

April 12, 2024

Dates to Remember

4/12 Spirit Night - Hot Wheels
4/15 Volunteer Breakfast, 8:00am

4/20 School Grounds Clean-Up Day

4/24 Walk to School Day

4/23 - 3rd & 5th Milestones begin
4/26 Comet Fest, 5:00pm

4/29 Parent University: Literacy Night

Did You Know

Keheley's Spring Clean Up day is coming up on April 20! Please stop by, beginning at 9am, with your family to help us beautify our campus by refreshing the sensory garden, laying pine straw, pulling weeds, and playing in the dirt! Lunch is provided by the PTA.

Calling All Volunteers

Join us for breakfast to say thank you for your dedication to Keheley. If you have been Mystery Reader, made copies, helped in the art room or media center, served on PTA or Foundation or given monetarily, we want to show our gratitude.

Parent University

Did someone hit REPEAT?

We had such overwhelming positive feedback from parents that attended this event in January; we decided to host again.

parent LITERACY
UNIVERSITY





MONDAY APRIL 29TH FROM 5:00-6:00PM
(PARENT ONLY MEETING)

Designed to inform ALL parents, no matter your student's success level in reading. You will walk away with a new understanding of how your child is learning to read and spell, what key components and assessments we use, and how you can continue to support at home.

R.S.V.P.

number of attendants to

megan.arocho@cobbk12.org by April 25th



Kindergarten Registration

 **COBB COUNTY**
SCHOOL DISTRICT

**KINDERGARTEN
REGISTRATION**
OPEN NOW



Registration for new kindergarten and first-grade students is currently underway online for the 2024-2025 school year. Don't delay!

Keheley has upcoming April, May and July events for kindergarten students that are fully enrolled!

The online student registration, which is the same system used for all students new to the Cobb County School District, enables the enrolling adult to register all students in their family at once. The safe and secure system allows parents to enter information, save it, and return later to complete the registration.

Enrolling adults who already have a current Cobb student will need to use their ParentVue account to register additional new students.

If you are a parent with students currently enrolled in the school system and cannot access your ParentVUE account, contact your local school for assistance.

You can register online at olr.cobbk12.org

Safety Reminders

Each day, the safety of our students, staff, and parents is our priority. While we understand waiting can be difficult, please realize that keeping everyone on campus safe is more important than the few extra seconds gained by not following our procedures. Recently, we have had cars run over cones, cars passing stopped cars and narrowly missing children unloading on the left side of the car, and driving up the wrong side of the parking lot. It is of the utmost importance you follow our traffic protocols each day.

Please remember to adhere to our simple and safe carpool rules:

- 1. Students load and unload on the right hand side only.** This prevents the risk of being hit by a passing car that is not following protocol. Also, staff cannot see around cars to the otherside.
- 2. Drivers wait until cars move, not go around cars that are still loading.** This prevents the risk of running into other cars, people, and cones.
- 3. Follow the directives of our staff working carpool.** Our staff is well trained on when to stop cars and help pedestrians cross the walk.
- 4. Pull all the way forward to the end of the loop and to the car in front of you to allow for the maximum amount of cars in the parking lot at a time.**
- 5. Be respectful to all.**

Tech Tip

Technology Boundaries

During the tween years, ages 8 to 12, children start exploring more on their own, but that doesn't mean you don't want or need to be close at hand. It's important to be nearby when your tween is online. For this age group, consider keeping the computer in an area where the child has access to you or another adult. That way, they can be "independent," but not alone. Unsupervised online time increases risks and challenges for tweens. These include exposure to inappropriate content, cyberbullying, privacy concerns, and potential negative effects on mental health and well-being. It's essential for parents and guardians to be actively involved, set boundaries, and foster open communication to ensure their child's online safety and well-being.

Keheley PTA and Foundation Updates

W I N

KEHELEY ELEMENTARY

Keheley invites your students to FREE before school tutoring groups to increase MATH logic and fact fluency for ALL students!

