#### "W" Winners

Mrs. Fessler-5th

#### "I" Winners

Mrs. Degenhardt-5th

#### "L" Winners

Mrs. Turner-2nd

#### "D" Winners

Mrs. Nachazel-K

Mrs. Houston-1st

#### "C" Winners

Mrs. New-1st