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SPRING is in the air!



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Evergreen NEWS

March 1s >>>>



I want every little girl who is told she is **bossy** to be told she has **leadership skills**. -Sheryl Sandberg

set the stage >>>>

Open House!

Come join our Staff and FTO at Evergreen
March 6, 2024

Doors open 6-8pm

ALL Proceeds
will cover this
year's FUN
DAY.

- Visit your child's classroom.
- Visit the FTO table.

Enter for a chance to win in the basket raffle or buy a sweet treat from the bake sale or snack bar.

- **Battle of Grade Level Baskets!**

For \$1 you can vote on the best raffle basket provided by each grade. The winning grade will be awarded a popcorn party!

Kg, 1st & 2nd Grade ~ 6:15-7:15pm

3rd & 4th Grade ~ 6:45-7:45pm



The more you know >>>>

March 3rd

National Anthem Day commemorates the day the United States adopted "The Star-Spangled Banner" as its National Anthem. Written by Francis Scott Key, the "Star-Spangled Banner" became the National Anthem in 1931.

Smoothie Day!

March 27th

\$3.00 each

Orders due March 22nd

Flavors:

Shamrock Shake OR

Lucky Charms



More information about events/activities posted in the Newsletter is located in our [Virtual Backpack](#). Check it out!

Let's Support >>>>

World Down Syndrome

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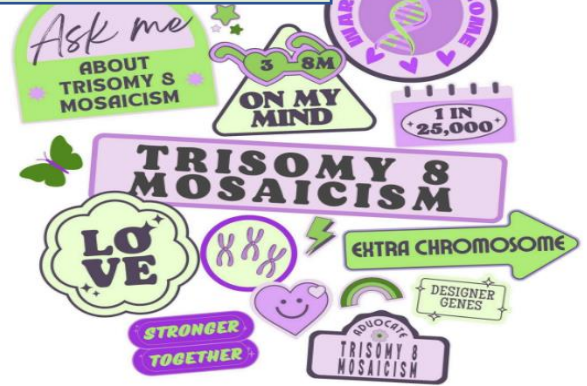
Awareness Day

Wear Crazy Socks or Blue & Yellow in support of!



MARCH 8th is TRISOMY 8 MOSAICISM AWARENESS DAY

Wear Purple & Green



Dr. Seuss

Read Across America!

4th *Cat in The Hat*

Wear a Hat

5th *Fox in Socks*

Wear Crazy Socks

6th *Wacky Wednesday*

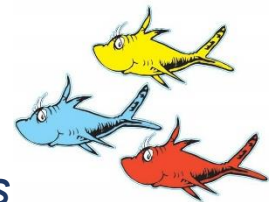
Wear Wacky clothes

7th *Oh the Places You'll Go*

Wear a Jersey or College Shirt

8th *Red Fish, Blue Fish*

Wear Red or Blue



NOTHING bundt CAKES®

Your Tastebuds Dream!

Sale Starts ~ March 25th

Orders Due ~ April 5th

Pick-up ~ April 19th

5:00-6:30pm



Would you like to join our FTO Board? Be an EXTREMELY important member to Evergreen? Be part of the team? Have fun planning and organizing events and activities our students LOVE and look forward to?

Click the link below, and write your name or a nomination in the position of interest. Voting will take place on March 11 via Zoom.

[FTO Positions](#)



Going on Vacation or taking an Extended Leave of Absence? Fill out the [Request for Extended Absence Form](#). This needs to be approved before leaving.

Looking Ahead >>>>

- May 8 – 1st Grade Field Trip, Zoo
- May 8 – 2nd Grade Field Trip, Heinz Hall
- May 8 – ESL Field Trip, Carnegie Museum
- May 17 – 3rd Grade Field Trip, Zoo
- May 18 – Kennywood Picnic
- May 23 – 4th Grade Field Trip, Heinz History Center
- May 29 – KG Graduation
- May 29 – 4th Grade Promotion
- May 31 – 4th Grade Picnic
- June 3 – Fun Day



Our Kindness Tree is up and blooming!

In February our students wrote ways they can show kindness on a heart. Check it out as you're walking through Evergreen during Open House.

Do you want to practice your English speaking skills in a fun environment?

If so, please attend a FREE conversation group at the Monroeville Public Library! It is for the entire family. There will be crafts, games and conversation for everyone!

Small snacks will be provided. Please feel free to bring along your family's favorite snacks to share!

The conversation group meets in the program room located downstairs in the library from 6:30-7:30 pm on the following dates:

- March 28
- April 25
- May 30

Monroeville Public Library is located at 4000 Gateway Campus Blvd.

Spring Break!

March 28, 29
April 1

No School



*FTO is in need of
Parent/Guardian
Volunteers*

FieldTrips: Volunteers must have clearances for this. Anyone interested, start the process for clearances now. Go to the Gateway website, www.gatewayk12.org and click Resources, Volunteer Resources. ALL clearances and forms are to be turned into Evergreen office. Please call 412-373-5713 with questions.

**4th Grade Picnic
Fun Day**
Drivers License Required -



2024 SCHOOL DAY DISCOUNT OFFER MAY 18, 2024

**EARLY BIRD OFFER FOR YOUR SCHOOL DAY TICKETS!
TICKETS ONLY \$31.99 IF PURCHASED BY APRIL 30TH!
PRICE INCREASES TO \$35.99 WHEN PURCHASED MAY 1ST OR LATER**

PURCHASE INSTRUCTIONS TO VISIT ON MAY 18TH FOR AS LOW AS \$31.99:

- STEP 1:** Go to www.kennywood.com/schools
- STEP 2:** Enter your '2024 School Ticket' ticket quantity
- STEP 3:** Enter Promo Code **gateway** in the 'Promotional Code' box, then click 'Apply'
- STEP 4:** Click 'Continue' to advance to the ticket calendar. **SELECT THE ABOVE SCHOOL DATE TO APPLY DISCOUNT OFFER**, then click 'Continue'
- STEP 5:** **SELECT [AGAIN] THE ABOVE SCHOOL DATE**, then click 'Continue'
- STEP 6:** Click 'Continue' to advance and complete the remaining steps to purchase your tickets!

PURCHASE INSTRUCTIONS TO VISIT ANY DATE OF CHOICE THROUGH JULY 14TH FOR \$37.99:
(if you are unable to visit on the date selected at time of purchase, you can visit any day through July 14th)

- STEP 1:** Go to www.kennywood.com/schools
- STEP 2:** Enter your '2024 School Ticket' ticket quantity
- STEP 3:** Enter Promo Code **gatewayflex** in the 'Promotional Code' box, then click 'Apply'
- STEP 4:** Click 'Continue' to advance to the ticket calendar. **SELECT ANY VISIT DATE THROUGH JULY 14TH TO APPLY DISCOUNT OFFER**, then click 'Continue'
- STEP 5:** **SELECT [AGAIN] YOUR VISIT DATE**, then click 'Continue'
- STEP 6:** Click 'Continue' to advance and complete the remaining steps to purchase your tickets!
**Good Any Day tickets will only be available for purchase March 1st – June 30th.*

IMPORTANT: DO NOT CAPITALIZE ANY CHARACTERS OF THE PROMO CODE.

Visit KENNYWOOD.COM for up-to-date park operating dates and hours. Park operating dates, hours and prices are subject to change. Online offer only. No refunds or rainchecks for online purchases.



*final
thoughts...*

**Our next
FTO meeting
is scheduled
on 3/11/2024
at 6:30pm .**