



# Kilgour Synopsis

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April 25, 2011

**Kilgour Yearbook Orders Due** - Wednesday, April 29

**Flower Sale Pickup** - Saturday, April 30

## Calendar of Events & Activities

- April 29: Mid terms distributed / Yearbook Orders Due
- April 30: Flower Sale Pickup 10am-12pm
- May 2: LSDMC meeting at 4:30pm
- May 3-5: OAA testing for grades 3rd-6th grades
- May 4: School tour 10am / PTA meeting at 7pm
- May 6: Enrichment Assemblies at 1:30 and 2:30pm
- May 9: Carnival ticket presale begins after school
- May 10: Fine Arts Night –Band at 6:30pm/Choir at 7pm / Art Showcase all evening

## Kroger Gift Card - Kilgour Fund Raiser!

Get a card from the Kroger PTA, take it to any Kroger, load it up with money using either cash or a credit card, and then go shopping! Kilgour PTA receives quarterly payments equal to 4% of all sales processed through this cards. It costs you nothing and it is a great way to raise money for our school. If you don't already have your card just send an email to [president@kilgourpta.org](mailto:president@kilgourpta.org) and we'll get one (or two) to you!

## Time to order the 2010-11 Kilgour Yearbook

Orders due by Friday, April 29

Order forms will also go home in the Tuesday envelope. Please fill out order form (on last page) and return with payment to your child's homeroom. Contact Lucie Blanchard at 871-7559

## Walnut Hills High School FREE Soccer Coaches Clinic

Armleder Fields Friday, April 29 from 6pm - 8pm

Eric Rothwell, the Head Boys Varsity Soccer Coach for Walnut Hills High School, is putting on a FREE Coaches Clinic for Kilgour Coaches. All Kilgour Coaches are encouraged to attend. Please RSVP here: <http://goo.gl/qvwIA>.

## FLOWER SALE PICKUP

Saturday, April 30 from 10am to 12 noon

Did you order flowers at the annual Kilgour flower sale earlier this year? This is your reminder that the pickup of your order is on **Saturday, April 30, from 10 am to 12 noon at Kilgour**. Did you not order or need more flowers? Surplus flowers will be on sale at the same time. Please contact Andrea Dannenberg at 321-7251 with any questions.

## Boot Camp is Back

Mondays from 5-6pm

Come join us for this "everyone welcome" Boot Camp for grades 3-6 in our own Kilgour gym. This will be the place to get your athlete, video game addict, or couch potato up and moving! Your child learn the proper techniques of exercise and conditioning in a safe and challenging way. Get your child ready for the Kilgour 5K, spring sports and the summer months ahead. For more info or to sign up, please call Lisa Coors @ 513-233-2673 or email [Lisa@coorscorefitness.com](mailto:Lisa@coorscorefitness.com).

## OAA - State Testing

May 3-5 for grades 3-6

It is imperative that all students are present and on time each day of OAA testing, as well as have a good night's rest! The teachers and staff have been preparing the students for the assessment throughout the year and it is critical that we have our students ready to show what they know! The results from the assessments are reported on our State Report Card. This year's theme is ROCK THE TEST!

## Kilgour 5K

Friday, May 13 at 7pm

Mark your calendars! The Annual Kilgour 5K will be on Friday, May 13 at 7pm. It will start and finish at Kilgour school and is open to walkers and runners of all ages. Registration forms can be found outside the school office, on the Kilgour website or register online at [www.sprunning.com](http://www.sprunning.com). If you have questions or are interested in helping with the race contact Jules Hemskey at 871-3528 or [jules@shifty.com](mailto:jules@shifty.com).

## Kilgour Carnival Reminders

- Carnival is scheduled on May 14 from 11am-5pm. Book your calendars!
- Detailed information about Carnival is available online at <http://kilgourpta.org/carnival>.
- Order a Carnival t-shirt.
- Remember to bring your classroom Basket Raffle items into school.
- Volunteer to work a booth – online sign-up should be sent in the next week

- All Carnival tickets will have pre-sales for discounted prices. Beginning May 9, we will begin selling the tickets outside of school during pick-up.
- If you are interested in hosting a Great Gathering or would like more information, please contact Kristen Bickel at 351-7322 or Amy Adam at 321-3893.

