WALK AND BIKE TO SCHOOL DAY!

Wednesday, October 2

We will join children and adults around the world to celebrate the benefits of walking and biking.

All students who walk or bike to school will receive an I WALKED or an I BIked sticker! As a bonus, if you sign the banner AT THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL, you will receive a Nickelodeon Universe Mystery Ticket.

Parents who usually drive are encouraged to park away from the school and walk as a family from there.

Parents remain responsible for getting students to and from school safely.

Contact Kenny School:
5720 Emerson Avenue S, Minneapolis, MN 55419
Bill Gibbs, Principal William.Gibbs@mpls.k12.mn.us
Main Office: 612-668-3340 Fax: 612-668-3350
Attendance: 612-668-3346 Minneapolis Kids: 612-668-3344
Link to Kenny School Website: http://kenny.mpls.k12.mn.us

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PICTURE DAY IS:
Friday, October 4
Order today on: mylifetouch.com
Kenny School Picture ID: EVTVCJQK

-OR-
Send the completed order form with your student on picture day!
We could use one more set of hands between 11:30am—1:00pm
Please let Susie Friederich know if you are able to help!
susan.friederich@mpls.k12.mn.us
COMING SOON...
It’s the annual Kenny Fit ’n Fun Run!

KENNY SCHOOL is hosting a fundraiser, and our goal is to raise $45,000 in pledges for SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL, including new playground equipment, white boards and iPads for the classroom, and state-of-the-art drinking fountains!

In just a few weeks from now, family and friends will have the change to support our school by giving pledges towards the number of laps your student will run on the day of the Fit ‘n’ Fun Run on Friday, October 11th.

We’ve asked the fundraising experts at Booster to power our program, making our fundraising simpler, more profitable, and more fun.

In the past, our school has profited $30,000 to fund renovating the Media Center, installing lockers, and updating technology in every classroom. Help us reach our goal this year by connecting with sponsors!

Pledging Opens – 9/24
Log on to FUNRUN.COM

Kickoff Pep Rally - 9/27

Event Day – 10/11
SAVE THE DATE! You’re Invited!

WE NEED YOUR HELP! SIGN UP FOR ONE OF THE TWO VOLUNTEER SHIFTS TODAY!

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080e44a9aa29a2f49-kenny

Thank you!
KENNY PARENT FOUNDATION
LET’S STAY CONNECTED!

In order to be included in this year’s printed copy of the student directory, please submit your information NO LATER than **FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4**

Register online or visit:
https://kennycommunityschool.membershiptoolkit.com/

-OR-

Extra paper copies available in the office!

Questions? Contact Sung Ja Shin at: sungjasha@gmail.com or Community Resource Liaison Susie Friederich at susan.friederich@mpls.k12.mn.us

Pets

Per Minneapolis city ordinance, all pets must be on a leash at all times. We ask that the owner remain attentive and in control of their pet. Please keep pets away from the school entry and the sidewalk leading up to it while waiting for dismissal. Please do **NOT** bring your pet into the building!

This is for the safety of both the students and your pets.

*Thank you for your help in this matter!*

COOKING NIGHT OFF!

The Lowbrow

Thank you to all who were able to join us for our first Cooking Night Off event! $410.06 was raised for Kenny School!

That money helps fund other events at Kenny School such as last week’s Fall Festival.

Stay tuned for our next event!
JOIN OUR MINNESOTA READING CORPS TEAM!

The following Kenny after school enrichment classes have low registration:

- Olaf and Friends with KidCreate Studio
  - Book Club
- Castles, Kingdoms, and Wizards with Snapology
  - Creative Writing Workshop

Without enough student participation, these classes could be cancelled!
Art Room Wish List

- Plastic containers - all sizes- (7oz, 15oz, 16oz, 32oz….an any size in between- examples: cottage cheese, parmesan cheese, or yogurt) with and without lids.
- Table Salt cylinders-cardboard type—We are making baby pigs this year! We need small salt containers!
- Ribbon/trims
- Yarns - all amounts and types.
- Paint stir sticks
- Ice cream buckets
- Small boxes (examples: soap, jello, jewelry)

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND TOILET PAPER OR PAPER TOWEL ROLLS**

Dear Parents and Friends of the Arts,

Thank you for all your generous contributions and wishes this school year. It is going to be another great Kenny School Year!

Mrs. McGovern
Kenny Art Teacher
Room 123
ATTENDANCE:

Call the Attendance line (612-668-3346) when your student will be absent.

Doctors or dentists notes should be brought into school when the student returns to the building. Your help with this is appreciated.

STUDENT DROP OFF: Students can enter the building at 7:50am. Please plan accordingly!

Please be courteous of other drivers and USE CAUTION when pulling away from the curb!

All adults entering the building must sign in at the office.

TRANSPORTATION:

Cars can only travel south on Emerson Avenue between 57th and 58th streets from 7:45 – 8:15 a.m.

- Pull your car forward to the "Drop Off Here" sign
- DROP AND DRIVE. If you need a hug or want to get out of your car to say good-bye to your child, use the parking lot or one of the grey-shaded areas on the map shown
- All students must exit cars from the west side (on the school side) No student drop-off on 58th street from 7:50am—8:00am. Door #3 is open for busses and walkers until 8:00am and then LOCKED.

Send Information to School when:

1. You have an address or daycare change.
2. If you are picking up your child and they usually ride a bus, they must be signed out in the office even with advanced notice.
3. Your student is using a different bus stop.
4. Your student is going home with another student.
   (Note: we need notification from BOTH families).

Information will be sent home when:

1. Your student has been added to a bus route.
2. The bus stop for your student has had a change in location.
3. The IN bus stop for your student has had a cumulative time change of five minutes or more. Changes can become effective any day of the week so watch for the effective dates on the notices sent home with your student.

BUS PASSES: Bus passes are REQUIRED to board a bus that is normally not a student's assigned bus. We request notes be turned into the office as early in the day as possible.

We need notes from both sets of parents/guardians i.e. the parent/guardian of the student taking a different bus or using a different stop and the parent/guardian of the student they are traveling with.

The note should include:

- Student's FIRST and LAST NAME
- FULL name of student they are riding with
- Date of request
- Signature of parent or guardian

A bus pass may not be able to be honored if we have not received two permission forms or if the bus requested is full.
Bookmark the Kenny Website

for quick access to the Staff Directory, the school schedule, meeting times, and new information.

To be added to the Wednesday newsletter email list or if you have information you would like to submit to the Wednesday newsletter, please email:

kennyschool.pto@gmail.com

By 5pm on Friday

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