



# KIPP KING COLLEGIATE NEWSLETTER



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**H**appy New Year! We hope you enjoyed time with friends and family over the holidays and had some time to rest and rejuvenate also! Semester exams are a big priority this month for students and teachers! Exams compose between 10-15% of students' final Semester grades, so please make sure students get plenty of rest and eat healthy meals next week, in addition to studying nightly and minimizing distractions. School updates are posted monthly@

<http://www.kippbayarea.org/schools/king/approach> and our newspaper is updated weekly at [www.kippkingroar.com](http://www.kippkingroar.com). Check it out!

**SAVE THE DATE**

## Testing

**1/28 Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT )** for Juniors/Seniors. Please register online for off-site testing.

Mr. Allums will offer **free SAT Prep classes** from 9:30-12:30 every Saturday until June 2 @ King (except during breaks).

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**1/11-1/13**-Semester 1 Final Exams  
**Week of 1/23**-Semester 1 Report Cards are sent home with students and via mail

**2/3**-KKC Orchestra Concert @ the KSA Multipurpose Room from 7-10 pm

**2/10**-Winter Dance @ the Marina Community Center from 7-10 pm

## MEETINGS

**2/2 KIPP Family Association**  
All are welcome at 6 pm in the cafeteria to discuss upcoming school needs and activities. Meetings are the first Thursday of every month.

## KING FAMILY ASSOCIATION (KFA)-Fundraising Updates

Parents put on several fundraisers this fall to support the school. If you contribute time, effort, or donations—thank you!

## (Fundraising Updates Cont'd)

- The **October Parent Dinner Dance** raised \$1,390.00 for the Senior Trip.
- The **December Posada** raised \$1,136.00 for the Senior Trip.
- The **Nature's Vision Catalog Sale** raised \$504.80 for the Senior Trip and the KFA.
- The **Fresh and Easy Fundraiser** has raised \$278.58 to date. If you still have receipts from 12/14 purchases there, please bring them to the main office!

## SEMESTER EXAMS

Students will take cumulative exams in every core academic class next week! Each exam is two hours long. We will dismiss students early at 1:20 from Tuesday-Friday to allow additional study time. There will still be optional office hours from 1:20-3:00 each day. Please make arrangements for students to leave school after 3 pm.

**Monday**-Regular Schedule & Dismissal

**Tuesday**- Period 1 & 2 Exams

- 1:20 Dismissal
- Office Hours until 3:00

**Wednesday**-Periods 3 & 4 Exams

- 1:20 Dismissal
- Office Hours until 3:00

**Thursday**-Periods 5 & 6 Exams

- 1:20 Dismissal
- Office Hours until 3:00

**Friday**-Period 7 Exam& QuarterGames

- 1:20 Dismissal
- No Office Hours, but there is detention!

## GO LIONS! KKC BASKETBALL

Basketball season has started! Help us cheer on our basketball teams to another season of success at these upcoming games! All families and students are welcome. See attached schedules on back!

## EVENTS

Our Arts Department is hosting the first show of the year. The **Winter Show** will take place on Friday February 3, 2012 at 6pm at KIPP Summit Academy. The evening will showcase art work, theatrical acts, a music concert, and a dance show. Come out to support our talented students, and enjoy a fun evening in great company.

## (Events Cont'd)

On the evening of Friday, February 10th, KKC will be hosting their **Winter Dance--- the "Sweet Escape"**! The theme of the dance is CandyLand, so bring your sweet tooth! It will be at the Marina Community Center from 7-10 pm.

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

*Please call the office at 510 317 2330 for more information about volunteering at King!*

**Daily**-We need volunteers to help with traffic in the mornings & afternoons and lunchtime helpers!

**February Dance- "Sweet Escape"**- Donations of candy, cookies, small water bottles and parent chaperones are needed.

Are you interested in helping to lead an event this year? Please contact Ms. Belden at 510-529-9373.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

The following prides are heading out on service trips throughout the community in January and February. We would love to have you join your students and their pride whenever you are available. Please contact your student's pride leader for more information.

**1/7**

Kim/B. Thompson – Glide  
Marian – Oakland Parks and Rec  
Machado – Salem Lutheran Home

**1/21**

P. Thompson – Hope 4 the Heart  
Trudeau – Salem Lutheran Home  
McNulty – Parks and Rec

**1/28**

Caraballo – Parks and Rec  
LeBlanc – Glide  
Mounger – Glide

**2/4**

Bording – Salem Lutheran Home  
Buchsbbaum – Glide  
Goehring – Glide  
B. Thompson – Oakland Parks and Rec

**2/11**

Diamond – Glide  
Marian – Glide

Ashour – Salem Lutheran Home  
Kangas – Oakland Parks and Rec