

April 2025

KENNEDY SCHOOL'S NEWSLETTER

April

- April 2 -Drawing Club 3:35-5:00 p.m.
- April 6 -Last Day to Register for Summer School**
- April 9 -4K & 6th grade to the Boston School Forest (4K 8:50-11:30 a.m. & 6th 8:50a.m. -2:30 p.m.)
- April 10 -Popcorn Sale \$.50 each
-Drawing Club 3:35-5:00 p.m.
-PTO Meeting in the Kennedy School Library 5:30 p.m.
- April 14 -17 -Kennedy School Student Council Snack Drive - - see page 5 for details
- April 18 -No School - Traditional Good Friday - Boys & Girls Club Closed at Kennedy School**
- April 21 -E-Learning Day for students**
- April 22 -No School for Grades Kdgn. - 6th grade **School in session for 4K students.**
- April 23 -Drawing Club 3:35-5:00 p.m.
- April 25 -**No School for Current Kindergarteners**
-Kindergarten Visitation for Incoming 2025-26 kindergarteners & parent/guardians
-2nd grade field trip to Food + Farm Expo and Carl D's 12:00 - 3:15 p.m.
- April 28 -ABC Countdown Begins (see calendar on page 4) - Art Day - Create some art
- April 29 -Book Day - Read one of you favorite books
- April 30 -Camouflage Day - Wear camouflage to school
-School Store 3:00-3:30 p.m.

May

- May 1 -School Store 3:00-3:30 p.m.
-Drawing Club 3:35-5:00 p.m.
-6th grade Orchestra Concert with PJ Jacob's Orchestra at SPASH 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.
- May 2 -5th & 6th grade field trip to The Magic Flute Opera at UWSP 12:00 - 2:10 p.m.

PTO MEETING

April 10, 2025
5:30 p.m.

At Kennedy School in
the Library

Summer School 2025 Registration Information

Registration for Summer School
2025 courses opened on
Monday, March 24, 2025.
Summer School Registration Ends
on April 6th.

**6th Grade Orchestra Concert with
PJ Jacob's Orchestra**

Thursday, May 1st at
SPASH Auditorium
at 7:30 p.m.

Students are asked to arrive at 6:15 for
seating
and a brief warm-up prior to the
performance.



KINDERGARTEN VISITATION

IF YOU HAVE A CHILD
ENTERING KINDERGARTEN IN
THE FALL OF THE 2025-26
SCHOOL YEAR, PLEASE MARK
YOUR CALENDAR FOR
APRIL 25TH. KENNEDY
SCHOOL WILL HOST A
KINDERGARTEN VISITATION
FOR PARENT/GUARDIANS AND
THEIR INCOMING
KINDERGARTEN STUDENT.

**KENNEDY SCHOOL
WILL HOLD A POPCORN
SALE ON
APRIL 10TH**



A BAG



THE CURRENT 2024-25
KINDERGARTEN CLASSES
WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL
APRIL 25TH DUE TO THE
VISITATION DAY FOR
INCOMING STUDENTS.

5th & 6th Grade Elementary

Track Meet

May 21st & May 22nd

Rain Date May 24th



Dear Families,

Hello! To make the end of the year a little more special, we are going to be having a **Kennedy Elementary School ABC Countdown** to the end of the school year! This exciting countdown begins on Monday, April 28 and continues to Thursday, June 5.

Each day marks a different letter of the alphabet and each day everyone in your household is encouraged to participate. We don't expect or want families to go out and buy new things, simply use what you have at home.

Please remember: On Toy Day (May 28th) weapons are not allowed in school. All toys have the potential of being used by other students or broken. All toys must fit in your child's backpack.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask! Thanks for your cooperation!

Your Kennedy School Family



Kennedy Elementary School 2025 ABC Countdown

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4/27	4/28 Art Day Create some art	4/29 Book Day Read one of your favorite books	4/30 Camouflage Day Wear your camouflage to school	5/1 Denim Day Wear all the denim you can	5/2 Extra Recess Day Have an extra recess	5/3
5/4	5/5 Fancy Day Dress in whatever makes you feel fancy	5/6 Game Day Let's play a game	5/7 Hat Day Wear a fun, silly, or favorite hat	5/8 Ice Treat Day We will have an ice cold treat today	5/9 Joke Day We'll share some fun jokes	5/10
5/11	5/12 Kindness Day Let's spread kindness	5/13 Listening Day We'll enjoy some music and listen to read aloud	5/14 Movie Day Watch a movie	5/15 Neon Day You will look really bright wearing your neon to school	5/16 NO SCHOOL E-Learning Day	5/17
5/18	5/19 NO SCHOOL Staff Only Day	5/20 Outside Day We will do something outside today	5/21 Puzzle in PJ's Day Put together some puzzles or code and wear pajamas	5/22 Quiet Day Do some quiet activities	5/23 Reverse Day Wear your clothes backwards	5/24
5/25	5/26 NO SCHOOL Memorial Day	5/27 School Pride Day Wear your Kennedy apparel to school today	5/28 Toy Day Bring a toy from home	5/29 U.S.A. Day Wear red, white, and blue	5/30 Vacation Day Dress like you are going on vacay	5/31
6/1	6/2 Walk Day Take a walk	6/3 X-tira Cleaning Day Have extra play time	6/4 You Did It! Day We'll celebrate our learning	6/5 Zip Up Your Backpack Day © Have a great summer!	6/6	6/7

Kennedy Snack Drive

When: April 14-17th

Sponsored by Student Council

We would like to supply snacks to have in each classroom for those students who are unable to bring in their own snack each day.



**Crackers,
Cereal,
Chips, Pretzels,
Granola bars,
Cookies ETC...**

At the end of the week, there will be an all school Easter egg hunt to celebrate!

MESSENGERS OF HOPE

POSTER CONTEST

DESIGN A POSTER TO PROMOTE MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS THIS MAY THROUGHOUT PORTAGE COUNTY

- Your poster must be original artwork based on the theme of "Messengers of Hope" by one individual
- We will accept papers sizes up to 11 inches by 17 inches
- Your artwork may contain multimedia elements
- Using celebrities, video game characters, cartoons, or other copyrighted images is not allowed
- A fully completed and legible registration form must be taped to the back of each poster

1ST PLACE: \$100

2ND PLACE: \$50

Awards given given for
grades K5-5th
6th-9th
10th-12th

SUBMISSIONS ARE DUE TO YOUR SCHOOL'S MAIN OFFICE



NO LATER THAN APRIL 24TH

Sponsored by Prevent Suicide Portage County

MESSENGERS OF HOPE ENTRY FORM

Student Name	
Grade Level	
School	
Parent/ Guardian Name	
Parent/ Guardian Email	
Description of Art Piece	
Return to Student	Do you want your poster returned to you after the showcase? YES NO

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We retain the right to use the text provided with the artwork in any promotional pieces, displays, or other venues.