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EXPLORATIONS

Blue Hill Consolidated School

60 High Street • Blue Hill, Maine 04614

April 9, 2015

A Town Meeting Thank You!

There was a good atmosphere at the town meeting last weekend, despite the lousy weather. The school budget was passed with great support. We certainly are lucky to live in Blue Hill where education is a true priority. Thank you to those who took part in this slice of American democracy.

Students Before and After School

Students who are not involved with a school activity should not be in the school building before 7:30 AM or after school. We are not able to supervise them, as staff is involved with various duties and meetings during these times. If scheduling for your family is an issue, please see me directly.

Students with late practices need to go home and return at the practice time. Coaches are aware of this. With a note, students in grades 6-8 are allowed to walk downtown after school, but they are not to return to school until the time of their late practice.

BEEM BASH

Friday, April 10, 6-10 PM
Farm House Inn
Enjoy dinner and dancing
with DJ Gary Milliken,
Auction, oyster bar, ping-pong!
\$30 each includes a glass of bubbly!
100% of the proceeds benefit BEEM
(Blue Hill Educational Enrichment Monies)
to support PK-8 programs
at Blue Hill Consolidated School.
Silent Auction in the School Lobby!

PTF News

Now that it sort of feels like spring, you may have some time to clean out the outgrown sports gear in your home. The used athletic gear donation box is still in the lobby and will be there until spring break. Thank you for all the donations so far.

See you at conferences next week! Office Hours for Specialists:

Speech/Language - Kristin Burch

By appointment

RtI - Katie Danielson

Monday: 3-6, Tuesday: 3-4, and by appointment

Library - Tracy Gandy

Monday - Thursday: 3:00 - 5:00

School Counselor - Megan Granger

Megan is happy to meet with parents at any time throughout the school year, as well as during conference times. Megan is also happy to join parent teacher conferences at the request of teachers or parents.

Spanish - Greg Holman

Monday: 4:00 – 7:00 Tuesday: 2:45 - 5:45 Wednesday: 4:00 – 5:00

Technology - Matt Jurick

Tuesday: 3:00 - 5:00 Wednesday: 3:00 - 6:00 Thursday: 3:00 - 5:00

Phys. Ed. - Bob McCormick

Monday: 3:00 - 6:00 Tuesday: 3:00 - 5:00 Wednesday: 3:00 - 5:00

General Music - Audrey Means

Wednesday: 3:45 - 6:45 Thursday: 2:45 - 4:45 Friday: 2:45 - 4:45

Visual Art - Penny Ricker

Monday - Wednesday: 2:45 - 5:00

Instrumental Music - Bill Schubeck

Tuesday: 3:00 - 6:00 Wednesday: 3:00 - 4:00 Thursday: 3:00 - 6:00

Della L. Martin, Principal

From the School Nurse

Jump Rope for Heart Health & 5-2-1-0 Announcements

The campaign for heart health is off to a great start. Our kids have already collected and turned in \$1,075.00! That is amazing! Thank you to each and every student who has worked hard and contributed to American Heart Association, thus far. Thanks also to parents for supporting and assisting them with this campaign. All efforts are greatly appreciated. Any amount, even as little as \$1.00 is helpful and greatly appreciated. The campaign will run until the end of April vacation so there is still time to participate. Stop by the school and check out the "Thank You" wall in the hallway across from the nurse's office. Every student who has turned in his or her donation has a "Thank You" duck in the pond with his/her name on it. The pond is filling up quickly, but still has room for more! All donations should be turned in by April 27th.

BHCS will be celebrating **Screen Free Week** during April 27 – May 1. A sign up sheet with a list of fun after-school activities will be coming home this Friday. Sign your child up and come along too, for these fun screen-free events. There's something for everyone, every day after school the week of April 27th –May 1st. Please send these sheets back to school next week so we can plan ahead for your after-school choices.

Dates to Remember

Fri., April 17	School Day Make-up
Thurs., Apr. 30	Opening Night, BHCS
	Presents Charlotte's
	Web, 6 PM
Fri., May 1	Encore Night,
	Charlotte's Web, 6 PM
Mon., June 8	5-8 Concert, 7 PM
Tues., June 9	PK-4 Concert, 6:30 PM
Wed., June 17	GRADUATION, 7 PM

Brooklin Dance, April 3, 6-9 PM

Attachments:



SPRING LECTURE SERIES 2015

The 2015 Spring Lecture Series is put on by Blue Hill Heritage Trust and Downeast Audubon.

APRIL:

"Groundwater Hydrology" Lecture by Andrew Reeve Monday, April 20, 2015 6:30 reception; 7-8 PM lecture Blue Hill Public Library

"Vernal Pools"
Lecture by Lynn Havsall
Wednesday, April 22, 2015
6:30 reception; 7-8 PM lecture
Blue Hill Public Library

"Wild Seed Project"
Lecture by Heather McCargo
Monday, April 27, 2015
6:30 reception; 7-8 PM lecture
Blue Hill Public Library

All lectures are free and open to the public.

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