

McKenzie Elementary 2012-2013 PTA Calendar

August	23	Thursday	Teacher Institute Day New Family Orientation, 6:30-7:30 pm
	24	Friday	Teacher Institute Day
	27	Monday	First Half-Day of School, 8:55-12:15 pm, Gr 1-4 AM Kindergarten Meet 'n Greet (students & parents) 9:15-10:15 am PM Kindergarten Meet 'n Greet (students & parents) 10:45-11:45 am PTA Welcome Back Coffee/Volunteer Fair, cafeteria/blacktop, 9:15-11:00 am PTA Luncheon for Teachers/Staff, 12:15 am -1:15 pm
	28	Tuesday	First Full-Day of School, 8:55-3:15, Gr. 1-4 AM Kindergarten (names A-K), 8:55-11:30 am PM Kindergarten (names A-K), 12:40-3:15 pm
	29	Wednesday	AM Kindergarten (names L-Z), 8:55-11:30 am PM Kindergarten (names L-Z), 12:40-3:15 pm
	30	Thursday	First regular half day of school for AM & PM Kindergarten classes Room Parent Meeting, 9:15 am, school cafeteria Kindergarten Coffee and Volunteer sign up 11 - 1 outside kindergarten entrance
September	3	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Labor Day
	5	Wednesday	Curriculum night, 6:30-7:15 pm, Gr K-AM & Gr 1 Curriculum night, 7:30-8:15 pm, Gr K-PM
	9	Sunday	Ice Cream Social, 1-3 pm
	11	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	12	Wednesday	Picture Day
	13	Thursday	Curriculum night, 6:30-7:15 pm, Gr 3 & 4 Curriculum night, 7:30-8:15 pm, Gr 2
	17	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Rosh Hashanah
	26	Wednesday	NO SCHOOL -- Yom Kippur
October	1-5	Mon - Fri	Environmental Awareness Week
	2	Tuesday	Book Fair 3-5:30 pm Parent Learning Network (PLN) Second Step (Parents Only), 6:30-8pm (McKenzie Library)
	3	Wednesday	Book Fair 8:30-9:30 am & 3-7:30 pm International Walk to School Day
	4	Thursday	Book Fair 8:30-9:30am & 3-5:30 pm
	8	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- TEACHER INSTITUTE DAY (Columbus Day)
	9	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	10	Wednesday	International Walk to School Day (rain date)
	15	Monday	McKenzie Garden Open House 3:15-4 pm
	19	Friday	Fall Frenzy, 5:30-8 pm
	24	Wednesday	Picture Retake Day
	31	Wednesday	Early Release Gr 1-4 at 12:15; K-AM at 10:20, No K-PM; SIP - School Improvement Planning Halloween Parade, 9:30 a.m.
November	8	Thursday	NO SCHOOL -- Parent/Teacher Conferences
	9	Friday	NO SCHOOL -- Parent/Teacher Conferences McKenzie Mingle 7-10 pm Wilmette Womens Club
	12	Monday	Sharing Gifts - Star Pick-up, 8:45-9:30 am & 3-3:30 pm
	13	Tuesday	Sharing Gifts - Star Pick-up, 8:45-9:30 am & 3-3:30 pm PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	14	Wednesday	Sharing Gifts - Star Pick-up, 8:45-9:30 am & 3-3:30 pm
	19	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Professional Development Day
	20-23	Tues-Fri	NO SCHOOL -- Thanksgiving Break
	27	Tuesday	Sharing gifts due at school
December	1	Saturday	Sharing gifts delivered
	7	Friday	Movie Fun Night (kids only), 6:30 - 8 pm
	12	Wednesday	Open Gym Night, 6:30-8 pm
	19	Wednesday	First Grade Music Program, 2:30 pm
	24	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Winter Break begins
January	7	Monday	School resumes after Winter Break
	15	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome) PLN Tech Night (parents & kids), 6:30-8pm

	16	Wednesday	Open Gym Night, 6-8 pm
	18	Friday	Early Release Gr 1-4 at 12:15; K-AM at 10:20, No K-PM; SIP - School Improvement Planning
	21	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Martin Luther King Day
	30	Wednesday	Open Gym Night, 6-8 pm
February	1	Friday	Kindergarten Registration Begins
	6	Wednesday	Open Gym Night 6-8 pm
	12	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15-10:30 (kids welcome); State of The School, Dr. Denise Welter
	18	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Presidents' Day
	19	Tuesday	NO SCHOOL -- Professional Development Day
	20	Wednesday	Open Gym Night 6-8 pm
	21	Thursday	Open House, 7-8 pm
March	4-15	Mon-Fri	ISAT Assessments for Grades 3-8
	12	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	12-15	Tues-Fri	32nd Annual Variety Show, 7:30 pm
	16	Saturday	32nd Annual Variety Show, 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm
	22	Friday	Early Release Gr 1-4 at 12:15; K-PM at 10:20, No K-AM; SIP - School Improvement Planning
	25-29	Mon-Fri	NO SCHOOL -- Spring Break
April	1	Monday	School Resumes after Spring Break
	3	Wednesday	Outdoor Education Orientation (parents only), 6:30 pm
	8-12	Mon-Fri	CogAT Testing Grade 4
	9	Tuesday	PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	9	Wednesday	Parent Learning Network (PLN) Science Night (parents & kids), 6:30-8 pm (McKenzie)
	11	Thursday	Gr 1-4 Early Release 12:15 (Parent/Teacher Conferences)
	12	Friday	NO SCHOOL -- K-4 Parent/Teacher Conferences
			5-8 Professional Development Day
	18	Thursday	Incoming Kindergarten Parent Orientation (parents only), 6:30 pm
	19	Friday	Movie Fun Night, kids only 6:30-8:00
	22-26	Mon-Fri	Earth Week
	26	Friday	K Placement Letters Sent Home
May	3	Friday	Heritage Day, 12:30 pm, 3rd Graders & parents (no siblings)
	6-10	Mon-Fri	Teacher Appreciation Week
	10	Friday	PTA Spring Luncheon, 11:30 am-2:00 pm, all McKenzie staff and PTA members welcome
	14	Tuesday	Last PTA Meeting, 9:15 -10:30 am (kids welcome)
	15	Wednesday	Bike to Highcrest, 3:45 pm
	17	Friday	4th Grade Music Program, 2:15-3 pm
	21	Tuesday	Bike to Highcrest, 3:45 (raindate)
	22-24	Wed-Fri	4th Grade Outdoor Education
	27	Monday	NO SCHOOL -- Memorial Day
	31	Friday	Field Day, Gr. 1-4
June	3	Monday	Field Day, Gr. 1-4 (rain date)
	10	Monday	4th Grade Farewell Party (for kids and parent volunteers, no siblings), 12:45-3:15 pm
	11	Tuesday	Last Day of School, 10:15 am dismissal
			PTA Farewell Coffee, 9 am