



# The Paw Print

Kalida Local Schools

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Autumn, 2019

## Boys Basketball Season Ticket Sales

Monday, November 4 & Tuesday, November 5

High School Event Entrance 4:00 to 7:00 PM

After these dates please call the school for other ticket arrangements at 491-532-3529.

### Basketball Season Passes

Student	\$40
Adult	\$60 (preferred seat + additional \$20)
Sr. Citizen	\$40 (preferred seat + additional \$10)

### General Admission Prices

Adult/College Student	\$6
Elementary/HS Student	\$4
Senior Citizen age 60+	\$4

### Junior High

Student	\$3
Adult	\$4

### ALL PCL & HOME GAMES PRE-SALE:

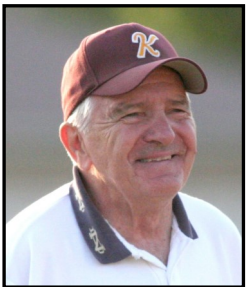
Adults \$6 and Students \$4

ALL TICKETS AT THE DOOR \$6

We do not sell girls' season tickets or have pre-sale for the girls' games. Tickets are \$6 and \$4 at the door.

## Gene Stechschulte Award

Kalida Local Schools has established *The Gene Stechschulte Award* to honor Gene's lifetime contributions to youth and to recognize those who have made a positive impact on our children.



Past recipients have been Fr. Mark Hoying, Roger Hanneman, Greg Knueve and Mary Grote. We are again seeking nominations for the next presentation of the award.

Information on the qualifications and the nomination process can be found on the district's webpage or picked up in any of the school offices.

The nomination deadline is **January 1, 2020**.

**Junior Fruit Sales** -The junior class is selling fruit again this year as a fundraiser for prom. Orders are due November 5 with delivery expected the first week of December. If you would like to order fruit, please contact a junior student or call the high school office at 419-532-3529.

## Assistant Principal Program

The Kalida Board of Education recently approved four Assistant Principals - Adam Huber, Neil Gerding, Steve Myers and Blake Walker. This program has been in the works for over a year and the Board's willingness to implement it is greatly appreciated. To be eligible, teachers must have acquired their principal's license. The district will utilize the insight of these aspiring administrators in daily operations and assign responsibilities on certain projects. For the Assistant Principals, they gain valuable experience and knowledge in their administrative pathway; providing first hand familiarity and comprehension of administration duties, which will benefit them in their interviewing process and in their initial principal position.

Each Assistant Principal receives a \$250 annual stipend for collaborating on things like preparing class schedules, emergency readiness, staff meetings, professional development, evaluations, discipline and more. There are potentially more than forty administrative areas where they could gain exposure; however, they will not be involved with confidential issues concerning their peers or students. I realize the risk of losing good teachers to other districts as administrators, but feel we have an obligation to assist colleagues in furthering their careers. I am excited for the potential of this program and see it as a win-win for both the aspiring administrators and the district.

*Karl Lammers, Kalida Local Schools Superintendent*

## Artic Adventure Book Fair!

The Kalida Elementary Library will host their annual Book Fair November 25 – December 6. The Book Fair will feature a special event for parents and grandparents during Parent-Teacher Conferences. Book Fair hours are:

**Monday, November 25**

5:00 – 8:45 PM

**Tuesday, November 26**

11 AM – 4 PM & 5:00 – 6:45 PM



The Book Fair will also be open to students December 2-6 during school hours. If you are unable to attend the Fair in person, visit our online Book Fair at <https://bookfairs.scholastic.com/bf/kalidaelementary> Your continued support of our book fair allows us to get great new books into the hands of our students. Thank you so much!

## Online Scheduling Parent/Teacher Conferences

Conference sign-up begins Monday, November 4. Registration will be on a first come-first serve basis.

Our school is using PTCFast.com to make Parent/Teacher Conference signups as convenient as possible. Please enter the following web address into your browser window:

<https://ptcfast.com/schools/KLS>

**Then follow these few directions:** Choose the teacher you would like a conference with. Fill in the information. You will receive an email that will direct you to further schedule a conference time. If you are scheduling both high school students and elementary students, please allow travel time. Only available times will be viewable. If you have multiple conferences to schedule, please make your choice in the left sidebar as to whether you are registering another conference for the same student or adding a different student. Choose your time and “confirm” your selection. You will receive an email confirming your scheduled conference time. Please check your SPAM folder if you do not receive the email.

