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Spark Your Imagination

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The Spark

Neither Sand nor Silt nor Clay... KHS FFA

During Spring Break the FFA Land Evaluation team was busy preparing for the state contest. The state event was held Thursday March 23rd at the Audubon Ranch in Plant City. In order to compete in the state event, each team had to win the contest held in their county. Kathleen won the event and had two members tie for state high individual. Team members were Amber Hanna, Lauryn Garner (these ladies tied for high individual), Autumn Jackson and Blair Buchanon. These ladies will now have the opportunity to compete in the national contest in Oklahoma City in May. “Thanks for your support of our program,” said Mrs. Bennett, Mr. Carlton and Mrs. Morse.



Pictured: Amber Hanna, Lauryn Gamer, Autumn Jackson and Blair Buchanon

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★ Testing Dates ★

IT'S TIME TO SHOW WHAT YOU KNOW!

FSA Reading Retake	March 28-31	AP Environ. Science	May 1
Algebra 1 Retake	March 31-April 4	AP Comp Sci.	May 2
FSA Writing Makeups	April 3-7	AP Spanish Lang	May 2
FSA—Grade 9 Reading	April 10-11	AP Eng. Lit & Comp	May 3
FSA—Grade 10 Reading	April 12-13	AP US History	May 5
FSA—Algebra 2 EOC	April 17-18	AP Calculus AB/BC	May 9
FSA—Geometry EOC	April 19-20	AP Eng Lang & Comp	May 10
US History EOC	May 1	AP World History	May 11 (a.m.)
Biology EOC	May 2	AP Statistics	May 11 (p.m.)
FSA—Algebra 1 EOC	May 8-12	AP Human Geography	May 12
FAIR-AP3	May 22-26	AP Microeconomics	May 12

KHS Administration
 Principal, Donna Drisdom
 Assistant Principal, Dr. Lia Maffett
 Assistant Principal, Tony Williams
 Assistant Principal, Mario Jenkins
 Assistant Principal, Jayon Smith
 Assistant Principal, Keith Smith (CFAA)



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- 4/20—Superintendent's Scholars Awards
- 4/24—Graduation Cap & Gown Delivery During Lunches
- 4/26—Academic Signing Day
- 5/8 — Silver Garland Awards @ Florida Southern
- 4/29—Grad Bash (\$100 due before 4/1/17)
- 5/11—Band & Orchestra Spring Concert @ 7:00 - Auditorium
- 5/16—Underclassmen Awards @ 6:00
- 5/18—Chorus Spring Concert @ 7:00 -Auditorium
- 5/19—Underclassmen Awards @ 6:00
- 5/22—Seniors Last Day
- 5/22—CFAA Senior Awards @ 6:30—CFAA Cafeteria
- 5/23—FFA Awards Ceremony/Dinner @ 6:00 Cafeteria/Auditorium
- 5/25—Senior Awards @ 6:00
- 5/28—Baccalaureate @ 3:00/Victory Baptist
- 5/31—Graduation Practice @ 10:00/Lakeland Center
- 5/31—Graduation @ 7:30 @ Lakeland Center

Spend Thursday and Friday with FCA

FCA weekly huddle meetings Thursday mornings with Coach Troutman at 6:30 am in Room 03-010 next to Culinary Arts. All students are welcome to come enjoy fellowship and prayer. FCA huddle with Mrs. Sasser on CFAA campus every Friday morning at 6:40 in the media center. Hope to see you there!



CFAA Finalists in Stratos Essay go Stratospheric

For the fourth year in a row, Sun 'n Fun and the Aerospace Center for Excellence held their Project STRATOS Essay Contest. This contest is open to high school juniors, or those currently in their 3rd year. The primary topics for their essays focus around people, events or airspace/aircraft that have become a significant part of the evolution of aviation. The essays submitted by the students below, ranged from vintage to modern day aircrafts, to personal stories of inspiring women who were pioneers in their field. After submission, semi-finalists were interviewed and ultimately, the contest was narrowed down to 10 finalists out of hundreds of entries. These finalists get to experience



Backrow L to R: Adam Saoud, Slade Rosamond, Justin Dal Colletto, Mark Brigman. Front row L to R: Gianna Azzaro, Isaac Graves, Andrew Pitman, Luke Liptak, Robert Locke

Sun 'n Fun on a whole different level. Among the prizes are free passes to Sun 'n Fun, a possible flight with airshow performers, special meet and greets with industry leaders, and a NIKON camera to capture all their amazing experiences.



