



NEWSLETTER

ANNOUNCEMENTS



IMPORTANT DATES

January 9, 2012

- ❖ **January 14th**
No Saturday School
- ❖ **January 16th**
HOLIDAY (No School)
- ❖ **January 19th**
KIPP STRIVE Open House & KPN Meeting (6pm)
- ❖ **January 28th**
Saturday School & KPU Workshop
- ❖ **January 30th**
KIPP Primary Open House (6pm-7pm)

Outstanding Student Fees

Do you have an outstanding balance? If you have any outstanding students fees (meal, athletic, late pick-up etc.) please be sure to bring your account(s) current. Please note that certain student privileges (honor roll shirts, field lessons, etc.) may be withheld when accounts are past due. If you have questions, please contact Ms. Nasir @ 404.753.1530 or cnasir@kippsrive.org.

You can pay your fees in the main office. We accept cash, check, or credit card.

You may also pay for meals online at www.MealPayplus.com

Grade Level Concerns:

If you have any grade level questions and/or concerns, please feel free to contact your scholar's grade level chair. He/She will be able to address the issue and/or set-up a meeting with you and the grade level team.

Mrs. Evans: 5th Grade Chair

E. evans@kippsrive.org
Ph. (678) 739-1706

Ms. Jones: 6th Grade Chair

E. sjones@kippsrive.org
Ph. (678) 739-1702

Mr. Rajeski: 7th Grade Chair

E. jrajeski@kippsrive.org
Ph. (770) 940-2679

(Please reference Mrs. Evans NEW email address above)

REMINDERS...

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR 2012-2013 KIPP STRIVE & KIPP STRIVE Primary Scholars!

UPDATED EARLY RELEASE POLICY:

Please be advised that if your child is checked out for early release, a written note must be provided to the school upon your child's return. If documentation is not received at this time, your child's paycheck is subject to a \$5 deduction. You are welcome to request a list of acceptable documentation from the front office.



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PARENTS' CORNER



KPN Membership

The KIPP Parent Network dues are \$10. This money is used to support various school events and staff member appreciation. Dues may be paid on-line via the KPN website. Please contact a KPN officer if you have any questions.

Attendance

Just a friendly reminder that **three** tardies equal **one** absence starting at 7:36 AM.

Parent Drop Off

Just a friendly reminder that parent drop off is in the back of the school. The front parking lot is reserved for KSA staff and educators. If a student is tardy, you may drop them off in the front, but only AFTER 7:36AM.

Parent Workshop Reminder:

"Raising a Middle Scholar," Presented by Robin Little (Director of Counseling & Social Work, KSFA & KIPP Ways)

Dress Code

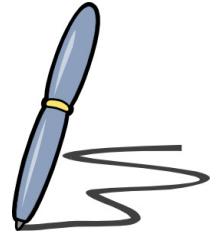
Please remind your scholar that he/she should be wearing a BELT to school daily. Honor Roll shirts are only to be worn on Friday. Thanks for helping us enforce this policy.

Student Recruitment:

The 2012-2013 applications for KIPP STRIVE and KIPP STRIVE Primary are now available (on site and online)! Make sure you encourage all those you know to become a part of our team and family.

Please make note of the upcoming open house dates listed on the cover page of this newsletter.

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KPN MEETING

Don't miss the next KPN meeting on January 19th!

We meet every 3rd Thursday @ 6pm.



Shine & Shout Outs...

❖ We have a new and improved website! You can find valuable information, read about other KIPP schools, and access parent resources. Prospective parents can submit enrollment forms electronically as well. Be sure check us out at:

www.KippMetroAtlanta.org/KIPP-Strive-Academy



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DID YOU MISS REPORT CARD PICK UP??

PLEASE COMPLETE
THE ENCLOSED
PARENT SURVEYS...



You will be able to pick-up your scholar's report card from the front office beginning Wednesday, January 11th, 2011.

Please fill out the enclosed parent surveys for KIPP Metro Atlanta & the KIPP Foundation. Upon return (via the Monday folder or drop off), your child's report card will be released to you.

Please note: We do not give report cards to scholars.

KSA SPORTS & ACTIVITIES...



DEBATE TOURNAMENT

Saturday, January 21st
@ South Cobb High School
9AM-5PM
INFO: Sjones@kipstrive.org

BASKETBALL GAME

Friday, January 13TH
VS: KIPP South Fulton
(Girls) 7:45PM @McClarín
(Boys) 8:45 PM @McClarín
Schedule: www.thelukeproject.org



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5TH Grade Donation Request

Washington, DC Trip

- Capri Suns
- Individually wrapped chips
- Fruit snacks
- Granola bars
- Peanut butter & jelly (LG)
- Any additional items accepted

HOODIE (Special Orders)

In response to demand, we placed a special order for KSA branded hoodies in YXL and AS. If you placed an order, please be sure to remit payment no later than Friday, January 13th.

Price: \$20.00

UPCOMING KPU WORKSHOP

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