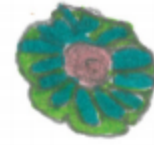


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Rose

Greetings BVS Parents & Guardians:

It was such a treat yesterday to see robins gathered on my lawn. It is a sure sign that warmer weather will soon be upon us. The students are also looking forward to warmer weather and spending time outside without layers of clothing!

Thank you for making our Saturday school session a success. We utilized the time to practice for the play that is scheduled for April 11th at the Woodsville High School Community Building at 6:00 pm. Students should arrive by 5:30. All students will check in with their teacher downstairs in the cafeteria promptly at 5:30. Student sign-out will also take place in the cafeteria after the play. While you are waiting for the play to begin, we encourage you to take time to look at many props Mrs. Avery and students created. Bath Village School certainly has talent!!

Congratulations to Kristen Avery! Kristen was nominated for NH Teacher of the Year. On April 1, 2019, she attended a celebration honoring all the 2020 NH Teacher of the Year Nominees. Out of the thirty-eight nominees, one teacher will be selected to serve as an ambassador for all the excellent teachers in our State. Regardless of whether Kristen is chosen as the 2020 Teacher of the Year, she is without a doubt an outstanding teacher. She demonstrates leadership, deliberately connects learning to the real world and provides activities that foster student growth, goal setting, and reflection. Congratulations Kristen!!

Happy Spring!!

Respectfully,

Bernice Mills

Upcoming Events:

Apr. 11 •The Little Mermaid, 6pm
at WHS (students arrive at 5:30)

April 15-19 •No school --
April break

April 22-26 •Spirit Week!

Monday – Sports Day

Tuesday – Twin Day

Wednesday – Disney Day

Thursday – Hat Day

Friday – PJ/Stuffed Animal Day

April 26 •Progress Reports

And thinking ahead...

May 2 •Early Release

May 22 •Spring Concert, 6pm
at HCMS



Mrs. Avery accepting her NH Teacher of the Year Nomination

Quilt Raffle Continues



Thank you for selling raffle tickets for Ellie Leach's beautiful quilt. The drawing will happen at the Spring Concert on May 22nd. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. If you need more tickets, please see Amanda in the main office.



Miles P.

Lost and Found: Come and Get It!

As winter ends, it can be easy to forget about hats, mittens, etc. We have a number of unclaimed items in the Lost and Found box in the lobby next to the gym, and many unclaimed items in classrooms, too. Come in and see us if you're missing anything! Unclaimed items will be discarded at the end of the year.

Friendly reminder: using a Sharpie to write your child's name or initials on items helps us keep track!



Bella

Changing Perspectives



The 3rd and 4th grades were fortunate to have a special guest during Guidance in March. Sam Drazin, founder of Changing Perspectives, met with the classes to discuss the work they had done over the last trimester. Students discussed various disabilities and considered how they affect people around us. Changing Perspectives strives to promote awareness and inspire empathy. We were delighted to welcome Mr. Drazin in to visit with our students.



Lorelai

Winter Activities A Great Success

We wrapped up winter activities in March. It was a terrific season. Half the school was at Cannon Mountain skiing and snowboarding, and we got to experience a wide variety of weather and conditions.



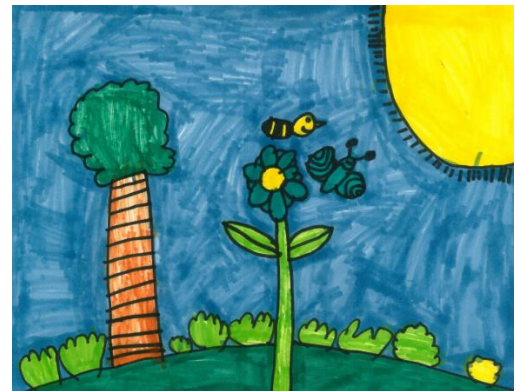
The Evergreen group enjoyed gymnastics, rock climbing and swimming.



The group that stayed at BVS made trips to Franconia Inn for snowshoeing, tubing and a sleigh ride, and a trip to Victory Lanes for bowling.

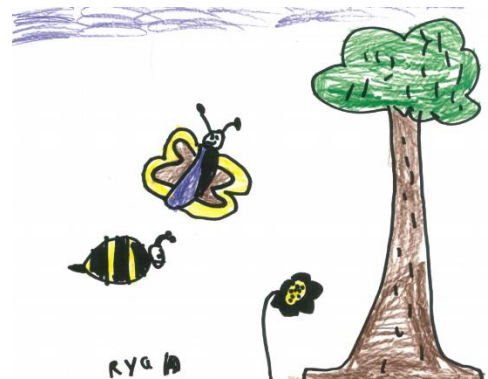


We appreciate the help of all the volunteers who made these activities possible. Thank you for your support!

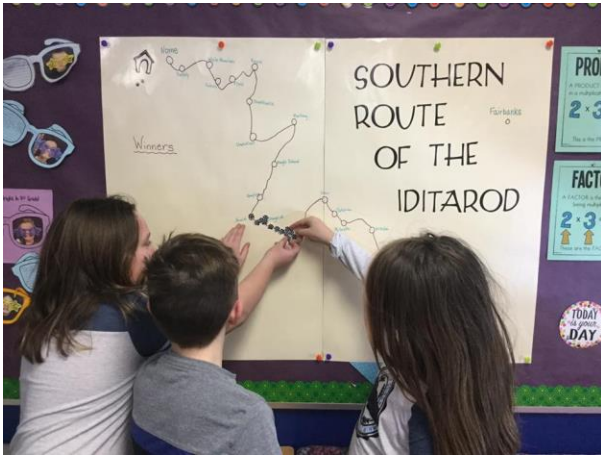


Jacqueline (above)

Ryan (below)



Following the Iditarod



Mrs. Blaisdell had the 4th graders choose mushers and sled dog teams to follow, and they very closely watched their teams' progress throughout the race. Iditarod-related tasks involving math, science, technology and writing skills were all part of the project.



Spirit Week is Coming!

The week after April vacation will be Spirit Week here at BVS. There's a theme for each day:

Monday: Sports Day Wear anything related to sports.

Tuesday: Twin Day Find a buddy and dress alike. (Not restricted to twins – you can be triplets, quadruplets, etc!)

Wednesday: Disney Day Wear something Disney-related.

Thursday: Hat Day Wear your favorite hat for the day.

Friday: Pajama Day Students can wear pjs all day, and/or bring in a stuffed animal.

Mondays with Ms. Morneault

We are so lucky to have Ms. Morneault joining us on Mondays. Music, happy shouts and a lot of motion result each week. Eagles have so much fun playing, they might not even realize how much exercise they're getting!



Students roll on dollies for a fun variation of tag.



Berkley

Many thanks to Miss Tillotson and her class for the refreshing, hopeful images of spring for this newsletter!