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KIMBERLY AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Woodland Intermediate School

A Message from the Principal

Dear Woodland Families,

It is hard to believe that there is only a week remaining to the school year. While the days are few and the weather looks to be beautiful, we have been working hard to stay focused on learning at Woodland. Your continued support in helping us finish strong is much appreciated.

During the last days of school we have several celebrations or events planned. On Thursday, May 31 fifth grade students will be bowling at Super Bowl in the morning and returning to school in the afternoon. Sixth grade students will be roller skating and will return to have a pizza lunch and dilly bars. All students will turn in their Chromebooks on Tuesday, May 29 and our IT department will inspect, store and secure them over the summer. Students will receive their same Chromebooks next year.

This past week we also held our annual Unless Celebration. The afternoon assembly provides students with an opportunity to recognize the importance of giving back and making a difference. Students in our Core 40 leadership team, as well as many other students across the school, were involved in planning and carrying out a variety of fundraisers and activities to support those battling cancer. A huge thank you goes out to our students, staff advisors, families and community for their generosity and support. Our children learned life-long lessons and in the process raised over $17,000. The proceeds were donated to the American Cancer Society and the Spierings Family Foundation's Rock Cancer.

Our students have accomplished a great deal in and out of the classroom this year. I am incredibly proud of the risks they've taken and the growth they have shown. As we end the year, this is also a time to thank our sixth grade students for the outstanding work they have done at Woodland Intermediate for the past two years. I am proud of their strong work ethic, compassion toward one another and dedication to making a difference. Their leadership will be missed. Best wishes, students, as you head to JRG!

Wishing all of our families a safe and wonderful summer.

Sincerely,
Dave Lamers

The Kimberly Area School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital status, parental status, sexual orientation, sex, (including transgender status, change of sex or gender identity), or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability ("Protected Classes") in any of its student program and activities.

Dates to Remember:

May 28 - No School

May 31 - 5th grade field trip to Super Bowl

May 31 - 6th grade field trip to Skate City

May 31 - Last day of school

Class Placements 18-19

As this school year comes to a close, students and parents thoughts turn to the summer and the upcoming school year. One thought students wonder about is their classroom assignments for the next year. We as staff members will continue our efforts to maximize the learning potential of each student by balancing student/teacher ratios, maintaining gender balance, grouping students heterogeneously, and avoiding potential student conflicts as we assign students to classes. Parents will be notified of their child's classroom assignment by the first week of August. We ask that you do not request a specific teacher. We thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation so that we can make classroom assignments with the most current enrollment numbers possible before the start of the school year.

Full Day of School - Friday, May 25th

Please note that **Woodland Intermediate students have a full day of school on Friday, May 25th** even though Elementary students are released at noon.

Payment of Lunch Balances

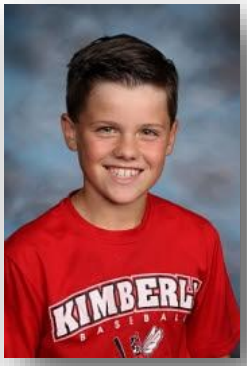
Please remember to take care of any negative lunch balances on your child's Chartwells account before the end of the school year. You can log on to Infinite Campus to access the account and pay the balance or send payment to the Intermediate office. Thank you!

Report Cards

During this last week of school, certain areas of Infinite Campus become inaccessible to parents. This allows teachers to opportunity to enter student grades and create the progress reports. You will be able to access your child's report card on Infinite Campus at the end of the day on Thursday, May 31st. Please note that when reviewing your student's report card, teacher comments do not show up in the portal when looking at the main Grades screen. They do, however, if you access the Reports screen. From there, you can generate a report card in pdf format that will have all the comments. Also, the key explaining the report card codes is located at the top portion of the report card. If you need to set up your parent portal account in Infinite Campus, please click here. Please contact the school office at 730-0924, option 2, if you have any questions regarding this procedure.

