



# KHS Rocket Review

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## Principal Comments

It's not too late to get involved! Studies show that the more students are involved in extracurricular activities, the better their grades are in school. If your student is involved in anything after school, be sure to have conversations with them regarding their school day, and how their sport, club, or activity went. If your student isn't involved but would like to be there are plenty of opportunities to still get involved. We have spring sports that are going to start soon. Track, baseball, and softball are all getting ready for the opening practice. We have a spring play that is looking for students to get join. We have numerous after school clubs that students can still sign up for. Stop by or call the athletic office (532-1594) to sign up for spring sports. Stop by or call the counseling office (532-1593) to find out what clubs you can get involved in. Finish the school year strong so that you can immediately get involved in something when the next school year starts

Mr. Nick Patin, Principal

## School News

### Announcements

**Spring Break:** Students will be on break beginning Friday, March 29, through Friday, April 5. The main office and counseling office will be closed during break. Classes will resume on Monday, April 8.

**Breakfast:** As a reminder, a free breakfast is available daily 7:15-7:50 to all students regardless of income level. Make sure your student takes advantage of this opportunity to start the day off right!

**2023/2024 Yearbook:** You haven't ordered your yearbook yet? No problem, you can purchase a yearbook today for \$65.00 plus tax at [www.iostens.com](http://www.iostens.com) until May 1st. Order yours today!

**Graduation:** Graduation ceremonies will be held on Thursday, May 16th, 7 PM, at Kelloggsville Russell Formsma Football Field. More info. to come.

**Emergency Contact Information:** If any of your address, phone number, email address or emergency information has changed, we ask that you please stop in the main office to ensure school-related information is up to date. This information is extremely important in the event of an emergency so you can be notified as quickly as possible. Thank you!

## January Students of the Month

Freshman: Jaeda Mills

Sophomore: Cody Liang

Junior: l'Leesia Hardin

Senior: Ngoc Dinh

## Attendance

It's always a good idea to review Kelloggsville High School's attendance and truancy policies.

Attendance verifications must be turned in to the office within 48 hours to be counted. Verified absences (doctor appointment, funeral, or long-term illness) do not count against an absence total. If your student is at an appointment for an inordinate amount of time, please have the note reflect this.

Please call the office if your student will be absent from school. The main office number is 616-532-1570.

Students who exceed 12 absences (combination of excused/ unexcused) in a semester **must pass the class and do one of the following** to have their grade calculated and earn credit for the course:

- Achieve a 70% (C-) or better on the final exam/ final projects.  
Or
- Serve one after-school Academic Recovery Session for each hour missed beyond the 12th absence per class.

Students unsuccessful at meeting at least one of these requirements will not receive a letter grade or credit for the course.

Students successful in meeting all of the criteria will earn a letter grade and credit for the course.

## Counseling Comments:

Check out KHS's Senior Class 2024 webpage for credit recovery, scholarship and college info! There is also information in the Senior Google Classroom.

**Senior Parents:** Please continue to monitor the progress of your son/daughter. We do not want anyone to be eliminated from graduation ceremonies. **All credit recovery work must be completed by end of day, May 9.** You should have received an updated letter in February informing you of the credits your child needs in order to graduate.

**Dual Enrollment:** Sophomores - Seniors may take classes at GRCC if they have a qualifying PSAT or SAT score. GRCC classes are for advanced work in a subject area or for investigating classes that we do not offer at the Kelloggsville. Contact the counseling office for more information.

**Kent County Technical Center (KCTC):** Juniors and seniors may attend KCTC, which offers a wide variety of programs. Check their website [www.thetechcenter.org](http://www.thetechcenter.org) for more information.

Enrollment for next year closes March 15 – don't delay!

**FAFSA: Senior families,** it is not too late to fill out the FAFSA, and we encourage ALL students pursuing education/job training after high school to do this.

- You will use tax information from 2022 and the [FAFSA Checklist](#)
- Prepare by registering for a FSA ID [here](#). (A parent and the student each need to create an account to complete the FAFSA.)
- Timelines and information needed: [FAFSA Process Graphic](#)
- Complete the '[FAFSA Made Easier](#)' after making an account with [www.goingmerry.com](http://www.goingmerry.com) or complete it the traditional way @ the [FAFSA site](#).
- Use Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge, **not** Safari to sign/complete applications.

## Sports Scoop:

**Southeast Little League Sign Ups:** Serving Wyoming and Kentwood boys and girls ages 4 – 16 years old. Registration is now available at <https://kelloggsvilittleleague.sportngin.com/register/form/620781501>

### **Fees for Baseball & Softball:**

Ages 4-8 yrs \$40.00

Ages 9-12 yrs \$50.00

Ages 13-16 yrs \$60.00

Registration will be open until March 18th. Waiting list and double fees begin March 19th. For more information, call (616) 262-6821. Games are played M-F with occasional Saturdays. Teams will be formed at the beginning of April with practices to follow. Games begin 4/29/24 and will be played through mid June.

**Updated Website:** The Kelloggsville Athletics webpage is new and improved! See game schedules, important updates, photos and more. Visit [www.kvilleathletics.org](http://www.kvilleathletics.org) to check it out. You can also find us on Facebook & Instagram.

**Admission Tickets:** Tickets can now be purchased in advance with a debit or credit card\* for most athletic events at <https://gofan.co/app/school/MI10340>. Regular season tickets will also still be available for purchase at the gate with credit/debit cards\* or cash. Home admission prices for all students (K-12) and adults is \$5.00 for high school events and \$2.00 for middle school events (\*service fees will apply for credit/debit card purchases). Punch cards will also be available to purchase \$20/adult, \$10/student (cash only). Each card is valid for 10 admissions and may be shared. Tickets for all MHSAA tournaments must be purchased through GoFan.co.

**Spectator Policy:** Students must show their current school ID for entry. Middle school students, elementary students and students

outside of the competing school must be accompanied by an adult for high school events. No backpacks or outside food or drinks will be allowed into the gyms or football stadium. Please be advised that restrictions/prices may vary for each district. Please be considerate when traveling to other venues.

**District Tournaments:** Tickets for all MHSAA District tournaments must be purchased from <https://gofan.co/app/school/MI10340>.

**Spring Sports** – The official start date for spring sports is Monday, March 11th. All athletes must have a physical on file in order to participate in practices and/or tryouts. Please check in with the Athletic Office if you are unsure of your status.