

GREENTREE GAZETTE

Once a Gator, Always a Gator!

MARCH 2020



Greentree Elementary

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IMPORTANT DATES:

March 4 - 5th Grade News Crew Field Trip

March 5 - Open House from 5:30-7:00 K-5th

March 9-13 - Spring Break

March 16 - Elementary Student Holiday

March 17 - Lucky Laps Fun Run (see schedule below)

March 18 - 2nd Grade Field Trip to the Rodeo

March 20 - Relatives Raising Relatives

March 23 - PTA Board Meeting

March 24 - 3rd Grade Music Program @ 6:30 pm

March 25 - Mock STAAR - 3rd & 4th Math; 5th Science

March 26 - Mock STAAR - 3rd & 4th Reading

THANK YOU!

Dear Gator Community,

Mrs. Lake-Garcia and I want to say a HUGE Thank You to ALL of our Gator families for their continued support of our annual Boosterthon Fun Run. We surpassed our goal of \$30,000 and our final count showed that we raised **\$40,400!!! Thank YOU!!!** Our teachers are very excited to now make some decisions for new furniture and classroom supplies to redesign their classrooms and learning spaces.

It means the world to us that our Gator Community continues to support us throughout our school year by giving to our Annual Fund and Boosterthon Fun Run. We so appreciate each and every one of you!!

We hope you have a fabulous Spring Break!
:)Ms. Rodriguez and Mrs. Lake-Garcia

Future Mustangs Week

Kingwood High School invites you to join us as we celebrate excellence throughout our feeder pattern and Kingwood community!

Future Mustangs Week

This year marks 40 years of strong traditions at KHS, and we are kicking off the celebration with Future Mustangs Week! During the week of March 16-20, we will be highlighting the pride and excellence of all schools in the Kingwood High School community.

You don't want to miss out! Here's what you can do:

- Check out the shared dress-up days and events on the attached flyer. Mark your calendars and join the fun!
- Order your Future Mustangs t-shirt [HERE](#) so that you'll be ready for Mustang spirit day on March 20 and the community celebration on March 21! Shirts are \$7 and must be ordered online by March 6.
- Be on the lookout for current Mustangs on our elementary and middle school campuses during the week of March 16-20. We have lots of fun planned!

Community-Wide Celebration

We hope you will also join us for family fun at our community-wide celebration on Saturday, March 21. Register for our community 5K or 10K, which begin at 8:30 am, or sign up for the 1 mile fun run, which starts at 10:00 am. The school in the KHS feeder pattern with the most participation in the run(s) will win a trophy! From 10:00 am until 2:00 pm, join us for games, food trucks and entertainment. It's going to be a great day! Wear your Future Mustangs t-shirt to the celebration for a free give-away!

We can't wait to celebrate with our #futurestangs!

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Meredith LeBlanc

Associate Principal
Kingwood High School

FUTURE MUSTANGS WEEK

MARCH 16-21

Join us as we celebrate excellence throughout the Kingwood High School feeder pattern! Participate in our shared dress up days, join us at KHS for athletic and fine arts events, and look out for current Mustangs on all of our feeder campuses all week!

TUESDAY, 3/17

LUCKY WEAR GREEN
to be a future mustang!

7 pm: KHS Baseball vs. Atascocita
Future Mustangs are invited to meet the team and run the bases after the game!

WEDNESDAY, 3/18

You'd be **CRAZY**
not to  the **MUSTANGS!**
Rock your crazy socks!

7 pm: KHS Boys Soccer vs. Humble
Future Mustangs will receive a prize!

THURSDAY, 3/19

Every mustang is a
SUPERHERO!
Dress as your favorite superhero.



FRIDAY, 3/20

LET YOUR **BLUE SHINE THROUGH**
IT'S MUSTANG SPIRIT DAY! WEAR YOUR
FUTURE MUSTANGS T-SHIRT OR KHS COLORS!

6 pm: KHS Softball vs. Humble
Future Mustangs can run the bases and receive a prize!

7 pm: KHS Baseball vs. Rayburn
Future Mustangs can sign up for a chance to sit in the dugout for an inning!