Faces in the Crowd

Isaiah Seabaugh



Kaden Peeters

Brady Gaffney

Thomas Meyer

August Grishaber

In an effort to recognize students who are going above and beyond what is expected of them at Woodland Intermediate, “Faces in the Crowd” has been established. Once a month students are nominated by their classroom teacher or specials teacher and one student is chosen from each class. May “Faces in the Crowd” are: Isaiah Seabaugh nominated by Mrs. Bailey, Kaden Peeters nominated by Mrs. Meyers, Brady Gaffney nominated by Mr. Weyers, Thomas Meyer nominated by Mrs. Slinde, and August Grishaber nominated by Mr. Lamers. Congratulations to each of you for being a positive role model at Woodland Intermediate School!

Woodland School Summer Office Hours

The Woodland School office will be open throughout the summer. Hours will be 8:00 am until 2:00 pm, Monday through Thursday with the office being closed on Fridays. Normal office hours will resume on Monday, August 20th.

District Administration Office Summer Hours

Summer hours for the District Administrative Office, 425 S. Washington Street, Combined Locks, are as follows:

Monday, June 4th through Friday, August 10th
Monday - Thursday 7:30 am - 3:30 pm
Friday 7:30 am - 12:00 Noon

On **Monday, August 13th**, the District Administrative Office hours resume the normal hours of:

Monday - Friday 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

Art Room Donations

If anyone has items that they would like to donate to Mr. Calmes for use in his art classes, please bring them into the office. If you are not sure if we will use particular items, please contact Mr. Calmes. We are always looking for people to donate items from home or work. Thank you!

1st Day School Supplies

It's that time of year again...time to think about the easy way to buy back to school supplies! Please click here to get started with your order from 1st Day School Supplies. Orders are due by June 15th.

Woodland School Picture Day

Save the date! Woodland School picture day for the 2018/2019 school year will be held on Thursday, August 16th from 11:00 am until 6:00 pm.

Community Events

We receive many worthwhile requests to be included in our newsletters and weekly notes. Since we can-not possibly include them all here, please remember to go to the District website frequently and check out the Community Events. There are more great opportunities and activities listed there.

Woodland Wolves

DARE TO C.A.R.E. by...

- **Not bullying others.**
- **Helping students who are bullied.**
- **Including students who are left out.**
- **Telling an adult at school and an adult at home when we know someone is being bullied.**

Please remind your child to DARE TO *C*are *A*nd *R*espect *E*veryone. We ask that you join us in our efforts to remove bullying from the lives of our students by contacting us if your son or daughter tells you about bullying taking place.

Intramural Update

The intramurals season is coming to an end, and what a successful season it was. The students had a variety of experiences and opportunities to participate in sports, clubs, and activities. The coaches hope that all the students had many memorable moments spending time with their friends, developing new friendships, and learning new skill sets.

We sure wish the sixth graders well in their new adventures at JRG, and we know most of them will continue their participation in school functions. We can't wait for the fifth graders to continue their excitement for intramurals as they head into the sixth grade.

Lastly, thank you to all the parents for encouraging your children to join our intramurals program!

Warm Weather Dress Code

With Warmer weather arriving we need to keep in mind proper dress code.

<u>Woodland Clothing Guidelines</u>

- Shorts, skirts and dresses need to be at least as long as fingertips when student is standing with hands to side.
- Tank tops with spaghetti straps are not allowed. Tank tops should have at least a one inch band over the shoulders.
- No inappropriate pictures or language is allowed on clothing. This includes references to alcohol, smoking and/or drugs.
- In general, undergarments should not be seen.
- In all situations, staff may decide an article of clothing is not appropriate, even if all guidelines are followed.

Students who are not dressed according to these guidelines may be asked to call home for appropriate wear. Thank you for your cooperation!

Student Success Lab Supervisor

Do you love working with kids and want to make a positive impact in their school day? Woodland School is looking for a Student Success Lab Supervisor to help support students at Woodland Intermediate School during the 18/19 school year. The hours for this position are 9:30 am until 2:30 pm, Monday through Friday, and the starting pay is $10.00 per hour. If you are interested, please stop in the Woodland Intermediate Office for an application or contact Peggy Mueller at 920-730-0924, option 2 or pmueller@kimberly.k12.wi.us.

Chromebooks

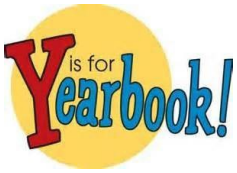
Parents and Students: If you are having any issues with your Chromebook, please stop down to the LMC to have it repaired. If any issues are not reported, the Chromebook will have those same issues the following school year when it is re-issued to the students. Thank you!

