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Woodland Park School District e-Newsletter



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Important dates

Friday, Feb. 28 - Memorial School
third marking period progress reports
will be on the Parent Portal

March 2-6 - Charles Olbon
School Scholastic Book Fair

Monday, March 9, 7 p.m. -
Board of Education workshop
meeting at Memorial School

The Woodland Park School District e-Newsletter is sent out weekly when school is in session. It serves as a glimpse of some of the wonderful things going on in our schools, as well as a point of reference for upcoming events.

Your Partner in Education,
Michele R. Pillari, Ed.D., Superintendent of Schools

A Hundred Days Smarter



Charles Olbon kindergarten and first graders celebrated the 100th day of school on Feb. 14 with fun fashion shows where they showed off the shirts they created that used 100 different elements of their choice.



BG's New Friends

Beatrice Gilmore School students through the One School, One Book read the book, "Friendship According to Humphrey." The book's theme is about the friendship between Humphrey the hamster and Og the Frog. Since the students learned all about what it means to be a friend, the school now has two tadpole friends. The students all voted and the names picked were Freddy and Kermit. The tadpoles are growing and the students can come to Mrs. Seavy's room to visit them. She is shown with Mrs. Perry.

A Fun Night Out



Memorial Middle School students enjoyed a fun night out at the Home & School Association's winter dance.

Important Lessons

Ms. Brunini's class at Beatrice Gilmore School has been reading "What Should Danny Do?" As a class, they decide how Danny's school day will end by making good choices for him. The class learned a very important power to have, which is the power to choose.





Heart Warriors



Beatrice Gilmore School students recently took part in the American Heart Association Heart Challenge. At the wrap up event on Feb. 14, top class jumpers competed, as well as staff members, in a jump off. Mr. Pomante was victorious again this year, even with his broken hand on the mend! Shown are the third and fourth grade top earner and classroom jumping champs.

**MAYOR KEITH KAZMARK
AND THE BOROUGH COUNCIL**
ALONG WITH THE COMMITTEE ON RECREATION & COMMUNITY RELATIONS
INVITE YOU TO OUR ANNUAL

**Bunny
BREAKFAST**

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A CHILDREN'S BREAKFAST & FUN

**SATURDAY
APRIL 4TH 2020**
9 - 10 AM, BREAKFAST
(10 AM, EGG HUNT)

**MEMORIAL MIDDLE
SCHOOL CAFETERIA**
15 MEMORIAL DRIVE

**DON'T FORGET TO BRING A
BASKET FOR THE EGG HUNT!**

- EGG HUNT WITH THE EASTER BUNNY
- PICTURES WITH THE BUNNY
- COLOR & MAKE A CRAFT

FREE FOR CHILDREN OF WOODLAND PARK
PRE-K - 5TH GRADE ONLY

**MUST REGISTER ONLINE:
BY MARCH 26TH
WWW.WPNJ.US**

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ONLINE**

PLEASE BRING A DONATION
FOR THE EASTER BASKET DRIVE!

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**Join us for our annual
Dr. Seuss Day
celebration in honor of
Read Across America!**



Monday, March 2, 2020

4:00 pm

in the Municipal Council Chambers.

Featuring presentations by our Woodland Park School District students, a special reading by Mayor Kazmark, entertainment, and other surprises!

Alfred H. Baumann Free Public Library
7 Brophy Lane, Woodland Park, NJ
www.abwplibrary.org
973-345-8120



Beatrice Gilmore again taking part in Young Audiences program

Beatrice Gilmore School is again this year participating in the Young Audience Arts for Learning of New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania program. The program brings arts experiences by professional teaching artists directly to students. Beatrice Gilmore has two "artists in residence" working with the students.

Third grade students participated with Young Audience's artist Pat Flynn in creating an illustration that represented the main idea of a Scholastic article they read. Students worked collaboratively to identify the main idea, create a picture that appropriately represented the main idea and some supporting details and ultimately, presented their picture to the class. Fourth grade students worked with Rebecca Kelly to create their own decorated books. The curriculum included many math concepts as students measured and cut grids to create their books.



Congratulations to Beatrice Gilmore School teacher Mr. Krakower, who is now officially a Google for Education Certified Trainer. Mr. Krakower previously attained "Educator Level 1" and "Educator Level 2" certifications. Those certifications are for educators who are super users and enthusiasts of utilizing Google tools in the classroom. The training certification allows Mr. Krakower to support other educators as they redefine learning with technology.