

New Braintree Grade School News

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From the Principal

This school year is off to a great start! I was pleased to see so many parents and students at the Open House on Thursday evening. There is a lot of very exciting learning happening in our classrooms and I hope you had the opportunity to look around the school to see what the children have been working on. My thanks to the NBGS staff for baking for the Bake Sale. The proceeds from the bake sale will be used for student activities.

All parents are invited to join me for “Coffee with the Principal” this Monday, September 28th at 9:00 a.m. Community members are welcome as well.



School Banking with Country Bank started this week. If you would like to sign your child up for banking you may call Mrs. Rousseau at 508-867-2553 and she will send an enrollment form home with your child. Congratulations to Zachery Swistak for being the Country Bank drawing winner on September 22nd.

Attendance Matters!

Studies show that school attendance is linked to school achievement. Learning builds day by day. And if your child is not in school, he can't learn. It is that simple.

Empty seats in a classroom indicate that students are missing out on learning – and teachers are missing out on teaching those students! When they return, students have to work harder to catch up – and teachers may have to disrupt current lessons to help them. Some students get overwhelmed and give up.

IMPORTANT DATES

September 26: New Braintree Country Fair 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

September 28: “Coffee with the Principal” at 9:00 a.m. Please join us.

September 30: PTO Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

October 6: School Banking with Country Bank

October 7: School Pictures with Suzanne Durand. Information will be sent home soon.

October 12: No School – Columbus Day



October 20: School Banking with Country Bank

October 23: Early Release Day 11:30 dismissal. Lunch will be served

October 31: Trick-or-Treating from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m.



NBGS PTO Kick-Off Meeting for the School Year
Wednesday, September 30 from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.
at the NBGS

Hopefully we have all gotten over the first month of back-to-school craziness. Now is the time to focus our efforts over the coming year to help raise money to support field trips, special events, and needed school supplies for our children.

ALL ARE WELCOME!! So please join us and bring your ideas and energy. We look forward to a great year!

Let me know if you are interested in joining the PTO but are unable to attend this meeting. Contact Brenda Howland at 508-867-9848 or email Brenda@1st-String.net

SPARE A DOLLAR FUNDRAISER

The “Spare a Dollar Fundraiser” was sent home at the beginning of the school year. This fundraiser is being earmarked for student activities such as field trips and special events that we like our children to have as part of their learning experiences. Unfortunately, we have not had much response at this time. Therefore, we are going to continue this fundraiser through the end of October. Please see the attached sheets for this fundraiser. Remember...the proceeds from this fundraiser will be used FOR THE CHILDREN OF NBGS. Thank you.

COMMUNITY NOTES

EOE: The Quabbin Regional School District does not discriminate on the basis of age, color, disability, national origin, race, religion or sexual orientation.

New Braintree Public Library

Family Movie Night

Featuring



When: Saturday April 5, 2008
6:30 p.m. (earlier time!!!)

Where: New Braintree Public Library

**Free
Refreshments**

Bring a pillow and blankets to curl up and get comfy!

