

PENN-TRAFFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Harrison City, PA 15636

NOTICE TO PARENTS

APRIL 29, 2008

EARLY DISMISSALS - MAY, 2008

Friday, May 2 and Thursday, May 29 will be early dismissal days for all students as follows:

High School - 12:25 p.m.
Middle Schools - 1:00 p.m.
Elementary - 1:35 p.m.

KENNYWOOD TICKET SALES

Kennywood FunDay Passes will be on sale on **Thursday, May 8, 2008** as indicated on the reverse side of this notice.

SCHOOL CALENDAR - 2008-09

--First day for students: Monday, August 25, 2008--
--Last day for students: Thursday, May 28, 2009--
The complete 2008-09 school calendar will appear in the next issue of the PROSPECTUS. Look for it in the mail. The calendar is also listed on our web site at www.penntrafford.org.

IMMUNIZATION REMINDER

Three doses of hepatitis B vaccine are required for students entering school for the first time (i.e. kindergarten or first grade). The immunization card has been modified to accommodate this requirement. Also, Varicella (chicken pox) immunity is required, either from vaccination, history of disease or laboratory testing for new school admittance (i.e. kindergarten or first grade) and for students entering seventh grade.

Students who fail to have both hepatitis B vaccine and Varicella immunity will not be enrolled. Also, students are no longer required to undergo tuberculosis testing or screening. All of these modifications have been approved by the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

KINDERGARTEN SCREENING -

WEDNESDAY JUNE 4, AND THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 2008 AT ALL ELEMENTARY BUILDINGS

MAKE-UP DAY: MONDAY, JUNE 9, 2008 ONLY AT McCULLOUGH

ALL SPORT PHYSICALS -

THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 2008 AT 7:00 A.M. AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATION

The commencement exercise on Thursday, May 29, 2008 is scheduled as follows:

6:30 p.m. - HS Stadium - no tickets required
7:30 p.m. - HS Auditorium (in case of inclement weather) - admission tickets required

YEAR END INFORMATION

The schools and all district offices will be closed on Monday, May 26 (Memorial Day), Friday, May 30, (School Picnic Day).

SUMMER READING LIST

The principals of our elementary schools will be forwarding a summer reading list before the close of the school year. Look for the list, and please encourage your youngsters to read every day.

SUMMER HOURS - (Monday thru Friday)

All Schools - June 2 to August 22
(7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.)

Principals may be contacted as follows:

Harrison Park	724-744-2161
McCullough	724-744-7441
Trafford Schools	412-372-6600
Sunrise Estates	724-864-6700
Level Green	412-372-6603
Penn Middle	724-744-4431
High School	724-744-4471

TAX OFFICE HOURS

The Tax Office will be open three days per week as follows: Monday (9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.), Tuesday and Thursday (8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.). On these three days, the office will be closed between 1:00 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. for lunch.

Thank you for your cooperation and support during the 2007-08 school year.

Deborah J. Kolonay

Superintendent

KENNYWOOD PICNIC INFORMATION

Date of Picnic: Friday, May 30, 2008

PICNIC TICKETS will be sold on Thursday, May 8, 2008. Only "Funday Passes" will be sold. The cost of each pass is \$19.00. Tickets will be sold as follows:

- 7:30 am - Penn-Trafford High School
- 8:45 am - Penn Middle School
- 9:15 am - Sunrise Estates Elementary
- 9:45 am - Harrison Park, Level Green, and McCullough Elementary
- 11:15 am - Trafford Schools (Elementary/Middle)

Funday passes may be purchased with CASH or MONEY ORDERS (payable to Kennywood) ONLY. **No personal checks will be honored.**

Parents may purchase Funday passes beginning at 8:30 a.m. until 12 noon on Thursday, May 8 at the WARRIOR FIELD HOUSE. (at the stadium complex) This is the ONLY date, time and place that ADULTS may purchase passes. No passes will be sold to adults in any schools. Also, no passes will be sold in the central office.

Afternoon kindergarten students will be notified by their teachers as to the procedure for purchasing tickets.

The only day for the purchase of picnic passes will be Thursday, May 8, 2008. Adults are also reminded that they may only purchase passes at the Warrior Field House as detailed above.

BUS TICKET SALES

Elementary and secondary students may purchase bus tickets from Monday, May 19 through Friday, May 23 from the school office. All bus tickets for both adults and children are \$5.00 and may be used for one way or round trip transportation. **CASH onlyNo checks please.**

BUS PICKUP SCHEDULE

On Friday, May 30, all buses will pick up students and parents at 10:15 am at the Penn-Trafford High School and depart for Kennywood at 10:30 a.m.

BUS RETURN SCHEDULE

All buses will return from the park at 7:30 pm. Kennywood WILL NOT announce the departure. All riders will be returned to the Penn-Trafford High School.