

ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBERS

Kenneth Hall Elementary School
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Attendance Line: (763)785-5504

Kids Club: (763)785-5586

PURPOSE STATEMENT AND CORE VALUES

Purpose Statement

Our purpose is to provide a nurturing, challenging learning environment that supports all children to become literate learners at grade level or above.

Core Values

Courage: Doing and saying the right thing at the right time in the right way despite challenge, adversity, or conflicting self interests. **Integrity:** Always aligning our actions with our values and beliefs. **Shared Responsibility:** Working together interdependently and collaboratively, learning from one another, entrusting one's self interest to another and taking ownership for our individual and collective actions and decisions. **Respect:** Listen to, accept, and value each individual in the Spring Lake Park Schools and Community. **Accountability:** To fulfill one's roles and responsibilities and be responsive to the results. **Excellence:** A relentless and intentional effort in continuous improvement. **Innovation:** Purposeful, courageous, continuous improvement through research and action. **Learning:** Continuous, meaningful and challenging effort that ensures student success.

Core Beliefs

To fulfill our purpose:

We believe success in reading drives learning in all subject areas. Therefore, our staff shares the commitment that all students will read at or above grade level.

Students and teachers will make decisions that will enhance individual learning.

We believe and are committed to creating a school that knows no limits to the academic success of each student.

ATTENDANCE

When children will not be in school or will arrive late, please call our 24-hour attendance line (763)785-5504 as early as possible. If you do not notify the school, we will need to contact you. Students who arrive late need to report to the Welcome Desk & Health Care Office before going to their classrooms.

If you are aware in advance of a student's absence, send a note to the classroom teacher and notify the attendance line. Please make every attempt to plan appointments, trips, etc. at a time that will not conflict with student hours. Work that is made up outside of school does not replace the instructional value that can be gained in the classroom.

It is the parents'/guardians' responsibility to provide updated emergency information to the office. When students become ill or are involved in an accident during the school day, parents/guardians will be notified so suitable arrangements can be made. When children arrive late or leave early the parents must come to the Welcome Desk and sign in/out their student. For additional information, please refer to District 16 policy.

BICYCLES, ROLLER BLADES, SCOOTERS AND SKATEBOARDS

Riding bicycles, roller blades, scooters, or skateboards will not be allowed for safety reasons.

BUILDING SECURITY – VISITOR GUIDELINES

For the safety and well being of all of our students, we have the following rules and guidelines regarding visitors in the building: All visitors, including parents, must check in and sign out at the Welcome Desk.

All visitors will be given a visitor's badge or pass to wear so that staff and students know you have been cleared through the office.

Some form of identification will be requested by office staff, i.e. driver's license.

The school will not release a student to a non-custodial parent without the custodial parent's consent; unless legal documentation is available.

No teacher will release a student from class to the custody of an adult without the written or verbal consent from the office staff.

All students must be dismissed from the school office after he/she is signed out by parent/guardian.

BUS TRANSPORTATION

The District Transportation Office establishes bus routes during the summer. If you have any questions about, or problems with bus routes, schedules, etc. please contact the school office and we will work with you, or direct you to the appropriate person, to answer your question and/or solve your problem. Bus transportation information is available online through the Parent Portal. Access the Parent Portal by going to the district home page or any of the schools' home pages at: www.springlakeparkschools.org.

Riding a bus to school is a privilege, not a right. Students who choose not to follow established bus rules will lose the opportunity to ride the school bus. All parents and/or adults not employed or contracted by the District will need to receive pre-approval from the building principals and/or the District Transportation Department before boarding any school bus. This provision will be waived in cases where there is a life-threatening emergency on a school bus.

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY RULES:

Obey the driver's instructions.

Be verbally considerate.

Keep your hands, feet, and belongings to yourself.

Respect yourself, others, and property.

Sit in your seat and face forward.

No eating, drinking, tobacco, or chemicals on the bus.

BUS CONSEQUENCES:

While on the bus a student may be warned by the bus driver, a bus driver and student conference may be held, and the students may be assigned a designated seat if needed. A written report may also be given to the student.

1st Report Student conference with principal/designee, report is sent home.

2nd Report Parent contacted, student conference, report is sent home.