If you have a Middle or High School student that need a conference with Mrs. Mary Glick (Choir) or Mrs. Kristen Stechschulte (Phys. Ed.), you will need to sign up using the Elementary Conference link and will meet those teachers at the Elementary School. **Questions?** Please contact the Elementary, 419-532-3845, or the Middle/High School office 419-532-3529. We sincerely hope you will be able to attend to meet your students’ teachers in this casual setting.

### Conference times:

Monday, 11/25	5:00-9:00 PM
Tuesday, 11/26	12:00 –4:00 & 5:00-7:00 PM

### ACT Prep Camp Information

There will be a brief 15 minute meeting Monday, November 25 at 7 PM in the high school community room for parents of sophomore and junior students interested in the ACT prep camp offered next spring.

### New Grad Requirements for class of 2023

There will be a short 15 minute meeting Monday, November 25 beginning at 7:15 PM in the high school community room for parents of students of the class of 2023 to review new testing requirements.

### National Merit Scholarship Commendation

KHS Senior Evan Roebke has been named a Commended Student in the 2020 National Merit Scholarship Program. About 34,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being recognized for their exceptional academic promise. Evan earned this honor by taking the 2018 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. Congratulations Evan!

## Very Note Worthy

**Congratulations** to Mr. & Mrs. Ross Unverferth who were married on Saturday, October 5. Mrs. Unverferth, the former Ms. Kaylan Griffith, is an English teacher at Kalida.



**Congratulations** to Mr. Neil Gerding who was married this past summer to Alexis Wurth. Mr. Gerding also completed the Masters of Education program from Bowling Green University. He teaches high school classes in Government, US History, and World Geography.

**Congratulations** to Miss Natasha Verhoff for completing her Masters of Education from Bowling Green University in Curriculum and Teaching. Miss Verhoff is a new kindergarten teacher at Kalida Elementary.

**Congratulations** to our new VoAg teacher Samantha Norman who has completed training to be a school van driver. Now Ms. Norman will be able to drive several students in the mini-bus on school trips.

**Congratulations** to the 2019 Pioneer Queen Kyla Fortman, daughter of Chris and Karen Fortman. Joining her court was Kaylee Heitmeyer and Grace Miller.



**Congratulations** to Jessica and Kyle Recker on the birth of their son William Nolan. Born on September 20. Mrs. Recker is a first grade teacher at Kalida Elementary.



### Basketball Program Ads

Contact the high school office if you are interested in placing an advertisement in the basketball program for this year. The deadline for placing an ad is **November 12, 2019**. Phone 419-532-3529.

### PTO Gift Cards (SCRIP) Give the Gift Twice

SCRIP gift cards are a wonderful way to do your shopping and at the same time support Kalida Elementary. The PTO gift card order (now once a year) will be sent in on Nov. 19 and will be delivered approximately one week later. The order forms can be found at the school’s web site. For more information about the program or any questions, please contact Sherry Unverferth by email: [sunverferth@bright.net](mailto:sunverferth@bright.net).



Good Luck to our KHS Marching Band as they compete for State Honors at Brunswick High School on November 9.



## National Technical Honor Society Inductees

Congratulations to KHS Seniors Trevor Siefker, Rieley Hanneman and Leia Verhoff on their induction into the National Technical Honor Society. Principal Dean Brinkman and Guidance Counselor Jeff Clement attended the event at the Vantage Career Center.

## Fall Sports Round-Up

Congratulations to the following PCL coaches and players.

**Girls Soccer Coach of the Year**-David Kehres

**Girls Soccer First Team**-Maddie Langhals, Bailey White, McKenna Bockrath **Second Team**-Brenna Smith, Mya Schmitz, Dayna Schimmoeller, Peyton Wurth.

**Honorable Mention** -Livia Recker, Kyla Fortman, Carlie Rampe

**Scholar Athlete**- Kyla Fortman, McKenna Bockrath, Carlie Rampe, Maddie Langhals

**Boys Soccer Coach of the Year**-Mark Czubik

**Boys Soccer First Team** -Gabe Hovest, Evan Roebke, Brayden Recker, Aden Fersch **Second Team**-Colin Erhart, Zach von der Embse **Honorable Mention** -Logan Langhals, Drew Fersch, Adam Siefker

**Scholar Athletes** -Brayden Recker, Zach von der Embse, Evan Roebke, Matt Kehres, Gabe Hovest, Colin Erhart

**First Team Volleyball**- Grace Klausing

**Honorable Mention** - Carlee Recker, Brooke Vennekotter

**Cross Country First Team** -Ryan Lucke **Second Team**-Will Zeller

**Golf First Team**- Josh Recker (Player of the Year), Ryan Klausing, David Peck **Second Team** Alec Edelbrock, Justin Siebeneck

**Scholar Athlete**- Grace Miller

**FFA News**—The members of the Kalida FFA Chapter would like to thank the community for the astounding support of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Cowpie Bingo Event. The evening of fellowship during this difficult harvest season was enjoyed by students and guests alike.