7 pm: Fillies Spring Show in the KHS gym



Celebration
SATURDAY, 3/21
10:00 AM—2:00 PM

Don't miss our community-wide celebration!
Register for our 5K/10K, or 1 mile fun run.
Stay for food trucks, games, and great entertainment! Wear your Future Mustangs shirt for a free give-away!
Visit the KHS website for more information.

Lucky Laps Fun Run Tuesday, 3/17

Lucky Laps is a family fun run that we do during the kids' specials time. We invite our parents, grandparents and even our little brothers and sisters to come to school and run or walk our greenbelt trail that loops around through our parking lot. In each grade level, the classes compete to see which class has the most energy and endurance. After the run and the counting of the laps, a super trophy is presented to the class that has earned the most laps. They get to keep the trophy in their room until the next family fun run. We encourage all to come, except for your pets. We love animals at Greentree but the greenbelt is too crowded and the leashes are dangerous.

We will also need volunteers for the fun day. If you are unable to run or walk, we always need people to help us mark the laps!

Please **RSVP by 3/16** to melissa.schmonsees@humbleisd.net

Please **include first and last name (as it appears on the drivers license) of adults who will be attending the fun run, and best contact phone number.** As long as the adult and/or adults are in our system (driver's license has been scanned) a badge will be printed and waiting in the back parking lot when you arrive.

Please check in for the fun run in the back parking lot of the school.

5th grade 8:10-9:05
3rd grade 9:05-10:00
4th grade 10:05-11:00
2nd grade 12:15-1:10
Kindergarten 1:15- 2:10
1st grade 2:15-3:10

Torchy's Spirit Night

When

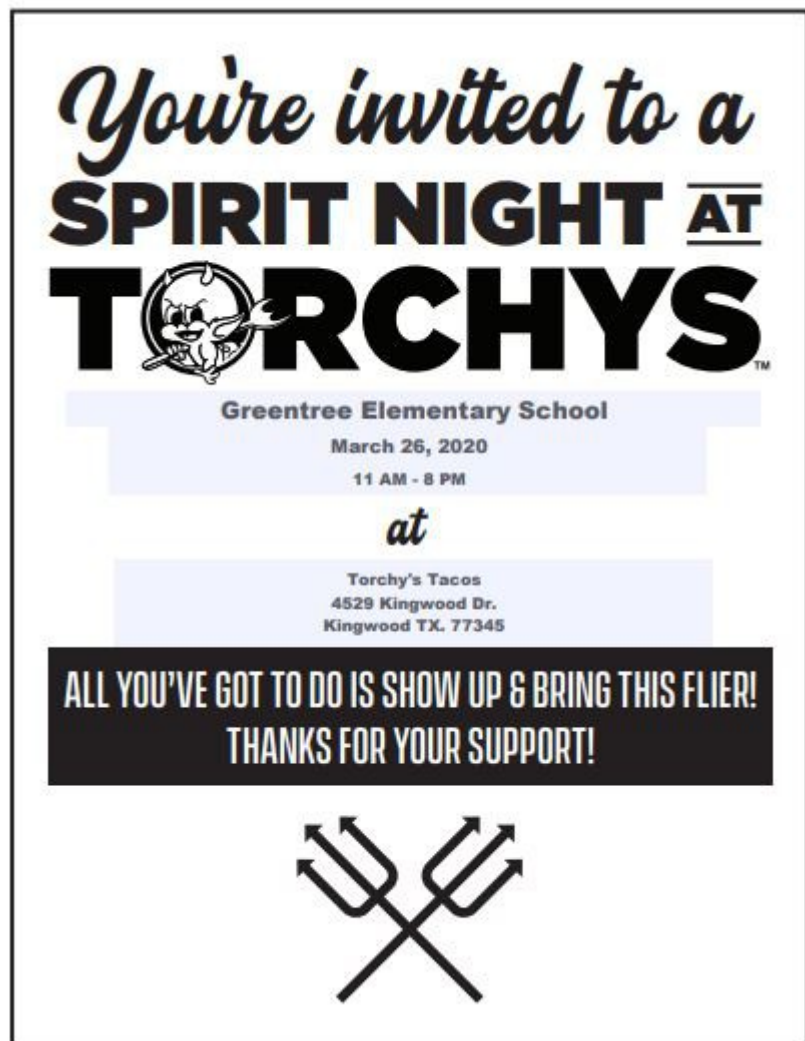
Thursday, March 26th, 11am-8pm

Where

4529 Kingwood Drive Houston, TX

More information

You **MUST** bring the flier or take a picture of it with your phone to show them at the register.