3rd Report Parent contacted, student conference, one-day bus suspension may occur, report sent home.

4th Report Parent contacted, student conference, two-four days bus suspension may occur, report sent home.

5th Report Parent contacted, student conference, five days bus suspension may occur, copy of report sent home.

6th Report Parent contacted, student conference, possible suspension of bus riding privileges for remaining portion of trimester.

Additional written reports may result in permanent suspension of bus riding privileges. Parent will then be responsible for providing transportation to school for their child. A severe infraction may result in an immediate suspension from the bus, school, or both.

CELEBRATIONS/TREATS

All food items eaten at celebrations or brought for birthday treats need to be commercially processed. No home-prepared foods may be distributed to other students for student safety.

CHEMICAL AND TOBACCO FREE ENVIRONMENT

The use of controlled substances, including alcohol and tobacco, is prohibited by District 16 policies and procedures. Possession, use, or distribution of controlled substances, alcohol, or tobacco by students or staff on school premises or during any of its sponsored activities shall result in disciplinary action.

CHILD VISITORS

Children are not permitted to bring friends, younger brothers, sisters, or visiting relatives to the regular school class. Parents volunteering or visiting a classroom are also asked not to bring young children along. It has been our experience that such visitations cause confusion in programming, and may be a disruption to the learning activities.

CLOTHING

Students are encouraged to dress appropriately for school. To maintain a focused learning environment for all students, children will not be allowed to wear any clothing that is distracting, displays or promotes alcohol or tobacco companies, or promotes the use of illegal substances. Caps may not be worn in the building.

The principal will be the final judge as to the appropriateness of clothing for school. In the event that the clothing is deemed unsuitable, the student will need to change into something more appropriate. Parents may be called and asked to bring a change of clothing.

CONFERENCES

Conferences are held twice a year in the fall and in the spring. Fall conferences will be held on:

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| October 16 | 5:00-8:00 p.m. |
| October 17 | 5:00-8:00 p.m. |
| October 18 | 8:00 a.m.– 4:00 p.m. |

Spring conferences will be held on:

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| February 12 | 5:00-8:00 p.m. |
| February 15 | 5:00-8:00 p.m. |
| February 16 | 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. |

Teachers look forward to conferences because this is an opportunity for teachers to meet one on one with you to share observations and information about your child, hear concerns from you, and strengthen the partnerships between home and school. Conferences are 20 minutes in length. During the school year if you need to meet with your child's teacher or the teacher needs to meet with you additional conferences may be scheduled.

DATA PRIVACY

Student directory information includes, but is not limited to: the student's name, address, telephone number, date of birth, dates of attendance, and the student's yearbook photo, as well as the name, address, and telephone number of the student's parent(s). Student directory information is available to the general public, except for the student's yearbook photograph, which may only be released pursuant to this policy for publication in the school's yearbooks or school district publications. A student's parents may make directory information private data as to that student if a written request to that effect is received by the principal from the student's parent(s) guardian(s). District 16 has an extensive Board Policy on the use of student information that is available for additional information from the principal.

DISCIPLINE EXPECTATIONS

At Kenneth Hall the focus of classroom management is on self-discipline and learning to take responsibility for one's actions. A student's right to learn and a teacher's right to teach should not be denied because of disruptive behavior. Expecting and encouraging appropriate student behavior is the responsibility of all employees who have direct contact with students. The student management plan states the expectations for student behavior is the responsibility of all employees who have direct contact with students. The student management plan states the expectations for student behavior as well as consequences for inappropriate and unacceptable behavior. Kenneth Hall uses the Responsive Classroom practices in working with students to become responsible learners. As a school we have identified "bottom line" behaviors which are unacceptable. They are: intentionally physically harming another person, possession or use of a weapon, possession or use of a substance, harassment, and direct defiance. Please refer to the information provided by your child's teacher, and/or the District 16 Discipline Policy for further information.

