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Chronicle

Honor

Wisdom

Leadership

Truth

Message from the Superintendent

by Marilyn Capawan, Superintendent

As this issue goes to press, we are experiencing our first official snowfall of the season. While this weather helps put us in the mood for the winter holidays, it also brings the possibility of 'snow days.' The decision to close school is not always clear cut. When inclement conditions early in the morning turn to blue skies a few hours later, you may wonder why school is not in session. The safety of our students is always the critical component in decision-making. In early morning, the current and predicted state of the roads, visibility, wind chill, and forecast snowfall are all examined in light of how they effect the safe transportation of children to school. We assure you that the decision is not made hastily, and we recognize the inconvenience that change in schedules can bring. When conditions before six o'clock in the morning indicate that the journey to school will be hazardous, we will close school and provide notification to everyone in a timely manner. On emergency closing days, all evening activities are also canceled.

We welcome a new member to the Keshequa School community! Mrs. Karen Mead has been appointed our Middle/High School Assistant Principal. Mrs. Mead has been a Middle School teacher in Dansville, and brings a variety of educational leadership experience as well. Some of her responsibilities include student discipline, safety procedures and planning, and attendance monitoring. We are excited to have Mrs. Mead join our team and know she will be an asset to our District.

At last month's Board of Education meeting, the Thomas Group, our architects for the EXCEL project, presented a status update. We are now at the end of the design development phase, and the construction documents are receiving final refinements before being sent to the State Education Department in Albany. We anticipate the review may take from ten to sixteen weeks. When it is concluded we will begin the bidding process. At this time, we are on schedule for work to begin in the Summer of 2008. Major work in both buildings includes window replacement, roof repairs, increase of handicapped accessibility, improvements to the HVAC systems for better energy efficiency and upgrades to technology, including our security system. We are also renovating the kitchen in Dalton, while replacing damaged tile and auditorium seating in the Nunda building.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete our Communication Survey last month. Once the results are compiled we will share them with you. Our website now features a 'newsflash' option under the Current Events section. If you would like email notification of events or changes in the calendar, you can sign up there. As always, you are invited to contact me with questions or concerns.

I look forward to seeing many of you at our concerts and sports events during the winter. On behalf of Keshequa Central School District, I wish each of you happy, safe, and peaceful holidays!

The mission of the Keshequa Central School District is to provide opportunities to empower all students to be cooperative, self-directed lifelong learners, prepared to responsibly meet the challenges of the twenty-first century.

Team Up to Fight Cancer!

Keshequa school community and the *Coaches vs. Cancer* Organization are working together to raise \$10,000 for the local *American Cancer Society*.

Coaches vs. Cancer is dedicated to decreasing the risk of cancer by raising fan contributions to fund local cancer research, education, advocacy and patient services of the *American Cancer Society*. Since the program's inception in 1993, the *American Cancer Societies'* partnership with the *National Association of Basketball Coaches* has grown to include more than 400 coaches across the country and has raised over \$23 million.

Keshequa Central is hosting two holiday basketball tournaments from December 26 through the 29. The boys' tournament is named after Coach MacVean and the girls' tournament is in remembrance of Francis "Pete" DiAngelo. Please see the schedule of games on page 6. Admission is \$2-Adult, \$1-Student, or \$5-Family, to attend each day's games.

In conjunction with the tournament, we will sponsor a big sports raffle, with the drawing on December 29 (*you do not need to be present to win*). Below are the prizes:

1. Coach Mike Krzyzewski *Autographed Small Basketball*
2. Coach Jim Boeheim Autographed *Hall of Fame Basketball*
3. Syracuse University *Men's Autographed Basketball*
4. Syracuse University *Men's Autographed Poster*
5. *1980 Olympic Silver Coin Set*
6. Tommy Watkins (Minnesota Twins) & Tony Lydman (Buffalo Sabres) *Autographed Pictures*
7. Buffalo Bills Marshawn Lynch & Paul Posluszny Laser *Autographed Pictures*
8. *Buffalo Sabres Replica Jersey* (compliments of C.P. Sportswear)

