STILLWATER TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

APRIL 21, 2023

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

PTA Mother Son Event 4/21/23 Kindergarten Screening 4/25, 4/26, 4/27/23 Board of Education Meeting 4/24/23 Take your Child to Work 4/27/23 NJSLA Grades 3-6 5/8/23 to 5/12/23 NJSLA Grade 5 5/15/23 to 5/16/23

FIRST GRADE NEWS - MRS. LOCICERO

The first graders have been hard at work in their new writers workshop unit. They are learning all about small moment stories. Students learned that a small moment story is like a watermelon. The watermelon is the big event, and the tiny seeds inside are all of the different small moments during that event. The students have been enjoying being able to write about all of the different experiences they have had. We look forward to hearing more about all of their adventures!

Mrs. LoCicero

SECOND GRADE NEWS

Second graders have begun a new unit in Reader's Workshop on fables, folktales, and fairytales! We are very excited to read these classic stories together! We will be focusing on the elements of each story, how culture is present in classic tales from around the world, and discussing lessons we can learn from reading these stories. Students will also participate in "Reader's Theater" to act out some of the stories we are reading!

Mrs. Bird

FIFTH GRADE NEWS

The fifth graders are currently focusing on a deep understanding of the measurable attribute of volume and using numbers and operations to describe and compute the volume of rectangular prisms and composite shapes. The students will learn to use the formula length x width x height and/or area of the base x height to find volume. Additive volume is a challenging concept. Students will learn how to find the volume of a three-dimensional solid by decomposing it into rectangular prisms, finding the volume of each prism, and then adding the volumes together.

In Science, the students will learn how to use the metric system. Students will learn to understand the relative size of metric units, and recognize the relationship between the conversion factors in the metric system and our base-10 numeration system. The same prefixes are used for length, capacity, and mass and each unit is 10 times as much as the next smaller unit. To aid in remembering the units, the students are using the acronym King Henry Doesn't Mind Drinking Chocolate Milk!

Mrs. Bickhardt

SIXTH GRADE NEWS

6th Grade Math

Sixth graders recently completed a unit in math about geometry. Geometry examines the relationships between points, lines, shapes, and the space they take up. The students began the unit by exploring how a parallelogram is related to a rectangle. They decomposed a parallelogram and composed a rectangle by creating a triangle and moving it to the other side. They then developed the formula for the area of a parallelogram to be the base times the height. We extended this formula to develop the formula for a triangle which is half of a parallelogram. Once students were comfortable finding the area of parallelograms and triangles, they used these formulas to find the area of irregular shapes by "taking them apart" (to find the area of smaller shapes) and then "putting them back together" to find the total area. Finding the surface area of prisms and pyramids and the volume of rectangular prisms with fractional units completed our geometry unit. Statistical analysis is our current topic. Students are enjoying learning what statistics are and how they can analyze data by measuring the center and variability of the data collected. Box plots, mean absolute deviation, choosing appropriate statistical measures, summarizing data distributions and histograms will also be covered in the weeks to come.

Mrs. Mahedy

MESSAGE FROM KITATINNY HIGH SCHOOL

Attention 6th grade students and families:

Thinkers! Problem Solvers! Creative Minds! Challenge Seekers! Learn new things easily? Have a strong sense of curiosity? Like solving problems? Interested in challenges and puzzles? Wonder about the world around us? See things from multiple perspectives? If you answered yes to any of these, Kaleidoscope might be for you!

Kaleidoscope is an academic enrichment class that meets 5 days a week serving the unique needs of gifted and talented learners in grades 7 & 8 at Kittatinny Regional High School.

To be considered for Kaleidoscope, students MUST attend one of the sessions in the Kittatinny Media Center offered this spring. Please see the attached flyer for details.



All children have unique strength and talents and require opportunities to learn, grow and be challenged to strive for excellence. However, some children have intellectual skills and abilities that significantly differ in degree and dimension from their chronological peers, and require the challenge of a differentiated curriculum in order to maximize their potential. Curriculum for gifted and talented students is designed to challenge academically advanced learners and provide experiences that require critical thinking, problem solving and creativity.

In the Kittatinny Regional Consortium, identification procedures have been developed and implemented based upon the local school population as per NJ educational code. As students transition into KRHS, their chronological peer group shifts and may result in changes in students' eligibility status for gifed education services.