Deutsch Austauschstudent

That's short for German Exchange Student

Leon Hermann is one of the 2 foreign exchange students at Kathleen this school year. The Junior came all the way from Germany and will be staying with Mrs. Simmons and her family until June. It wasn't hard for Hermann to make new friends here since he was part of the football team, and he is doing very well grade-wise with A's and B's. He decided to become a foreign exchange student to experience something new. Hermann says the food, sports, and big cities are what attracted him to the United States, but he doesn't like that the schools here offer a lot of opportunities that students don't take advantage of. Though Leon has experienced some homesickness, he is enjoying his time here.

Message to Leon in German:

Leon, willkommen in Florida

Yep, the glass is half full!

Karen Perez competed on Monday, March 27 at the Optimist International 70th Annual Oratorical Contest at the Regional Level. She represented KHS with pride and wisdom. Karen is also our Senior class president. Thank you for sharing your story of optimism with the community. We love and appreciate you.



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#independence #success #winning
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WINTER HAVEN

Thursday,
April 20, 2017
5 - 7 p.m.
WST-126/127

LAKELAND

Thursday,
April 27, 2017
5 - 7 p.m.
LTB-1100

- Meet faculty and staff
- Meet with financial aid
- Tour the campus
- Complete an application
- Enter to win a scholarship
- Find out about student life

Get started on the FAFSA
(Free Application for Federal Student Aid)

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After School 3rd Quarter Grade Recovery Program

Attention Students/Parents: Deadline for 2nd Quarter Recovery—Friday, June 2, 2017



We are very excited to let you know that we have just received approval and funding for an after school 2nd Quarter Credit Recovery Program from Title One! We will run the program in the Main Media Center and it will be open till 5:00 p.m. to allow students to have a place to work on credit recovery work and on their current 3rd quarter assignments to avoid being in the same position next quarter.

Teachers can send their credit recovery packet to Title One and the tutors will make copies for the students who come to after school credit recovery. We will collect the assignments and return the assignments for the teachers to grade. Teachers who want their students to just make up missing assignments from their gradebook also don't have to do anything except tell the Title One tutors and the missing assignments report will be provided to any and all students who show up for after school credit recovery.

Our program after school is also not just for credit recovery. We will give students a place to work on their school work while they are waiting for their ride home, practice and/or any sports event. Parents, please encourage your child to come to the main media center any day from 2:00—5:00 for 2nd Quarter Recovery. We will be glad to help all students who attend.



Monday April 3	Varsity Boys Baseball vs. Lake Gibson @ 7:30 (Home) Boys Tennis West County Tournament @ 3:00 Kelly Rec Girls Tennis West County Finals @ 3:30 Kelly Rec
Tuesday April 4	Varsity Boys Baseball vs. Lake Region @ 7:30 (Home) Boys Tennis West County Tournament @ 3:00 Kelly Rec Girls JV & Varsity Softball vs. Lakeland Senior @ 5:30 (Away)
Wednesday April 5	Boys Tennis County Tournament @ 3:00 Edgewood Ctrs Girls Tennis vs. Winter Haven @ 3:00 (Winter Haven)
Thursday April 6	Boys Tennis vs. Winter Haven @ 4:00 (Away) Girls JV & Varsity Softball vs. George Jenkins @ 5:30 (Home)
Friday April 7	Varsity Boys Baseball vs. George Jenkins @ 7:30 (Home) Boys Tennis vs. Lake Gibson @ 4:00 (Away) Boys Weightlifting State Finals Girls Varsity Softball Showdown (TBA)
Saturday	Boys & Girls Track—Steinbrenner Invite @ 8:00 a.m. (Away) Girls Varsity Softball Showdown (TBA)

Lunch Menu

Monday—April 3, 2017

Spaghetti & Meatballs, Breadstick or Chef Salad or Turkey & Cheese Sub/Flatbread, Steamed Blend Veggies, Romaine & Tomato, Garden Salad, Veggie Combo, Chilled Fruit, Fruit Variety

Tuesday—April 4, 2017

Korean Taco & Mini Flatbread, Chocolate Chip Cookie or Asian Chicken Salad or Ham & Cheese Sub or Greek Chicken Wrap, Asian Cole Slaw, Waffle Cut Sweet Potato Fries, Veggie Combo, 100% Juice, Seasonal Fresh Fruit Variety

