

KWMS Panther Paws

May 19th, 2023

Message from the Principal

As our year comes to a close very soon, I would like to take a moment to recognize two outstanding teachers who will be retiring this year. Between these 2 teachers, they have 64 years of teaching experience! If you think about it, each teacher averages 150 students a year, multiple that by 64 years and you have 9,600 students that were positively impacted by these teachers. When you talk about dedicating your life to helping students, these two teachers exemplify that idea.



Happy retirement Mrs. Doherty (Social Studies) and Mrs. Havel (Music). Your teachings will forever be treasured; your contribution in our lives can never be measured.

Thank you!

Lisa Olsem ~ Principal

WE ARE KENYON WOODS AND WE DREAM BIG!

To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also DREAM; not only plan, but also BELIEVE!

~ Anatole France



IT IS THE FINAL COUNT DOWN FOR PANTHER SPIRIT!

PANTHER COUNTDOWN DAYS

5/19 PJ DAY

5/22 ALL SPRING COLORED CLOTHING

5/23 NOTHING BUT FANCY CLOTHES

5/24 TIE DYE DAY

5/25 HALF DAY--HALF THE SCHOOL (7TH GRADERS) WEAR GREY, HALF THE SCHOOL (8TH GRADERS) WEAR BLUE

5/26 ESPN DAY. DRESS LIKE YOUR FAVORITE ATHLETE

5/30 RETRO DAY

5/31 SCHOOL SPIRIT DAY--WEAR YOUR KWMS APPAREL

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 7TH AND 8TH GRADE ORCHESTRA GROUPS!



ALL LIBRARY BOOKS ARE DUE BY MAY 19TH!

ORDER YOUR 8TH GRADE PANORAMIC PICTURE!

Your class panoramic photo has been uploaded to an online gallery for the parents of your students to view and order.

Your class panoramic photo is now available to view and order online! To order yours today:

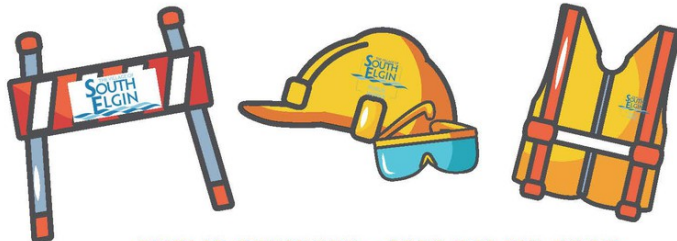
1. Go to: <https://shop.vipis.com/p294046081>
2. Enter the password: kenyonwoods
3. Follow the instructions to select your package or products and enter your information
4. You will receive a confirmation email

If you have any questions, please contact us at support@vipis.com We're happy to help!

COME ONE! COME ALL!

COME ONE, COME ALL!

SOUTH ELGIN NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK OPEN HOUSE



PUBLIC SERVICES - 1000 BOWES ROAD

MAY 19, 2023 - FROM 2 - 6:00PM

TOUCH-A-TRUCK,

★ INFO ON CURRENT VILLAGE PROJECTS,
GIVEAWAYS & SNACKS

SPECIAL GUESTS:
ENGINEERING FIRMS:
EEI, HLR AND BAXTER & WOODMAN
NICOR, OPERATION LIFESAVER,
GAIL BORDEN LIBRARY BOOK MOBILE



