



June Newsletter 2024

Hello Kenilworth Families! June is here! (Well tomorrow!)

I would like to take this time to thank the Kenilworth families for another wonderful year here at Kenilworth PS. It has been a great 4 years, and I have enjoyed getting to know the students and families. I also want to thank the staff for their dedication to your child's learning. Staff have created engaging, interesting and fun lessons over the years. They have worked very hard to move Kenilworth students forward. To the students, I want you to know how proud I am of all of your accomplishments this year. You all have worked hard, tried your best, and most importantly while learning...had fun!



With saying that, it is with mixed emotions to announce that I will be moving to John Black PS in Fergus this fall. I will miss the Kenilworth family very much and all of the connections I have made over the last 4 years. As many of you know, I am a huge Disney fan and would like to quote Walt Disney himself; "Goodbye may seem forever. Farewell is like the end, but in my heart is the memory and there you will always be."

I would like to welcome Heather Dyer as the incoming Principal. Here is a short message from Heather. I am excited to be moving into Acting Principal for Kenilworth P.S. this September. I have been an educator for almost 20 years, and an Administrator for the last 7 years at Palmerston Public School, William C. Winegard Public School, and James McQueen Public School. I am looking forward to being a part of such a special school and meeting our students, families, and staff. ~Mrs. Dyer

We would also like to announce, Ms. Crosby's and Ms. Evanoff's positions have come to an end. It has been wonderful to have Ms Evanoff in the library this year and Ms. Crosby for these last 2 months. We will also be saying good-bye to Mrs. Forler who has been with us for most of the year supporting in the Kindergarten and Grade ½ classroom. We thank Mrs. Forler for all that she has done for our students.

As a school community we will be flying the Pride flag. Why are we flying the flag? The month of June is Pride month. Many of our students, staff, parents/guardians and community members identify as members of the Rainbow or 2SLGBTQIA+ community. Flying the Pride flag not only signals that our schools are safe spaces for everyone, it also aligns with our Vision Statement and Guiding Principles of inclusion and student and staff well-being and our new Equity Plan. Our school district is showing our acceptance and celebration of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community during Pride month by raising the Pride flag at schools and offices across the UGDSB. We continue to raise awareness and support inclusion and acceptance of other marginalized groups in other ways.



I would like to thank Mrs. Huber for organizing May's assembly on Empathy. Congratulations to the following students who received a Well Being Certificate for demonstrating Empathy. In Kindergarten

Ethan and Quinn, Gr 1/2 Meadhbh and Zain, Gr 2/3 Abi and Charlie, Gr 4 Saryah and Brian, Gr 5/6 Reavynn and Sophie. In the month of June we will be focusing on Reflection and Celebration!

On behalf of the staff of Kenilworth PS we want to wish everyone a wonderful, healthy and safe Summer holiday!

Mrs. Cozzarin

Upcoming Events:

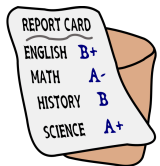
June 3- Rainbow Day-Wear your bright colours
June 4-New JK visit at noon
June 5-Junior Track and Field
June 6-Meat pick up 3-4pm
June 7-PD Day-NO school for students
June 13-Gr % PickleBall
June 19-Beach Day
June 27-Last Day of School

June 21-Gr 4-6 Funvilla
June 24-Gr 6 Grad 6-7pm
June 25-Jr 3 Pitch
June 26-Kindergarten at Safety Village
June 27-Last Day of School-Red and White Day

Electronic Report Cards:

Report cards will be available electronically June 25. Here is the link to access reports.

<https://connect.edsembli.com/on/ugdsb/kenil/portal/viewer/login/login.aspx?logintype=P>



Playground Opening and Family Night:

PATS invites Kenilworth families to a night to celebrate the 2023/24 School Year and the Opening of the Playground on Thursday June 20th from 5-7pm. This will be an outdoor event, so bring a lawn chair if you would like!

Ribbon cutting at 5pm with food to follow.

In order to plan for this evening we are asking families to pre-register for this event.

Each meal includes 2 slices of pizza (cheese/pepperoni), a bag of chips and an ice cream bar for dessert.

Food will only be available to household members, as PATS is providing the food for this event.

To register your family, please complete the form below. Registration will be open until June 13.

<https://forms.gle/2iryJEYewQYymQni8>

Gardens:

Thank you to the Van Dongen family for taking care of our gardens and making them look beautiful!



Track and Field:

We also wanted to thank the parents who came out to cheer on our students at Kenilworth's Track and Field Day, but also for helping us keep everyone organized and safe!