

THE KOZAK'S KORNER



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KIS CONSTRUCTION PROJECT

Dear Parents-

Last week, I took a walk through the construction project in front of our building. It was so satisfying to see how far along we are and to be able to get a good picture of what we will have when the whole project is complete. As we are at our mid-point of the year and so at the mid-point of the project, I wanted to share a bit about what you will see when all is complete:

2nd Floor: The space where the old dramatorium was will be taken up by just the stage of the new auditorium; this means that the depth of the stage will be more than twice what it was before, and we will gain several meters on either side in width. The auditorium will have new entrances built that enter at the front of the stage, and will also have an emergency exit staircase at the back of the auditorium. The auditorium will have a total of about 350 seats, or more than triple what our old dramatorium was able to seat.

On either side of the auditorium we will have some new classroom space; our plan at this point is to have the music classes on one side and the art classes on the other side. We will also have new toilets on that second floor to increase access to this particular necessity.



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Calendar of Events

February

- 2-5 — HS Math Counts CEESA—Moscow, Russia
- 2-5 — HS Speech and Debate CEESA—Baku, Azerbaijan
- 3 — MS Valentines Dance 6:30-9:30 pm
- 3-4 — Knowledge Bowl CEESA @ KIS
- 4 — PTO Bingo Night @ 5:00 pm
- 15 — University Representative from Ecole Hoteliere de Lausanne visiting KIS
- 20 — NHS Induction Ceremony @ 7:00 pm
- 22 — Parent Teacher Conferences (student led) 8:00 am—5:00 pm
- 22 — 3rd Quintile Ends
- 22 — PTO General Meeting
- 23-24 — February Break—No School

March

- 1 — PTO Board Meeting
- 8 — International Women's Day—No School
- 24 — End of Term 2
- 27 — Term 3 Begins
- 29 — PTO General Meeting

April

- 5 — PTO Board Meeting
- 7 — KIS ARTfest
- 8 — ACT
- 8 — PTO Gala Dinner
- 17-21 — Spring Break—No School

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One classroom (currently Mrs. Bateman's classroom) will be expanded a little bit so that it will have a skylight and windows for natural light coming in.

1st floor: On the right hand side of the building (facing the building from the parking lot), will be the main office area. The business office will have a new, expanded space, and the director's office will be right next to it. Our registrar will have a new expanded area adjoining a new conference room that will be about twice the size of the old conference room (Natasha's old office). The remainder of the 1st floor will be taken up by a largely expanded reception area which will also include more toilets and also storage for supplies. We have a couple of other smaller office areas that we will be able to use for other purposes, including having a space for our PTO.

At this point, the entire area is closed in and roofed, windows are installed and insulation is beginning to be installed. The interior walls are in place, though of course the finish work is not complete at this time. Of course, there is still a great deal of work to be done, but when you walk through, it is easy to see the progress and how this space will look by the time it is done.

We are excited about the prospect of the new opportunities that this space will provide. I have been pleasantly surprised that there hasn't been a lot of disruption as a result of this work, but at the same time we recognize that we've all needed to make some adjustments during this construction phase. But it will all be worth it when we see the final product.

~Eben Plese, KIS Director



Elementary Korner

Mr. Finkbeiner's 10 Year Olds

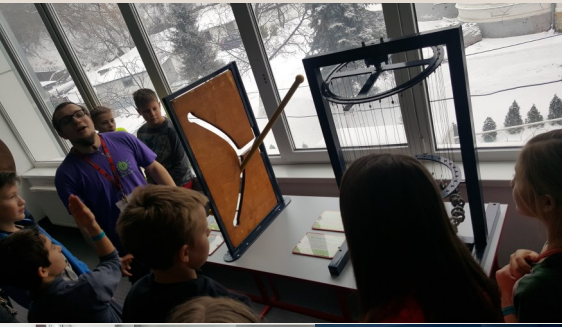
Our class is currently reading "The Westing Game"; it is a murder mystery with exciting twists, historical parallels, and symbolism. Bringing real world experiences into the classroom is so important, in this case, bringing in what police would do as they conduct investigations. I am sure their flow charts are a little neater, but the students have had a great time, analyzing, arguing their points and connecting evidence. This has been a great experience for them, making connections, creating timelines with parallels, inferring motives, and making comparisons in literature.



Middle School Korner

Science 11 Make Waves at the Experimentarium!

