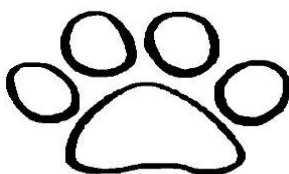


# Kenton Elementary News



October 21, 2019

## Staff Spotlight

This week we will spotlight our new 4th Grade Teacher, Emily Granath. Mrs. Granath is originally from Chicago. She graduated from Eastern Kentucky University with a bachelors in Elementary Education. Mrs. Granath is currently working on finishing her Master's Degree in Teacher Leadership with an ESL endorsement. Her favorite thing about being a teacher is the forever relationships created! She also has a one year old Golden Retriever, who loves to keep her active.

### Kids Voting

On Election Day November 5, 2019, future voters — of any age — are encouraged to go to the polls with their parent/guardian to cast a vote in a mock election at a Kids Voting booth.

Kids Voting Northern Kentucky is a non-profit, non-partisan organization teaching young people the importance of, and helps develop the habit of, voting. The goal is to increase civic education and, ultimately, increase adult voter turnout.

Kids Voting polls will be open from 7am until 5pm at the same precinct locations where their parents vote throughout Kenton and Campbell counties and at Boone County precincts located in schools and at all of the branches of Boone County Public Library (hours may differ at the Library).

Votes will be cast on the following races: Governor, Attorney General and Secretary of State. Additionally, they can weigh in on three topics: Juuling, Military Service and do they feel safe in School?

Results will be tabulated and shared with the public on election night.

For additional information contact Lisa Raterman at 859-982-9353 or KidsVotingNorthernKentucky@gmail.com

### Golden Spoon Winners

Mrs. Shy, Mrs. Curry, Mrs. Gosney, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Brett

### CATS Rockstar Winners

K: Mrs. Yagodzinski, 1<sup>st</sup> Grade: Mrs. Noel,  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade: Mrs. Turner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade: Mrs. Willoughby,  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade: Mrs. Lepley, 5<sup>th</sup> Grade: Mrs. Monhollen

### CATS Expectations and Code of Conduct

We continue to work on CATS expectations daily. Please review the cafeteria expectations at home.

- Listen to cafeteria monitor.
- Stay seated.
- Talk to friends next to you using an inside voice.
- Respect other's personal space.
- Eat food appropriately.



### Save the Dates!

- Red Ribbon Week is October 21-24. See schedule on **page 2**:
- The cafeteria will be serving Bread Pudding October 31<sup>st</sup> to celebrate Native American culture day.
- **Picture Retakes are Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>.**

### Important Reminders (repeat)

Please remember to walk your child into the office if they are late. Do not drop students off at the front doors.

In order to avoid interrupting instructional time, lunches and other items that are dropped off at school will be left in the office. Each class has a designated representative to check the office each day. Thank you for your understanding.

### CATS Classroom Letter Winners!

**W** – Mrs. Collins & Mrs. Brett

**I** – Mrs. New, Ms. Overwein, Mrs. Lepley, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Reynolds

**L** – Ms. Imhoff, Mrs. Willoughby, Ms. Granath, Mrs. Noel, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Houston, Mrs. Gosney

**D** – Mrs. Andrew, Mrs. Dainczyk, Mrs. Richman, Mrs. Curry, Mrs. Spille

**C** – Mrs. Roberts



### SBDM Council Information (REPEAT)

The Kenton Elementary School population has now reached a minority student population of 8%. Therefore, the SBDM (School-Based Decision Making) Council does need a minority parent member to serve on the council. The purpose of the Council is to impact student achievement. If you would like to be a member of the SBDM council to help students at Kenton Elementary, we are in need of a minority member, at this time. Please notify Mrs. Coleman if you are interested or have questions about the definition of a parent, minority or other eligibility factors to run as a minority parent. Mrs. Coleman can be reached at [mindy.coleman@kenton.kyschools.us](mailto:mindy.coleman@kenton.kyschools.us) or at 859-356-3781. The deadline for notification is 4:00 p.m. on October 31, 2019.

### KENTON ELEMENTARY RED RIBBON WEEK

October 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>

**Parents:** Help your children celebrate Red Ribbon Week by participating in the fun theme days we will be having all next week! Wildcats are proud to be drug free and Kenton Elementary is proud to be a Bully Free Zone!

**\*\* Students need to wear school appropriate shoes each day.**

Monday 10/21/19 – **Be on a Drug Free Team** (Wear Kenton Elementary colors or shirts)



Tuesday 10/22/19 – **Put a “Cap” on Drugs and Bullying** (Wear hats and caps)



Wednesday 10/23/19 – **Wake Up Drug Free and Bully Free** (Pajama Day)



Thursday 10/24/19 – **Rally in Red Against Drugs and Bullying** (Wear Red Clothing)



Friday 10/25/19 – **Sock-It to Drugs and Bullying** (Wear Crazy Socks)