BULLYING PROHIBITION POLICY

DISTRICT POLICY: A safe and civil environment is needed for students to learn and attain high academic standards and to promote healthy human relationships. Bullying, like other violent or disruptive behavior, is conduct that interferes with students' ability to learn and teachers' ability to educate students in a safe environment. The school district cannot monitor the activities of students at all times and eliminate all incidents of bullying between students, particularly when students are not under the direct supervision of school personnel. However, to the extent such conduct affects the educational environment of the school district and the rights and welfare of its students and is within the control of the school district in its normal operations, it is the school district's intent to prevent bullying and to take action to investigate, respond, remediate, and discipline those acts of bullying which have not been successfully prevented. The purpose of this policy is to assist the school district in its goal of preventing and responding to acts of bullying, intimidation, violence, and other similar disruptive behavior.

"Bullying" means any written or verbal expression, physical act or gesture, or pattern thereof, by a student that is intended to cause or is perceived as causing distress to one or more students and which substantially interferes with another student's or students' educational benefits, opportunities, or performance. Bullying includes, but is not limited to, conduct by a student against another student that a reasonable person under the circumstances knows or should know has the effect of: 1) harming a student; 2) damaging a student's property; 3) placing a student in reasonable fear of harm to his or her person or property; or 4) creating a hostile educational environment for a student.

EARLY DISMISSAL/LATE START/INCLIMEMENT WEATHER

In case of inclement weather which would make it necessary to delay or close school, announcements will be broadcast over WCCO radio station 830 on the AM dial. If school must be cancelled, delayed in starting, or dismissed early, the district will have WCCO broadcast that information as quickly as possible. In the event school is dismissed early and parents cannot be at home to care for their child/children, they are advised that they must provide an alternative neighborhood place which can care for their child/children. The information will also be posted on the District 16 website at: www.springlakeparkschools.org.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

The ELL Program is available to Kenneth Hall K-3 students. ELL students are given an assessment by lead teachers upon entering the district to determine their placement level. After initial placement, Limited English Proficiency students are assessed formally each spring to determine progress and placement for the following year.

COUNSELORS

Kenneth Hall has Counselor to assist students in problem solving, getting along with others, and child or family concerns. This staff member works closely with other staff at Kenneth Hall and with other health professionals in and outside of the district.

FIELD TRIPS

Field trips are a part of the total school experience. In order to participate in the field trip experiences, a signed parental permission slip must be on file with the teacher before the field trip occurs. Children for whom there is not a signed permission slip will NOT participate in the trip.

GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM

District 16 recognizes three categories of need for students of above average ability. Gifted and talented students are those who have demonstrated special ability in academic areas. If you would like more information, please contact Kimberly Fehringer at (763)783-5231.

HAZING, RACIAL, RELIGIOUS, DISABILITY, OR SEXUAL HARASSMENT OR VIOLENCE POLICY

DISTRICT POLICY: Independent School District 16 shall maintain a learning and working environment that is free from racial, religious, or sexual harassment or violence. Racial, religious or sexual harassment or violence are forms of discrimination which violate the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, and the Minnesota Human Rights Act, as amended. The School District prohibits hazing or any form of racial, religious, disability, or sexual harassment or violence.

It shall be a violation of this policy for any student or employee to inflict, threaten to inflict or attempt to inflict any form of harassment or violence upon any student or employee. It shall also be a violation of this policy for any student or employee to harass any student or employee through conduct or communication of a racial, religious, or sexual nature.

The School District shall investigate all complaints, either formal or informal, verbal or written, of racial, religious or sexual harassment or violence and take appropriate action against any student or employee who is found to have violated this policy. Please refer to District Policy.

HEALTH SERVICES

Kenneth Hall and District 16 maintain a health program designed to protect the health of students. Currently, a Health Care Specialist is available at Kenneth Hall six hours a day. Parents must provide transportation if their child becomes ill at school. If a child receives a serious injury, the parent or alternate person listed on the emergency card will be contacted, if they are not available the students will be transported to Unity Hospital. *Additional information on immunization and screenings is available in the district calendar/resource guide.*

MEDICATIONS

Medications given at school should be accompanied by a physician's order. If this is not practical, the medication must be in the prescription bottle from the pharmacy. A signed permission form from the parent stating the reason for the medication and effective dates to be administered must accompany any medications.

HOMEWORK – PRACTICE MAKES PERMANENT

Homework is appropriate for primary aged children. The research done on effective schools tells us that homework should be assigned on a regular basis, should be reinforcement or practice items instead on new material, and is never to be used as punishment.