Wednesday—April 5, 2017

Chili, Breadstick or Harvest Chicken Salad or Italian Pizza Sub/Flatbread, Steamed Cauliflower, Fresh Veggie Combo, Romaine & Tomato, Spiced Fruit, Seasonal Fresh Fruit Variety

Thursday—April 6, 2017

Chicken n Waffles or Chicken Caesar Salad or Turkey & Cheese Sub or Chicken Salad Wrap, Green Beans, Broccoli Salad, Fresh Veggie Combo, 100% Juice, Seasonal Fresh Fruit Variety

Friday—April 7, 2017

Cheese Pizza Slice or Pepperoni or Buffalo Chicken Salad or Ham & Cheese Sub/Flatbread, Corn, Crisp Corn Salad, Popeye Salad, Fresh Veggie Combo, Fruit Frozen Juice Cup, Seasonal Fresh Fruit Variety

Class of 2017

Prom

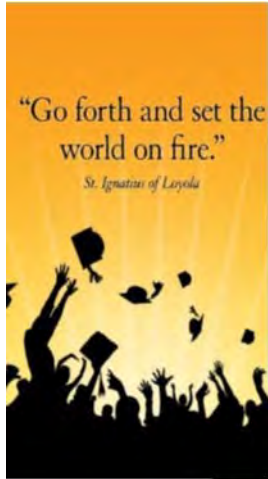
Prom — April 1, 2017
 Location: Hyatt Regency
 Grand Cypress in Orlando

Tickets After Spring Break—\$100

Senior Dues—Cost: \$50

Due: ASAP

Student will receive two (2) t-shirts: a white one with a red K for the senior panorama and a t-shirt with all of the names of the seniors printed on the back. If you submitted a partial payment for the senior panoramic shirt, you are required to pay the **REMAINDER** of the senior dues before you get the second senior shirt.



Grad Bash April 29, 2017 Universal Studio's Orlando

7:00 pm—2:00 am

Cost: \$ 100.00

All obligations must be paid before ticket purchase.

Run for Ruby

Date: April 22, 2017

Price: \$5 donation

Time: To be announced

Competition for best t-shirt – more details to come



4/11	3rd Quarter Report Cards
4/14	Holiday/No School

Tutoring Schedule

Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays 2:05-3:05

Subject	Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays
ACT		Mrs. Gardner & Ms. Dellagnese Main Media Ctr		Ms. Dellagnese & Mrs. Huggins Main Media Ctr
Algebra 1			Mr. Taylor 40-113	
Reading/ English		Mrs. O'Sullivan 13-006		
ESOL			Mr. Gueiros-Neto 04-004	
Math				Mr. Davis 31-127
Science	Ms. Nicholson 14-036			

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March 31, 2017

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**Join us April 13th in
Main Media Center
6:00 pm to 7:30 pm**



Thousands of dollars up for grabs if your up to the challenge. College classes are over \$1000.00 per semester—Florida college rates.

Books and labs can be \$400 or more.

If you take an **AP class** at Kathleen, and **pass the exam** you get the college credit and best of all...it's free.

Get these classes done now... They're easily worth over \$11,000

AP Human Geography
AP Biology
AP English Literature
AP Calculus
AP Environmental Science
AP US History

AP Statistics
AP Studio 2D
AP Drawing
AP English Language
AP World History
AP Economics
AP US Government

Chicken isn't all Chicken

By Vivian Soria



When rumors start about food, word tends to spread. On March 1, 2017, word got out that popular chain restaurants' chicken is not all chicken. A DNA test was performed on the chicken from select chains. McDonald's Grilled Country

Chicken only had 84.9%, Wendy's Grilled Wrap had 88.4%, A&W's Chicken Grill Deluxe had 89.4%, and Tim Horton's Chipotle Chicken had 86.5% chicken. The lowest one was Subway with 53.6% in their Oven Roasted Chicken Sandwich and 42.8% in their Sweet Onion Teriyaki Sandwich. Subway, along with other chains, battled against this release, only to pull in the press more.

The main ingredient, that wasn't chicken, was soy. Other ingredients included manufactured substances like onion powder and nectar. Nathaniel Gynnip, a senior here, said "I'm not really surprised. That's how most food is. When you have to eat you eat what you got". McDonald's promoted they distribute "100% all white meat chicken". Subway fought back through representative Kevin Kane.

Kane argued that Subway's chicken was 1% or less soy. The 1% or less of soy was said to help with the consistency. The research was accused of being false, despite it becoming a trending news story. It convinced many, and only a few believed against it. "Most of them are probably true. That's just how it is," Gynnip added.

