

# Kalida Elementary

September 2018

## School Alerts via Instant Messaging

To sign up for instant messaging, please visit our school district website <http://kalidaschools.org> and click on the Resources tab then go to Parent link to sign up. School alerts will be sent directly to your cell phone or email address. Alerts include school delays/cancellations, early dismissals, athletic cancellations, and any school-related emergency information.

## Volunteers Are Welcome!

We are currently putting together our list for classroom volunteers. If you, or anyone you know, would be interested in volunteering on a regular basis, please contact the office.

## Notes Required

Please remember to send a note each time your child is absent. In addition, if there is a change in transportation for the day, please send a note and remind your child to give it to the teacher.

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## Elementary Picture Day Wednesday, September 26

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## It All Adds Up

We are asking community and family members to save the following items: General Mills box tops and pop tabs. Saving these items is just another way you can help our children. Please note, Campbell's discontinued their Labels for Education program.

## New Faces – Student Teachers

Please join me in welcoming two student teachers to KES. McKenzie Brinkman will be working with Mrs. Koch - 1B and Erica Taylor is with Mrs. Fischer - Resource Room. Welcome!

## Elementary Newsletter via Schoology e-mail

The Elem Newsletter can be sent directly to you via Schoology e-mail. Please contact Mrs. Denise Scherer if you have question/concerns regarding Schoology. (419) 532-3529

## Birthday Treats

Birthdays are a big thing in the elementary school. Non-edible treats are welcome. However, if you wish to share an edible treat, please take into consideration those students with a peanut allergy, are gluten free, etc. Also treats are to be individually wrapped.



This year, Kalida Elementary students and teachers will be collecting used markers that are ready to be discarded. The markers will be sent to a facility where they will be converted into clean fuel. This fuel can be used to power vehicles, heat homes, cook meals and more!

Please help support our efforts by sending in any used markers you may have around the house – even non-Crayola brands. Thank you in advance for helping us keep tons of plastic out of landfills.

## Many Thanks to...

- Denny and Blyth Turnwald for the donation to the Playground Fund in memory of Paul Wank.
- to the residents of the Meadows of Kalida for filling and donating 35+ bags of new school supplies for children in need at Kalida Elementary.
- for the donation of stretchy book covers. A great way to keep our textbooks in good condition.



## Calendar of Events

Sept 26	Picture Day
Oct 2	Girl Scout Sign-up, 7:00 pm
Oct 10	School Board Meeting, 7:00 pm
Oct 12	4th Grade – Lima Symphony
Oct 25	End of the First Quarter
Oct 26	Quarter Break – No School
Oct 30 & 31	ELA State Testing
Oct 31	Picture Re-takes