In conjunction with the tournaments there will be a **Pulled Pork Dinner on December 26.**

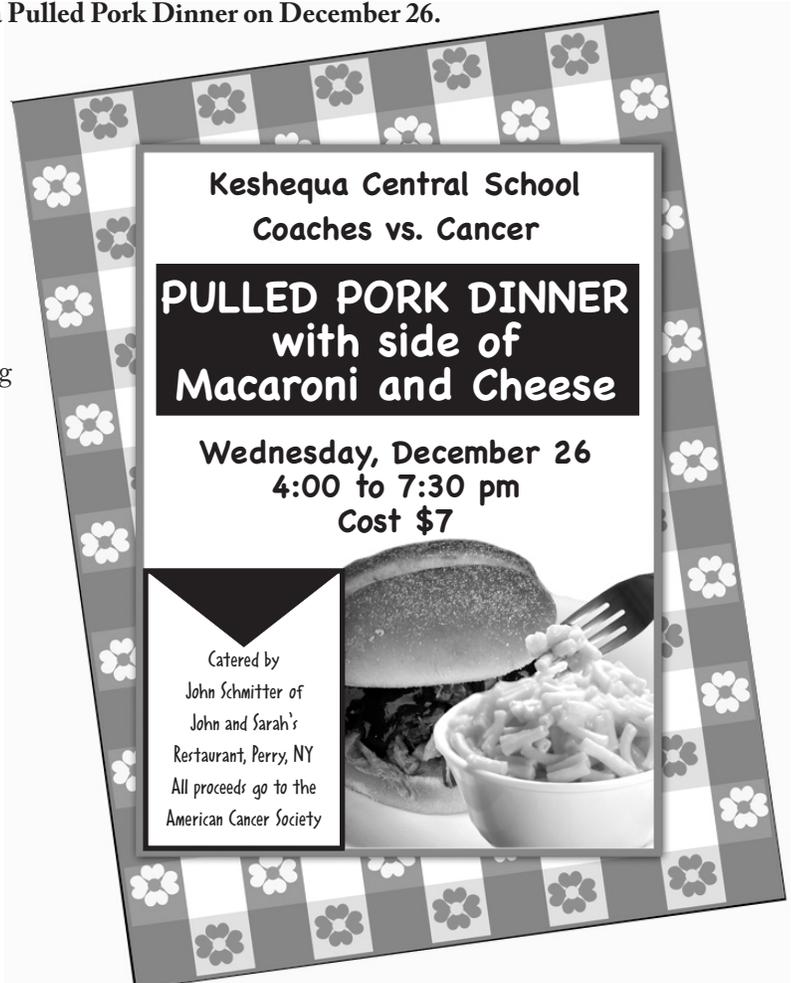
 On December 28, *Subway* of Geneseo (on Lakeville Road) will donate two six-foot subs and two cookie trays to help boost concession sales.

 For sale will be t-shirts from *C.P. Sportswear* of Naples, video games, and \$1 half-time shoot-outs for basketballs.

 Helpers will be The Keshequa Key Club, The Nunda Kiwanis Club, The Nunda Rotary Club, faculty, staff, community members, as well as all teams participating in the tournaments!

Come Join in the Fun!

All proceeds will go to the *American Cancer Society*



**Keshequa Central School
Coaches vs. Cancer**

**PULLED PORK DINNER
with side of
Macaroni and Cheese**

**Wednesday, December 26
4:00 to 7:30 pm
Cost \$7**

Catered by
John Schmitter of
John and Sarah's
Restaurant, Perry, NY
All proceeds go to the
American Cancer Society



Math Club Travels to Alfred

by Ron Macomber

On November 2 Mathematics teachers Ron Macomber and Gerald Goho accompanied 21 students in Keshequa's Math Club to Alfred University for the 39th annual Nevins Competition. Last year over 300 students from across New York and Pennsylvania participated in the competition. First, second, and third place winners receive scholarships of \$6,000, \$8,000 and \$10,000 to Alfred University. The competition consist of a 30-question exam that students have an hour and twenty-five minutes to complete. It is an extremely difficult exam, which consists of questions that require very creative problem-solving skills. The exam is created by the mathematics faculty at Alfred University. It is in memory of William Nevins, a former student and professor at Alfred University.



