



# EXPLORATIONS

## Blue Hill Consolidated School

60 High Street • Blue Hill, Maine 04614

March 5, 2015



Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour this weekend. Another hopeful sign of spring!

### **CALENDAR NOTE:**

**March 27 will be a snow day make up day!** This day was previously scheduled as a teacher in-service day. The menu will be as follows:

Breakfast: breakfast pizza, cereal, mixed fruit, pears, milk

Lunch: macaroni & cheese, cornbread, peas & carrots, salad, apple, mandarin orange, milk

### **Chess Team Fundraiser Dinner on St. Patrick's Day!**

Help send our chess champs to the National Competition in Kentucky!!

Tuesday, March 17, 5:30 PM  
BHCS Cafeteria

Corned Beef, Cabbage,  
Irish Soda Bread,

Mac & Cheese for Kids  
Donations Appreciated!

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with us!

**PTF Potluck and Music Department Variety Show** on Friday, March 6. Potluck starts at 5:30 and variety show at 6:00.

### **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Fundraiser**

It's Pizza! Pizza! Time for you, your friends, and your family to stock up with **Little Caesars Pizza Kits**. Have them on hand for quick dinners, parties, or entertaining. They're fun to make and delicious to eat. We need your support, as the proceeds from the sale will go toward the 8th grade class trip!

The sale ends on March 20. Kits will be delivered on 4/3/15. Eighth graders will have order forms, and additional order forms will be posted in the BHCS lobby and library.

Please contact Chris Billings at 374-1032 or Melissa Emerton at 479-2763 with questions.

### **5-8 Spring Play Rehearsal Schedule**

All Students in acting roles will be meeting March 5 and 6. If your child has obligations with jazz band or chess team, please ask them to attend these practices first to prepare for their upcoming competitions. They may then come to play practice if they are finished before 4:45. We will be meeting from 2:45-4:45. Going forward, rehearsals will be held from 2:45-4:45 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday every week until performance week. Students are encouraged to bring snacks for rehearsal, and any families that would like to offer snacks for the group during a practice is welcomed to send some in!

Depending on the part your child is playing, at this point, he or she may not need to attend certain days. This is something we will discuss with each participant. Students interested in being part of our stage crew do not need to attend rehearsals just yet, but there will be a stage crew meeting coming soon.

Thank you for your support and involvement. Any families interested in helping in any way with this production (costumes, set construction, rehearsals, etc.), please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Lescord. ([blescord@bhcs.org](mailto:blescord@bhcs.org))

### **Library News**

What an exciting Birthday Bash we had for Dr. Seuss! It is always a fantastic day with books and goodies for the students. This year we gave away close to 300 brand new books to the students at BHCS. A huge thank you to the kitchen staff for the fabulous Seuss themed lunch and beautiful birthday cake. Thank you also to the teachers who joined in on crazy sock day and made sure their students had time to come by the library for books.

Della L. Martin, Principal

**PTF News**

The PTF is sponsoring two great family nights in March. March 13 is **B.E.A.R. Night!** *Be Enthusiastic About Reading* and come by the BHCS library any time between 6:00 -7:30 PM. This event is an open house where families can drop by and find cozy places to read in the library. Bring your favorite story time snack to share and don't forget to wear your PJ's.

March 20 will be the last Movie Night of the year (That means spring is right around the corner!) - We will be showing ***The Mighty Ducks***. Pizza at 5:30, movie at 6:00.

**Bobcat Gear** t-shirts are here! Cost is \$10 and there is a limited amount in each size. Contact Sarah King if you have any questions or stop by the library before/after school to pick one up.

**Dates to Remember**

Fri., March 6	PTF Potluck and Variety Show, 5:30 PM
Wed., March 11	School Board, 5 PM
Fri., March 13	B.E.A.R. Night, 6 PM
Tues., March 17	St. Patrick's Day Dinner, 8 <sup>th</sup> grade fund raiser, 5:30 PM
Wed., March 18	K-3 Author Day
Thurs., March 19	Maine Student Book Award Day for U93 grades 4-5
Fri., March 20	Movie Night, The Mighty Ducks, 5:30 PM
Sat., March 21	State Middle School Jazz Festival
Fri., April 3	Blue Hill Town Election Day
Sat., April 4	Town Meeting, 9 AM



Community Benefit Supper for Lonnie Perkins,  
cancer patient  
Saturday, March 21, 5:30 PM  
BHCS Cafeteria  
Pot Luck - Casseroles - Pies