Multiple criteria are used in the confidential identification process for consideration for Kaleidoscope including, but not limited to:

- · Learning and social characteristics evaluations from teachers
- · Previously administered cognitive abilities assessments
- Results of an in-person Screening Assessment composed performance assessments in critical thinking, creative thinking and reasoning skills offered at KRHS on May 13 or May 20
- Written answers to Student Response Questions, found on the Kaleidoscope website, due by May 24
- The Family Information Form provides additional insight into students, found on the Kaleidoscope website, due by May 24

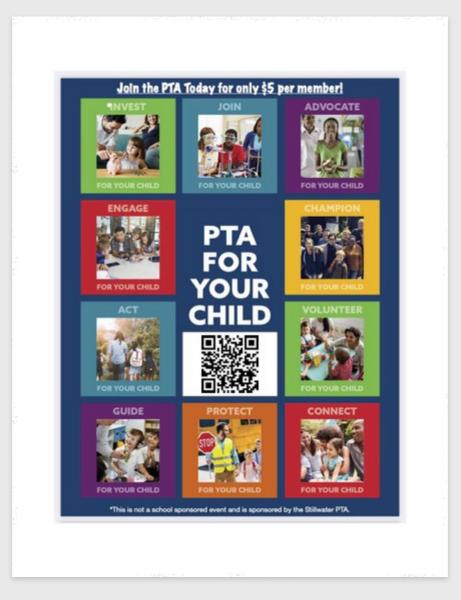
Want to find out more?

Check out our website: krhskaleidoscope.weebly.com.



Questions? Email Mrs. Ellen Kolonoski Gifted Education Specialist







STILLWATER PTA MEMBERSHIP FORM 2022 - 2023

Online Member Sign Up Instructions: https://stillwatertwp.memberhub.com

On main page of MemberHub enter your email address. Select need to create password. A code will be sent to your email. Enter code on MemberHub page and create your password. You will be directed to your PTA MemberHub home page. Select Shop tab at top of page. Select the correct icon PTA Individual for Parents, PTA Teachers & Faculty or PTA Community Member to get started for enrollment. Fill out your information and add to cart. Select cart and continue to checkout. Your name will be located on top right you can click on your name for the drop tab and select edit your profile visit hubs or log out.

Stillwater Twp. School - 2022-2023 PTA Membership Please print clearly - Thank you! \$5 per member - Payments should be made to "Stillwater PTA" by cash or check

Member Information:

First Name:

Last Name:

Address:

Telephone: ____

Relation to	Stillwater Twp. School:	(Circle One)
Parent	Staff Member	Community Member

Email:

Member Information:

First Name: Last Name: ____

Address: Telephone: ____

Relation to Stillwater Twp. School: (Circle One) Parent

Staff Member Community Member

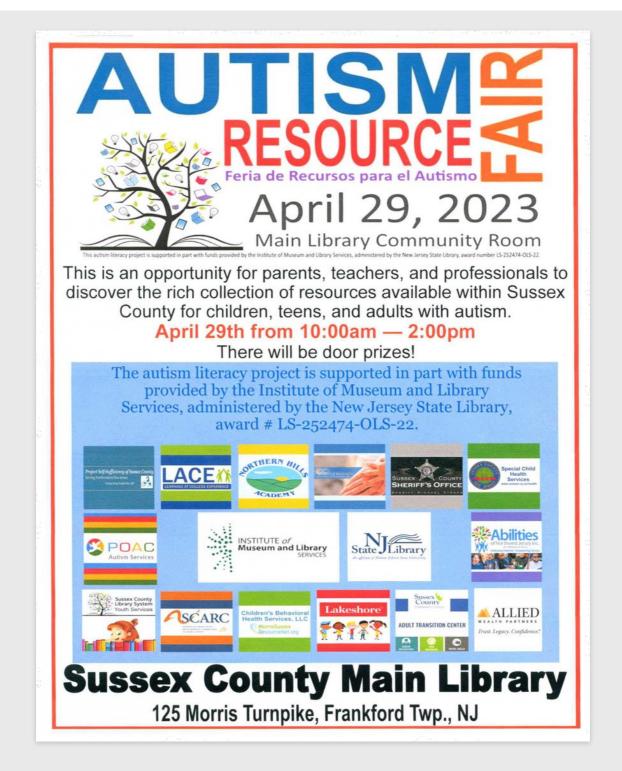
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Other

Other

My child(ren)(s) picture is allowed in social media and print: (Circle One) Yes No

RETURN TO SCHOOL "ATTN: TARYN MACALUSO, PTA MEMBERSHIP"





SUSSEX COUNTY YMCA SATURDAY APRIL 29 12-3 PM 15 Wits End Rd. Hardyston, NJ

sussexcountyymca.org

- Free Swim Assessments
- Family Friendly Obstacle Course
- Family Swim
- Facility Tours & Membership Raffle
- S.T.E.M. Activities
- AND MORE!