Lost & Found

Please remind your child(ren) to check the lost and found in the cafeteria and down their grade level hallways for any items they may be missing. Items remaining will be donated to a local charity prior to summer school starting Thank you!

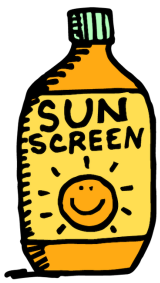
Yearbooks

For those that ordered yearbooks earlier this year, they were sent home with your child this week. There are a limited number of yearbooks available in the office for purchase on a first come first served basis. The cost of the yearbook is $14.00. Please send the exact amount in cash or checks can be made payable to Woodland School.



Sunscreen Application

Just a reminder that it is the district's guidelines that we do not provide or allow students to share or use another person's sunscreen, lip balm, lotion, etc. due to the potential for allergic reaction to the active ingredients in these products. We encourage parents to apply sunscreen, especially on field trip days, at home prior to sending their child to school. If sun-screen needs to be reapplied, each student should have their own. Thank you!



Outdoor Classroom

The Woodland Outdoor Classroom is a beautiful setting for students during the school year. We are looking for help throughout the summer to maintain this wonderful space. It could be a great opportunity for a Boy Scout/Girl Scout troop or youth church group. Please click here to sign-up to help with weeding in the Outdoor Classroom this summer. Thank you!

JR Gerritts Summer Reading Challenge

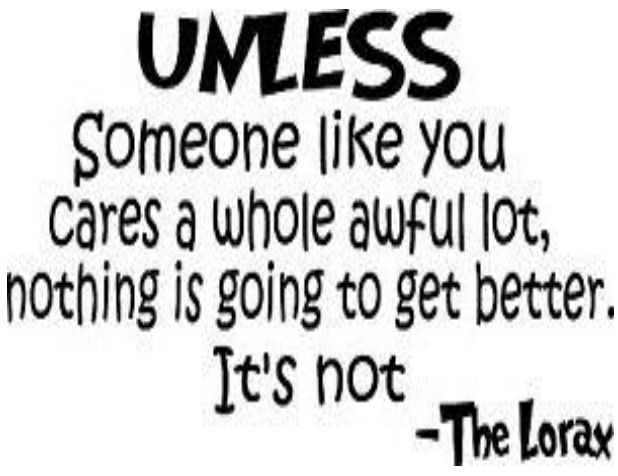
Attention incoming JRG 7th grade parents and students! Please click here to access some great information on the JRG summer reading challenge. Students can keep their brains active this summer by reading some great books and students who successfully complete the challenge will be rewarded when they enter JRG this fall. Happy Reading!

Thank you…

Another successful year of UNLESS wrapped up last Friday with an all school celebration. Thank you to all who have donated so generously to the UNLESS cancer fundraisers this year. There were so many great activities that the students participated in to raise money including the PVC derby, bracelet sales, the coin drive, the brat fry and can drive to name a few. Students, staff and volunteers all worked for a common cause and it has been a great opportunity for students to realize what an impact we can have when we all work together.

This year Woodland School raised over $17,000!

Thank you, again, for your support!



Kimberly Area School District

HEALTH SERVICES

Cindy Vandenberg, School Nurse
Kathy Verstegen, School Nurse
Wendy Van Nuland, School Nurse

P.O. Box 159 Combined Locks, WI 54113 Phone (920) 788-7900 Fax (920) 788-7919

To: Parents of Students on Prescription and Over-the-counter Medications

From: Cindy Vandenberg, RN School Nurse; Kathy Verstegen, RN School Nurse; Wendy Van Nuland, RN School Nurse

Date: May 2018

Re: Medication Pick-up - End of Year/Summer School

MEDICATION PICK UP

For students whose parents have provided medications this school year, parents/guardians are reminded to pick up the medication from the school office by **June 7, 2018**. The medications will **not** be sent home with your child with the exception of over-the-counter medication and inhalers. Medications not picked up by June 14, 2018 **will be disposed of**.