At Kenneth Hall we follow these guidelines:

Homework can be assigned for completing unfinished work at the student's ability level.

Homework can be an enriching activity that extends classroom activities such as researching a word or making a science project.

Spelling practice lists are considered homework.

Teachers regularly assign drill and practice activities such as math or vocabulary flash cards.

In all cases, home activities need to be supervised by a parent. Get involved, help to proofread the work, make it fun, but let it be the child's project.

INDIAN EDUCATION PROGRAM

District 16 is a partner, along with the Fridley and Columbia Heights School Districts, in an inter-district Indian Education Program funded by a Title V Formula Grant. The program's primary goal is to instill cultural pride and self-esteem by helping to meet the educational and cultural needs of American Indian students.

INSTRUCTIONAL SETTINGS

Graded education is a classroom organizational structure in which students are placed according to their grade level or age. Some educational communities refer to this as "traditional" programming. Students are placed with the classroom teacher for a period of one academic year. The curriculum is presented over a one-year period. These classrooms emphasize the creation of a learning community that spans over a one-year period. A graded classroom focuses on developmentally appropriate learning and teaching strategies and is individualized through the use of curriculum, instruction, and assessment.

KIDS CLUB

Kids Club provides quality before and after-school childcare for elementary-age children. Spring Lake Park Community Services operate the service at Kenneth Hall before and after school. Hours are 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuition fees support the program. For more information, call 786-1338.

LOST AND FOUND

The lost and found for clothing is located in the office.

You can help your child retrieve lost clothing more easily by labeling things with his/her name. Please label lunch boxes too. Unclaimed items are donated to a local charity several times a year. If your child leaves something on the bus, it can be claimed when he/she rides the bus again.

MUSIC, ART, AND PHYSICAL EDUCATIONAL CLASS

All students in grades 1-3 receive physical education, music and art instruction from specialists in the respective discipline.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Students are expected to provide tennis shoes for physical educational activities. Tennis shoes are necessary for student safety and to prevent undue maintenance problems for our custodial staff. Please refrain from black soled tennis shoes that can mark floor surfaces. Students may be excused a maximum of three days from physical education class with a written request. A medical excuse from a doctor is needed for excluding a student for four or more consecutive days from classes or for the teacher to modify the required activities for an individual student.

PAGERS, CELLULAR PHONES, RADIOS OR OTHER POTENTIALLY DISRUPTIVE DEVICES

Any devices such as those above or similar devices that may be disruptive to the educational environment are not allowed in the classroom. The device will be collected by the teacher and stored in the office until a parent can retrieve the item.

PARTIES

All parties should be cleared with the teacher. We appreciate the thought, but please – no surprise parties for teachers during school times. Each room may have 3 parties a year – fall, winter, spring and/or end of the year celebration. Dates are communicated to parents at Open House. A party fee of \$5.00 is collected in the fall.

PERSONAL PROPERTY OF STUDENTS

Common sense and consideration is the best guide in determining whether or not to bring personal possessions to school. The school staff is not responsible for valuables which students bring to school. It is recommended that students leave all valuables at home. If special circumstances make it necessary for a student to bring money or other possessions to school, please have your child let his/her teacher know and leave the belongings in the office.

PETS

Pets are not allowed at school. Check with your child's teacher if there is an educational purpose for bringing an animal to school for any reason. Pets are not allowed on the bus.

PARENT – TEACHER ASSOCIATION (PTA)

All Kenneth Hall parents are encouraged to participate in the PTA. Meetings are held each month. The PTA provides support to the academic and social programs at Kenneth Hall, and is a primary source of family activities and events at school. The PTA is an invaluable part of our school. Contact the PTA President, Pam Owens for more information.

RECESS/NOON PROGRAM

All students will be expected to go outside for noon recess unless the weather does not permit. The following will serve as our guidelines for no outside recess: 1) The wind-chill factor is -10 ; 2) Extreme icy or sloppy conditions; 3) Raining and/or lightning. Students are expected to wear boots in the winter as it reduces cleanup within the building.