FAIRVIEW LAKE YMCA CAMPS SUNDAY APRIL 30 2-4 PM

fairviewlakeymca.org

- Archery & Axe Throwing
- Climbing
- Day Camp Open House
- Arts & Crafts
- · Discovery Hike
- AND MORE!

FREE! PLEASE RSVP ONLINE!

NOT A SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENT

MISS STILLWATER 2023



Friday, May 12, 2022 • 6 PM Stillwater Township Community Center 931 Swartswood Road, Swartswood, NJ

Applications due back on or before May 1, 2023 (no exceptions)

For all young women interested in representing their community as "Miss Stillwater Township, 2023" in the Annual New Jersey State Fair Queen Pageant. This "Miss Stillwater" event showcases the talents and accomplishments of single women between the ages of 17 and 21 residing in Stillwater Township. All eligible young women are encouraged to participate and must be available during the first week of August to compete in the "Queen of the Fair" contest at the Sussex County Fairgrounds.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW and include the information requested at the **

Name: Miss

Address

Phone #

Email address:

Date of Birth: _____ Current School: ____

Parents/Guardians:

** A short biography - typed, in third person or any manner not directly indicating your identity noting your hobbies, interests, school and community activities, academic achievements and future goals.

** An essay - No more than two (2) pages, typed on the topic of role models: Miss Stillwater is a role model for others in the community. Who do you consider your role model and why; and why would you be a good role model for others? Please remember, these essays are judged for quality of writing, including spelling and grammar, as well as content (please do not use your name in the essay).

Applications must be submitted to the Municipal Building in Middleville, NJ in person or by mail to 964 Stillwater Road, Newton, NJ 07860. Please mark envelope "Miss Stillwater Township Contest". Entrants will be notified by email upon receipt of application. Contestants must be Stillwater residents between ages 17 and 21. By signing the application, responsible adult gives permission for the minor to participate.

_____ YES, I grant you permission to use photos of my child/children on the Stillwater Township website and/or the Stillwater Recreation Commission Facebook page.

NO, please do NOT use any photos of my child/children

Signature of parent/guardian (if under 18)

Any questions or concerns: Please contact

Please contact Lou Sylvester at sylvesterlou6660@gmail.com or call at 862-268-3553

LITTLE MISS AND MR. STILLWATER 2023



Friday, May 12, 2023 • 6 PM Stillwater Township Community Center 931 Swartswood Road, Swartswood, NJ

Applications due back on or before May 1, 2023 (no exceptions)

For Stillwater Residents ages 4-7 who are interested in representing Stillwater Township as Little Miss Stillwater or Little Mr. Stillwater. Please include a short biography (150 words or less) introducing the participant. These will be read during the event for the judges and the audience.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW:

Name: Mr./Miss

Address:

Date of Birth: _____ Phone # _____

Email address:

Current School:

Parents/Guardians:

Applications must be submitted to the Municipal Building in Middleville, NJ in person or by mail to 964 Stillwater Road, Newton, NJ 07860. Please make envelope "Little Miss or Mister Stillwater Township Contest". Entrants will be notified by email upon receipt of application. Contestants must be Stillwater residents between ages 4 and 7. By signing the application, responsible adult gives permission for the minor to participate.

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Spring C&C Growers Fundraiser



Stillwater Township PTA Spring Fundraiser

while giving yourself beautiful to look at!

y C&C Growers customers will receiver 10 off their entire purchase when this flyer is sented. Stillwater Township PTA will rece 0% of these purchases after the end date

This fundraiser will run from April 1st to May 27th! Get your growing on now!!



C&C Grown

Newton, NJ 07860

Contact:







THE KITTATINNY PLAYERS SUMMER THEATER CAMPS REGISTRATION INFORMATION

CAMPER'S INFORMATION Camper's Last Name:	First Name:
Address:	
Date of Birth: Grade in 2023-2024	:
T-Shirt Size: (ADULT SIZES ONLY) XS () S () M	I() L() XL() XXL() XXXL()
LEGAL GUARDIAN INFORMATION Parent/Guardian:	Relation
Home Phone: Cell Pho	
E-Mail:	
Health Insurance Provider:	
Any imperative, medical situation to be aware? (Ex: Fo	
Do we need to provide special accommodations due to	disabilities? If so, please specify:
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION - LIST	CONTACT OTHER THAN YOURSELF
Name: Relatio	n:
Home #: Cell #:	
Permission to release your child to this person? YES () NO()
By signing this document, I agree that my child will abide by the rules ar of the Kittatinny Regional High School Summer Camp Program. I under notify camp director if any activities are beyond my child's limitations, correct and I have provided the proper medical forms required in case concerns regarding these policies, please contact us at 973-383-1800 and your concern. The signature below also notifies the clinic director of : payment and information are received, their will be no refunds, except if prorated at \$33.80 a day. (We are allowed to cancel one di Second day we would return \$2	rstand the various activities provided in this camp and will. To the best of my ability, all information on this form is of allergy or drug administration. For any questions or you will be directed to the proper contact person regarding an insurance release (medical) in case of an injury. Once more than one day was cancelled for rain then it would be ay due to weather without penalty or refund.
Signature:	Date:

Kittatinny Summer Sports Camps 2023

Our sports camps are designed to teach fundamentals and help all participants better understand their sport. Campers receive help with skills through instruction, individual and multi-player drills, and lectures from fine coaches. The KRHS sports camps are for youngsters who wish to learn and improve no matter their ability or current level of knowledge and skill.

Camps offered this summer include:				
<u>Wrestling</u> open gym 6-7:30pm June 19, 21, 26 & July 10, 12, 17, 19, 24 Try to bring a partner to practice with as the ages of participants vary. Grades 3+	<u>Mental Performance</u> - July 17-20 grades 5-12 12-1:00pm			
<u>Girls Basketball</u> - June 26-30 grades 3-8 9-11:30am	<u>Softball</u> - July 17-20 grades K-8 8:30-11:00am			
<u>Tennis</u> - June 26-30 grades 3-11 Boys 9:30-11:30am Girls 12-2:00pm	Boys Soccer - July 24-27 grades K-8 8-10:30am			
Baseball -July 17-20 grades 3-8 8:30-11:00am	<u>Girls Soccer</u> - July 24-27 grades K-8 8-10:30am			
Speed/Agility/Strength Open to all sports! July 24-27 Grades 5-8 11:00-1:00pm	Field Hockey - July 31 -August 3 grades 3-8 8:30-11:00am			

Camps offered this summer include:

Please complete and send in the below portion for <u>registration by **June 1st.**</u> Late registrations or lack of participants may result in a camp being canceled.

All camps are \$120. Wrestling is free.

There is a \$10 late fee for registrations after June 1st.

Please write separate checks if signing up for more than one camp. Please fill out a registration for each camp attending.

Checks payable to: KRHS Summer Sports Camps (camper name and camp choice in memo)

Attn: Jessica DeMartini & Name of camp(s) 77 Halsey Road

Newton, NJ 07860

Questions email jdemarti@krhs.net

Registration on back.

Name:			Grade 2023-2024
Parent(s) name:			
Address:			
Phone #			
Email:			
Emergency Contact:		E.C. #	
Health Insurance:		Policy #	
Parent/Guardian Signature:		- 97 H.	
The signature notifies the clinic director of an in	surance release (me	edical) in cas	e of an injury.
Camp attending:			
T-shirt size (circle): Adult sizes S M			

Coaches will reach out to you the week before each camp starts with additional information on their particular camp.

Mental Performance - Introducing a new camp designed to improve each individual's mindset with an interactive approach. We will tackle concepts such as leadership skills, failure, work ethic, resiliency, and goal setting so that you can regain control of your life and game performance. We will give you the mental and emotional skills needed to set you on the right path. We will focus on building up and encouraging your mental toughness, as having the confidence to believe in yourself is the difference in overcoming the barriers in life. It is a journey to a self makeover (esteem, belief and worth)



All proceeds to benefit The Kittatinny Players and the KRHS Theater Program

Messages from Heaven with Catherine McCall

PSYCHIC MEDIUM Live Music • Silent Auction

MAY 16, 2023 · 6 -9 PM

PRICE PER TICKET \$75 choice of entrée | chicken • fish • pasta attire | dressy casual

ANDRE'S LAKESIDE DINING

112 TOMAHAWK TRAIL • SPARTA, NJ outside under the tents • BYOB

Purchase tickets at www.TheKPBC.org

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THE STILLW ATER RECOGNITION COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO.....

Death b

Family Style Dinner Includes ~Salad

- ~Eggplant Parm ~Sausage and Peppers ~Chicken Marsala (gluten free)
- ~Penne Vodka ~Cavatelli and Broccoli
- ~Dessert to Die For

Dessert

A MURDER MYSTERY DINNER PARTY WHERE **EVERYONE IS A SUSPECT**

All proceeds to benefit the Stillwater 6th grade graduating class

4 Course Dinner Cash Bar

Location and Time of the Crime: Stillwater Firehouse 929 Stillwater Rd, Newton NJ. April 29th, 6-9pm Tickets \$35 at Eventbrite deathbydessertstillwater .eventbrite.com

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