



May 2024 Newsletter

Greetings Family!

May is a month filled with many celebrations and announcements, here are a few to keep in mind:

- We celebrate **National Principals Day** on May 1st! King Center is honored to have two wonderful principals on our team. Principal Rhodes and Mrs. Thurman, we truly appreciate all that you do for our school community!
- May 6-12 is **National Nurses Week!** We are fortunate to have Nurse Marshall on our team, her dedication to our school community has been gift to us all.
- **Teacher Appreciation Week** is May 6-10. King Center has been fortunate to have some of the most amazing teachers in the state on our team!! We are honored and proud to have such an incredible teaching staff. Parents be sure to thank your child's teacher this week.
- May 12-18 is **National Charter Schools Week!!!** We celebrate the freedom of choice for families and the tenacity, innovation, and excellence Charter Schools bring to our communities. King Center celebrates 24 years of serving families in Buffalo and look forward to our continued legacy as the school of choice for K-8 families in Buffalo.
- Happy **Mother's Day** to all the King Center moms!! We celebrate you as valued members of our school community! We thank you for the love you continue to share for the children of our community.
- King Center is **still accepting applications for Kindergarten**. Join the "Leaders of Today" by sharing the application with friends and family. www.kccs.org Free uniform shirt or swag will be awarded to you for each new student enrolled by your referral to attend in grades K-2. See Ms. Coleman for more information.

Enjoy the joys of Spring,

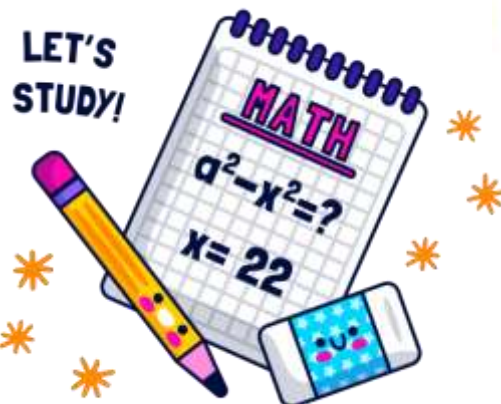
Ms. Coleman
Executive Director

SPRING
showers
BRING MAY
FLOWERS

Meeting
KCCS Board of Trustees
Wednesday, May 15, 2024
5:00pm

Be Healthy Kids!

Healthy Eating Plate



May 1st & May 2nd: NYS Computer-Based Math Test (5th-8th grade)
May 8th & May 9th: NYS Paper-Based Math Test (3rd & 4th grade)
May 8th: NYS Computer-Based Science Test (5th & 8th grade)
May 13th-20th: NYSELAT

RELAX!

May 16th: No School for Students



SMARTIES

know how
to
prepare
for tests.

**7 Great Ways to
Prepare for the Test**

1. Get a good night's sleep.
2. Eat a healthy breakfast.
3. Dress comfortably.
4. Start your day peacefully.
5. Arrive on time.
6. Think positive thoughts.
7. Do your best!



As you Teach...
Don't become weary
in doing good, for at
the proper time you
will reap a harvest...



I'M SO
HA-PEA YOU
PASSED YOUR
EXAMS

Prospective high schools are now contacting families via phone, email, and/ or standard mail regarding acceptance notifications. Please be sure to complete all required forms by the deadline identified by that school.

You may contact Ms. Wilson at (716) 891-7912 extension 270 with any questions you may have.



Friday, May 10th

Cinco de Mayo (pronounced ['siŋko ðe 'majo] in Mexico, Spanish for "Fifth of May") is a yearly celebration held on May 5 to celebrate Mexico's victory over the Second French Empire at the Battle of Puebla in 1862, led by General Ignacio Zaragoza.

In Mexico, Cinco de Mayo is not celebrated across the entire country and mostly observed in the state of Puebla, where the Mexicans' victory occurred. Zapari said there are some other parts of Mexico where they observe the holiday.

The celebrations in Mexico often include parades and reenactments of the Battle of Puebla, but for most Mexicans, it's just another typical day.

Meanwhile in the United States, the holiday is celebrated as a way of honoring Mexican culture and heritage.



Bison Field Trip
Thursday, May 23rd
Grades K-5
9:30am – 2:00pm



Why join the PTA?

#1: CHILDREN BENEFIT

Research shows that children perform better when parents are engaged in education both at home and at school! Parent involvement boosts student achievement.

#2: THE SCHOOL BENEFITS

The PTA provides support for teachers and administrators and strives to create a positive and caring atmosphere in the school.

#3: MAKE CONNECTIONS

Get to know the teachers and staff better and make life-long friends with other parents at school!

#4: IT'S GOOD FOR YOU

Socializing with other parents and volunteers to do good for your child's school is fun, healthy, and rewarding. It also allows you to contribute your skills and knowledge for your child's benefit!

PTA Meeting
Thursday, May 23rd
4:30pm

ENJOY
No School
Monday, May 27th



Our Vendors



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King Center Charter School
156 Newburgh Ave Buffalo, NY 14211

Mother's Day

May
7th

Events

Register
Here



8am
to
9am

We want to celebrate all women for
Mother's Day

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K-2nd grade 3rd-8th grade
Painting Yoga



Light refreshments will be served

Attention Parents and Guardians: Math and Science Camp!

Important Dates:

May 10th - Zoom Information Session about Camp 



May 17th - Permission forms DUE

June 6th-7th - Math and Science Camp!



Contact Ms. Angelica Tennant with questions: atennant@kccs.org



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2024 FINALIST



KIMERA LATTIMORE

KING CENTER CHARTER SCHOOL

SATURDAY, MAY 4, 2024

5pm - Red Carpet Stroll 6:30pm - Awards Show

Tickets/Info - www.friendsforabetterbuffalo.com

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King Center Charter School
Art Show

MAY 29, 2024

5 P.M.-7 P.M.

156 NEWBURGH AVE

BUFFALO, NY 14211

See you there!

"KCCS went to support our Alumni Brandon Knox at his senior Violin recital



Over 200 alumni came and visited to their school that they know and love. They were able to see old friends, their favorite teachers and had the opportunity to speak with various of vendors. It was amazing seeing and hear from our alumni community"

alumni



THY KINGDOM ERA COLLECTIVE



FIRST FRIDAY WITH THY KINGDOM ERA

MAY 3
6 PM - 9 PM

WITH PASTOR
KIMERA LATTIMORE

Calling ALL Youth ages
10-30+! Join us for a
night of fun and time
with God!



67 Prospect Avenue
Buffalo, NY 14201
Entrance on Georgia St.

@THYKINGDOMERACO

BIBLE GIVEAWAY
BIBLE STUDY
GAMES
FREE FOOD
CREATIVE TIME

Stop by the Music Room/Ms. Lattimore to pick up your permission slip



MEET & GREET

JOIN THE TEAM

MAY 4, 2024 | 10:00AM - 1:00 PM

VILLA MARIA COLLEGE - MUSIC RECITAL HALL
240 PINE RIDGE RD. BUFFALO, NY 14205
@THYKINGDOMERACO