Music in Our School by Kim Coffey

Jr. High Area All-State Chorus

Five Keshequa students were selected to participate in the 2007 Jr. High Area All-State Chorus in November. Students were chosen based on their solo performance scores at the NYSSMA sanctioned solo festival last spring. Selected students were: **Michaela Hiller**, daughter of Tom and Marnie Hiller; **Katelyn Gelser**, daughter of Stephen and Luanne Gelser; **Logan Thompson**, son of James and Tracy Thompson; **Brandon Lunn**, son of John and Priscilla Lunn; and **Nolan Gelser**, son of Bob Gelser.

The students sang under the direction of Stephen Caracciolo, Professor of Voice at Roberts Wesleyan College. The chorus sounded fantastic.

Sr. High Area All-State Chorus

Lindsay Gunn, daughter of Lisa and Ed Gunn, was accepted to Senior High Area All-State Chorus. Based on her NYSSMA solo fest score, Lindsay was previously accepted to Conference All-State Chorus and therefore, automatically accepted to Area All-State. The festival was held at Attica Central School in November. Make sure you congratulate Lindsay when you see her!

Students Chosen to Sing with the RPO

I am pleased to announce that six Keshequa students have been chosen to sing in the 200 voice Festival High School Chorale with the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra. Students chosen for this honor are: Theresa Krenzer, Sarah Gray, Chris Gray, Katelyn Gelser, Angela Colombo and Tom Miller. The students put in many hours to learn music and rehearse with the RPO, not to mention all the concerts in which they will perform. Concert dates are December 18, 19, 20, 21, 22 & 23. You may call me at 468-2541, ext. 1140 for more information.

Congratulations to all of our singers! You make Keshequa proud!!

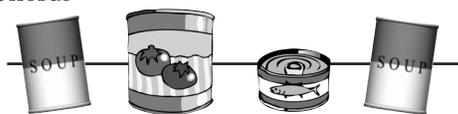
Keshequa Central Holiday Concerts

Dec. 11, 7:00 p.m., MS Band and Chorus

Dec. 17, 7:00 p.m., HS Band and Chorus

Dec. 19, 7:00 p.m., Elementary Band and Chorus

See you there!!



Mrs. Jines' Food Drive Challenge!

Mrs. Jines' 7th Grade Social Studies classes are busy collecting non-perishable food items to donate to the local food pantry. All month students can bring in food and other nonperishable goods. A competition is in place and the class that brings in the most amount of food will enjoy a pizza party on December 21, during lunch. Mrs. Jines hopes to instill in her students the importance of giving during the holiday season.

Emergency School Closings

When schools must be closed, the decision is made by the Superintendent of Schools based on available information and recommendations. If the decision is made to close the schools, the Superintendent informs the following radio and television stations which then broadcast the information immediately:

Radio

WHAM (1180 AM)

WBEE (92.5 FM)

WPXY (97.9 FM/1280 AM)

WDNY (93.9 FM/1400 AM)

Television

WKBW (Channel 7)

WHEC (Channel 10)

WOKR (Channel 13)

If the schools must close during the day, parents should make sure children know in advance what to do should they come home unexpectedly and find no one there. Prior arrangements should be made to have children cared for until a parent arrives home.

Is the Cost of College Worth It?

As parents, we struggle with the everyday cost of living and often wonder where we will get the money to help our children continue their education after high school. This is a decision that will take planning and sacrifice for many.

