

# Malletts Bay School Staff Newsletter Week of February 18th, 2019

## Family Conferences, March 4th and 5th

Please consult this best practices in parent teacher conferences slide presentation.

Please email Jordan or Brooke as soon as possible if you would like an admin to be present at a conference.

Make sure you have logged in as an admin in Sign Up Genius so that you can see who has signed up

The MBS PTO will provide a meal on Tuesday in the late afternoon. Llly will be in touch about this later in the week.

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Please have grades in by Wednesday, February 20th.

## Joelle van Lent and Outright VT at 3/4 Inservice

During the March 4th inservice,
Mara Iverson of Outright Vermont
will be at Malletts Bay to present
about gender and sexuality. This is
part of our district's focus around
equity as well as our school's focus
on professional development
specific to Equity. Immediately
after Mara's presentation, Joelle
van Lent will do an hour workshop
on trauma and compassion fatigue.
All schools in CSD are partnering
to do professional development
with Joelle this year. At this point,
Joelle has worked with most of us



#### 5th graders testing paper airplane prototypes

in smaller groups. This will be a chance for us to do work as a faculty. In addition, Joelle will also be back on the afternoon of March 22nd to continue her work with us as a faculty.

## Upcoming Professional Development

February 22nd Staff Meeting

PBIS: Meet in the Music room

March 4th Inservice

8:15 - 10:15 Outright Vermont

10:30 - 11:30 Joelle van Lent March 7th Staff
Meeting

Collective Efficacy: Meet in the Music Room

"Believe in yourself. You are braver than you know and capable of more than you can imagine." Roy T. Bennett



## Reminders and Upcoming Events

4th Grade NAEP Fourth grade students will be taking the National Assessment of Educational Progress on Monday, February 18. Please be respectful of fourth grade classrooms taking the test. There are no changes to the lunch and recess schedules, but a few communities have changed UA times in order to accommodate for the testing schedule. Here is the UA schedule for Monday, February 18th:

8:50 - 9:35 Summit House 4th Grade UA

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10:25 - 11:05 Lighthouse 5th Grade Enrichment

11:15 - 12:00 Lighthouse 5th Grade UA

12:30 - 1:15 Greenhouse 3rd Grade UA

1:20 - 2:05 Harmony House 3rd Grade UA

2:05 - 2:55 Lighthouse 4th Grade UA

<u>Team Time this Week:</u> The focus of team time for this week will be PBIS again. The PBIS team brainstormed a few things to discuss related to Universal Practices. If you have concluded your work on Universal Practices, please begin unpacking CCSS ELA Anchor Standards 7-9 for informational text.

<u>Spirit Week:</u> Here is the <u>MBS Spirit Week Information</u>. sheet. We'll begin calling students down to the gym at 2:15 for a pep rally. Wear your MBS T-Shirt!

#### **Upcoming Field Trips**:

February 19: Mrs. Cioffi & Mrs. Schroeder's Classes to Shelburne Farms

March 15: Mr. Bean to Starbase

March 29: Miss Carmichael to Starbase

April 4: Mrs. Ellingson to Starbase

### **Calendar of Upcoming Events**

February 18: NAESP Testing for 4th Graders

February 19: 3rd & 4th Grade Chorus Concerts at MBS (6:00 & 7:00) February 20: Collective Goods Orders and Payment due to Pam

February 20: 5th Grade Band and Chorus Concerts at CHS (6:30) February 22: Gomo Games Pep Rally at 2:15. Wear your T-Shirt!

March 7: All School Meeting

March 15: Lucky Day Carnival from 6:30 - 8:00

March 22: Staff Development Day