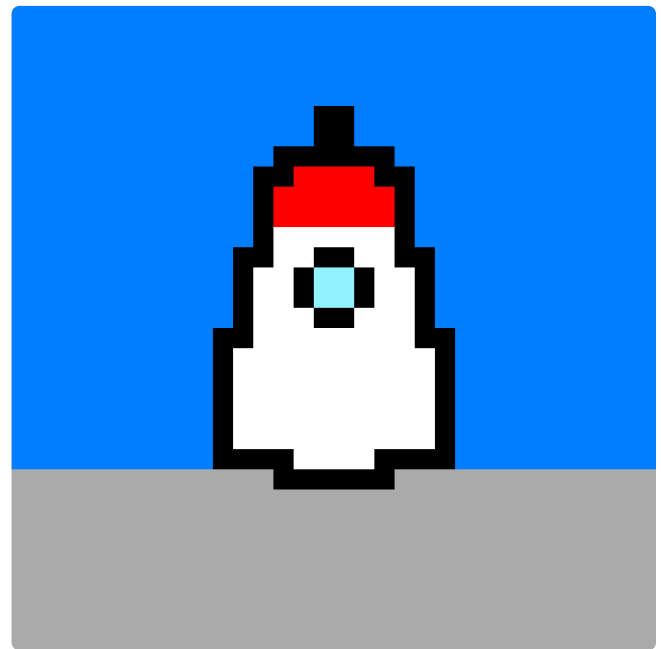
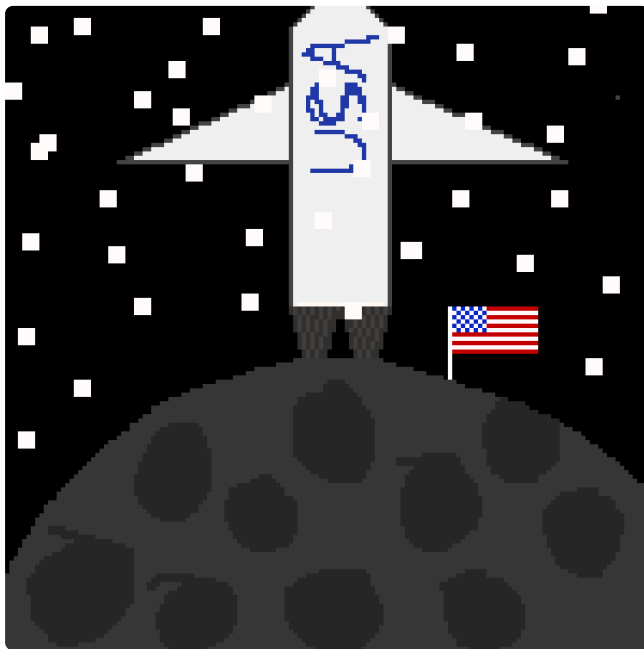
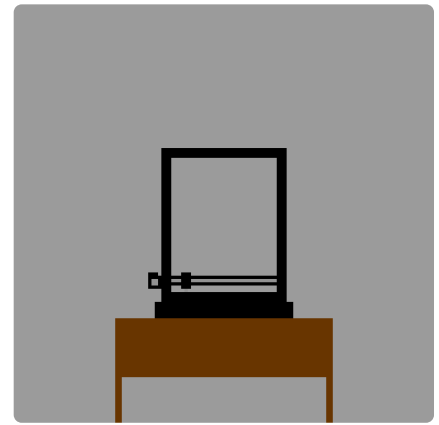
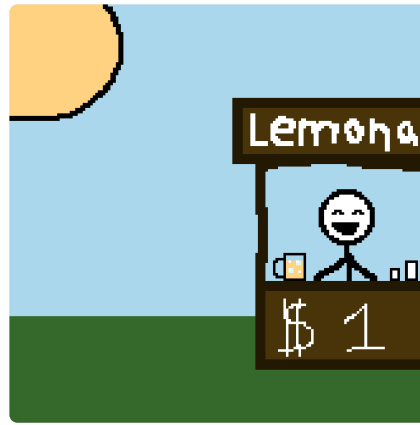
FINISH THE YEAR STRONG!

The end of the school year – and the arrival of summer weather and more free time – is an exciting time for many students. That can sometimes translate to restlessness in the classroom, a lack of focus, and a loss of motivation. Unfortunately, it can also lead to intentional disruptions to the learning environment that may face serious school consequences according to the [Student Code of Conduct](#), and criminal charges when appropriate. According to the [Illinois Criminal Statutes](#), potential criminal charges for intentional school safety disturbances may include felony charges.

We ask that parents and guardians talk to their children about finishing the school year strong – help them stay organized and focused.

There are great celebrations at the end of the school year; with good behavior and by working together, everyone can enjoy this special time of year.

**INTERACTIVE MEDIA AND INTRO TO COMPUTER STUDENTS
CREATING THEIR OWN ANIMATION!**



U46 THEATER OPPORTUNITY

Any students from any u-46 school from current 8th graders through current graduating seniors can audition for a summer theater production. All information about the musical (*The Theory Of Relativity*) can be found on the Larkin Drama Website. (<https://sites.google.com/u-46.org/lhsdrama/summer-show-2023>).

Questions can be directed to this year's director Frank Rose, Larkin High School's Theater teacher, at frankrose@u-46.org. Auditions will be held at Larkin High, rehearsals and performances will be at Bartlett High.

SUMMER RUNNING CAMP OPEN FOR ALL!

Participants: Boys and Girls entering 6th-12th grade

Days: Monday – Thursday

Dates: June 12 - July 27 (June 19 and week of July 4 off)

Times: 6:30 - 8:30 am

Location: South Elgin High School Gymnasium Entrance

Registration: <https://il.8to18.com/sehs/home>

Coaches: Jorie Bartholomew - joriebartholomew@u-46.org (Girls)
and Kari Turcan - kariturcan@u-46.org (Boys)



Anyone looking for more information can also see Mrs. Turcan in B137 for an info sheet.

IMPORTANT DATES

5/22/2023 - 8th Grade Trip - Main Event

5/25/2023 - 8th Grade Recognition - 6:00 pm @ SEHS

5/29/2023 - No School - Memorial Day

5/31/2023 - Last Day of School

What's on the MENU this month?

Link to all 2022/23 KWMS Panther Newsletters



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