Please consider becoming a member of our Kalida FFA Alumni Chapter! Previous enrollment in an agriculture education program is not required! More information will follow at a later date.

Our FFA members are also beginning the Career Development Event season with the Job Interview and Public Speaking Events in November. Teams are in search of coaches, so if you or anyone you know holds knowledge of the various facets of the agriculture industry and would like to be involved with the Kalida FFA Chapter, we urge you to reach out to the new advisor, Miss Samantha Norman!

## Cats Who Care Poinsettia Sale!

Students will be taking orders for poinsettia plants from **November 6 through November 18**. The plants are \$8.50 for a 6-1/2" pot and \$12.50 for a 8-1/2" pot. All pots will be wrapped with a decorative foil. Choose flowers that are red, white or variegated in color (Jingle Bells). Contact any *Cats Who Care* member or the high school office to place an order. Money is needed at the time of order. Anticipated delivery date is December 11.



Contact Mrs. Stacy Knueve by calling 419-532-3529 or by email: [stacy.knueve@kalidaschools.org](mailto:stacy.knueve@kalidaschools.org).

**Congratulations to Coach Mark Czubik on obtaining his 400th win coaching boys soccer at Kalida and to the team for winning the District Championship.**



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## State Golfers

KHS golfers Senior Grace Miller, Sophomore Ryan Klausing, Senior Alec Edelbrock, Senior Josh Recker, Senior David Peck, Sophomore Justin Siebeneck and Coach Ken Schnipke are celebrating the 4th straight year of KHS Golf going to State Competition. The boys team finished 8th in the state and Grace finished the state tournament in 20th place.

**Touring Spain 2021** -We are traveling to Spain June 15 through June 24, 2021, where we will spend time in Madrid, Barcelona, Seville, la Costa del Sol, and even have the opportunity to go to Morocco! This trip is geared for current Sophomores and Juniors and their parents. Those interested can check out the tour at: <http://www.explorica.com/Deitering-6288> or email: [kevin.deitering@kalidaschools.org](mailto:kevin.deitering@kalidaschools.org).

**Blood Mobile Results**-I would like to thank all of the students, staff, and community members that donated blood October 28. We had a very busy day with a lot of presenting donors. In the end, we collected 95 units of blood and potentially saved a lot of lives. Great work everyone!

~ Mrs. Beth Grime, Bloodmobile Chair

**Superintendent Karl Lammers**  
419-532-3534  
High School Principal Dean Brinkman  
Elementary Principal Kayla Stechschulte

**School Board Meetings**  
Second Wednesday 7:00 PM  
Kalida School Board Room

**School Board Members**  
Brad Niemeyer, Vice President  
Craig Schmenk, President  
Emily Peck, Greg von der Embse, Gerry Vorst

Kalida Board of Education  
Box 269  
Kalida, OH 45853  
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## *Music Boosters*

### **Pioneer & September Winners**

Beth Grime	\$200
Nick Schulte	\$150
Mike Knueve	\$100
Blyth Turnwald	\$100
Dan & Becky Lucke	\$75
Deana Nienberg	\$75
Duane & Rose Lammers	\$50
Wayne Duling	\$50
Tim Verhoff	\$50
Chas Myers	\$50
Roger & Jo Buss	\$50
Ken & Doris Stechschulte	\$50

*The Kalida Music Boosters and Kalida Wildcat  
Marching Band thank all of their supporters.*

Wild Cat Cards: The Junior class has 30 wildcat cards left to sell. Please contact the school or call Jill Smith at 419-532-2868. Cards are \$10 and offer many discounts to local restaurants and businesses.

## Honor Roll First Quarter 2019-2020

### **All A Honors**

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade**-Adam Bockrath, Morgan Bockrath, Maya Wehri.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade**-Adam Buell, Jack Buell, Katelyn Foppe, Kyla Grime, Logan Kerner, Grady Kuhlman, Ryan Schnipke.

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade**-Kaylyn Bockrath, Meredith Bockrath, Gabrielle Brinkman, Laura Doepker, Grant Fortman, Carson Kahle, Katherine Krouse, Allie Kuhlman, Alison Landwehr, Ethan Langhals, Olivia Meyer, Connor Nartker, Emerson Schnipke, Jacob Siebeneck, Reese Strauer, Madison Unverferth, Ryan Verhoff.

