

Botelle School Newsletter

March 18, 2019



March 18	Conferences – Evening
March 19	Early Dismissal – 1:10PM – Conferences – Afternoon
March 21	Cultural Event – Animal Tales – 9:00AM – Hall of Flags
March 22	Invention Convention – 11:30AM - Gym
March 29	1 st /2 nd Grade to Science Center in Hartford
March 30	Norfolk Lion’s Club Breakfast – Botelle Café – 8:00AM – 10:30AM
April 5	The Wizard of Oz Production – Gym
April 8	Jump Rope for Heart during PE Classes
April 9	Board of Education Meeting – 6:00PM - #211
April 15 – 19	Spring Break

THE BATTELL ARTS FOUNDATION

The Battell Arts Foundation is awarding scholarships to young artists to help pay for art education, such as individual lesson, workshops, summer programs. Applicants must be residents of Norfolk or Colebrook and in grades 3 -12. For a scholarship application, contact: Tom Hodgkin, Hodgkin.tom@gmail.com or 860-542-1222. Deadline is Monday, April 4th.

THE NORFOLK LION’S CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Norfolk Lion's Club will hold its Annual Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, March 30 from 8 AM to 10:30 AM at Botelle School, 128 Greenwoods Road, Norfolk. Enjoy pancakes, eggs, bacon and more for \$6 per adult and \$3 for kids under 12 years old. The proceeds will benefit scholarships for local students.

SAVE THE DATE

March 21, 2019 at The Hub in Norfolk - 5:30-7:30 PM

From Gravel to Green - Building on Success

See what's next on the drawing board for affordable and energy-efficient green living in Norfolk! Join the board members of the Foundation for Norfolk Living and guest speakers including CT Representative Maria Horn to discuss past, present and future affordable housing projects. Refreshments by Woodcreek Bar & Grill. Snow date on March 28 (if school has an early dismissal or is cancelled on March 21).

WELCOME TO THE P.E. MARCH NEWSLETTER



Happy early St. Patrick's Day! This month students in Kindergarten through Second Grade will be working on their skills of jump roping while Third through Sixth Grade will work on skills in the sport of badminton. This month students will also start to prepare for Jump Rope for Heart. More information regarding Jump Rope for Heart will come out mid-March.

Kindergarten through Second Grade:

Students in Kindergarten through Second grade will be working on jump rope skills along with critical thinking games to get ready for Jump Rope for Heart!

Third through Sixth Grade:

Students in third through sixth grade will be learning the skills associated with badminton. These skills will include:

- Serving
- Smashing
- Dropping
- Overhand hit

Kindness Goal: Thank someone for something they have done for you!

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Botelle is a busy place with many enriching opportunities for our students. Here's a look at some of the happenings!

- K-3 students are enjoying their first foray into drama thanks to Mrs. Liz Allyn and Mrs. Marinell Crippen who are running an after school program geared to young actors.
- 4-6 students auditioned for roles in the upcoming play, *The Wizard of Oz* with visiting actor and theater expert Mr. Bruce Connelly.
- 3rd and 4th graders are preparing for the Invention Convention, to be held in the gym on Friday.
- Voting for the March Madness of Books continues with students, staff (and parents) choosing their favorites. During parent conferences, be sure to visit the bulletin board outside of Mr. Snyder's room to cast your vote!
- Cultural Arts Event, *Animal Tales* will take place on Thursday at 9am.
- Jump Rope for Heart kicks off today. Our event will take place on April 8, 2019.

You'll have a wonderful opportunity to hear about your child's progress in school today and tomorrow during parent teacher conferences. Looking forward to seeing you there. Expecting 100% turnout from our families!