

# Keeneconnections

Keene Adventist Elementary School

October 26, 2018

## What's Happening

### October Calendar

29 - P/T Conferences (No School)

### November Calendar

4 - Pine Car Derby

9 - Acrofest Show

13 - School Board Meeting

16 - 1/2 Day (no lunch & child Care)

14 - Thanksgiving Lunch

19-23 - Thanksgiving Break



Counter = 853 Box Tops  
16.8% to our Goal of 5000



## just for fun

Q: Where does the General keep his armies.

A: In his sleeves.

### Pine Car Fundraiser

It's not too late to participate in the Pine Car Derby. Make the decision now to participate before it's too late. There is still time to turn in your envelopes and build a car.

#### Derby Shop Schedule.

Sun Oct 28, Open 9am-12pm

Mon Oct 29, Open 3pm-5pm

Tue Oct 30, Open 3pm-6pm

Wed Oct 31, Open 3pm-6pm

Thurs Nov 1, Open 3pm-7pm

Sun Nov 4, Derby Day 10am

### Middle School parents

Middle School parents we are requesting that if you have two or more meetings scheduled with middle school teachers please edit your choices to two conferences on Monday and then request to schedule the others teacher on a different day and time. We are trying to give everyone the chance to meet with teachers.

### Chapel Next Week

5th grade will be leading in chapel next week. Landry Cochran and Maggie Smith will share a song in motion. Dr. Richard White the Executive Secretary for the Texas Conference will share a spiritual message and worship with us. Gymnastics will also perform.

### Parent/Teacher

#### Conferences

You can still sign up for parent/teacher conferences online through the link that was sent to your email. First quarter grades and awards have been given out. Please take time to look over your child's progress report in preparation for Monday's parent/teacher conferences.

#### Teachers Recognized for Excellence

Congratulations to Lorene England (4th Grade) and Kim Hutchinson (7th Grade). They were both acknowledged this week by the Keene Chamber of Commerce for excellence in teaching. KAES is blessed to have so many great teachers. It is great to see these two receive this deserved recognition.



## Greenhouse Event

SWAU is inviting you and your family to visit their Greenhouse this Monday, October 29 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. They will have tours of the greenhouse, snacks, kids activities, and live demonstrations. If you're like me you always wondered what is going on in that Greenhouse when driving by, and now we can find out.



## Enchiladas Fundraiser

On Sunday, Nov. 4 enchilada dinners will be sold during the Pine Car Derby. We will be serving them in the cafeteria. Please pre-order by Wednesday, Oct. 31 so you don't miss out.

Enchilada dinners will include 2 enchiladas with beans and rice for \$6.00 if preordered and \$8.00 at the door.



## Acrofest Home show

SWAU also invites you to their final Acrofest Program at SWAU Leiske Pultar gymnasium, however this performance sells out quickly so get your tickets early at [acrofest.swau.edu](http://acrofest.swau.edu).

## Check in at the Office

Please make sure you check in at the office when you visit KAES, even if it is to just drop off a lunch. We need to know who is on our campus. We have asked students to not open doors even if it is someone they know or recognize. Everyone should check in at the office. Adults have also been asked to not let people into the buildings except to check in at the office. We are not trying to be rude but want everyone to be safe. Thank you for helping make KAES the best place for learning.



## Acrofest

Southwestern Adventist University will be hosting Acrofest this year. Acrofest is an event of Adventist high schools, colleges and universities that come together once a year to train and perform. SWAU has invited KAES and our families to go to Chisholm Trail Academy and watch one of their breakout performances on Friday, November 9 from 1:00pm to 2:00pm. We plan to take the whole school to CTA by bus, watch the performance and then dismiss from CTA. Any student that cannot be picked up from CTA will be bussed back to KAES for afterschool care. This event is not open to the public but is being made available for free to KAES and some other schools and organizations in our community.

## Oct. 29-31 Lunch Menu

**Monday**  
No School  
P/T Conferences

**Tuesday**  
Street Tacos  
Spanish Rice  
Refried Beans  
Salad  
Salsa/Sour Cream  
Fruit  
Milk

**Wednesday**  
Spaghetti  
Meatballs  
Broccoli  
Garlic Bread  
Spring Mix Salad  
Fruit  
Milk

**Thursday**  
Cheese Calzone  
Cucumber Sticks  
Marinara Sauce  
Green Beans  
Fruit  
Milk

**Friday**  
Hot Dog  
Tater Tots  
Cheese Strings  
Celery Sticks  
Dessert  
Fruit Juice  
Milk