

Happy Mid-November!

Mountain Lion Learning Den

The Mountain Lion Learning Den is open after school in the library from 3:15 to 4:15 on Monday's, Tuesday's, and Thursday's. Two KMS staff members are available each session to help students with their coursework. Attendance is voluntary, however, if students choose to attend, we ask that they stay the entire hour. Transportation is not provided, so students will need a ride at 4:15.

7th Grade Penny Wars!

It's that time of year again for Penny Wars. **Penny wars is a 7th grade fundraiser, and all money goes to students in our Life Skills program to help them compete in the Special Olympics.**

This year we will be running Penny Wars through our 1st period classes. In a nutshell, students from your 1st period will bring in pennies for positive points and then students from other 1st period classes can "bomb" you with negative points which is silver change or cash. We will run Penny Wars from Monday November 18th to Friday November 22nd.

KMS Food Drive

The food drive will run from **Monday, December 9th to Thursday, December 12th**. This year food will be collected before first period. Students will be able to drop off their food at the food drive collection area, directly behind the office. We will have some food drive workers, under the direction of Karla Ogle, collect and count food as students bring it in. We will be keeping a tally during the week to determine the winning teams.

Lost and Found

The lost and found will be bagged up and donated on Monday, November 25th. Please make sure your students look for their lost items.

KMS Nurse/Front Office Update:

Just a reminder, Students are expected to provide their own nonprescription medication (Ibuprofen, Tylenol, cold medicine, cough drops, etc.) for routine aches and pains and to take any medication only with parental approval. They are allowed to keep these medications in their lockers. We are seeing too many students in the office for these medications and want them to be in class as much as possible! Thank you for your help with this!

Activities

Our Boys Basketball Season is in full swing! Check out our activities webpage for information on all activities, schedules, forms, policies and more!

<https://kms.sd5.k12.mt.us/activities>

Dates to Remember:

November 18- 22 Penny Wars 7th Grade

November 20 - Early Release, 1:10

November 25 - Lost and found donated

November 27 - 29 - No School, Thanksgiving Break

December 2 - 6th/7th Band Concert, 6:30

December 5 - 6th Grade Orchestra 6:30

December 9 - 6th/7th Choir 6:30/7:15

December 9 - 7th Choir at the mall at 1:30

December 12 - 8th Band, Choir, Orchestra - 6:30 p.m., holiday performance, KMS Gym

December 9-12 - KMS Food Drive