### **Kilgour Raffle Sale**

The annual Kilgour raffle is under way and now is the time to sell, sell, sell!

Total Overall Sales: \$7601.95

Total Overall Sales for Week 2: \$4,172.05

There were 10 students that turned in more than \$100 in ticket sales, each earning a "Front of the Line Pass" at the Carnival. The class with the highest class participation in selling raffle tickets over the full 5 weeks of the raffle sale will win a LAZER CRAZE party for the ENTIRE class on Friday, May 20! Second prize is a bowling party at Stone Lanes for the ENTIRE class on Thursday, May 19!

### **Week 3 Special Incentives:**

1. Every student that sells more than \$75 in tickets wins 3 free throws at Mr. Bell in the dunking booth!!
2. The class with the highest participation for the week wins an ice cream party!

### **Kilgour Raffle Shops**

This year we've added more opportunities for your children to sell raffle tickets by adding a number of "Raffle Shops." Some local business owners have agreed to let our children sell tickets in front of their store. It's an excellent way to sell the highest number of tickets in the shortest period of time! For each Raffle shop up to 2 children, each with an accompanying adult can sign-up for a 2 hour time slot. Display board, clipboards, and pens are provided.

Saturday, April 30:

- Ace Hardware from 10am-12pm, 12-2pm, 2-4pm
- Fresh Market Grocery (Oakley) from 3-5pm, 5-7pm

Saturday, May 7:

- Fresh Market Grocery (Oakley) from 3-5pm, 5-7pm

These time slots will go fast so sign up today by e-mailing John and Kris Allenson at [jallenson@cinci.rr.com](mailto:jallenson@cinci.rr.com). If you have any questions, please call 321-0775.

### **Kilgour Raffle Committee Needs Your Help!**

The Kilgour Raffle Committee needs volunteers to help count money every Tuesday and Thursday, starting at 9:15am from April 12 until May 12. Please contact Erich Hemm if you can help at [hemm.ed@edhemmlaw.com](mailto:hemm.ed@edhemmlaw.com) or 533-4366.

### **Call for Team Photos**

Any photographers who took a group team photo, please email them to: [jdesign@fuse.net](mailto:jdesign@fuse.net). Please name the file with Head coach's last name, girls or boys, and division (ie. Strikers, Kickers, etc.) so that we can include them in this year's school yearbook. We'll be looking for Basketball team photos soon, too. Thank you from your yearbook volunteers, Lucie Blanchard Schmalz, Christine Carli, and Joyce Miyasato.

### **Junior Achievement**

Special thanks and kudos to the following Kilgour students who will participate in the annual JA breakfast on April 28. The following students will be performing in front of individuals throughout the city and tri-state area: Emma Mertes, Skye Anderson, Connor Pickering, and Nina Castanga. Job Well done students!

### **Kilgour Stock Market Portfolio Challenge**

Congratulations also to the following students who will be participating in the 2nd Annual Stock Market Portfolio Challenge on May 11. The following Kilgour students will participate: Connor Pickering, Hannah Connley, Joe Garry, and Lucy Schlueter. Please extend congrats as well as best wishes to our students!

### **Study Island**

Study Island is a web-based program for students, used by our 3rd-6th grade students for additional practice with State standards/indicators and the OAA. The following students are a part of the Royal Kilgour Court of the Kilgour Study Island:

#### **5th grade classes – 1st place with 3,496 ribbons earned**

King - Conner Pickering  
 Queen - Johanna Engbrecht  
 Prince - Hannibal Ahmed  
 Princess - Isabelle Dancer  
 Duchess - Josis Shiff

#### **6th grade classes – 2nd place with 1,654 ribbons earned**

King - William Mullin  
 Queen - Mary Page Mason  
 Prince - Aaron Turner  
 Duke - Andrew Mullin  
 Earl - Peter Schamlz

#### **3rd grade classes – 3rd place with 1,504 ribbons earned**

King - Noah Bigger  
 Queen - Sean Kelley Darks

#### **4th grade classes – 4th place with 1,404 ribbons earned**

King - Conrad Kleiner  
 Queen - Catherie Solinsky  
 Prince - Giovanni Cruz  
 Princess - Frances Fixler  
 Duke - Nicholas Robertson  
 Duchess - Greta Campbell  
 Countess - Charlotte Patterson

### **KSB Fun Adult Outing**

Saturday, June 18 at 3pm

The Kilgour Sports Boosters are proud to announce the KSB Fun Adult Outing will be held on Saturday, June 18 at 3pm. In the past this was called a golf outing. While there is golf, the focus is fun, not your ability to drive or putt. If your lifetime experience is limited to two rounds of Putt Putt, you are qualified. If you are a scratch golfer your talent and leadership will be highly prized. This is for men and women.

