

# KAIB WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

(August 11 - August 17)

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## Band Camp Assistants Needed

There are a few spots on the schedule that still need filled for band camp assistants. Please check the dock and pitch in where possible. Any questions please see Judy Herstek or Penny Stitt, our band camp coordinators this year.

## Corbi Pizzas fund Raiser starts this

week. The orders are going to be due on Friday, September 5th by 3 p.m. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS past this date. The pick up date will be on Thursday, September 18th at 6:30 p.m.

## Tag Day signups start on Mon,

Aug11th. Tag Day will be on Saturday, August 23rd. We need all band members to participate. We also need parents to sign up to chaperone when the band members are there. This is great way to help the general fund. The sign up sheets will be on the dock.

Please check the website often as various forms and information can be found there. [www.kiskiareaband.com](http://www.kiskiareaband.com)

## Kennywood

On Saturday, August 16th the band will perform in the Fall Fantasy Parade at Kennywood. The band will leave in the morning (report time to be announced) and be there all day to ride. Please wear your show shirts (you'll have them by then) as well as bring your entire uniform with you. Admission for the band members is free but you'll need to bring money to eat lunch and dinner. If any family or friends are interested in seeing the parade Kennywood offers an evening admission this year from 5PM to close. The regular admission price for the evening session is \$17. We have already distributed a coupon \$5 off the evening admission price. Photo copies are permitted so if you have a gang that wants to go you can make copies of the coupon or stop by the dock and we can get you additional copies. Of course you can elect to do a full day admission as well but the coupon is only good for the evening session. Please come out and support the band at their 1<sup>st</sup> performance of the year. The parade takes place at 8 PM.

## Ice Cream Social Friday, August 22

We want to invite all parents to the ice cream social that is taking place on Friday August 22 after practice at 9 PM. Drinks, ice cream and toppings provided. A sign-up form will appear shortly on the dock to give us some idea of how many to plan for. There will be a special showing of a DVD created and produced by Katrina Lawecki of the May, 2008 Florida trip

**DON'T FORGET: PARENT ADS AND BUBBLE ADS FOR THE COMPETITION PROGRAM ARE NOW DUE SO THAT WE CAN GET THE PROGRAM TO THE PRINTERS. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY TURNED YOURS IN, PLEASE SEE MARIA KRAMER AT THE DOCK OR CALL HER AT (412) 427-6641.**

(SEE REVERSE SIDE)

## Kennywood Chaperone's

Report Time 8:45AM Return 11:00 PM

Chaperone Report Time 8:25 AM

### **GOLD**

Colleen Blackham (HC)

Nancy Kettering (BC)

Sally Painter

### **GREEN**

Gina Scheller (BC)

Nancy Brocious

Amy Sheaffer

### **PURPLE**

Michelle Neely (BC)/(Med Asst.)

Barb McCoy

Daneen Zimmerman

### **RED**

Linda Kirkpatrick(BC)

Leslie Lorient (Med Asst.)

Kevin Neely (Medic)

### **TRUCK**

Chuck Kettering (D)

Rick McWilliams

Rick Blackham

Joel Zimmerman

### **All Chaperone's Please**

Wear your Yellow Chap.

Shirt and Name Tag!

### Photo Proof Viewing This Thursday

Hourglass studios will be in the auditorium Thursday, August 14 for you to view picture proofs from the individual pictures you may have had taken at their studio. Time is 4:30 PM – 7:30 PM.

### Upcoming General Fund Raisers

There are a couple of upcoming fund raisers taking place that require 100% participation from all band members. The Kiski Competition planning is in full swing. Please see the dock for sign-ups for volunteering for that. We will also be doing a Tag Day (August 23), Steeler ticket raffle as well as a gas card raffle in the very near future. The funds raised from these fund drives are designated for the general fund but really each individual band member benefits. This year the total cost per band member is approximately \$1,010 of which \$495 is from individual assessments and \$515 from the general fund per student. This will pay for band instruction, administration, Cruiser costs, hotel and food costs at Nationals and a whole lot more. A more detailed description can be found in the student handbook. Please support these fund raisers as they ultimately lower the individual assessments.

### ATTENTION ALL BAND FANS .....

*Make your reservations NOW for*

*TOWSON REGIONAL Parent Bus*

Leave the driving to Thomas Tours.....We still need 26 band fans to fill the parent bus to Towson Regional on Saturday, Oct. 18th. The cost is \$55 per person plus food and ticket (about \$18). KAIB has already paid for the bus, so the ABSOLUTE DEADLINE for signing up is August 25th. This early date is necessary because we have 45 days prior to cancel and receive a full refund. Let's support our kids and let's NOT cancel this bus !!!! Sign-up at the dock or call Rita Aber @ 724-727-2031.

### Dock Workers Needed

There is a rehearsal schedule posted on the dock for dock workers. Dock workers help with forms, putting the newsletter together, organizing the boosters closet and other miscellaneous tasks. It's important to have 2 or 3 there when parents are coming by at practices to help them out. Training provided to those who are interested. Please see somebody on the dock for more info or take a few slots by signing up.

### Medics Needed

Thanks to all who graciously volunteered to medic on various dates of band camp. We were able to cover band camp and now are working on the practice schedule for dates after that. Please check the schedule on the dock. Any questions or if you want to be trained to be a medic please contact Colleen McWilliams at (724) 733-7918 (H) or (412) 897-6994 (Cell).

Information E-mail is sent From:

[Information@Kiskiareaband.com](mailto:Information@Kiskiareaband.com)

## Football program Personal and Senior Ads

I wanted to contact the band boosters to pass along some valuable information for your band members. I am in charge of the programs for our 4 home football games. I wanted to make you aware that we have personal ad forms available for all the families of your members if they are interested in placing an ad in the programs. The ad placed will be run in all 4 of the home game programs. There is also a special Senior ad form which is a 1/4 page ad for \$25. Also, not on the Senior ad form, there is the option to place a 1/2 page ad also for \$50. Pictures are welcome as part of the Senior ad.

The forms for these ads can be found on our new website: [www.kiskicavaliers.net](http://www.kiskicavaliers.net). If you scroll down below the pictures on the top of the main page, you will find these various ad forms that may be printed right off the website. Please note the deadline date on the forms is August 1st, but we really got these out late to ad sponsors too, so we are extending that **deadline** until **August 11th**. Ads can also be sent to me electronically at [bouch390@comcast.net](mailto:bouch390@comcast.net) if they prefer.

Thanks a bunch, and please don't hesitate to give me a call or drop me an email if you or any parents have any questions at all.

Sincerely,

Karen Bouch  
Football Booster Secretary  
724-309-4553 / or home 724-845-2920

## Norwin Competition Band Ad's

Also, the Norwin Band Aides are providing program space for each participating band to post **free** patron ads (maximum is one page per band). Wish your band and colorguard members "Good Luck" in the 2008 Norwin Band Festival. Please limit each message to 30 characters (including spaces). Free patron ads must be submitted by **August 15, 2008** to guarantee inclusion in the program.

Please forward your patron ads to  
[norwinfestival2008@comcast.net](mailto:norwinfestival2008@comcast.net).

1 The Norwin Band Aides reserve the right to limit the number of patron ads printed so as to be readable on one page and reserve the right to exclude any content deemed inappropriate for the Festival Program.