Here are some facts that may help you and your child make that decision:

Going to college is an investment of a lifetime. Studies have shown that individuals with a bachelor's degree (four years of college) will earn on the average 62% more a year than those with a high school diploma. Over a lifetime, this amounts to \$1 million more in earnings.¹

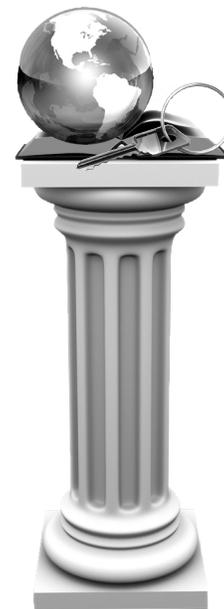
The need for employees with a college degree is growing. Studies show more than a million new jobs for college graduates were added in one year, while two million non-degree jobs were eliminated.² Concluding that the opportunities are growing for those with college degrees and shrinking for those without.

The college experience offers much more than the opportunity for future earning potential. It can offer the chance to develop critical thinking and reasoning skills, explore and experience new opportunities – both social and academic, and to prepare for and explore a satisfying career with financial freedom and future opportunities.

Going to college is an investment in the future. It is important for students and parents to realize that the immediate results we often expect may not be tangible until after a degree has been earned. It requires dedication and effort but, as with anything that is worthwhile, the returns are priceless.

¹ The College Board, *Trends in Student Aid 2004*, October 19 2004

² The College Board, *Trends in Student Aid 2002*, October 21, 2002



MS & HS Students with Disabilities

Transitioning to the Adult World

by Craig Benson

In keeping up with recent district initiatives to increase the post-high school outcomes of our students, the Special Education Department has dramatically revamped and intensified its Transition program over the past two years. Transition refers to planning and services that are needed to prepare our youngsters with disabilities for moving smoothly from school to adult living, learning, or earning roles in the community. This process may include targeted instruction; community learning experiences; and support services to develop skills, knowledge, and abilities to address post-school living, learning or working needs.

Starting in 6th grade, special education students are given a number of activities throughout the year to increase their level of self-determination and self-advocacy skills. Surveys are distributed to families with the hope of initiating post-school dialogues and increasing investment in current academic goals. Students are taught to use the NYS Department of Labor's Career Zone website to increase their knowledge of post-school options. School District staff help students create long-term goals and short-term objectives. Tenth grade students are eligible to have a full day vocational assessment which links together student strengths and career interests. All of this information is regularly reviewed with students and used to create specific academic and vocational goals.

Special Education staff members have worked closely with State Education Department trainers to develop and write more accurate plans for students. As students near graduation, connections are made with appropriate New York State adult agencies such as VESID or ARC/DDSO that can help individual students in college, in the workforce, or for those who need support to live independently. It is hoped that this focus on our students' futures will pay off not only when they leave, but also in increased academic achievement in their current classes.



Middle School/High School News

by Doris Marsh, MS/HS Principal

Keshequa students have just completed the first ten-week marking period for the school year. Report cards have been mailed home with grades and teachers' comments. Parents and guardians are asked to take time to review report cards and give encouraging suggestions for ways to continue or improve upon the work of the students. Words of encouragement and time spent with parents are very important in the development of students.

I have reviewed the report cards and am overall impressed with the work being done by our students. We will have the honor lists and high honor lists published by the last week of November.

Our Middle School Student Council had officer elections and have elected the following students as officers of the club: President – Alex Flint and Gabrielle DiAngelo, Vice-President – Kristen

Jackson and John Swartzfager; Secretary – Sophia Pernicone; and Treasurer – Logan Thompson. The Middle School Council has conducted a fund-raiser and will use the money earned to support school activities such as dances, movie nights, game nights, and a possible trip to Darien Lake in June.

Our mentoring program with the SUNY Geneseo students has begun. SUNY Geneseo students have volunteered to work with many of our seniors who are planning on attending college next fall. The SUNY Geneseo students assist with how to complete a college application, ideas of how to write essays for an application, how to interview at the admissions office of a college, along with many other college preparations activities.

The month of December is very busy for our music department. Holiday

concerts will be held on Tuesday, December 11 and Monday, December 17 for the Middle School and High School band and choral groups. Be sure to mark your calendars and plan on attending these wonderful events to celebrate music with our students.

Winter sports have begun – basketball, wrestling, and cheerleading. Please check our web site for schedules of games or contact our Athletic Director, Mr. Piraino. Come and enjoy watching our students as they compete against neighboring school districts.

