



COLT CONNECTION

Kelly Mill Elementary Information Express

DECEMBER 16, 2021



PRINCIPALS CORNER

'Tis the season for holiday celebrations, spending time with loved ones, and making memories. I hope that you and your family have a wonderful holiday break.



As we welcome in a new year, we also welcome back more parents into our building, including Watch Dogs and Mentors. If you have thought about volunteering your time as a mentor, please reach out to one of our Kelly Mill counselors.

- Michael Burbrink: mburbrink@forsyth.k12.ga.us
- Terri Hadley: thadley@forsyth.k12.ga.us
- Natalie Guetani: nquetani@forsyth.k12.ga.us

Thank you for partnering with us this first semester. We look forward to seeing everyone on January 6th, 2022!

Your Principal,
Ron

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SAVE THE DATE

KME Spirit Night Out at Outback Steakhouse
Wednesday, January 19, 2022



CAFÉ' MENUS BREAKFAST & LUNCH

Click [here](#) to view the menu options for December.



KME CAFÉ NOW OPEN FOR PARENTS

Reserve your spot, please click on the link below. Please contact your child's teacher for their specific lunch time.



- **Monday:** Student Last Name **A-E**
- **Tuesday:** Student Last Name **F-J**
- **Wednesday:** Student Last Name **K-O**
- **Thursday:** Student Last Name **P-T**
- **Friday:** Student Last Name **U-Z**

<https://forms.office.com/r/iQs4YrhkBK>

This form will only accept responses up to 9:00 AM daily.

DATES TO REMEMBER

School-wide Sing-Along and Last Day of School before Winter Break
Tuesday, December 21, 2021

Winter Break
December 22-31, 2021

Student/Staff Holiday
Monday, January 3, 2022

Professional Development (Student Holiday)
Tuesday, January 4, 2022

SPELLING BEE Winner

Congratulations to Kelly Mill's 2021-22 Spelling Bee winner Aarna A. (pictured right) and runner-up Ronak K. (pictured left).



IMPRESSIONS ART CONTEST

Theme for 2021-2022: **"My Happiest Memory"**



Using the theme "My Happiest Memory" create a piece of artwork through writing, dance, photography or other visual artwork mediums.

Mon, Jan 31, 2022 through Fri, Feb 4, 2022

Deadline for entries: February 4th, 2022

Drop-off entries January 31st through February 4th to the Impressions box near the front office. Visual Art and Photography entries need to be wrapped in clear plastic to ensure its protection.

All submissions are due by Friday, February 3rd. Fill out one [Student entry form](#) per artwork entry. Let your creativity shine while creating artwork from your happiest memories!

HOLIDAY FUN WEEK!

Calling all Colts! Please join in on any of the FUN activities below (totally optional, of course).



Monday, December 20th
Favorite Holiday Character

Tuesday, December 21st
PJs/Sing Along Fun!



FORSYTH COUNTY SCHOOLS

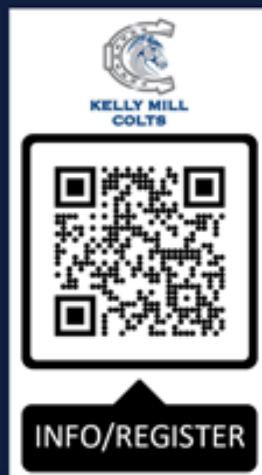
TECHNOLOGY COMPETITION

A Technology Fair for Grades 3-5



**REGISTRATION IS OPEN UNTIL JANUARY 14TH.
PROJECT SUBMISSION WINDOW JAN. 15-21**

Visit forsyth.k12.ga.us/Page50113 for details



KELLY MILL ELEMENTARY PRESENTS

The Greatipity Project

THE GREATEST GIFT



December's theme is *The Greatest Gift*.

Display your creativity through artwork, music, poetry, writing, or video (60 sec. or less) showing *The Greatest Gift*.

Work entered by Dec. 17th will be digitally showcased on our webpage.

Check out November entries on our webpage.

Scan for Entry Form



Submission Steps:

1. Sign in to *Classlink*
2. Open the *Microsoft 365* app (verify you are signed in as a student)
3. Scan the QR code to submit your entry

*One entry per student please.

#InspireWestForsyth



LOST AND FOUND ITEMS

All lost and found items will be placed on the front walkway on clothing racks this **Thursday 12/16 and Friday 12/17 from 7:00AM – 2:00 PM.** Please feel free to come by and take a peek, as all items will be donated to charity on Monday, December 21st.

2022/2023 OUT-OF-DISTRICT REQUEST PROCESS

Out-of-district requests for the 2022/2023 school year may be submitted **December 1, 2021 - January 14, 2022.** The January 14th deadline does not apply to employees of Forsyth County Schools or families moving within Forsyth County.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Students with an approved out-of-district may remain at the currently approved school without submitting an annual request as long as the original reason for the request remains the same.



[Out of District Process for Redistricted Students 2022/2023](#)

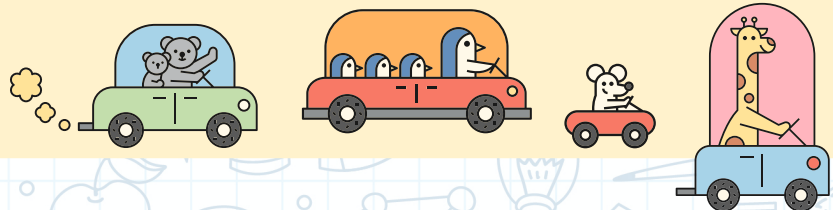
[List of schools UNABLE to approve requests for the 2022/2023 school year.](#)

CARPOOL ETIQUETTE AT KME

We have experienced an increasing number of parents and students getting out of their cars at various points in the morning car rider line and crossing through traffic. There is typically an increase toward the end of the time frame, which suggests parents are concerned about being tardy. This growing number of people on foot creates an unsafe environment and even longer delays in the car line.

We would like to remind our Colts to stay in their cars until they arrive at the front of the school to exit their vehicles. For safety reasons, we ask that you refrain from parking and walking your student up to school whenever possible (ex: carrying large items). We thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

– Your Kelly Mill Administration Team



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