



# Bobcat News

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## SCHOOL NEWS:

### Upcoming School Closure:

School will be closed Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> for Martin Luther King Day.

### Rocking in the New Year!

Mark your calendars!! The Band/Chorus/Strings Concert is January 11<sup>th</sup>. There will be a morning performance at 8:30 am and an evening performance at 6:30 pm.

### Proper Outdoor Attire:

The weather outside is frightful, and we want to remind parents to send the students in with proper attire for playing outside. That would include **hats, gloves, coats and boots**. We do not have enough "spare" clothing to loan, and we try to send **all students outside for recess daily**. In addition, **in the event of an evacuation, students need to be properly dressed**.

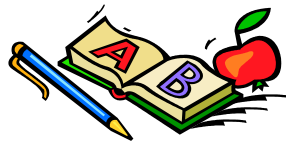
### Ski Program:

The ski program will start NEXT Friday and will be extended to February 9<sup>th</sup>! If you are not getting emails from Mrs. Wayland, please let her know as that is how she communicates with parents. Please make sure your children have their **ski tags and all gear here Friday morning**. The gym doors will be open from **6:40-8:30 am every Friday**. Be sure to pick up any last minute things before Friday. **Buses return to the school at 5:30 pm**. Please make arrangements if you are unable to be here at that time.

### Kindergarten/1<sup>st</sup> Grade Registration:

It is **time to register** children entering either Kindergarten or 1<sup>st</sup> Grade in the **2018-19 school year**! If your child **currently attends NBCS for Kindergarten**, you do not need to do anything.

If you have a preschooler at NBCS, you only need to complete the **Kindergarten Session Preference Form** indicating what session you would like (am or pm). All new registrants can either stop by the office or go to our website, [www.nbc.s.k12.nh.us](http://www.nbc.s.k12.nh.us), and print off the registration documents. We start the process this early in order to get a head count for budgeting and staffing purposes. Please spread the word to families who may not know to register.



### Volunteers/Designated Volunteers:

All volunteers need to watch the **Bullying Video** on the **SAU #19 website under Special Projects / Anti-Bullying Project**. In addition you will need to sign the **Verification of Bullying Training Form** also found on the website.

SAU 19 will host **fingerprinting** opportunities for **Designated Volunteers** throughout the school year on the first Wednesday of each month from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. For more information please visit the school website.

### School Board Meetings:

The **School Board** meets **twice a month** with the exception of April and June. There will be a **special Board Meeting tomorrow, January 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am in the school library**. The **next meetings** will be held on Wednesday, **January 10<sup>th</sup> (Budget Hearing followed by School Board Meeting)** and Wednesday, **January 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM** in the school Library. All are welcome!

## PTA NEWS:

### Theme Baskets:

**Donations for theme baskets are due by January 19<sup>th</sup>!** Questions may be addressed to the classroom coordinator for your child's class or Diane Beliveau at [db91535@gmail.com](mailto:db91535@gmail.com) or 760-685-1197, text or phone. Thank you!

### School Store – Help Needed in January:

**Students in grades 3-6 only** will be able to visit the store between **7:45 - 8:15 am each Thursday in the Art Room**. Items for sale range in price from 25 cents to \$3.00 and include items such as pens, pencils, pencil toppers, pencil sharpeners, erasers and notebooks. We do **require 2 volunteers** to run the store each day the store is open so please consider volunteering an hour of your time to help out! **We are in need of volunteers in January and the months following. If you are able to help, please sign up at:**  
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c044fa8a92babf58-school1>.

### PTA Membership & Volunteer Opportunities:

Looking to get more involved in what is happening in your school? Ideas for fundraisers? Please reach out in one of three ways: by returning the volunteer opportunity sheet that was sent home earlier this year; by contacting the PTA at [nbcsppta@gmail.com](mailto:nbcsppta@gmail.com); or by coming to our monthly PTA meetings, held on the 3rd Wednesday of each month. The

PTA also has a Facebook page:  
<https://www.facebook.com/NBCSPTA/>. Please "LIKE" us for ongoing updates and information.

The next **PTA meeting** will be on **Wednesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm** in the **Library**. All are welcome!

## RECREATION NEWS:

The **Lip Sync Contest** will be in the **NBCS gym** on **Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm**. Admission to the show is \$1 and we ask everyone to bring a canned good for the New Boston Community Church Food Pantry.

We are offering a **Safe Sitter course** at the Recreation office on **Tuesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>** (no school that day due to voting). This is a babysitter training program for ages 11-14. Class time is 9:00 am - 3:00 pm and fee is \$85. Space is limited to 10 participants.