Also, I would like to say thank you to all parents, guardians, and community members who continually support our activities here at Keshequa Central School. We truly enjoy seeing you at all our student events.

KCS Wrestling Schedule 2007-2008

Wed., 11/28/07.....	KCS @ Genesee Valley	6:30
Sat., 12/1/07	KCS @ Byron-Bergen Tourn.....	TBA
Thurs., 12/6/07	Pavilion @ Kcs	6:30
Sat., 12/08/07	KCS @ BataviaTourn.....	TBA
Thurs., 12/13/07	Warsaw @ KCS	6:30
Thurs., 12/20/07	KCS @ Cal-Mum.....	6:30
Wed., 1/02/08.....	Pembroke @ KCS	6:30
Sat., 1/05/08	KCS @ Hammondsport Tourn.....	9:00
Tues., 1/8/08.....	KCS @ Bolivar-Richburg	6:30
Thurs., 1/10/08	York @ KCS.....	6:30
Thurs., 1/17/08	KCS @ Perry.....	6:30
Sat., 1/19/08	KCS @ Hornell Tourn.	TBA
Thurs., 1/24/08	Avon @ KCS.....	6:30
Sat., 1/26/08	KCS @ Newark Tourn.	TBA
Tues., 1/29/08.....	KCS @ Geneseo	6:30
Fri., 2/1/08.....	LCAA Tournament @ Dansville	TBA
Sat., 2/2/08	LCAA Tournament @ Dansville	TBA

Greetings from Dalton Elementary!

by Mark Mattle, Elementary Principal

Congratulations to Mr. Isaman, Mr. Uveino and all the Elementary School Students who participated in the *Hoops For Heart* fundraiser for the American Heart Association. See the story on page 8 of this newsletter.

I would like to extend a very special thank you to all those that helped with this year's Senior Citizen Thanksgiving Dinner. Our school was able to say thank you to one of our community's greatest resources, our senior citizens, by presenting to them a wonderful Thanksgiving meal. We had a great turnout this year with over 165 people attending. There were so many individuals that played a part in this great event, The Dalton Elementary Student Council Students and Advisors, The Dalton Chorus, The KCTA, Mrs. Gerhig's Second Grade Class, The Dalton Cafeteria and Maintenance Staff, Mrs. Weaver and many more. We received many thanks from our senior citizens saying, "The dinner was delicious and a blessing to the community," "Keshequa is one of the very few schools that gives this lovely service to its senior citizens, thank you!"

I wish all of our families a wonderful holiday season!

KCS Boys' Basketball Schedule 2007-2008

Thurs., 11/29/07 . KCS @ Mt. Morris.....	5:30
Tues., 12/4/07..... KCS @ Perry.....	5:30
Fri., 12/7/07..... KCS @ York.....	6:00
Wed., 12/12/07... Leroy @ KCS	5:30
Tues., 12/18/07... Pavilion @ KCS.....	5:30
Fri., 12/21/07..... Geneseo @ KCS Athletic.....	6:00
Wed., 12/26/07... Coach "Tink" Macvean Tournament:	
• JV Northstar vs. Genesee-Valley.....	4:00
• JV Keshequa Vs. Warsaw	4:00
• Varsity Northstar vs. Genesee-Valley	5:45
• Varsity Keshequa vs. Warsaw	7:30
Fri., 12/28/07..... Coach "Tink" Macvean Tournament:	
• JV Consolation	4:00
• JV Championship	4:00
• Varsity Consolation.....	5:45
• Varsity Championship	7:30
Wed., 1/2/08..... KCS @ Dansville.....	5:30
Fri., 1/4/08..... Bolivar-Richburg @ KCS.....	6:00
Tues., 1/8/08..... Avon @ KCS.....	5:30
Thurs., 1/10/08 ... Mt. Morris @ KCS (JV Boys Only).....	5:30
Fri., 1/11/08..... Mt. Morris @ KCS (Varsity).....	7:30
Wed., 1/16/08..... KCS @ Cal-Mum	5:30
Fri., 1/18/08..... York @ KCS	6:00
Mon., 1/28/08 Dansville @ KCS.....	5:30
Wed., 1/30/08..... KCS @ Geneseo.....	5:30
Fril, 2/1/08..... KCS @ Letchworth.....	6:00
Wed., 2/6/08..... KCS @ Warsaw.....	5:30
2/7/08 – 2/13/08 LCAA County Tournament	TBA

