

Konnections

Keene Adventist Elementary School

January 12, 2018

What's Happening

January Calendar

- 15 - MLK Day (No School)
- 17 - Awards Chapel
- 24 - 100th Day of School
- 29 - Teacher work day (No School)



just for fun

Q: What falls but never hits the ground?

A: The temperature!

Inclement Weather Protocol

As we move into months that may bring with them dangerous weather conditions, I wanted to update you on our KAES Inclement Weather Protocol. Our school families live in many different areas and weather can be vary just a few miles away. First and foremost, if you feel that roads are not safe near you please do not venture out just because school has not been canceled. Stay home until it is safe and just call the school and let us know. If weather has created dangerous conditions over night, KAES will send out a text parent alert notifying you that school is delayed or canceled. We will also use NBC channel 5 to list KAES school delay or closing as a backup. In the event that school is in session when weather turns dangerous and school needs to close early a text alert will be sent requesting you make arrangements to pick up your child early. You will need to sign your child out with their home room teacher. Teacher will stay with your children until you pick them up.

Please make sure that the office has you current number and that you are receiving text alerts.

Chapel Next Week

Next week's chapel will be led 5th graders. One Vision will be leading praise in song and a special number from Lillian Patterson. and Isabella Demoraes. Our speaker will be pastor Russ Laughlin from SWAU. Please join us for this exciting chapel.

New Children's Pastor

Dear KAES Parents:

It is with deep joy, great appreciation, and eager anticipation that I have recently transitioned to minister to your children. Joy, because I have always loved being involved in the lives of children, seeing them grow in all areas, especially Spiritually. Appreciation, because I am deeply indebted to the hard work of Pastor Carlos who is now freed up to spend more time focusing on the hundreds of teens in this community. Anticipation, because I know that as we commit to doing everything in our power to grow our kids in Jesus, our families, church, community, and future become that much brighter! I have already begun teaching Bible classes in the middle school as well as playing and eating with our younger students. I can be found at the school on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings in Room 131, whenever I am not with a class. You can also reach me at [\(979\) 492-6203](tel:9794926203). May God bless us as we head into the second half of this school year. -Pastor Travis

Playground Progress

The installers have completed the disassemble and re-installation of the playground. We are now currently working on leveling the surface and establishing the perimeter and installing the playground mulch. We hope to be on our playground again really soon. Thank you to everyone's patience as we seek to improve our school.



KAES Spelling Bee

Tuesday was an exciting day for those who love words and the spelling of words. We started the morning with twenty of the best spellers from 4th grade through 8th grade. Each speller had to stand venerable in front of the entire school, many parents, and the three spelling judges to spell words of increasing difficulty in each round. KAES is so proud of all of our students who chose to compete in this exciting academic competition. Congratulations are extended to Zephanny Parilla, Henry Valderrama, and Isabella Demoraes as our 1st, 2nd and 3rd place champions. Zephanny will be going to our regional competition hosted in Cleburne.



Mark Your Calendar

Please note on your calendar that there is no school on Monday, January 29 because of teacher in-service. This is the second of four teacher trainings that we have this year. The remaining teacher in-service days are on March 19-20.



Jan. 16 - 19 Lunch Menu

Monday
No School
MLK Day

Tuesday
Quesadillas
Pinto Beans
Corn
Cucumber Salad
Fruit
Milk

Wednesday
Spaghetti
Alfredo Sauce
Garlic Bread
Steamed Broccoli
Spring Mix Salad
Fruit
Milk

Thursday
Enchiladas
Spanish Rice
Seamed Vegetable
Green Leaf Salad
Salsa
Fruit
Milk

Friday
Hot Dog
Curly Fries
Celery Sticks
Cheese Strings
Desserts
Fruit Juice
Milk