BEFORE SCHOOL- 7:20-7:50
TUESDAYS, WEDNESDAYS
AND THURSDAYS!

10 ATTENDANCES EARNS A FREE CHICK-FIL-A MEAL!

WHAT I NEED TIME

Keheley PTA




Hot Wheels Skate Center

Keheley PTA KEHELEY FOUNDATION
everychild.mv.voice

Spirit Skate

April 12th, 2024
5pm-9pm

\$15 Admission - Add on the Playground \$5
Skate Rental \$5
20% GOES BACK TO THE SCHOOL
NO DROP OFF OR FREE ADMISSION PASSES
ALLOWED

225 Fox Chapel Rd
Weston, VA 20188



Keheley's Olympic Field day

- Tuesday, April 16 @ 4:00pm is the opening ceremony for the Keheley Olympic Field day.
- The half mile run event for the top 1st grade students.
- The mile run event for the top 4th grade students.
- The mile run event for the top 5th grade students.
- Friday, May 1st 6:30-8:00am is when Field day begins with teacher events in the cafeteria.
- 8:30am the activity stations begin.
- 1:30pm Race Starts and teacher tag-of-war Closing ceremony.



KEHELEY ELEMENTARY
COMET FEST

APRIL 26, 2024
START 5:00 PM

PRESALE TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW!
SCAN THE LINK BELOW OR USE:
KEHELEYFOUNDATION.ORG/KEHELEY-FOUNDATION-STORE/COMET-FESTIVAL



Thank You to our 2023-24 Keheley Business Sponsors

— GALAXY SPONSORS —

**ENOCH & LAMEI
ORTHODONTICS**

— STAR SPONSORS —

Chick-fil-A
Spraberry & Laster

— COMET SPONSORS —

**Coryc
Chiropractic**



Keheley PTA School of Excellence Action Plan

everychild.mv.voice

Based on the survey Keheley families took in October, PTA has identified multiple areas to improve family-school relationships with a focus on two key standards within National PTA: **Sharing Power and Collaborating with Community.**

PTA will conduct the survey again over the next month to see how we are doing and to inform the decisions we make in the 24-25 school year.

Leverage community partnerships
PTA will be intentional in identifying opportunities to meet families where they are and in trusted spaces outside of the school environment.
Example: MLK Day of Service Event

Help new families navigate Keheley
PTA will create the volunteer-led **Keheley Welcome Committee** that will provide support to parents by directing them to important resources for their children and facilitating dialogue with staff.

Host events that are relevant & inclusive
PTA will continue to plan events that celebrate the diverse talents and backgrounds of our students and that are fun or low-cost for our families.
Example: Winter Spectacular Event



McCleskey and Kell News



Register here or on www.active.com
Search for "Run with Longhorn"

Donate your gently worn shoes before or after the race to benefit families in need!

\$35

\$40 at the door
Kids 5-under FREE
Walk or run, it's FUN!
Dogs always welcome!

SAT APRIL 27 8:00 AM
KELL HIGH SCHOOL
4770 Lee Waters Road Marietta, GA 30066

Very family friendly! Shirts for each participant!
Award medals in each age group! Support the Kell HS Bands!

Contact Sasha-Ann Thompson with questions
sashaannthompson@gmail.com

Info also available at
www.kellbands.org



KELL BOYS BASKETBALL



CAMP OF CHAMPIONS

Join us for an exciting basketball camp this summer. Campers should bring their own water bottles and lunch. Concessions will be available with pizza, drinks and snacks for purchase.

CAMP DATES**LOCATION****TIME****SESSION 1:
JUNE 3-6****KELL HIGH SCHOOL
4770 LEE WATERS
ROAD, MARIETTA GA
30066****9-3 PM
EARLY ARRIVALS 8AM
LATER PICK UP 3:30PM****SESSION 2
JULY 8-11**