KCS Girls' Basketball Schedule 2007-2008

Fri., 11/30/07..... KCS @ Mt. Morris.....	6:00
Wed., 12/5/07..... Perry @ Kcs.....	5:30
Fri., 12/7/07..... York @ KCS.....	6:00
Tues., 12/11/07.. KCS @ Leroy.....	5:30
Thurs., 12/13/07 Fillmore @ KCS	5:30
Wed., 12/19/07.. KCS @ Pavilion.....	5:30
Fri., 12/21/07..... KCS @ Geneseo	6:00
Thurs., 12/27/07 .. Coach Pete Diangelo Tournament	
• JV Wellsville vs. Lima-Christian.....	4:00
• JV Keshequa vs. Warsaw	4:00
• V Wellsville vs. Lima-Christian.....	5:45
• V Keshequa vs. Warsaw	7:30
Sat., 12/29/07	
• JV Consolation	4:00
• JV Championship	4:00
• Varsity Consolation.....	5:45
• Varsity Championship	7:30
Thurs., 1/3/08..... KCS @ Alexander	5:30
Sat., 1/5/08..... Wheatland-Chili @ KCS.....	2:00
Wed., 1/9/08..... KCS @ Avon.....	5:30
Thurs., 1/10/08 ... JV Only-Mt. Morris @ KCS.....	7:00
Fri., 1/11/08..... Varsity Only-Mt. Morris @ KCS.....	6:00
Tues., 1/15/08..... Cal-Mum @ KCS	5:30
Fri., 1/18/08..... KCS @ York	6:00
Tues., 1/29/08..... Geneseo @ KCS.....	5:30
Fri., 2/1/08..... Letchworth @ KCS.....	6:00
Tues., 2/5/08..... KCS @ Warsaw.....	5:30
2/7-12/08	LCAA County Tournament
	TBA

Senior Citizens Enjoy Thanksgiving at Keshequa Elementary

On November 16 over 160 senior citizens from the community joined us for a delicious Thanksgiving feast. Student Council members were proud to serve the guests their meals, specially prepared by our dedicated kitchen staff. Choral music was provided by the Elementary Select Chorus and eighth grader Michaela Hillier, who shared her talents on the piano. Student Council is so grateful to the cafeteria staff for preparing and serving food, the custodial staff for the preparation and cleanup of the cafeteria, Mrs. Gehrig's second grade class for providing decorations, Mr. Mattle, Mrs. Capawan, Mr. Aloisio, and Mr. Wiggins for serving food, and the KCTA for donating flowers. It was a wonderful experience to be able to share the afternoon with our community members!



KCS Honor Roll

Grade 6 High Honor Roll

Acciari, Hannah
Alford, Brooke
Amrhein, Chase
Axtell, Olivia
Bentley, Jaron
Boehm, Shannon
Bugman, Madison
Costello, Katelyn
Farrell, Jane
Forrester, Emily
Forrester, Kathryn
Galton, Cooper
Gibson, Erin
Gillen, Chelsey
Gordinier, Shannon
Green, Megan
Hall, Kaytlyn
Kraft, Savannah
Kunkle, Matthew
Martin, Austin
McClements, Melissa
Mehlenbacher, Gabrielle
Moran, Megan
Otero, Kaly
Patchin, Dakota
Piraino, Lindsay
Russell, Haley
Schiano, Erin
Scott, Hannah
Sullivan, Stacey
Thompson, Calvin
Thompson, Scott
Wood, Ariel
Wood, Brody

Honor Roll

Alverson, Justice
Borden, Bailee Jo
Carlin, Timothy
Erwin, Selena
Faulds, Lukas
Gaby, Alek
Grover, Joseph
Houtz, Kierstin
Montgomery, Travis
Smith, Nevin
Smith, Shelby
Tallman, Joshua
Wilkins, Dalton
Wood, Harlee

