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## Kellogg Middle School PTSA

# *The Kellogg PTSA Knightly News*



### Sign up to support the bond!

### Cheer on Shoreline's bond issue

Hello Kellogg families and staff!

Help pass the 2017 Bond on Feb.

14 by showing your love for

Shoreline schools! Sign up to

wave signs and get out the vote on

one or more of the upcoming

scheduled "Rah-Rah" events, and bring the kids, your enthusiasm and your smiles!



Opportunities to cheer on the bond are **6:30 to 8:30 a.m. and 4 to 6 p.m.:**

- **Monday, Jan. 30**
- **Wednesday, Feb. 8**
- **Monday, Feb. 13**

The Kellogg community has been assigned these locations:

**N.E. 145th St. & 15th Ave. N.E.**

### Wish lists for teachers: this month's items

Kellogg teachers have all sorts of uses for those items you no longer need or that you can purchase inexpensively.

#### On the Wish List:

**Berenstain Bears or Sesame Street toys, puzzles or books** (Ms. Brondson, speech pathologist)

**Metal scrapers for clay** new or used, any size, similar to this photo: (Mr. Kelley, art)

N.E. 195th St. & Ballinger Way

Click on the **SignUp.com** link below to choose a spot:

<http://signup.com/go/zxkFj9>

What else can you do to support Shoreline Schools and the bond campaign?

- Wear a campaign button
- Display a campaign yard sign.
- Endorse the bond as an individual by going online to the campaign website: <http://www.voteyesforshoreschools.org>
- Donate to the campaign. You can bring a check to a bond or PTA meeting or donate online at <http://www.voteyesforshoreschools.org/>. Or mail a check to:

Citizens for Shoreline Schools  
14419 Greenwood Ave N #A137  
Seattle, Washington 98133

- Like and share the campaign Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/voteyesforshoreschools/>
- Attend & encourage friends and neighbors to come to a bond presentation (see schedule here: <http://www.shoreschools.org/bond>).
- Talk to friends & neighbors about voting yes in February!

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## The Shoreline bond: the basics

*Information below is from the district's bond information web page:*

### What it is:

A \$250 million package on the Feb. 14 ballot that would **rebuild Kellogg and Einstein middle schools, rebuild Parkwood Elementary, and consolidate preschool programs** into a new Early Learning Center.



**Fabric and sewing notions** for after-school Sewing Club (Mrs. Warfield)

**Shoebboxes** (regular size) **with lids** (Ms. Culver, 8th science)

**Wire** to attach to and hang small whiteboards (Ms. Soares, Spanish)

**Yarn, skewers, floral tape and floral sticks** (Ms. Ruis, Spanish)

If you can supply any of these items, bring them by the main office or send them with your child.

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## PTSA meeting

The next Kellogg PTSA meeting is scheduled for **7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 7** in the Kellogg Media Room. All are welcome.

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## Box Tops Challenge

Let's raise \$2,000 for kids!



Save your box tops and Ballinger Thriftway receipts.

**Every 10 box tops generates \$1 for our school. So does every \$100 worth of Thriftway**

## How much will it cost?

Property taxes would rise increase an estimated average of **\$1.19 per \$1,000 of assessed property value** per year over the duration of the bond.

On a \$400,000 home, that would be \$476 per year, or \$39.67 per month.

## Why do we need a bond?

Shoreline School District is growing. A recent demography study conducted by Dr. Les Kendrick predicts **our student population will grow by nearly 1,500 students over the next 10 years.** With our elementary school facilities currently at 96.4 percent capacity, additional classroom space needs to be created to provide suitable learning environments for all Shoreline and Lake Forest Park students without overcrowding classrooms. The projects funded by the bond will provide the District with the capacity and flexibility to meet the needs of our growing student community.

Kellogg was built in 1952 and has not been remodeled since 1986.

## When would the projects be finished?

The new Early Learning Center would open in fall 2018, the new Parkwood in 2019, and the new Einstein and Kellogg in 2020.

For more information, including a video of Superintendent Rebecca Miner's bond presentation and a copy of the brochure that was mailed to all district families, visit the [district's bond campaign page](#).

## '80s Trivia Night Tickets on Sale

Our parent social and silent auction fundraiser for the Kellogg PTSA is scheduled **March 11**.

Get a team together and compete in 80s trivia! Prizes for best 80s wear and much more.

Tickets are \$30 each or \$170 for a team of six. Ticket price includes two drink tickets and 80s-style appetizers.



## receipts.

If every Kellogg student and staff family donated 10 box tops, that's \$700 from box tops alone!

Keep saving this winter and spring and contribute toward the \$2,000 goal!

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## WANTED:

### Staff Appreciation Team and committee chairs

We are looking for a team that can



coordinate staff appreciation meals bi-monthly. This is just one of the few ways we are able to show our thanks to KMS teachers staff.

The PTSA also has the following committee chairs open:

### Membership - 2 Co-Chairs

### Site Council Representative

The PTSA is a great opportunity to stay connected and involved to ensure our kids get the chance to benefit from such programs as Kids in Medicine, Hang Time, the 8th-grade field trip to the University of Washington and community outreach events like the presentation of the

[Buy your tickets now!](#)

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### **Kids in Medicine volunteers needed**

Check your calendars: The 7th-grade science teachers need parent help for the [Kids in Medicine](#) pig-heart dissection lesson on **March 9-10**. This hands-on science program brings lab-type activities to schools. At Kellogg, all 7th-grade science students will participate.

We need 8-10 parent volunteers per time slot (4-5 for each class, two classes per time period)--periods 2, 4 and 6 on Thursday, and 1, 3 and 5 Friday.

If you can help, sign up [here](#).

documentary *Screenagers*, which was a huge success last school year.

Think you might be interested? please contact Heather Muzzy at [president@kelloggpts.org](mailto:president@kelloggpts.org)

Thanks, and we look forward to you joining our team.

[www.kelloggpts.org](http://www.kelloggpts.org)

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