Last Friday, students for Ilyo Science got the chance to visit the Experimentarium in beautiful, downtown Podil, capping off a half-year of hard work focusing on the Physical Sciences. From creating water tunnels to the chaotic pendulum, to distortion mirrors, to splitting light - students had a fun time revisiting a lot of the time honored favorites, but with the advantage of understanding a bit more about their mechanics. A great time was had by all and a splendid way to finish off their last day of Science!



MS STUCO



VALENTINE'S DAY CANDYGRAMS

February 6- 10

Sold next to the snackbar

20 UAH each



Delivery on Feb. 14

Secondary School Korner

Game OverNight



Game Overnight Schedule

- GATHER TOGETHER 7:00 - 7:30 P.M.**
At Old Gym
- SPORTS EXTRAVAGANZA 7:30 - 9:30 P.M.**
Football and Basketball in New Gym
Volleyball and Free Gym in Old gym
- DINNER 9:30 - 10:00 P.M.**
Pizzas distributed at Gym Top Snackbar!!
Big Game
- BIG GAMES AT OLD GYM 10:00 - 12:00 A.M.**
Big Game
Push up / Chair Sit / Plank
Musical Chairs
Sleeping bag contest
- MINI GAMES 12:00 - 3:00 A.M.**
Truth or Dare (Room 1305)
Cards of Memory (Room 1302B)
FIFA (Room 1402)
Twitter (Room 1303)
Monopoly (Room 1302A)
Mafia (Room 1404)
Charades (Room 1303A)
- DAWN DELIGHTS 3:00 - 6:00 A.M.**
Made at New Gym
Sleeping Room at Multi-Purpose Room
FIFA (Room 1402)
- GAME OVERNIGHT OVER 6:30-7:00 A.M.**
Students need to leave the school



LOE Korner

German School Exchange—More Students Involved

A group of 36 KIS German students visited the German School in Kyiv (Deutsche Schule Kiew – DSK) on January, 25th and 26th and joined their assigned German partner students in their regular classes. In math, for example, our students learned and made a presentation about congruency of triangles – all in German – which was hard for them but also quite impressive!

On 1st of February we received a big group of German students at KIS in return, they were welcomed by their KIS partner students and enjoyed the day together.



KIS and DSK students presenting on carmaker Porsche – a possible future employer?

Say “Cheeeese” before leaving DSK!



Preparing for Valentine's Day together with the Germans.

Fun and fancy hats on a snowy winter day at DSK.

Sports Korner

HS/MS Basketball Schedule

Dear Parents,

Here is the link to this year's MS/HS Basketball Schedule. The format this year will be a google document that we hope is easier to read, and find. Please note that this is a working document and changes will occur throughout the season. If you print a copy those changes will not be noticed come game time so please refer to the online document only.

https://docs.google.com/a/ukr.qsi.org/document/d/10NNZuyR5w9qmhk-iEhs1E2s0pxyowm0_WmoZ0iSmKqM/edit?usp=sharing

You will see location maps at the end of the document in case you would like to show your support for our teams on the road.

Thank you for your support,
Marty Curry



For Parents of Athletes

Dear Parents,

It is so nice to see you come to the school to cheer your child on and the KIS teams as we compete in our various sports leagues.

While doing so I would like to ask that you respect the boundaries of the player coach relationship and find a place in the gym that you can cheer the team on without being a distraction to your child or the coach. We have ample spectator areas in both gyms and on the soccer pitch so there is no need to sit with the team on the bench.

While at the game please keep the following guidelines in mind. You are there to support your child and the team, not to coach the team or assist in refereeing the game. Sit back and enjoy the wonderful work our student athletes are doing on the court and the pitch.

Thanks again for your support.

<http://www.catholiccincinnati.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/10-Things-Parents-REVISED.pdf>

Marty Curry

Junior Basketball for 5-10 Year Olds

Dear Parents,

There will be Junior basketball program this Saturday February 04 from 10:00-12:00.
Following dates: February 04, 18, March 11,18, 2017

Kind regards,

Anatoly
Junior Basketball Coordinator
093-207-48-90

Age	Time	Event
9-10 y.o (boys & girls)	10:00-11:00	Basketball Training School (Red gym)
5-6-7-8 (boys & girls)	10:00-11:00	Basketball Training School (Black gym)
9-10y.o class-boys + girls	11:00-12:00	League/Games (Red gym)
7-8y.o class boys +girls	11:00-12:00	League/Games (Black gym)

PTO Korner PTO Bingo Night

FAMILY BINGO NIGHT

**SATURDAY
FEBRUARY 4**

5:00 PM

**VALUABLE
PRIZES PLUS
RAFFLE**

**PRICE OF TICKET 150 UAH/PACKET
(4 CARDS/8 GAMES)**

**COME AND
JOIN US FOR
A NIGHT OF
SUPER FUN**

**HOSTED BY THE PTO
IN KIS CAFETERIA
DOORS OPEN AT 4:30 - COME
EARLY TO BUY FOOD**

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House/Apartment Renovation Services. Trustworthy, hardworking. Will get any job done. Anything from dry wall, painting, wall-papering, electricity, heated floors, etc. to built-in furniture and things that need to be fixed around the house. Fluent in English, Russian, Ukrainian. Please call Vadim at: 098-777-3554

Experienced tutor for elementary and middle school students Available. Familiar with the QSI Curriculum. . Please call 063 563 8090.

