

# PANTHER PRESS

## KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY

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### DATES TO REMEMBER

**AUG 19-30**  
BOY NWEA Testing  
Window

**AUG 22**  
PTO Meeting

**AUG 26-SEPT 6**  
1st & 2nd Grade  
Universal Dyslexia  
Screener Window

**SEPT 2**  
Labor Day  
No School

**SEPT 3**  
Teacher PD Day  
No School

**SEPT 4**  
1st Grade  
Vision Screening

**SEPT 17**  
Grandparents' Night

### WELCOME BACK, PANTHERS!



#### Names, Please!

Many students have similar water bottles, lunch boxes, jackets, etc. Please make sure your child's name is written on ALL items they bring to school.

Our lost and found gets really full throughout the year, names on items helps!

#### Arrival & Dismissal

Arrival: 7:45-8:00 a.m.

Breakfast: 7:45 a.m.

Tardy Bell: 8:00 a.m.

Dismissal: 3:00 p.m.

#### NWEA

The beginning of the year testing window for NWEA is August 19 - August 30.

This series of assessments helps us determine students' strengths and weaknesses in the areas of language arts and mathematics.

Families will receive a copy of their child's scores after the testing window closes. Students will take NWEA again in December and April to monitor their progress and growth throughout the year.

## Cub Club

KES offers before and after-school care for our students. At Cub Club, students eat a snack and participate in a variety of games and activities planned by our leaders. Students are expected to follow school rules at all times. Cub Club operates only on days school is in session. It is intended to be a permanent placement and is not to be used on an as-needed basis.

Cub Club is available before school from 6:00-7:45 a.m. and after school until 6:00 p.m.

The cost for before school is \$30/week and after school is \$40/week. Payments must be made by Friday of each week for the student to return the following week.

***\*After-School Cub Club is currently full but you can be placed on a waitlist by calling the office at 765-345-2151.***

## Dismissal Information

Upon entering the south entrance of our school's parking lot, drive around the perimeter of the lot, following the yellow lines. You will stop at the sign and wait for a staff member to direct you forward. For staff and student safety, do NOT start lining up prior to 2:15 p.m. Waiting cars should remain parked until after buses have cleared the parking lot. Waiting lines are two cars wide. End of the day office pick-ups are not permitted. No one should be going into the school to pick up students who are car riders.

Please be extra cautious and practice courteous driving anytime you are in our parking lot.

## General Health Reminders

Back to school means germs! So, in an effort to keep everyone as healthy as possible, students returning to school after being sick must be fever-, vomit-, and diarrhea-free for 24 hours WITHOUT medication.

## Textbooks, Breakfast, & Lunch

Textbook rental, breakfast, AND lunch are free for ALL students again this year! However, students will have to pay for any items that are al-la-carte. This includes milk.

Please send money in a plain white envelope with the following information: child's name, grade level, amount of money, the word 'lunch,' and teacher's name.

## PTO

Our PTO helps sponsor many fun events during the school year, such as our sock hops, and would love to have more members. Please email Gayle Davis at

**[gayle.davis@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:gayle.davis@cabeard.k12.in.us)**

if you are interested in helping PTO with events.

## TRANSPORTATION CHANGES

Email Mrs. Wilson at **[tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us)** with any transportation changes

### Include in the email:

- Date for the change
- Child's first and last name
- Teacher
- Destination
- New bus number (if known)

Please send a note with your child on the day they are going to a different place. If possible, please do not call the office with changes.

**\*Changes to transportation must be received before 12:00 p.m.**

## ATTENDANCE

Attendance is critical to your child's success in school. All children are expected to be in school each day unless they are ill.

It is important that students are screened each morning for COVID-19 and other illness symptoms prior to arriving at school.

Students are allowed 20 absences per year. A letter will be sent home making you aware of absences.

If your child will be absent from school, call the KES office at 765-345-2151 or send an email to:

Mrs. Wilson at  
**[tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:tiffany.wilson@cabeard.k12.in.us)**

-OR-  
Mrs. Roland at  
**[emily.roland@cabeard.k12.in.us](mailto:emily.roland@cabeard.k12.in.us)**

## MEDICATION

Parents or guardians are responsible for bringing any new, unopened medication to the nurse's office.

This includes cough drops.

Parents or guardians and/or a doctor must fill out medical forms in order for medication to be dispensed.

Antibiotics given 3 times per day should be given at home: before school, after school, & at bedtime.

# WHO'S WHO AT **KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY**



## OFFICE STAFF



**Principal**  
Ms. Stevenson



**Secretary**  
Mrs. Roland



**Secretary**  
Mrs. Wilson

## NURSE STAFF



**Corp. Nurse**  
Mrs. Smith



**Health Aide**  
Mrs. Redmond



**Health Aide**  
Mrs. Richardson

## PRESCHOOL



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Leisure



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Pugsley



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Weaver

# WHO'S WHO AT **KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY**



## **KINDERGARTEN**



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Bryson



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Lykens



**Teacher**  
Mrs. McDonald

## **FIRST GRADE**



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Dougherty



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Ruch



**Teacher**  
Miss Shryock



**Teacher**  
Mrs. VanBritson

## **SECOND GRADE**



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Childress



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Fortune



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Hunt



**Teacher**  
Ms. Willis



# WHO'S WHO AT **KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY**



## THIRD GRADE



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Axthelm



**Teacher**  
Mrs. James



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Thurston

## SPECIAL EDUCATION



**Teacher**  
Mrs. Edwards



**Speech**  
Mrs. Davidson



**SLP**  
Mrs. Willard



**OT**  
Mrs. Siders

## SPECIAL AREAS



**P.E.**  
Mr. Magee



**Art**  
Mrs. Pierson



**Library**  
Mrs. Selvidge



**Music**  
Miss Hoffman

# WHO'S WHO AT **KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY**



## **SPECIAL EDUCATION**



**K-3 Aide**  
Mr. Case



**PK Aide**  
Mrs. Chan



**K-3 Aide**  
Mrs. Davis



**K-3 Aide**  
Mrs. Green

## **SPECIAL EDUCATION**



**PK Aide**  
Mrs. Hardymon



**K-3 Aide**  
Mrs. King



**PK Aide**  
Ms. Powell



**PK Aide**  
Mrs. Sparks

## **INTERVENTIONS**



**Student  
Interventionist**  
Miss Veach



**Facility Dog**  
Fred



**Title I Teacher**  
Mrs. Crawford

# WHO'S WHO AT **KNIGHTSTOWN ELEMENTARY**



## **CAFETERIA STAFF**



**Manager**  
Ms. Martin



**Head Cook**  
Ms. Gorman



**Line Cook**  
Mrs. Lynch

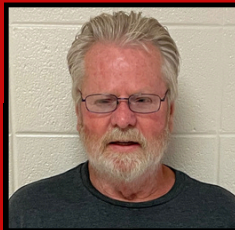


**Line Cook**  
Mrs. Wooldridge

## **CUSTODIAL STAFF**



**Head Custodian**  
Ms. Jarvis



**Custodian**  
Mr. Hall



**Custodian**  
Mr. Allen

## **SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS**



**KPD**  
Chief Beatrice



**KPD**  
Sgt. Davis



**KPD**  
Officer Patrick





# SOCCER SKILLS CAMP



DATE **SEPTEMBER  
11**

**Boys & Girls  
Kindergarten -  
3rd grade**

**At KHS 7-8:30 under the lights**

**Kids will get a T-shirt for  
attending**

Cost **\$25**

**Forms need to be returned by August 30th**

Cash or Checks made payable to Dusty Magee