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade**- Hannah Basinger, Andrea Burgei, Maria Gerding, Collin Heitmeyer, Riley Nienberg, Noah Recker, Carson Remlinger, Ella Schumacher, Sara Siebeneck.

**Freshmen**-Kendal Bockrath, Garrett Decker, Brooke Erhart, Grant Helmke, Joel Horstman, Camille Hovest, Heath Miller, Kayla Nartker, Hanna Rampe, Livia Recker, Allison Stechschulte, Kenzie White.

**Sophomores**-Brandt Brinkman, Kenzie Fortman, Madison Kahle, Ryan Klausing, Cole Nienberg, Justin Siebeneck, Brooke Vennekotter, Peyton Wurth.

**Juniors**-Olivia Decker, Ben Doepker, Luke Erhart, Katelyn Kahle, Jillian Knueve, Kevin Lammers, Mitchell Langhals, Dara Lewis, Ryan Lucke, Tanner Schultz, Kathryn Siebeneck, Brenna Smith, Tyler Unverferth, Jasmine Vorst, Will Zeller.

**Seniors**-Mckenna Bockrath, Danielle Buss, Clara Elkins, Kaden Ellerbrock, Kyla Fortman, Rieley Hanneman, Claudia Hopkins, Tyler Klausing, Madison Langhals, Abby Maag, McKayla Maag, Carlie Rampe, Evan Roebke, Trevor Siefker, Alex Snipes, Leia Verhoff, Zachary von der Embse, Kamryn Wurth.

### **AB Honors**

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade**-Hannah Bendele, Kenadi Bockrath, Bryn Casper, Cooper Horstman, Jax Horstman, Riley Horstman, Evan Langhals, Sophia Meyer, Jagger Miller, Amber Moore, Kylie Peck, Zoe Pothast, Cody Recker, Blake Remlinger, Bryce Remlinger, Josh Schulte, Kendall Schultz, Anna Schumacher, Aubree Sickles, Nicole Siebeneck, Carlie Siefker, Kennedy Simon, Isabelle Swyers, Zachary Unverferth, Nathan Wannemacher.

**6<sup>th</sup> Grade**- Mallorie Barnhart, Faith Feldman, Cole Goubeaux, Lana Grime, Gage Hammond, Karlie Heitmeyer, Jaxon Hoffman, Griffin Klausing, Kendal Krouse, Kara Lammers, Lauren Laudick, Caden Looser, Claire Nartker, Elijah Patrick, Mylie Rampe, Isabel Recker, Madison Ricker, Malia Romes, Grace Schroeder, Alexander Shining, Owen Siebeneck, Ella Siefert, Emma von der Embse, Parker Vorst, Camdyn Warnecke.

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade**- Bailey Basinger, Maddix Calvelage, Alexandria Gardner, Madelyn Houck, Drew Meyer, Adyson Miller, Reese Miller, Makenna Peck, Grace Rall, Lane Rellinger, Lauren Schulte, Dylan Siefker, Braylon Smith, Ella Stechschulte, Jack Stechschulte, Avrie Unverferth, Drake Zeller.

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade**- Katherine Bendele, Rebekah Bowers, Brady Fersch, Audra Hovest, Erica Kahle, Jace Karhoff, Aiden Killion, Kyle Lammers, Maddalyn Nienberg, Olivia Olzak, Camryn Recker, Ethan Remlinger, Elyse Romes, Katelyn Roof, Austin Schnipke, Whitney Unverferth, Paige Verhoff, Carly Webken, Ethan Wehri.

**Freshmen**-Andrew Buss, Nicholas Foppe, Ella Hoffman, Michael Horstman, Wyatt Lehman, Haley Looser, Dawson Schultz, Kevin Schumaker, Aric Snipes, Jordyn Vandemark, Gabriel von der Embse.

**Sophomores**- Logan Bockrath, Kylie Creller, Blake Eickholt, Grace Niemeyer, Adam Siefker, Jakob Swyers, Amanda Unverferth, Grant Vorst, Lydia Vorst, Molly Westrick, Zoey Westrick.

**Juniors**- Hannah Berheide, Emily Buss, Connor Erhart, Paige Helmke, Jayce Horstman, Stephanie Kahle, Grace Klausing, Marcy Landwehr, Abby Martin, Melanie Meyers, Brandon Miller, Jennifer Rall, Dayna Schimmoeller, Ayden Warnecke.

**Seniors**-Clay Bellmann, Colin Erhart, Kaylee Heitmeyer, Gabe Hovest, Kaitlyn Keefer, Matthew Kehres, Grace Miller, David Peck, Brayden Recker, Larissa Schnipke, Abby Wurth.