For students who are attending summer school **Archery, Band, Lego MindStorm, Intro to Programming, River Studies, Sports (academy, camps, leagues, skill development), Swim or Strength, Speed & Agility**, parents and students must plan ahead to have emergency medication available while the student is in one of these activities held away from Woodland. If an emergency arises and a student does not have their emergency medication available, 911 will be called.

MEDICATIONS TO WOODLAND FOR SUMMER SCHOOL

For students who also receive prescription or over the counter medications this school year and have enrolled in **summer school with classes held at Woodland**, your child's medications will be sent to Woodland School. Parents/guardians are reminded to pick up the medication from the school office by the end of Summer School. The medications will not be sent home with your child with the exception of over-the-counter medication and inhalers. Medications not picked up by the end of Summer School **will be disposed of**.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call. Thank you for your cooperation.

Woodland Elementary/Intermediate School Library
Summer 2018 Book Checkout

Dear Parent/Guardian:

We will be allowing library books to be checked out for the summer months from the Woodland Elementary/Intermediate School Library. For those students 5K- 5th grade who would like to get books to read over the summer and have parent/guardian permission, they will be able to check out up to 10 books from the library.

In order for students to check out books for the summer, they will need to have the permission slip on the bottom of this sheet signed and returned to the library no later than Friday, May 18, 2018. Books for the summer will be checked out the week of May 21st on your child's library day. We will provide a book bag for the books, please make sure your child returns the books in this bag on the first day of school.

If you have any questions on the summer library check out, please don't hesitate to email me at lbrigman@kimberly.k12.wi.us or give me a call 788-7900 ext. 2338.

Mrs. Brigman-LMC Director

Please detach and return to school no later than May 18, 2018

Woodland Elementary School Library
Summer 2018 Book Checkout
Permission Form

Student Name:_____Current Teacher:_____

Grade for 2018-19 School Year _____

The above named student has my permission to checkout **up to 10 books** from the Woodland Elementary/Intermediate School Library for the summer. These books and book bag will be returned on the first day of school.

Parent/Guardian Signature:_____

WOODLAND SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Woodland School is looking for Lunch Supervisors for the 2018/2019 school year.

The hours are 10:45 am - 1:15 pm and days are flexible. Please contact Peggy Mueller at 920-730-0924, option 1 or pmueller@kimberly.k12.wi.us for more information.

- WI DNR Boater Safety Classes, various dates and locations in May
- Girls Intro to Hockey at Fox River Girls Hockey Club, April and May 2018
- Kimberly High School Car Show May 19, 2018
- Appleton Boychoir Auditions May 21st and 22nd
- Kimberly Running Club Fun Run Series June 10, June 24, July 8 - Free Regsitration!
- Libraries Rock Summer Reading Program at Kimberly - Little Chute Libraries June 11 - August 4
- 4H Summer Camp at Upham Woods Outdoor Learning Center July 8-12, 2018
- YMCA Camp Nan A Bo Sho Summer 2018 Camp Offerings
- 2018 Baseball/Softball/Tee Ball Registration for Combined Locks Rec. Dept.
- 2018 Baseball Registration and Information for Kimberly Park and Rec.
- Summer 2018 Kimberly Park and Rec. Program Guide
- Summer 2018 Combined Locks Program Guide

We are.....

Going Digital!

Goodbye back-to-school paper packets.

Hello online Annual Update!

Kimberly Area School District

We are excited to share that starting this summer, families will complete back-to-school paperwork online. This new process is called Annual Update.

Annual Update will be:

- Convenient (can do at home)
- Online
- Secure
- Time saving
- Cost reducing (less paper, printing and postage)
- In the Parent Portal

More to come this summer!

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Get Ready . . . Opens mid-June

Look for more communications about Annual Update in the coming weeks.

FORE! OUR KIDS
16th ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

Thursday, June 14, 2018 / High Cliff Golf Course, Sherwood

Benefitting Students in the Kimberly Area School District and Community

- Life Force
- JRG Rocks
- Post Prom
- Graduation Celebration
- Paperfest
- Kimberly July 4th Fireworks

GOLF TEAMS and SPONSORS NEEDED!

For more information contact Sara Vogel svogel@kimberly.k12.wi.us or 920-423-4122
Register online at: https://www.planmygolfevent.com/31433-FOREOURKIDS2018