Kindergarten Round Up

ATTENTION - please share the following with incoming KinderGators!

Calling all incoming KinderGators for the 2020-2021 school year! Do not miss our Kindergarten Round Up meeting on **April 28th at 5:30PM**. Come with your incoming KinderGator for a quick tour of the school, followed by an informational meeting for parents and a short kindergarten experience for your child!

This is also the time to get scheduled up for your registration appointment with Mrs. Alford, our registrar.

Please tell your neighbors, friends, and acquaintances about this meeting.

Camp Invention

Register now for Humble ISD's super FUN summer camp from the National Inventors Hall of Fame, **CAMP INVENTION®!**

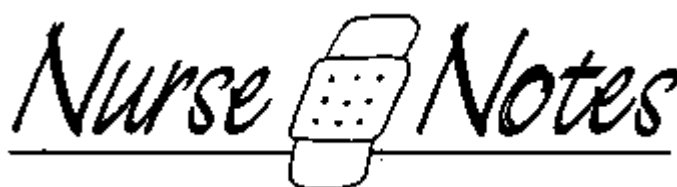
It will be held **June 22 - 25, 2020** from **8:30-4:00** at **Creekwood Middle School**.



See the flyer [here!](#)

Go to bit.ly/register2020camp to register, and use code **ELEVATE25** by **3/31** to save \$25!

If you have any **older siblings** or friends who might be interested as well, we need *Leaders-In-Training* in grades 7-9 and *Leadership Interns* entering 10th or higher, too! Find out more at invent.org/LIT and invent.org/leadershipinterns



Flu continues to affect the community of Greentree and Kingwood. Influenza (also known as the flu) is a contagious respiratory illness caused by flu viruses. It can cause mild to severe illness. The flu is different from a cold. The flu usually comes on suddenly. People who have the flu often feel some or all of these symptoms:

- Fever* or feeling feverish/chills
- Cough
- Sore throat
- Runny or stuffy nose
- Muscle or body aches
- Headaches
- Fatigue (tiredness)
- Some people may have vomiting and diarrhea, though this is more common in children than adults.

***It's important to note that not everyone with the flu will have a fever. Please be sure to keep your child home until fever free (without fever reducing medication) for 24 hours, and until he or she is able to resume a full day at school.**

Strep Throat also continues to infect our kids at Greentree. Please watch for signs of sore throat, difficulty swallowing, stomach ache, or headache. There does not have to be a fever with Strep throat and many of the cases this year have not had the fever. If your child is diagnosed with strep throat, he must be on antibiotics for at least 24 hours before returning to school. Continue to encourage good handwashing for all of your family members.

For information on Coronavirus-see the Humble ISD website, as well as the CDC for the latest and most current information.

PLEASE send in extra clothes to school with your child. Spring weather brings rain and rain brings mud! It's always nice to have something for the kids to change in to when they have a little accident- no matter kind.

As always, thanks for your support

Laurie Para, RN



Dear Parents,


We will continue to learn the Great 8 Skill Relationship Skills through March 20th. Please discuss the components of Relationship Skills below with your student or role play.

Relationship Skills: A person's skill at promoting and maintaining positive connections with others.

Components of the Skill of Relationship Skills

1. Complimenting or congratulating somebody
2. Doing something nice for somebody
3. Showing appreciation of others
4. Greeting a person in a polite way
5. Attracting positive attention from peers
6. Expressing concern for another person
7. Attracting positive attention from adults/superiors
8. Making a suggestion or request in a polite way
9. Offering to help somebody
10. Responding to another person's feelings

Patricia Bergman, Counselor

A rectangular graphic with a background of a sunset over a line of trees. The sky transitions from a pale yellow at the horizon to a light teal at the top. The quote is centered in a black, typewriter-style font.

"We rise
by lifting
others."

-Robert Ingersoll