



News from the Administration

April/May, 2012

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Excitement as the end draws near!

The passing of Spring Break always tells us that the end of the school year will be here before we know it. That is just what is happening. Just as the trees are blossoming so too is our new building. As many of you know it really taking shape into the extraordinary place we expected. Construction is on schedule. Please plan to attend the next PTA Meeting on May 8th when representatives will be on hand to give us an update of the process and answer your questions. The students are also excited and can't wait to tell us all what they think of their soon to be new home. It is always fun to see their wide eyed enthusiasm.

The Multicultural Fair held at BFES on April 21st was a huge success. Attendance was amazing and the cultural experiences shared were truly magnificent. What a perfect way to express who we are in such a positive way. The clothing, dances, food, and especially our students helped all of us appreciate the many cultures that make up our school. Thank you to all who made this possible.

We are finishing up our testing season with our 5th graders taking the MSA Science the first week in May. Our students in Grade 2 – 5 worked very hard with all of the assessments this Spring. The information we receive from the test results, will help us strengthen our instructional program and identify what our students need to be as successful as possible here at Beverly Farms.

As we create classes for next year we are seeking your input. Parents should have received a link for an online data entry form from your child's teacher. By completing the online form, you will have the opportunity to let us know what type of learning environment you believe your child will be most successful. Please remember to complete and submit the form by May 11th, so that your voice is heard. If you prefer to complete a hard copy of the online form, please request one from your child's teacher.

Please be sure to mark your calendars for the many end-of-year dates. The end of the year is always a whirlwind of activity and we don't want anyone missing a thing!

April Showers bring May flowers, but also soggy students.

Please remember to dress for the current weather!

IMPORTANT DATES

April 30 – May 6

Grade 5 MSA Science

May 2

Grade 2 Raven Assessment

May 10

Grade 5 Panoramic Class Picture

May 11

SIPPI Online Parent Input Forms due

May 16

9:30 – 11:30 Career Day

May 17

9:30 – 2:00 Grade 5 Patrol Picnic

May 22

Cultural Arts Kahuranai Story Teller

May 28

Memorial Day – No School

May 29

School Day Band Concert K – 5

May 31

FIELD DAY K – 2 9:30 – 11:30

June 1

FIELD DAY 3 – 5 9:30 – 11:30

June 5

11:00 Volunteer Tea- Media Center

June 7

6:00-8:00 End-of-Year Picnic

June 11

5th Grade Promotion Ceremony
1:00 – 4:00 Churchill HS

June 12

Last Day of School Early Dismissal
1:00 pm

June 21

Report Cards Mailed