RESPONSIVE CLASSROOM

At Kenneth Hall the focus of classroom management is on the Responsive Classroom approach, which is grounded in our beliefs that:

- The social curriculum is as important as the academic curriculum.
- How children learn is as important as what they learn.
- The greatest cognitive growth occurs through social interaction.
- There is a specific set of social skills that children need to learn and practice in order to be successful academically and socially: cooperation, assertion, responsibility, empathy, and self control (CARES).
- Knowing the children we teach; individually, culturally, and developmentally, is as important as knowing the content we teach.
- Knowing the families of the children we teach is as important as knowing the children we teach.
- How we, the adults at school, work together is as important as our individual competence.
- Each day teachers begin their day with a morning meeting that provides the avenue to build a classroom community, create a positive climate in the classroom for learning, and reinforces academic and social skills.

SCHOOL BOARD

The Spring Lake Park School Board engages and communicates with the public on educational issues and policies, and govern the district to achieve the vision, mission, and goals of the district.

School Board Members:

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SCHOOL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROGRAMS

The Kenneth Hall breakfast/lunch program is computerized, and a computerized management program eliminates the use of tickets. Each student is assigned an account number (PIN) to be used to make food payments and purchases. The purchase price of your child's meal is then automatically deducted from the account. If your child brings cold lunch, you may want to put some money into his/her account to cover milk purchases. There will be no change given to students. Any change will be deposited in the student's account. When the account balance becomes low, your child will be notified that it is time to put more money in the account.

Prepayments will be accepted daily at the school office or cafeteria.

Every meal is a well-planned and balanced meal. The prices in effect for the 2006-2007 school year are:

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| Student breakfast: | \$1.15 | Student lunch with milk: | \$2.10 |
| Adult breakfast: | \$1.65 | Reduced lunch with milk: | .40 |
| | | Adult lunch: | \$3.25 |

The Spring Lake Park School District provides free and reduced price meals for children. A letter to parents each school year explains the program and includes an application form. A parent or guardian may apply at any time during the year for free or reduced price lunches for their children by completing an application form and returning it to the principal's office in your school. Applications are processed and eligibility letters are sent out from our district food service office. Names of children receiving lunch aid are kept confidential.

SCHOOL DAY

The Kenneth Hall student day begins at 9:20 a.m. and dismissal is at 3:40 p.m. Students are welcome in their classrooms after 9:10 a.m. Classroom supervision will not be provided before this time. Students eating breakfast may enter at 9:00 a.m.

When students need to be picked up **during the school day or at dismissal**, a note should be sent to the teacher. Children are excused from school only through the welcome desk and school office. We require that parents come to the welcome desk and office to sign out students. We encourage parental support to have children in attendance the entire school day.

When legal constraints are in effect for students at Kenneth Hall, it is the custodial parent(s)/guardian(s) responsibility to contact the school, in writing, with the names of person(s) permitted to pick up the child(ren) and provide legal documentation directing school actions.

SCHOOL EVENTS

Because of the diversity in children and programs, individual classes will participate in the events which best suit their needs and interests. Not all classes are required to participate in all programs. By allowing variety in events, children will participate in many different experiences throughout their elementary years. These events could include, speakers, assemblies, I Love to Read Month, and fundraiser.

SCHOOL PICTURES

We contract annually with Lifetouch to have pictures taken early in the fall and in the spring. You will receive information about pictures from Lifetouch prior to Picture Day.

SCHOOL SAFETY PATROL (ADULT GUARDS)

All District 16 K-3 Schools will provide adult patrols for our walking area students. All adult school patrols will be at their locations at approximately 5 minutes before the entrance bell and dismissal bell.

SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

Kenneth Hall's special education programs and services for students who have been identified as disabled and in need of specialized programming. The eligibility process includes referral, screening, and assessments, which determine the type and amount of service needed. Recommendations are made and plans developed by a team of the student's parents and educators. An Individualized Education Plan (IEP) is written for each student, taking into account the particular type of service and personnel required, student learning style, and goals to be met, as well as motivational and environmental factors. The majority of students are programmed into regular classrooms with the support coming from special education staff in collaboration with regular education staff. Parents who have concerns or questions about their student's school program are urged to consult with school personnel at the earliest possible date. Please direct your questions to the building principal.

SPECIAL SERVICES

BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS

The Big Brothers/Big Sisters program is available through our Big Brothers/Big Sisters Coordinator. Spring Lake Park High School students volunteer to work with Kenneth Hall students on academic and social needs in a one on one positive atmosphere. If interested in the program, contact our coordinator through the school office at (763) 786-5572.

