
South Bristol School

Weekly Newsletter

January 12, 2024



Memo from the principal

Apparently, Maine is in a wicked storm cycle for the next week or so. We held our first remote school day this week due to a whopping mix of wind, rain and snow. Hopefully, we'll work out the kinks as the winter marches on. If you or your neighbor need assistance during this difficult time of year, please reach out to us. We can help out or put folks in touch with the proper organization. The [South Bristol Town](#) website also has a link for reporting individual and household damage. This week's storm interrupted our scheduled board meeting which was moved to Thursday evening. We will reschedule another meeting with Drummond and Woodsum Attorney, Bill Stokmeyer, as he is one of the states leading authorities on configurations of school districts. All in all, it was a very productive and fun week at SBS. We continue to be grateful for such curious and pleasant students. It speaks volumes to the families we serve.

- Mr. Hamm

"Believe in this world - that there is meaning behind everything." - Vivekananda - *Bengali Mystic*

Spelling Bee!



Congratulations to first place winner Aysel!
Third place winner was Rose and Second place winner was Jane!
Congratulations to all and thank you to our Spelling Bee coach Mrs. Wright and judges Ms. Sykes and Ms. Sophie.

Amy, from the Cromwell Center, spoke with students this week about dignity, respect, and inclusion.





Happy New Year! At a time when people are making resolutions and starting new routines, at Let's Go! we are always looking for ways to [eat healthy and save money](#). The holidays can be expensive and January is a good time to regroup on saving money and time without compromising our health. If you are looking for a fun way to get moving, be sure to check out the 2024 [Let's Go! Move More Challenge](#). Children & youth earn a free ticket to a Portland Sea Dogs game by completing 1 hour or more of physical activity a day. Participation is easy! Download the participation form, and get moving and earn a free ticket to a 2024 Portland Sea Dogs game. Make sure to [follow Let's Go! 5-2-1-0 on Facebook!](#)

News from PE:

PreK-2 are starting into a ball handling unit to include foot dribbling, ball dribbling, and more!

3rd and 4th graders are off to a great start on rollerblades as we embark on our inline skating unit. There will be a showcase class for the parents later on, stay tuned for the date.

Grades 5-8 are starting their net games unit. The first sport we are exploring is badminton.

Results from another "question of the week". These questions are to get the kids involved and to discover activities that they can do to lead active and healthy lifestyles.

Sledding	Ice Fishing
36	11

Jump rope club and demo teams have been making great progress in practices. Club team members are learning to work with a partner with beaded ropes, and jump into double dutch. Demo team is gearing up to hit the road soon for our first performance!

-Ms. Jordan



For free COVID tests delivered to your home, click [HERE](#).



COASTAL RIVERS
CONSERVATION TRUST

February Vacation Camp

Join us for three days of adventures, games, and crafts at Coastal Rivers Salt Bay Farm. Together, we'll:

- Learn how to build three different kinds of campfires
- Explore the fields and forest of Salt Bay Farm on snowshoes
- Go sledding on the big hill
- Learn about different types of shelters and build our own
- Conduct some fun winter experiments
- Make crafts
- Play games

And lots more!

For kids ages 7 to 11. Note this is a three day session, Wednesday, February 21 through Friday, February 23 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Register [HERE](#)

A few more photos





JANUARY 2024

AOS 93 BCS, GSB, JVS, NCS & SBS

Menus are Subject to
Change Without
Notice.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
HAPPY NEW YEAR!! NO SCHOOL 1	Tomato Soup 2 Toasted Cheese Potato Wedges Fruit	Homemade Mac & Cheese 3 Fresh Green beans WG Roll, Fruit	Beef Teriyaki 4 WG Rice Broccoli Fruit	PIZZA 5 Carrots w/ Ranch Fruit
Cheeseburger 8 Potato Wedges Carrots Fruit	Chicken Nachos 9 WG Rice Beans Fruit	Homemade American Chop Suey 10 Fresh Green beans WG Roll, Fruit	Homemade Broccoli Cheddar Soup 11 Toasted Cheese Fruit	PIZZA 12 Leafy Green Salad Fruit
Martin Luther King Jr. Day No School 15	Fish Sticks 16 Potato Wedges Beans, WG Roll Fruit	Spaghetti with Meat Sauce 17 Broccoli WG Roll, Fruit	Homemade Chicken Noodle Soup 18 Turkey & Cheese Carrots, Fruit	PIZZA 19 Cucumber w/ Ranch Fruit
Chicken burgers 22 Potato Wedges Carrots Fruit	Beef Nachos 23 WG Rice Beans Fruit	Homemade Chicken Tator Tot Casserole 24 Green Beans WG Roll, Fruit	Homemade Corn Chowder 25 Toasted Cheese Cucumbers, Fruit	PIZZA 26 Leafy Green Salad Fruit
Chicken Nuggets 29 Potato Wedges Carrots Fruit	Hot dog on WG bun 30 Chili, Cucumber Fruit	Homemade Mac & Cheese 31 Steamed Fresh Broccoli WG Roll, Fruit		

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Whole grains, fresh fruit & vegetables & choice of milk served daily. GSB & JVS WB & J Served daily. NCS & SBS PB&J served daily. BCS serves both daily.

Check out Menu updates on the new AOS 93 App.

Upcoming events

Jan. 15 - No School, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Jan. 25 - Whole school trip to the Heartwood Theater to see Jungle Book
January 31 - Jump Rope Travel day
Feb 15 - Jump Rope Travel day
Feb 6 - School Board meeting, 5:30
Feb 19-23 - No School, February Break
Mach 5 - School Board meeting, 5:30
March 13 - Jump Rope travel day
April 2 - School Board meeting, 5:30
April 3 - OUT Maine presents to 8th Grade
April 24 - Jump Rope travel day

End of trimesters

March 8th

June 17th

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