Experienced Tutor for: Middle and High school Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry. Also can help with English and Spanish. Familiar with the QSI Curriculum. Please call: 095-216-2874 (Mr. Ivan Salazar)

Piano Lessons - for children and adults. 30 year Expiriens from 5 year and older. Contact: [050 6145017](tel:0506145017), [e-mail:vshtepa@online.ua](mailto:vshtepa@online.ua)

Babysitter/Housekeeper is available. Professional, responsible and trustworthy. Great with kids of all ages! Also can help with education, housekeeping (grocery shopping, cooking, cleaning, laundry, ironing). She has several years of experience. She speaks Russian and Ukrainian. English translation is possible. Contact Olga 096 499 60 36.

Reliable Housekeeper/ Cook or Nanny Available. Lyuba is a hard-working, responsible and diligent person. She is a 41 y.old mother of three daughters and knows how to take care of the kids and the house. Lyuba grew up in a family of the priest and is an honest person. She speaks Russian & Ukrainian. You may contact Lyuba at 068 980 42 69. For more info in English, please call Ksenia: 063 856 33 48

Babysitter/Housekeeper is available. Professional, responsible and trustworthy. Great with kids of all ages! Also can help with housekeeping (grocery shopping, cooking, cleaning, laundry, ironing). She has several years of experience. She speaks Russian and Ukrainian. English translation is possible. Contact Tatyana at 098-432-1500.

Nanny/Babysitter/Substitute Nanny, Tutor. Cook/Housekeeper/ Cleaning lady /Substitute if needed. I have almost 10 years of experience working for expat's families. I am a responsible, reliable, kind and positive person. Can also take care of your pets and plants. I speak Ukrainian, Russian and fluent English. University degree. Full or part time job is considered. References upon request. Please contact me by e-mail: ovi55@ukr.net or phone : 093 862 66 32. Olga

Housekeeper Available. Reliable, trustworthy, hardworking. Will help with anything that needs to be done. Fluent in English, Russian and Ukrainian. Has experience working with KIS Families. Please contact Natasha directly: 096-960-1797 or 066-133-6473.

Housekeeper Available. Experience 2 years. Responsible, punctual. Happy to be useful. Tetyana 098 124 00 28.

Nanny/ Babysitter Available. Larissa Zaleska looking for a babysitting job. Over 18 years experience with American families, and worked in a German family. Worked with newborn children and children of preschool age. Larissa is honest, enthusiastic and reliable. She speaks some English and fluent in Russian and Ukrainian. Larissa is looking for fulltime work, or part time work. Cell 067 4657081.

Nanny/ Housekeeper. 0993142882 Kristina.

Housekeeper Available. Ilona 096 96 20 437.

Housekeeper Available. Oksana. tel.0992229753.

Driver Available. Own car. 0637669666 Danylo.

Family driver is looking for a job. I have 13 years of experience, including 5 years as family driver. Responsible, punctual, know the city well. I have a recommendation letter. Languages: Russian, Ukrainian, and basic English. My cell phone number is 0984685350

Driver Available. BCD category, 23years of experience, speaking English, have experience of driving VIP cars as private driver, have a family a little son, very industrious and punctual my phone 0951012987.

Personal/Family driver available. 5 years of experience. Calm and accident-free driving. Ukrainian, Russian, English with a dictionary. Ready for trips out of the town and across Ukraine. Car: Toyota Corolla 2006 or yours. [+380935594667](tel:+380935594667), sola_sistim@ukr.net.

