



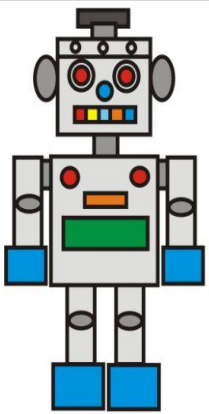
Malletts Bay School Staff Newsletter

Week of May 13th, 2019

Bots June PD Opportunity

MBS was awarded some grant funds that has supplied us with some robots for our students for next year

The robots will be stored in the MBS library.. As part of the grant, we have funds for 3 teachers to do some self led professional development in regard to the robots on June 21st. Please email Jordan by the end of this week if you are interested in doing the bots professional development on June 21st.



Placement Process Reflection

At this point in the new placement process teachers have placed students in groupings and Jordan and Brooke are in the process of reviewing placements.

Reflection will be an important part of the new placement process. We will have an opportunity to reflect on the process in October of next year. We will also take some time this Thursday to reflect on the process. Here are the questions we'll use to guide our discussion.



MBS Staff at Bike to School Day!

What did you value?
What was hard/uncomfortable?
What do you need to be successful the next time we go through this process?

Upcoming Professional Development

May 16th Staff Meeting

All Faculty will meet in the music room - we will Meet about Collective Efficacy and Placement

May 23rd Staff Meeting

NGSS Reflection: All Faculty, please report to Music Room

May 30th Staff Meeting

All Staff should report to MBS Music Room - we will review Universal Tier Protocols

"What the educator does in teaching is to make it possible for the students to become themselves."

- Paulo Friere



Reminders and Upcoming Events

SBAC Schedule: There have been a few slight adjustments to the SBAC Schedule. Please consult this [link](#). Please also encourage students to be especially respectful in the hallways this week as 5th grade and Harmony House are testing.

Outages this Week: Jordan will be out on Tuesday and Wednesday this week at workshops. Brooke will cover the building. Jordan will be checking email both days.

Recess Reminders: Please remind students that we do not play cops and robbers and that we do not dig holes on the playground. If you notice students digging holes or playing cops and robbers, please give them a friendly reminder to stop. If the students continue, they can spend time on the

Volunteer Appreciation: We are in the process of scheduling a volunteer appreciation breakfast and recognition in June. If you have someone who regularly volunteers with your students, please put their information in this spreadsheet by Friday, May 17th: [Volunteer Appreciation Spreadsheet 2019](#)

Upcoming Field Trips:

May 28: Mrs. Chittenden, Mrs. Longchamp & Miss Nuttall to Montpelier
June 3: All 4th Grades to Shelburne Museum
June 4: Mr. Bean & Miss Carmichael to Ft. Ticonderoga
June 5: Mrs. Boucher & Mrs. Ellingson to Ft. Ticonderoga
June 10: Mrs. Miller to Starbase

Calendar of Upcoming Events

May 21: 5th Grade Band & Chorus Concerts at CHS 6:30 - 7:30
May 22: 3rd Grade Chorus Concert at MBS 6:00
4th Grade Chorus Concert at MBS 7:00
May 31: A2VT for 5th Graders
June 6: All School Meeting
June 7: Field Day
June 11: Fly-Up Day for Incoming 3rd Graders
June 12: Bayside for 3rd Graders
June 13: Bayside for 4th Graders
June 13: DARE Graduation and Barbeque for 5th Graders
June 14: Bayside for 5th Graders
June 14: Barbeque for 3rd & 4th Graders
June 17: Last day of school, 5th Grade Talent Show
Dismissal at 12:45