



COLT CONNECTION

Kelly Mill Elementary Information Express | Established 2012

APRIL 14 2022

PRINCIPALS CORNER

Kelly Mill celebrates its 10-year anniversary by becoming a Cognia STEM-certified school! Thank you to every Colt Family member who has helped make this a reality.



Check out our STEM website: <https://sites.google.com/forsythk12.org/kmestem/home>



I am honored to serve as your Principal. Please let me know if there is anything I can do to help.

Sincerely,

Ron

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CAFÉ' MENUS BREAKFAST & LUNCH

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



DATES TO REMEMBER

Earth Day
Friday, April 22, 2022

KME Spirit Night
@ Pies on Post
April 27

Milestones Week – Grades 3&5
April 22 – 29, 2022

Milestones Week – Grades 4
May 2 – 6, 2022



KELLY MILL SPIRIT NIGHT

Stop by Pies on Post for dine-in or takeout to support our school on **Wednesday, April 27, 2022**. Call for take out at **470-695-4164**.



Scan to Submit



Creativity Project

April's Theme

Kelly Mill

Our school is amazing! Take a moment to describe what makes Kelly Mill so great! Display your creativity through artwork, music, poetry, writing, or video (60 seconds or less). Submit your work by April 29th and we will display it on our Creativity Project webpage.

Submission Steps:

Sign in to Classlink

Open Microsoft 365 app

Scan the QR code to submit your entry

FRESHLY BAKED COOKIES FOR SALE EACH WEEK!

Attention Colts, we have a sweet treat for YOU! Beginning Thursday, March 31st, each grade level will have the opportunity to purchase freshly baked chocolate chip cookies as a special treat. Cookies will be sold for **\$1.00**, and money will be collected each Thursday for preorder purchase. Our student chefs will then get to work baking, packaging, and delivering your sweet treat on Friday afternoons. All proceeds will go to benefit our Autism program at Kelly Mill!

Please bring your cookie money on the scheduled dates below:

March 31st	Fifth Grade
April 14th	Fourth Grade
April 21st	Third Grade
April 28th	Second Grade
May 5th	First Grade
May 12th	Kindergarten