Teams are chosen that day. Each team has at least one good golfer. The format is called a scramble, meaning you pick the best drive off the tee. Everybody hits their second shot from the position of the best drive. Then you use the best second

shot. This continues until the ball is in the hole. Play goes quickly.

Furthermore, the event is limited to 9 holes as to not intrude on the cookout dinner and parties that immediately follow. Mark your calendar on 6/18. Companies interested in sponsorship or people with questions contact Rick Neff at rfneff@fuse.net or Jeff Baur at jbaaur12@its.jnj.com. Sign-ups and details to follow.

**8U Girls Softball Team Needs Players**

Do you have a daughter that would like to play softball? A Norwood softball team is in need of 2-4 additional girls to play on their 8U softball team. Any girl who will turn 7 this Spring, is currently 8 or who has turned 9 since January 1, 2011, is eligible to play. Please contact Tonya.bott@yahoo.com . There is no late fee to sign up.

**Have a Question or an Idea?**

How to get in contact with Ms. Cook: feel free to send an email to cookang@cps-k12.org.

**Great Gatherings Update**

The Great Gatherings are in full swing, with fun socializing opportunities for kids and adults. Come meet new friends or re-connect with old friends! The following Great Gatherings have some open spots. To learn more about the specific event, please contact the hosts (listed below). If you are interested in signing up, please contact the Great Gathering Team at greatgatherings@kilgourpta.org.

Kids Parties

**3rd Grade Hike in the Woods**

Hosts: 3rd Grade Teachers  
Date/Cost: May 5 / \$10 per student

**4th Grade Luau Lunch**

Hosts: 4th Grade Teachers  
Date/Cost: Spring TBD / \$10 per student

Adult Parties

**Derby Party**

Hosts: Donna and Charles Sutkamp, Cathy and Bob DeFoor  
Date/Cost: May 7 / \$30

**5th Grade "Grandma" Party**

Hosts: Mary and Frank Schlueter, Ina and Stefan Pfuhler, Beth Farrell, Kathy Ottley, Joe and Michelle Hayden, Maria and Michael Cholak  
Date/Cost: May 21 / \$30 per person

**6th Grade Graduation Party**

Hosts: Joni Sherman and Alan Statman, Tracy and Joe Mason, Tippy and Ellis Hummel, Lori and Jeff Raser, Linda and Michael Keidel  
Date/Cost: June 11 / \$20 per person

**Football Clinic at Walnut Hills High School**

Sunday, May 22 from 2pm - 5pm  
Sure it's spring, but are you thinking "I can't wait until football season?" Here's your opportunity to back on the gridiron and Get Ahead of the Game! The entire Walnut Hills High School football staff is hosting a one-day football clinic. The clinic will be held on Sunday, May 22 from 2pm - 5pm at the Marx Football Stadium at Walnut Hills High School. The clinic is for players in grades 3-8 and will cover all positions, including special teams. This is the clinic you want to attend prior to summer camps! Our great staff of coaches includes two former Bengals! See our brochure to sign up – all registrations are due by May 6 – enrollment is limited. Please call head coach George Kontsis (363-8662) with any questions!

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**Kilgour 2010-11 Yearbook**

Orders must be returned by April 29

Please return order form with payment to your child's homeroom, the school office or mail it to Lucie Blanchard: 2213 Bedford Terrace, Cincinnati, OH 45208

\$10 per book (previous years are available. If you want last years 09-10 yearbook (limited quantity) for \$5 - please note on order form)

*Make checks payable to Kilgour PTA and write "Yearbook" in memo*

Students Name:

Teacher :

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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Number of yearbooks @ \$10 each \_\_\_\_\_ Total enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Circle: Cash or Check

If ordering more than one yearbook please complete information for all students receiving books.

Thank You!

Lucie Blanchard

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