Subway's story spread due to its popularity. It is known that people become panicked when they find their is genetically modified, even though most food today are GMOs.



Trending... President Donald Trump

By Ray Ward

Hundreds of things go viral, good or bad. President Donald Trump has made headlines of accusations of what he has been doing since joining the oval office in January 20, 2017. He has also made headlines for what he has said or "Tweeted" out. Mr. Trump has been a constant trend since he declared to run for president at the end of 2015. His blunt and outspoken attitude has turned heads in a more negative way that positive. Christopher Soriano, a senior at Kathleen thinks the president makes, bad Decisions and doesn't know what he's doing. Whether you like him or not, Donald trump is and will be trending for years to come.

What's Trending?

By Armanda Charlemagne

With the world we live in today social media is a big part of our society. The internet has become a place where many things are trending each an everyday. People, movies, shows, current events, trend every day. One of the things that are trending currently is the movie Get Out. It's about an interracial couple, who visits his white girlfriend's parents' home but things start to turn out for the worst as scary things start to happen and he needs to GET OUT. The movie's originally budget was \$4.5 million, but has grossed to over \$110 million. It was directed by freshman director and famous comedian, Jordan Peele.

What's also trending is the #getoutchallenge people have been doing. It's where you run straight at first towards the camera videotaping then abruptly to the right. It's imitating the man whose running like that in the movie.

Chakayla Hudson went to go see the movie the weekend after its release. Chakayla thought it was a really good movie, and she has also seen the #getoutchallenge. She feels that some of the challenges are funny and others aren't so much. She has never attempted to do the challenge though.



Trending

By: Sheyenne Robinson

There are many different trends in today's society, which spreads like wildfire to everyone. Whether it's from news, Youtube videos, or social media to grab people's attention in a snap. The various trends in society are dance moves, presidential decisions, technology, and the change of economy. Mostly in today's society it's new dance moves from music videos.

From 2016 to 2017, catchy and entertaining songs will start a new generation of dance moves either from the singers, rappers, or from people of different ages. The "dab", the "whip", the "quan", and various others were created from music videos. Once everyone has heard and seen the video, they instantly get up and start filming themselves doing the dance. Other times new challenges will be created such as "Bet You Can't Do It Like Me" by Chicago rapper D-Low and "Running Man" by Kevin Vincent and Jeremiah Hall.



RED DEVIL FOOTBALL



SCRAMBLE AT HUNTINGTON HILLS

DATE: Saturday, August 2015 (exact date in August has not been set yet)
TIME: TBA Registration
TBA – Shotgun Start
Lunch in the Downstairs dining room following the conclusion of the tournament.

ENTRY FEE: \$65.00 per person (Includes Cart, Range Balls, Mulligans, Putting contest, and luncheon after the tournament.)

FORMAT: 4 person scramble – Prizes will be awarded for first, second & third place, closest to the pin, longest drive and putting contest. There will also be a raffle for prizes.

Proceeds from the tournament will go toward summer instructional camps, clinics, equipment and uniforms.

REGISTRATION FORM

Team Members Names

1. _____ phone number _____
2. _____ phone number _____
3. _____ phone number _____
4. _____ phone number _____

Registration form and money may be mailed to;

Coach Anthony Troutman
1100 Red Devil Way
Lakeland, Fl., 33815

We are a 501C3 organization in which our certificate number is: 85-8015507056C-0, expiration date 11/30/2015

Checks are to be made payable to KHS Football. You may pay the Day of the Tournament as long as you notify Coach Troutman by Thursday July 30th to confirm your team's registration. If you have any questions or to confirm your registration please call **Coach Troutman at (863)286-6767**. Thank you for supporting Kathleen High School Football!!!



**2015 Kathleen High School
Football Golf Tournament
August 2015 at Huntington Hills Golf and Country Club**

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This is our 11th annual golf tournament which is our biggest fundraiser and we would love your support in whatever way you feel lead to support. The funds we raise help us take care of equipment needs for our students that are a part of the Kathleen Football program. Your support is not only important but very much appreciated. We are a 501C3 organization in which our certificate number is: 85-8015507056C-0, expiration date 11/30/2015.

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Level of Sponsorship (please circle one) - \$35 \$60 \$85 \$500

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Contact Anthony Troutman (Tournament Coordinator) at 286-6767

Please remit your sponsorship and a copy of this form to:

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Attention Coach Troutman

Sponsorship deadline: July 30, 2015

Thanks for your support!