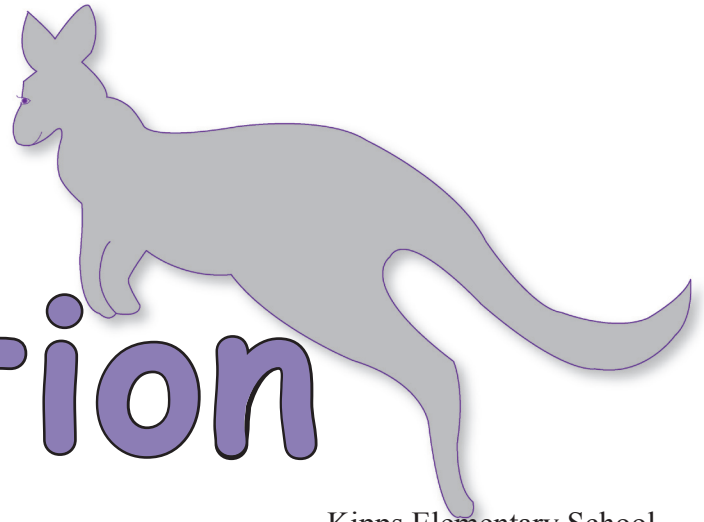


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## RELAY FOR LIFE

The American Cancer Society Relay for Life event will be on Friday, June 16, and Saturday, June 17, at the Christiansburg High School track. This is a very special event and we would love to invite everyone out to the Relay. Please mark your calendars and plan on joining us.

There will be a special Children's Lap at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, June 16. Children who register by June 1 and turn in at least \$5 in donations will receive a t-shirt and goody bag.

The opening ceremony starts at 6:00 p.m. on Friday.

For additional information, visit the Relay for Life website at [www.acevents.org/relay/montgomery](http://www.acevents.org/relay/montgomery). You can register your child on-line for the Children's Lap, sign up to join the Kipps Relay Roos team, make donations, register survivors for the special Survivor's Lap and dinner, and find out much more about the American Cancer Society Relay for Life event.

See or e-mail Kim Wade ([kwade@mcps.org](mailto:kwade@mcps.org)) if you have other questions. Thank you!

## GIFTED COORDINATOR

It is important to make sure that you are continuing to help your child grow and learn even during those long, lazy days of summer. Make your summer a real SIZZLER by guiding your child in learning new talents. Check out [hoagiesgifted.org](http://hoagiesgifted.org) for HOT resources geared towards engaging gifted children's intellects. Another great destination for your child is [www.mathisfun.com](http://www.mathisfun.com). This website is more than enough to keep your math wiz happy for many hours. With technology taking on such a vital role in society, it would be beneficial for your child to gain proficiency in typing; check out [www.bbc.co.uk/schools/typing](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/typing). This is a child-friendly typing program with lots of music. You may want to have headphones hooked up before you let your child take off on typing. Have a safe, healthy, and fun summer.

## THANKS, VOLUNTEERS!

I want to wish a special thank you to ALL of the wonderful volunteers who have helped to make our school a wonderful, safe, learning environment for our children this year. The PTA, teachers and staff all salute you for sharing your time and talents with us all.

Nancy Phillips,  
PTA Volunteer Coordinator

# JUNE CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 Last Day of School Parade 9:15 AM Early Release 1 PM	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 Relay for Life	17 Relay for Life
18	<div data-bbox="224 1045 1052 1927" style="border: 2px solid purple; padding: 10px;"> <p>Wednesday, June 7</p> <p>5th Grade Recognition Ceremony</p> <p>7 PM</p> <p>Walk to Blacksburg Middle School begins at 6:30 PM</p> </div>				23	24
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