Bodyguard/Driver Available. I am responsible, reliable, trustworthy and hardworking person. Have experience of driving ABCD category over 6 years, including VIP cars. Working in families as a private driver and bodyguard. Without bad habits. Speak Ukrainian/ Russian – fluent, English – basic. Have a family and a little daughter. Dima (068) 402-83-93 or mostovenko7@gmail.com

House for Rent in Nyvky area, 10 min driving to KIS, Sherbakova street. Fully furnished and equipped, 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms. 5000 usd + tax (in case of bank transfer). No commission from Tenant. // Pechersk area, Tsar's village, Reuta street. House 470 sq.m., 5 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms. Unfurnished, fully equipped. First floor – kitchen, big living room with fire place, dining room with terrace, wardrobes, bathroom, washing room. Second floor – 5 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, wardrobes. Plot – 800 sq.m. House for security. 6000 usd, plus all monthly charges. No commission from tenant. Please call 050 4469357 for viewings.

All Apartments for Rent Near Golden Gate Area. 5 room - Jaroslavov Val, 15 - 185 sq.m, 2 wc. // 2 room - Streletskay, 13 - 87 sq.m - near Norway Embassy. price - 1000 USD http://fn.ua/user/_newedit.php?ad_id=3435398 // 2 room - Streletskaya, 13 - 78 sq.m - Price 1100 EURO // House - Petropavlovskay Borshagovka, Mira Str., 350 sq.m - price 2300 USD http://fn.ua/user/_newedit.php?ad_id=10064290. Contact: Victoria Shtepa [+ 380 50 6145017](tel:+380506145017), or [+ 380 951941040](tel:+380951941040), e- mail:vshtepa@online.ua

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Do you know that...Drinking too much tea, hot chocolate and coffee can upset your absorption of some vitamins and minerals. There is no need to give up these beverages-there is some evidence that a cup or two each day can be uplifting and enjoyable-but it is best to drink them away from main meals. Mind that drinking coffee under 18 years of age is forbidden. Be bright, eat right!