**Tickets are now on sale** at the Recreation office or online for a **Dueling Pianos** show in the school gym on **Saturday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm**. Tickets are **\$10 in advance or \$15 on the day of the show** (based on availability). This is an 18 and older show but is **not** a BYOB event. Proceeds benefit the New Boston Community Church Food Pantry.

## COMMUNITY NEWS:

### Little People's Depot Preschool:

Little People's Depot Preschool **open house and registration for the 2018-2019 school year is Monday, February 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:00-7:00 pm**. For more information please call 487-5561 or visit our website [www.littlepeoplesdepot.com](http://www.littlepeoplesdepot.com). **In the event of a snow date the open house and registration night will take place Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**. Children are welcome!

### Goffstown Babe Ruth Softball:

**Winter clinics** will begin on **Sunday, January 7<sup>th</sup> and run through March 11<sup>th</sup> at Goffstown High School**. The cost is **\$10 per Sunday** to participate. Girls **10 years and under** are from **8:30-9:45 am**; girls **11 and older** are from **10:30-11:45 am**. **ALL** girls are invited to learn/practice **pitching and catching** from **9:45-10:30 am**. Please contact Kristen Baldyga at 497-2972 or Bruce Rand at 497-2822 for additional information. Goffstown High School's varsity softball coach, along with his players, will lead the instruction at the clinics. One time registration at the door, or register at [www.leaguelineup.com/goffstownbaberuth/](http://www.leaguelineup.com/goffstownbaberuth/). This is a great opportunity regardless of experience!!

### Whipple Free Library:

**Winter Stories** begin the week of **January 8<sup>th</sup>** – Stories, songs and crafts for ages 3 to 6. Mondays at 11:30 am, Wednesdays at 10:00 am or 11:00 am, or Fridays at 11:00 am for ages 3 to 5. Stories, songs and Flannelboard activities on Fridays at 10:00 am for babies and toddlers

with their caregivers. We have lots of room for more story time friends, especially on Wednesdays at 10:00 am!

**LEGO Club**, for kids in Readiness to grade 6, will meet next on Monday, January 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Junior Book Clubs** - Each group is limited to 20 members. Books are available now for the January meetings. Craft a Story Jr book club, for grades 2 & 3, is reading "Miss Child Has Gone Wild" by Dan Gutman and will meet on Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm. Book Bunch Jr book club, for grades 3 to 5, is reading "Pugs of the Frozen North" by Philip Reeve and will meet on Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm. The Pageturners Jr book club, for grades 4 to 6, is reading "Earthborn" by Sylvia Waugh and will meet on Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm.

We have room for new friends in all of the book clubs. We enjoy book fun and snacks. Join us!

*Sign up for any of these events in the Children's Room! You may also call the library or send an email.*

**Reading Goes to the Dogs** returns **Wednesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>**. Independent readers in Readiness to grade 6 can sign up to read to Ruthie or Hobo for ten minutes. This session will for **seven weeks**. Openings available.

### Teen Game Night and Holiday Yankee Swap,

**Rescheduled to Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 to 9:00 pm** - Wii Games, Board games, Card games, iPads... Teen Nights are for youth in grades 7 and up. **Yankee Swap** - Bring a wrapped gift valued around \$10 that would be good for any teen. PLEASE no books. While that seems funny at a library event, not everyone has the same taste or level of reading. Candy, gift cards, games...etc. Drinks are provided. Bring snacks to share. Label snacks that contain nuts, please.

**Teen Book Club, Friday, January 12<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm** – The book is "The Knife of Never Letting Go" by Patrick Ness. Pick up a copy and join us for snacks and lively discussion.

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

1/6	School Board Meeting, Library, 9:00am
1/10	Budget Hearing followed by the School Board Meeting, Library, 6:30
1/11	Band/Chorus/Strings Concert, Gym Dress Rehearsal, 8:30 Concert, 6:30
1/12	Pat's Peak Ski Program, 1:00
1/15	Martin Luther King Jr. Day, NO SCHOOL
1/17	PTA Meeting, Library, 7:00
1/18	Snow Date for Concert
1/18	Spelling Bee, Gym, 8:30
1/19	Pat's Peak Ski Program, 1:00
1/23	Grades Close
1/24	School Board Meeting, Library, 6:30
1/25	Community Meeting, Gym, 8:30
1/26	Pat's Peak Ski Program, 1:00