



EXPLORATIONS

Blue Hill Consolidated School

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May 14, 2015

LEGO Robotics Team Success!

Matt Billings, Evan Conger, and Jack Gandy represented us well at the state LEGO Robotics meet at Messalonskee Elementary School in Oakland last weekend. **Matthew Billings took home a first place trophy in the steeplechase division!** Congratulations, Matt! Evan and Matt demonstrated their robots' feats at an assembly this week, and we are hoping it generates a lot of interest for other kids at our school for next year! It's a very exciting program. Thank you, Chris Billings, for coaching the kids this year!

Elana Williamson Impresses Regional/State Judges with "The HOLLYWOOD Sign" Speech!

Congratulations to Elana for coming in 3rd place in the Regional/State Woodsmen Speech Contest in Winterport last week. It was a very interesting topic and a comprehensive and well-organized speech; her delivery was flawless. Memorizing a 3-5 minute speech is certainly not easy! Good job, Elana!

PTF News

This Saturday, May 16, we will be gathering from 9-12 to clean up the school grounds and share a potluck lunch. Bring your work gloves, water bottles, and any yard tools you may have so we can tackle the many projects around the school. The work will be followed by a potluck lunch. We hope to see you there.

The end of the school year is quickly approaching and that means we need to start planning for next year! If you have any comments or suggestions for the PTF, please contact us. Our e-mail is ptf@bhcs.org or you can send a note to school and Loretta will get it to us.

Thank you, PTF!

A huge thank you goes to all the families that helped make the Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week such a success. There have been so many

teachers who have commented on just how fortunate they feel to work where there is such love and support from the families - plus delicious goodies. Many thanks.....

Band Boosters Bake Sale

The Band Boosters will be having a bake sale this Saturday, May 16, from 9AM – 12 noon, at Tradewinds. They will have a tent and tables, and it looks like it will be a beautiful day.

There is also a school clean-up scheduled for the same time. If you need to drop off baked goods, Dawn Stewart will be at the school drop-off and pick-up the day before.

The Boosters are hoping to raise money for instrument repairs and string instruments.

Dates to Remember

Tues., May 19	Grade 4 to Carroll Homestead, MDI
Fri., May 22	Grade 8 to the GRAND
Tues., May 26	Gr. 3 to Otter Cove, 8-1:30
Tues., June 2	Gr. 7/8 to Woodlawn
Thurs., June 4	Gr. 7 to Wilson Museum, Castine
Mon., June 8	5-8 Concert, 7 PM
Tues., June 9	PK- 4 Concert, 6:30 PM
June 10-11	8 th Grade Class Trip
Wed., June 17	GRADUATION, 7 PM
Thurs., June 18	Step-Up Time, 8:30 AM
Fri., June 19	Gr. 7 to Augusta
Fri., June 19	Last Day of School

Penobscot Dance, May 15th, from 6-9 PM

Della L. Martin, Principal



COMING SOON: **Peninsula Youth Chorus**
for elementary age students in grades 2-8.
Tuesday rehearsals will begin in September of
2015 at the NEW Bagaduce Music Lending
Library on South Street in Blue Hill.
Community and parent volunteers are needed to
get this children's group up and running! If you
would be willing to help with posting fliers,
registering students, ordering and organizing
music, or sending out emails, please contact
Deborah Reinke at 374-5545 or email her at
dqreinke@gmail.com.

Family Potluck

Monday, May 18 at 5:00 PM
Sedgwick School Gym

Special Presentation on Bullying!

Join us in welcoming Ann Long, Parent Training
and Information Specialist, Maine Parent
Federation

“What is and isn’t bullying?”
Tips to help prevent bullying.

Child and Family Wellness Fair

Sedgwick Elementary School
Saturday, May 23
10 AM to 2 PM
FREE!

Displays! Vendors! Prizes! Hoop Dance!
Free Masons Child ID Kit! Ambulance Tour!
Pamper yourself or discover something new!