Grade 7 High Honor Roll

Barranco, Mariah
Borgus, Max
Coon, Victoria
Donovan, Blaithe
Essler, Cole
Faulkner, Kathryn
Flint, Alexandra
Garwood, Amanda

Garwood, Christian
Germack, Courtney
Goodridge, Shelby
Hand, Michelle
Jackson, Kristen
James, Lia
Kirwan, Riley
Kiser, Atticus
Link, Sarah Elizabeth
Lucier, Samantha
Mattle, Daniel
Mehlenbacher, Grace
Mehlenbacher, Zachary
Savastano, Chauna
Schiano, Steven
Scott, Josiah
Simone, Alexander
Smith, Gracey
Steidle, Jessica
Thompson, Dakotah
White, Carrie
Willey, Joshua

Honor Roll

Adams, Jacob
Blanchard, Kylie
Derrenbacher, James
Force, Raymond
Gelser, Katherine
Gregg, Caitlin
Lucas, Connor
Ludwig, Alicia
Morris-Quackenbush,
Olivia
Powers, Nathan
Pritchard, Alicia
Smith, Ryan
Wirt, Larry

Grade 8 High Honor Roll

Acciari, Cyrus
Alberti, Elizabeth
Bielicki, Arielle
Bloomer, Amelia
Calcote, Alicia
Cassidy, Timothy
Caton, Travis
Coates, Justin
Curry, Carrie
Curry, Destinie
DiAngelo, Gabrielle
Ethridge, Amzi
Faulds, Nicholas
Forrester, Terry
Grosse, Hunter
Hark, Brittany
Hillier, Michaela
Howard, Taylor
Kraft, Jordan
Kunkle, Andrew
Lunn, Brandon

Mann, Kaylie
Orton, Kirstin
Piraino, Tyler
Ressler, Brittany
Smith, Kendra
Swartzfager, John
Symonds, Jennifer
Therrien, Abigail
Thompson, Logan
Wood, Philip

Honor Roll

Alloco, Dalton
Bennett, Aaron
Callaro, Ashlee
Collister, Michael
Hatfield, Troy
Kirwan, Mark
Mann, Shennon
Melendrez, Emma
Mucha, Steven
Nesbitt, Christopher
Pierce, Ashley
Preen, Audrey
Sarratori, Ryan
Todd, Zachery
Willett, Darwin

Grade 9 High Honor Roll

Allen, Sarah
Axtell, Rachel
Beardsley, Chelsea
Carroll, John
DiAngelo, Zachary
Donovan, Lauren
Galton, Zachery
Gelser, Katelyn
Gillen, Corey
Gordinier, Samuel
Grosse, Nicole
Hark, Andrew
Harrington, Tiffany
Hatfield, Shelby
Jackson, Timothy
Karst, Kyle
Mann, Claire
Moran, Kevin
Nichols, Chelsea
Simone, Ariel
Smith, Jeremy

Honor Roll

Curry, Melissa
Delahooke, Karl
Denby, Brittany
DeRue, Adrec
Farrell, Gerald
Fuller, Ryan
Grosse, Kyle
Hand, Sarah
James, Dakota
Johnson, Bernard

Kelly, Justin
Maksymiw, Alexandria
McAllister, Valerie
Piper, Tanner

Grade 10 High Honor Roll

Allen, Cassandra
Bentley, Jeremiah
Coates, Thomas
Coffey, Zachary
Essler, Paige
Forrester, Ryan
Gardner, Ryann
Gath, Amanda
Gray, Christopher
Hoodak, Leo (Greg)
Kunkle, Bryan
Mahlendorf, Mariah
Mann, Terrence
Montgomery, Michelle
Mucha, Catherine
Randall, Kristen
Seiwel, Melissa
Tallman, Christine
Trim, Ethan