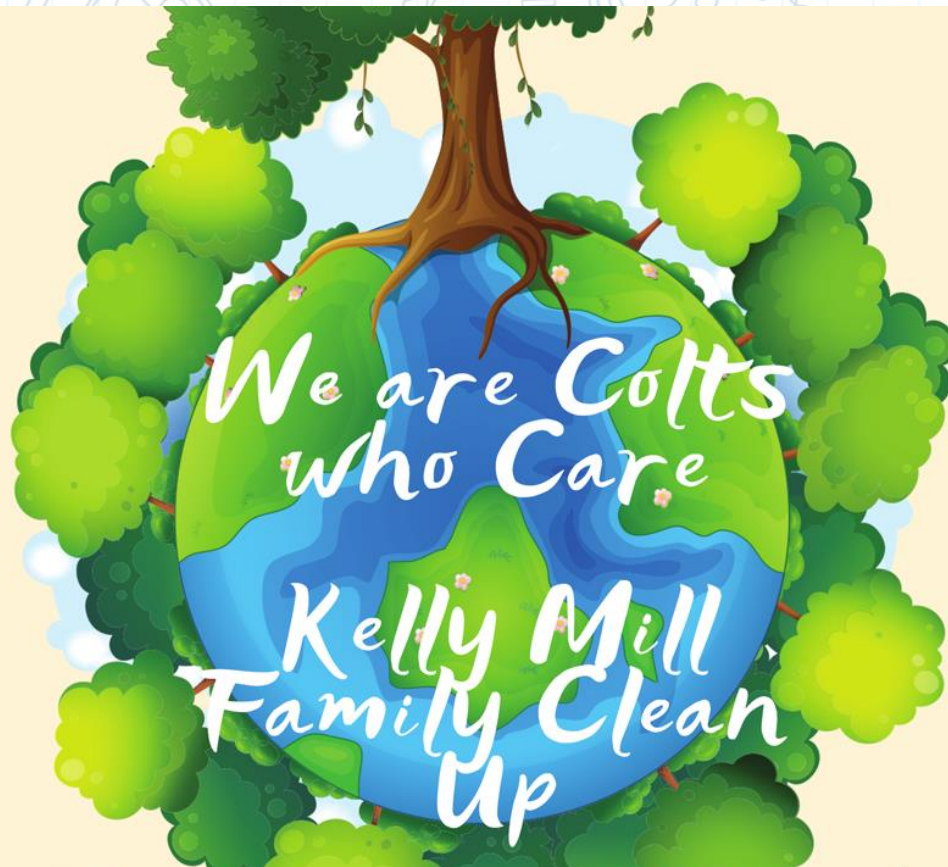


Cookies will be delivered to your classroom the following Friday!

Nutrition and Allergy Information: Cookie dough is pre-made, pre-portioned Otis Spunkmeyer, chocolate chip. Dough is Forsyth County Schools approved.

*Contains Wheat, Soy, Egg, Milk. Processed in a facility with peanuts and tree nuts.

Ingredients: Whole Wheat Flour, Sugar, Bleached Wheat Flour (Wheat Flour enriched with Niacin, Iron, Thiamine Mononitrate, Riboflavin, and Folic Acid), Semi-Sweet Chocolate Chips (Sugar, Unsweetened Chocolate, Cocoa Butter, Soy Lecithin, Natural Vanilla Extract), Water, Margarine (Soybean and Hydrogenated Soybean Oils, Water, Salt, Mono- and Diglycerides, Soy Lecithin, Sodium Benzoate [Preservative], Natural and Artificial Flavor, Colored with Beta Carotene, and Vitamin A Palmitate added), Brown Sugar, Contains less than 2% of Chicory Fiber, Molasses, High Fructose Corn Syrup, Apples, Natural Soybean Oil, Soy Lecithin, Salt, Sodium Acid Pyrophosphate, Food Starch Modified, Monocalcium Phosphate, Whole Eggs, Dairy Whey



Friday, April 22nd
from 3-4pm
and
Saturday, April 23rd
from 8-10am

Click on the link or scan the QR code to sign up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090445aaa823a57-earth>



If you have any questions,
send an email to
lfedorchuk@forsyth.k12.ga.us.





Career Day Live!

Hello Colts! We are looking for volunteers to share information about their careers to our students and staff *virtually* or *in person* for Career Day Live. Here is some information to get you started:

When is Career Day Live?

May 13, 2022 from 8- 10:30 a.m.

How do I sign up?

Go to the link below and sign up on the google doc. Mrs. Guetarni will follow up with those who have signed up to provide them with more information.

Career Day Live link:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSelfuN8biRmRebAXBYIqnCzVZj9x_voMdbrrNKYVlJgU1OsRw/viewform

Contact Natalie Guetarni if you have any questions.

nguetarni@forsyth.k12.ga.us/ 404-965-4953 ext.440364



STEM ITEMS NEEDED

We are looking to restock our Kelly Mill Elementary STEM Closet. This is a supply room for all students to use in upcoming projects and competitions.

Please consider donating the following items. Turn these into the front office labeled STEM Closet. The students thank you!

- paper towel/toilet paper tubes
- empty and clean egg cartons
- masking tape
- painting tape
- duct tape
- empty shoe boxes
- old fabric
- empty coffee cans
- newspaper
- Legos for donation
- string
- PVC pipes
- pool noodles
- empty/clean Pringles cans
- cereal boxes
- milk cartons with the cap (washed out and add a drop of bleach)

Have additional items you think we may need? Email:

lfedorchuk@forsyth.k12.ga.us

1st GRADE ANIMAL SHELTER DONATION DRIVE

Join us in helping our Forsyth County Animal Shelter. 1st grade has organized an animal shelter donation drive from **March 9th-April 18th**. Colt families please help us by sending in your donations.

