

Important Dates:

- April 29-May 3—Fine Arts Week
- May 1—Principal Appreciation Day
- May 2—Grade 1-2 Spring Music Concert
- May 2-3—2nd grade Math testing
- May 3—Kindergarten and 4th grade field trip
- May 6-7—Kindergarten Math testing
- May 6-10—Teacher Appreciation Week
- May 6—ACE Night @ 6 pm
- May 7—Teacher Appreciation Day; 1st grade field trip
- May 8-9—1st grade Math testing
- May 8—AR Field Trip grades 4-5; Nurse Appreciation Day
- May 9—AR Field trip grades 2-3; Money Island Pizza Party; Kindergarten Graduation at 6 pm
- May 10—5th grade field trip
- May 14—Play Day
- May 15—MAP Test Reward and Fundraiser Reward Day
- May 16—1st grade AR field trip
- May 17—Honor Roll Field Trip
- May 21—Grade K-2 Awards Assembly @ 8:30 am
- May 21—Grades 3-5 Awards Assembly @ 9:30 am
- May 22—Last Day of School-Early Dismissal @ 12:18
- May 28-June 21—Summer School

May 2019

Kelly Elementary

FULL S.T.E.A.M. AHEAD! KELLY SUMMER SCHOOL

Kelly Summer School will begin on May 28 and run until June 21. The day begins at 7:45 and dismisses at 3:00. Students will receive free breakfast and lunch and the activities are at no cost to the parent. Our focus will allow students to BREAKOUT of their normal mind set and routine by providing opportunities to participate in exploratory lessons. Students will go FULL STEAM AHEAD and learn by thinking outside of the box using math, reading, science, social studies and fine arts skills to participate in hands on creative educational lessons.

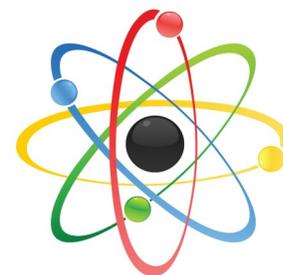
We have planned exciting activities for students to discover

the different opportunities they each have in the world around them. Students will have their interest sparked by participating in hands on learning, receiving special demonstrations, classroom experiments, or food for thought activities.

Weekly field trips will be provided along with a chance to win CASH AWARDS for perfect attendance as part of our summer school program. The field trips will be for students who work hard to improve their skills, exhibiting good behavior and maintaining good attendance. Students will work together, help each other, build a sense of citizenship, learn to respect others and help make

Kelly a better school community.

Most importantly, students will learn ways they too can use their education to brighten their own future. Take this opportunity to come to Kelly Elementary Summer School with your friends!



PLAY DAY—MAY 14, 2019

We will celebrate our annual Play Day on May 14. We will have inflatable activities as well as other activities and games for the students to participate in. There will be a concession stand so students may bring

money to purchase drinks and snacks.

Your child's teacher will be sending home more information in their weekly newsletters as time draws closer. **If you are able to help out by running a game**

or activity, selling concessions, or helping to supervise the students, please contact your child's teacher.

We want to ensure that the students enjoy their play day!

HONOR ROLL FIELD TRIP

On May 17, 2019, Ms. Denbow and staff will be taking students who made honor roll for 1st-2nd-3rd quarter to Cape 14 Cinemas in Cape Girardeau to see A Dog's Journey. Students may pre-order concessions and then we will proceed to a park in Cape to finish out the day.

Students have worked hard all year to learn skills and concepts

and make high marks on assignments and tests. This is a day to honor those students.

Your child may either bring lunch from home or get a lunch from the cafeteria. Your child may bring an extra drink for the park. Please make sure that your student wears closed toed shoes for the park.



A.C.E. NIGHT

Many of the ACE students have been working on special projects to present to parents at ACE Night on May 6, 2019 at 6 pm. in the Elementary Gym. Refreshments are provided.

The categories for the projects are as follows:

Grade 2—Litter Critters

Grade 3—Solar System

Grade 4—Anatomy

Grade 5—MARS Projects

Jr. Beta—Robotics Presentation

THANK YOU TEACHERS!

On behalf of the students and staff at Kelly Elementary, I would like to thank you for all that you do everyday to educate, build relationships, keep students safe, and support the faculty, families and administration here at Kelly Schools! Teaching requires that you wear many hats and I admire each of you for your commitment to children and their growth. You are all VERY MUCH APPRECIATED!

TEACHER'S ROCK!

THANK YOU NURSE KELLY!

On behalf of the staff and students at Kelly Elementary, I would like to thank you for all you do to teach our students to be healthy, stay safe, take care of the bumps and bruises and scrapes, give medicine and band-aids and for the love you show each child. You are a valued member of this staff!

SCHOOL NURSE'S ROCK!

ANOTHER AWESOME YEAR!

I cannot quite believe that we have reached the end of the 2018-2019 academic year! This year has been action-packed—full of changes, accomplishments and events.

This year at Kelly Elementary we have enjoyed sharing special activities and cookies with our grandparents, and a reverent, heartfelt tribute to our Veterans. Around Thanksgiving, our very own scout elf, Tommy, brought his antics and special surprises which kept us guessing, laughing and enjoying the spirit of Christmas here at school. In February, students showed their creativity by making Valentine boxes and enjoying class parties. The 7th Annual Daddy Daughter Dance was a success as the girl's got to dance the night away with their favorite knight in shining armor—their daddy. Students completed Jump Rope for Heart, the Math-a Thon for St. Jude, and Jr. Beta students worked the Kenny Rodgers Telethon. Our PTO has accomplished a great deal in their first year to help our teachers and staff, serve our students and our community. The PTO buddies were so much fun and the staff enjoyed the thoughtfulness of each and every parent who sent in cards, treats, gifts and little pick-me ups to brighten our day! PTO has helped with our fundraiser, picture day and many other needs they have been called to help with. Our PTO is very active and truly has the best interest of our students and staff at heart. I hope that many of you will become active members of this great organization.

Our teachers and students have worked very hard teaching and learning skills and concepts to prepare for MAP testing and promotion to the next grade. Our Lego Robotics Team competed again this year at SEMO and again at the Jr. Beta State Competition. Our Jr. Beta Club Division I is sending students to Nationals this June in Savannah, Georgia, to compete for National honors! We had many students represented at the Arts Council Art Show in Cape Girardeau and we had several students place or receive honorable mention in original composition at Mizzou at the Creating Original Music Project Festival! As you can see, we have a very talented group of students at Kelly Elementary!

I would like to extend a hearty “thank you” to all of the Kelly families who helped make my sixth year as principal productive, rewarding and enlightening. I am excited to see what year seven has in store! I have appreciated very much your efforts to make me feel a part of the Kelly Elementary family. I wish you a restful and enjoyable summer!