Honor Roll

Alford, Nicole
Cartwright, Ashley
Cobin, Tyler
Gilbert, Elizabeth
Hatfield, Dylan
Hope, Scott
Kennedy, Finn
Nesbitt, David III
Nesbitt, John
Reichard, Amanda
Smith, Rischandra
Thompson, Kristen
Westcott, Tyler

Grade 11 High Honor Roll

Beardsley, Kayla
Brooker, Megan
Curry, Courtney
Gallicchio, Brandy
Gelser, Charise
Gibson, Emily
Gilbert, Jessica
Giles, Chrysta
Gordinier, Brian
Gray, Sarah
Gunn, Lindsay
Halpenny, Alicia
Hark, Ashley
Kreuzer, Stephanie
Miller, Thomas
Moran, Matthew
Nickerson, Brandon
Orellana, Jesse
Pattridge, Erin
Peritore, Johnathan

Schmitter, Albert
Sherman, Jessie
Steidle, Jeffrey
Sullivan, Sydney
Yaw, Breanna

Honor Roll

Axtell, Jacob
Barnhardt, Brittany
Delano, Nicole
Flint, Travis
Fraser, Kurt
Galton, Lacy
Gibson, Duane
Murray, David
Oulton, Shannen
Underwood, Victoria
Willey, Brittany

Grade 12 High Honor Roll

Cassidy, Ashley
Dale, Jacob
Davis, Katherine
DeMarco, Cheyenne
Derrenbacher, Leanna
Donovan, Jacalyn
Flint, Dominic
Green, Ashley
Jeffords, Minzie
Johnson, John
Kanouse, Rachel
Kreuzer, Mathew
Maddalena, Joseph
Morris, Lauren
Nickerson, Shawna
Nugent, Ryan
Pawlowski, Brittany
Rich, Laurie
Rook, Dustin
Rymer, Timothy
Schmitter, Angelica
Schrier, Brandon
Schrier, Kassandra
Shute, Nicholas
Thorne, Devin
Underwood, Marissa

Honor Roll

Adams, Riley
Amrhein, Chelsea
Boehm, Rhiannon
Gregg, Felicia
Howard, Eric
Howarth, Christopher
LaDelfa, Dean
Layland, Joseph
Lowell, Meghan
Mucha, Anna
Nahalka, Taylor
Oulton, Adam
Reichard, Patrick
Still, Duane

Upcoming Events for December 2007

- 11 ... MS/HS Concert (#1) 7:00 pm
- 13 ... KCS Board of Education Meeting 7:00 pm
- 14 ... End of 15 Week Marking Period
- 17 ... MS/HS Concert (#2) 7:00 pm
- 19 ... Elementary Christmas Concert, 7:00 p.m., Nunda
- 21 ... Interim Reports Grade K-5 Carried Home; 6-12 Mailed Home
- 25 ... Christmas Day
- 26 ... SAT Registration Deadline for 1/26
- 24- Jan 1...NO SCHOOL WINTER RECESS

Hoops for Heart

Keshequa students have now raised a total of \$8494.40 for the American Heart Association!

One hundred and three students in grades 2-5 participated in an event called *Hoops for Heart*, a fundraiser for the American Heart Association. Students sold little basketballs to interested donors at any amount the donor chose. Then the donor could put the name of their choice on the paper basketball. Students had a week



In the picture from left to right are: Joshua Callaro (5th), Colton Davis (3rd), Jaysie Martin (4th), Harlee Shoup (4th), Jordan Kapelke (3rd), and Kaitlyn O'Brien (4th). These are the top five money raisers in the school.

and a half to raise as much money as they could. When the time was up, **students had raised \$4113.30 in this event!** Participating students celebrated their success by playing different basketball games after school.

Second graders raised \$762.20; Third graders raised \$1367.25; Fourth graders raised \$945; and Fifth graders raised \$1038.85.

The top five sellers in the school were: Jaysie Martin \$105; Jordan Kapelke \$105; Harlee Shoup \$127; Kaitlyn O'Brien \$150; Colton Davis \$200; Joshua Callaro \$225

Mr. Isaman and Mr. Uveino would like to thank all of the students who participated in this great event.

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