Breakfast 7:45 to 10:00	1 st Snack (first break)	Lunch 10:50 to 14:00							2 ^d Snack (second break)	PRESCHOOL		
		MENU 1	MENU 2	DIET	FISH & VEGETARIAN MENU	SALAD BAR MENU	Set Menu	Breakfast 9:00		LUNCH 12:00 to 12:40	2 ^d Snack 14:30	
2d School Week of the Month												
MONDAY												
Muesli & Yoqurt	Cheese Sandwich	Chicken BBQ	Goulvash	Beef Cutlet	Fish with Special Sauce	Tomatoes Cucumbers Assortment of Green Salads	Chicken BBQ (80gr)	Baquette	Yoqurt Fantasy	Beef Cutlet	Vanilla Sponge Cake	
Ham & Cheese Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Yoqurt Cherry Tomatoes	Mexican Rice Bulgarian Sopsky Salad	Penne Riqate Pickled Cabbage Salad	Barley Porridge Steamed Vegetables Four Seasons Soup	Ravioli with Cheese Grilled Vegetables Four Seasons Soup	Eggs Onion Rings	Rice Beet Sticks + Corn Fruit	Soft Cheese Tomatoes Lettuce	Apple Carrots	Penne Riqate Tomatoes Four Seasons Soup	Juice	
Omelet & Eggs	Pepper	Four Seasons Soup	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Wholemeal bread with seeds	White Bread	Celery	White Bread	Grapes		White Bread		
Fruits	Plums	White Bread Green tea with Lemon	Juice	Compote	Compote Vanilla Sponge Cake	Beet Sticks Corn	Water	Juice		Compote		
Vegetables	Apple	Vanilla Sponge Cake	Yoghurt	Fruit								
Juices & Tea	Berries								243kcal	622kcal	333kcal	
TUESDAY												
Muesli & Yoqurt	Muesli	Chicken Brochette	Sausages	Baked Turkey Breast Wheat Porridge "Artek"	Wisconsin Fish	Tomatoes Cucumbers Assortment of Green Salads	Chicken Brochette (80gr) Mashed Potatoes	Pizza	CheeseCake	Baked Turkey Breast	Waffles with Jam	
Ham & Cheese	Milk	Couscous	Mashed Potatoes	Steamed Vegetables	Cabbage Crepes	Scrambled Eggs	Carrots	Cucumber		Mashed Potatoes	Hibiscus Tea	
Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Fruits	Pasta Salad	Carrots With Raisins	Grilled Vegetables	Grilled Vegetables	Black Olives	Fruit	Pepper	Fruits/Grapes	Cucumbers+ Egg		
Omelet & Eggs	Nuts	Peas Soup	Buckwheat Soup	Buckwheat Soup	Buckwheat Soup	White Bread	White Bread	an Apple		Buckwheat Soup		
Fruits	Water	White Bread Hibiscus Tea	Juice	Compote	Compote	Celery Carrots	Water	Bonaqua 0,5		Compote Wholemeal bread with seeds		
Vegetables												
Juices & Tea		Waffles with Jam	Yoghurt	Fruit	Waffles with Jam	Corn			344kcal	595kcal	340kcal	
WEDNESDAY												
Muesli & Yoqurt	Croissant with Cheese	Lasagna	Lula - Kebab	Boiled Chicken	Fish fingers with Tar-tar Sauce	Tomatoes Cucumbers Assortment of Green Salads	Lula - Kebab (80gr) Provincial Potatoes	Peach	Oatmeal Cookies	Lula - Kebab	Cheesecake	
Ham & Cheese Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Yoqurt Jivinka	Italian Salad	Salad Stoliczniy	Rice Steamed Vegetables	Vegetarian Lasagna	Cheese Sweet Pepper	Green Salad Fruit	Cornflax Activia 290ml	Apple Carrots	Provincial Potatoes Steamed Broccoli+ Corn	Fruit Tea	
Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Grapes			Vegetable Soup	Grilled Vegetables							
Omelet & Eggs	Tomatoes	Kharcho Soup	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Vegetable Soup	White Bread	White Bread	Bonaqua 0,5		Vegetable Soup		
Fruits	Pepper	White Bread	Juice	Compote	White Bread	Celery	White Bread			White Bread		
Vegetables	Water	Fruits Tea		Fruit Tea	Fruit Tea	Broccoli	Water			Compote		
Juices & Tea		Cheesecake	Fruit, Yoghurt	Fruit	Cheesecake	Corn			398kcal	688kcal	324kcal	
THURSDAY												
Muesli & Yoqurt	Chicken Sandwich	Chicken crouton Lollipopos	Sweet & Sour Beef	Steamed Meat Beef	Milanese Fish	Tomatoes Cucumbers Assortment of Green Salads	Steamed Meat Balls (veal) (80gr) Rice	Cheese President	Toast with Cheese	Chicken crouton Lollipopos	Pie with Fruits	
Ham & Cheese Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Cucumbers	Fussily	Rice	Buckwheat Steamed Vegetables Clear Chicken Soup	Vareniki with Potatoes	Eggs	Green Peas Fruit	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Apple	Rice	Tea with Lemon	
Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Pepper	Mixed Salad	Korean carrots	Grilled Vegetables	Grilled Vegetables	Red Beans		Cherry Tomatoes	Carrots	Paprika + Egg Potatoes cream Soup		
Omelet & Eggs	an Apple	Potatoes cream Soup	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Potatoes cream Soup	White Bread	White Bread	Green Salad	Paprika	White Bread		
Fruits	Carrots	White Bread	Juice	Compote	White Bread	Celery Green Peas Cabbage Carrots Corn	Water	Pear		White Bread		
Vegetables	Bonaqua 0,5	Chamomile Tea	Lemonade	Fruit Tea	Tea with Lemon			Bonaqua 0,5		Compote		
Juices & Tea		Pie with Fruits	Fruit, Yoghurt	Fruit	Pie with Fruits				245kcal	720kcal	215kcal	
HAPPY FRIDAY												
Muesli & Yoqurt	Sponge Cake with Apple	Chicken Nuggets	Cheeseburger	Baked Chicken Breast	Fish Balls	Tomatoes Cucumbers Assortment of Green Salads	Baked Turkey Breast (80gr) Buckwheat	Cottage Cheese Pancakes	Yoqurt Actimel	Chicken Nuggets	Muffin	
Ham & Cheese	Actimel	Pasta Al-Pesto	French Fries	Rice	Eggplants with Carrots	Eggs	Rice Red Cabbage Salad + Egg Fruit	Jam	Apple	Farfalle	Fruit Tea	
Bread & Buns & Pancakes	Pear	Green Salad with Pomegranate	Salad Starokievskiy	Steamed Vegetables Home-made Noodle Soup	Grilled Vegetables	Onion		Grapes	Carrots/Eggs	Cucumbers+ Carrots + Salad		
Omelet & Eggs	Cucumbers	Borsch	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Borsch	Celery	Wholemeal bread with seeds	Yoqurt Jivinka	Pear	Borsch		
Fruits	Bonaqua 0,5	White Bread	Juice	Compote	White Bread	Red Cabbage Beet Sticks Corn	Water	Bonaqua 0,5		White Bread		
Vegetables		Earl Gray Tea with Lemon	Lemonade	Fruit Tea	Fruit Tea					Lemonade		
Juices & Tea		Meringues	Fruit, Yoghurt	Fruit	Meringues				191kcal	822kcal	173kcal	