CENTRAL CENTER

The Central Center program is available through our family support worker. Family support workers meet with at risk students on academic and social needs in a small group or one on one positive atmosphere. If interested in the program contact our family support worker or our counselor through the school office at (763) 786-5572.

SPORTSMANSHIP

Elementary students are encouraged to attend athletic and performance activities, when accompanied by a parent/adult. Our district is attempting to improve our sportsmanship behavior throughout the school district. Follow the District 16 Sportsmanship Code for Spectators.

STARS

Services Targeted for At-Risk Students offers after-school programs, and summer school programs to assist students academically, socially, and, to build resiliency skills. Students must meet several requirements to be eligible for the program and must be recommended by their teacher. For more information please contact your students' teacher.

1st-3rd Grade STARS After-School Program

The STARS After School Program helps students gain academic and social skills in an after school environment. Transportation is generally provided.

STUDENT PLACEMENT

The assigning of students to classrooms requires careful planning by the staff. A great deal of thought goes into placing children into classes, and the staff takes this very seriously. Detailed information regarding this process, including deadlines for parent input, will be sent home with students in April.

STUDENT PROGRESS/REPORT CARDS

Assessing the growth and development of our students is an important part of our school program. District writing teams have aligned assessment strategies with the State Standards and Learner Outcomes. Our goal is to use assessments that allow students to demonstrate what they know and can do. All staff has received "Assessment for

Learning” training. This is achieved by using a variety of assessment methods. The reporting of progress to parent(s)/guardian(s) is accomplished by parent-teacher conferences and report cards. Conferences are held twice during the year and report cards will be issued three times to the parent(s)/guardian(s) of students.

STUDENT VERIFICATION FORM

Student Verification forms are sent home at the beginning of the school year. Please complete the form and return them to school as soon as possible. Remember to notify the school as you change employment, day care, doctors, etc. This information serves a number of purposes and must be as complete and accurate as possible.

TECHNOLOGY

Technology is vital to the future of our students, and needs to be an integral and far greater part of the educational process. Therefore, the district took a systematic approach to studying technology instruction “best practices” in developing a technology plan which would address short and long term goals for all students, staff, and community. The resulting plan uses technology: to access large bodies of information, to improve communication, to allow for creative lessons and expression, and to expand learning beyond the four walls of the classroom. For more information visit our District 16 web page at: www.springlakeparkschools.org.

TELEPHONE CALLS

To maximize learning time, calls will not be forwarded to the classroom when class is in session. Teachers will be notified of calls and return them at an appropriate time. Students may use the phone for emergencies only. Please make arrangements for after school activities prior to the school day.

BASIC SKILLS & TITLE I PROGRAM

The basic skills program provides additional instructional help in reading. School/parent compacts are developed and signed during fall conferences. An annual activity night in April culminates the Basic Skills Program and summer packets of activities are given to each family.

TRUANCY

State law mandates the attendance of all school age children unless excused for legal reasons. Attendance is the responsibility of the student and his/her parents or guardians. Students who are absent from school without acceptable reasons will be regarded as truant. Please contact the principal if you need assistance with your child's attendance.

VISITING

We encourage parents to participate fully in their child's education. Should you wish to visit your child's classroom, please contact the classroom teacher in advance of your intended visit, so as not to interrupt the learning environment. Each year Kenneth Hall has special activity days at which time all parents are invited to visit school. You will receive special notice of these dates.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

There are a wide variety of ways to volunteer and lend a helping hand at Kenneth Hall. Volunteers are a valuable resource to bringing about success at our school. There are many opportunities to volunteer at school, outside of school, etc. Information is available from the PTA if you wish to participate.

WEAPONS POLICY

DISTRICT POLICY: Students and non-students, including adults and visiting youths, are forbidden to knowingly or voluntarily possess, handle, transmit, store in an area subject to one's control, or use any instrument that is considered a weapon, or any “look alike” weapon. This policy shall apply in the School District buildings, on school grounds, at school activities, at school bus stops, on school buses or school vehicles, or upon entering or departing from School District premises, property, or events. Please refer to District 16 Policy for further information.