See the wish list below:



WISH LIST

Our business hours for items to be donated

Tuesday-Saturday from 10:30am until 5:00pm

4065 County Way

Cumming, Ga 30028

If you may have any questions regarding our wish list or donation information please call us at **678-965-7185** and we can also be reached via email at animalshelterinfo@forsythco.com

FELINE NEEDS

- *Canned wet food; Friskies Pate style/ FancyFeast Kitten
- *Purina Kitten Chow
- *Cat toys, glitter balls, ping pong balls, etc.
- *Scoopable litter
- *Cushiony cat beds/fleece bedding
- *Litter boxes
- *Shoe boxes or other small boxes
- *Stretch & Scratch, stretchandscratch.com
- *KMR Kitten Milk Replacer Powder
- *Nursing bottles for kittens.
- *Baby Bottle brushes
- *Chicken & Turkey Gerber stage 1 baby food
- *Heating Pads (Please make sure they do not have the auto shut off feature)
- *Miracle Nipples

KENNEL COMFORTS

- *Towels, all sizes
- *Blankets/lightweight comforters
- *Puppy and kitten Kuranda beds/towers (kuranda.com)

SPECIAL and GIFT CARDS

- *Floor fans
- *Metal and plastic animal crates/kennels, all sizes
- *Gift cards; Have limited time to shop or not sure what to donate? Gift cards to local grocery stores, Amazon.com, WalMart, Target, Petco, and Petsmart are always welcome to purchase needed supplies.

DOGGIE NEEDS

- *Canned wet food; Purina One/ Pedigree brand Pate' style
- *Collars, nylon, and harnesses
- *KONG® toys
- *Leashes, 4 and 6-foot length (no retractable leashes)
- *Soft, moist dog treats
- *Slip-style rope leashes
- *Tennis balls
- *Peanut Butter (please make sure it does not have xylitol)

CLEANING TOOLS

- *32-oz spray bottles
- *Bleach
- *Brooms and "stand up/ butler dustpans"
- *Dawn dish soap
- *Hand sanitizer
- *Facial tissues ("Kleenex")
- *HE laundry detergent
- *Paper towels
- *Scouring pads/sponges

THANK YOU

We at the shelter thank you as well as our feline and canine friends!

Your donations will help our animals and we are thankful for your generosity.

Interested in the Dance Team for 22-23?

Scan here
Hendricks MS



Calling all rising 6th graders interested in being a part of the dance team at Hendricks Middle School! Next year we will have our first ever dance team!

The dance team will perform at basketball games and pep rallies and practice twice a week! If you would like more information about the dance team - please scan the QR code on the attached flyer!

If you have any questions please contact Coach Lemons at slemons@forsyth.k12.ga.us or follow **hendricks.dance** on Instagram!

MORNING MILE



The Morning Mile is returning to Kelly Mill. This is an amazing walk/running program where students will come out to the track 7:10 - 7:40AM on their designated morning starting Monday March 14th!

Students will first go to their classroom to check in with their homeroom teachers and leave any items, backpacks, water bottles. Students may then come to the track or the gym, depending on the weather, and run laps. At 7:30AM students who need breakfast will be dismissed. By 7:35AM we will begin cleaning up and recording laps with the goal of having all students on their way back to the classroom by 7:40AM.

For every five miles that a student completes they will receive a foot charm and necklace. (This program had been continuing as part of PE classes until now). All charms will be handed out when students come to PE.

Grade level running days are listed below. If parents are interested in helping to pass out straws and record laps, please use the links below to sign up for a day to volunteer. If you have any question please email Coach Warner. dwarner@forsyth.k12.ga.us

Mondays: K-1
Tuesdays: 2
Wednesdays: 3
Thursdays: 4
Friday: 5

March:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040a4aa5a72fa57-morning>

April (no spring break dates):
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4AA5A72FA57-april>



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