



Kenner Intermediate School
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October 2016 Newsletter
 Daring to Dream – Willing to Work – Striving to Succeed



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Administration’s Message

It’s quite shocking to think we are already well into October. Here at Kenner Intermediate we have had an absolutely fantastic start to the year. Already many activities are taking place. Soccer is well underway, cross country has begun, music club is in full swing. Students should continue to pay attention to extra-curricular announcements as many more will pop up in the coming weeks.

Kenner Intermediate is now an Edsby member. We are still collecting email address from parents and care givers and shortly, if your email address is here, we will send you an invite directly to your inbox. Please look for an Edsby email to join us. If you haven’t shared your email, please send it in on the purple paper most recently sent home. If you have any questions about the use of your email or Edsby, feel free to contact me at the school.

Happy Thanksgiving to everyone. Please take the time to enjoy your family this weekend. As always, questions, comments, or concerns are welcome.

Mr. Knierim
Vice-Principal

Character Trait for October: Fairness

I am sensitive to the needs of individuals. I include others and value their uniqueness. I celebrate diversity. I treat people with the dignity and consideration with which I would like to be treated. I gather as much information as possible in order to make a decision that is just.

Parent Conference on Mental Health

Have you registered yet for KPR’s free, annual Parent Conference on child and youth mental health? If not, you still have time! Registration continues until October 10 at www.kprschools.ca for:

2016 KPR Parent Conference – Minds Matter @ KPR
Saturday, October 15

8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Cobourg Collegiate Institute, Cobourg

Keynote Speaker: Dr. Ian Manion, Life’s Tough But So Are You:

Building Resilient Kids Who Bounce Back from Problems
Plus Choice of Workshops, Displays by Community Agencies, Free Child Minding & Refreshments

If you do not have Internet access or require assistance in registering, we’d be happy to help you! Please call Judy Malfara at the Education Centre, 705-742-9773 or toll-free at 877-741-4577, ext. 2001.

S.W.A.T. (Students Working All Together) News

Our Kenner Intermediate SWAT Leadership team will be selling school t-shirts and SPC community cards for the month of October. Both items cost \$10.00 each. Cash, cheques or School Cash On-line payments will be accepted.

Student School Photos

School photo packages should be arriving this week. Photo orders are due by October 17th. Retakes will occur on Wednesday, October 22nd. Any students wishing a retake must return the original photo proof package to the photographer in order to have a retake.

Hep B and HPV Immunization Clinics

All grade 7 students will receive their first Hep B vaccination and HPV vaccination on October 18. The second vaccination will be held on April 25, 2017. Grade 7 students will also receive their meningitis immunization on December 1. Grade 8 females will receive the HPV vaccination on October 25 and May 3. Consent forms will be sent home this week.

Safe Arrival Program

Please continue to call our Safe Arrival Program when your child is absent. We have an answering machine that allows parents/guardians to leave a message anytime. The Safe Arrival Program number is 743-2181 ext. 500. If you are unable to call the school, then please send a note to explain the absence with your child the following day.

Music Notes

Kenner Music has lots of ways to get involved. The South Side Singers meet every Wednesday after school from 2:45 – 4:00. All singers or interested singers are welcome to join at any point during the year. Rock Band meets Tuesday at the second nutrition break. Many students are busy preparing for the CBC Music Challenge. More information can be found out at cbcmusic.ca/musicclass.

Soccer

Our recreational and competitive soccer teams are busy practising for the upcoming tournament at Beavermead Park on October 14. Thanks to Mr. Hazeldine and Mr. Westbroek for coaching our teams.

Cross Country

Kenner Intermediate will have a total of 27 students representing our school at the board wide cross country meet on October 5 at Nichol's Oval. Thank you to Mr. Young and Mr. Hall for coaching our runners.

Terry Fox Run

Our Terry Fox run will take place on October 13th. Students have received permission forms and pledge sheets which need to be returned by October 13th. Buses will leave Kenner at 11:30 a.m. and head to Trent University, where students will begin the walk to Thomas A. Stewart S. S. Upon completion students will then board buses to return to school by 2:30 p.m.

Progress reports

Student progress reports will be send home on November 9th.

Dates to Remember

October 5	Cross Country Meet @ Nichol's Oval
October 10	Thanksgiving Holiday
October 13	Terry Fox Run
October 14	Soccer tournament @ Beavermead
October 17	Student photo orders due
October 18	Hep B immunization clinic-gr 7 students HPV clinic – gr 7 students
October 25	HPV immunization clinic-gr 8 females
October 26	Student photo retakes