



June 9, 2020

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Paul Miller,
IPM Coordinator

RE: **ANNUAL SUMMARY AND INTEGRATED PEST MANAGEMENT
PLAN FOR 2020-20201- HEALTHY SCHOOLS ACT OF 2000.**

Summary for 2019-2020

We have successfully completed the school year without using any toxic methods of eradication. IPM is working. We continue to have bees, wasps and yellow jackets. Our method of eradication is physical removal of hive or nest, spraying with a non-toxic product or trapping with an attractant. We continue to have mice, rats and gophers which are eradicated by trapping.

We continue to monitor the Ornamental Pears around both campuses. There is significant die off which would indicate a potential fungus which there is no guaranteed method of control. The suggested method for control is to prune dead areas and spray with a fungicide. However, the pruner can carry the fungus from an infected area to non-infected area.

IPM Plans for 2020-2021

- Overall turf management and facilities: We are not planning to use pesticides or herbicides except for emergency use of insecticides if the safety of children is threatened. Any use, except for an emergency, will need prior approval from the IPM Committee and the Board of Trustees
- Parents and students are notified in the Annual Notification to Parents each August. We will follow District administrative regulations as outlined in the IPM Policy. IPM Policy and Regulations given by request.
- Record keeping: We will follow District administrative regulations as outlined in the IPM Policy.
- Education and Training: The IPM Coordinator and grounds personnel will participate in ongoing training with Department of Pesticide Regulations (DPR) with IPM as the focus.
- Monitoring Potential Problems: We will follow District administrative regulations as outlined. If non-toxic solutions are not effective the least toxic alternatives will be researched through our IPM committee and approved by the Board of Trustees.
- Required: IPM Committee recommendation followed by Board approval.

KENTFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The Healthy Schools Act of 2000 requires that all schools provide parents or guardians of students with annual written notification of expected pesticide use on school sites. The notification will identify the active ingredient or ingredients in each pesticide product and will include the Internet address (<http://www.cdpr.ca.gov>) for further information on pesticides and their alternatives.

While the Kentfield School District does not plan to use pesticides this coming year, parents or guardians may request prior notification of individual pesticide applications at the school site. People listed on this registry will be notified individually at least 72 hours before pesticides are applied. In the case of an emergency application, you will be notified as soon as possible. If you would like to be notified every time we apply a pesticide, please complete and return the form below and mail it to Liz Schott at the Kentfield School District.

If you have any questions, please contact the District Office at 458-5130.

Kentfield Integrated Pest Management Committee



Quoc Tran, Board Member



Paul Miller, IPM Coordinator



June Maselbas, Community Representative



Liz Schott, Superintendent

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REQUEST FOR INDIVIDUAL PESTICIDE APPLICATION NOTIFICATION

I understand that, upon request, the school district is required to supply information about individual pesticide applications at least 72 hours before application. I would like to be notified before each pesticide application at this school.

PLEASE PRINT:

Student Name (s): _____ Grade level (s): _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Day Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

email: _____

RETURN FORM TO:
KENTFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT
750 COLLEGE AVENUE
KENTFIELD, CA 94904