




Broad Street Elementary School Newsletter

Dates to Remember For November

- 5- No School (for students)—Election Day
 - 5-PTO Bake Sale 8-5pm
 - 6-Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-7:30pm (PTO dinner for teachers/staff)
 - 11-No school-Veterans Day Observance
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- 12- Picture Re-Takes, 9 am
 - 12- PTO Meeting 6:45 pm, Teacher's Lounge
 - 14-Parent/Teacher Conferences 4-7:30pm
 - 21-Grade 2 Field Trip, "Once Upon a Mattress" NHSN 9 am
 - 26-Grade 4 NH State House field trip 9am
 - 27-29-No school-Thanksgiving break



The Bulldog Broadcaster

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Stacy Bachelder, Principal
John Forrest, Assistant Principal

Dream big. Work hard. Achieve success.



A Message from our Principals

It is hard to believe that we are in our 3rd month of school and Thanksgiving is just around the corner! We are pleased to see so many of you attending the PTO meetings, family events and fundraisers! Your efforts to support the school community are so helpful to our students and are greatly appreciated. You should have received your child's progress report and parent teacher conferences are coming up on November 6th and 14th. If you haven't scheduled a conference with your child's teacher, you can still do so. We appreciate your support. Please remember to arrive a bit before your conference time to keep us on schedule and let the teacher know if you are unable to keep your appointment.

A reminder that drop off in the morning is 8:00 AM for students in grades K-5. With the exception of students that attend breakfast, students are not supervised nor are they permitted in the building before 8:00AM.

Please call the school or send in a note if you are changing your child's dismissal routine. If your child is leaving school in a car, you must travel through the carpool lane. You may not pick your child up at the bottom of Upstone Dr. Please understand this is for the safety of your children.

We both look forward to seeing you at conferences and upcoming events.
Thank you!

**Stacy Bachelder
Principal
John Forrest
Assistant Principal**

Painless Participation

Broad St. has some easy and painless ways to help our school.

Hannaford Helps Schools— You can help earn extra cash just by going grocery shopping at Hannaford's. When you purchase participating products you will receive "School Dollars" to send in to our school.

Boxtops for Education— Save your boxtops coupons from General Mills products and the school receives cash.

Book Bin— Clothing, shoes, purses, books, DVD's and VHS. Located in the lot, just past our marquis in the front of the school.

Health Office News

Flu season has arrived, and there are some things we all can do to protect our-selves and our families:

Vaccinate— everyone 6 months of age and older should get vaccinated against the flu. Flu vaccine is now available, call your doctor's office to schedule your appointment. The Nashua Public Health Department offers Immunization Clinics where flu shots are available as well. Clinics take place every Tuesday from 4-7 pm, no appointment is needed. They are located in the lower level at 18 Mulberry St.

Stop Germs— Wash your hands frequently with soap and water or alcohol based hand sanitizer if soap and water are not available. Cover your nose and mouth when you cough and sneeze and throw tissues in the trash. If you are ill, STAY HOME until you are fever free for 24 hours without medication. When you are sick, limit contact with other people to keep from infecting them.

Know the symptoms of the

Flu— Fever, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, body aches, headache, chills and fatigue. Some people may also experience vomiting and diarrhea and it is possible to have respiratory symptoms without a fever. Call your doctor with any questions.

Now That the colder weather is here, please be sure your child has a warm coat, hat and mittens for recess each day. Recess is an integral part of the elementary school program, and is part of the regular school day. **No child is to be excused from recess unless a request is received in writing from the child's physician.**

For those of you that are skiers, the link below will bring you to the Ski NH 4th & 5th Grade Snowsports Passport for kids. You will also find links on this page for other family ski discounts.

<https://www.skinh.com/snowsports-passport>

Healthy Snack Idea:

Mini Cornucopias

Serve the children snacks in their own horn of plenty. Cut a whole-wheat tortilla in half and roll it into a cone. Use a dab of cream cheese to secure the tortilla edges together. Fill the cornucopia with baby corn ears, mini pickles, peas and other small vegetables, or with your child's favorite fruits cut up. Serve with a low-fat dip on the side.



Marsha Peterson RN

Library News

Thank you for your support of the SchoolStore.com program. I have not seen the latest statistics on participation but I believe we came close to (or maybe even surpassed) last year’s participation. I should have a final update for the next newsletter. Your efforts provide extra funds to purchase additional resources for our library.

The Book Fair is off to a great start! Thank you to those who have purchased books as well as the wonderful volunteers who gave their time to make this even a win-win success for our students individually as well as for our with the books that were purchased and made available in the Media Center.

Michele Laliberte
Librarian

PTO NEWS

Hello Broad Street Families!! Thank you to everyone who supported the UNO’s Dine In Night last month! We also hope that you enjoyed our Halloween Dance and Trunk or Treat! It was a big success thanks to our wonderful Broad Street School community. Update on our Spirit Wear sale: Product is due to ship on or before 11/8, directly to Broad Street School.

Important Upcoming Event: Our Election Day Bake Sale on November 5th. We need all the baked goods we can get! Check out our Broad Street PTO Facebook page or follow this link for information and to sign up: <https://singup.com/go/UuEaGnB>

The Dine-In Night this month will be held at Applebee’s on Amherst Street, November 7th from 5:00-8:00 pm. We will have a new fundraiser this month as well: KidStuff Coupon Books! More information will be sent home with students. Tuesday, November 12th– Monthly PTO meeting at 6:45 pm in the Teacher’s Lounge. Join us to learn about upcoming events, volunteer opportunities, and the happenings at school.

Breakfast with Santa and the Holiday Fair are soon approaching, Saturday, December 14th. If you know of an artisan that may be interested in reserving a table at the fair, please have them email broadstreetpto390@gmail.com Here’s to a great month!

Crystal DiTullio—PTO President

Daily Announcements

Be sure to stay connected and sign up for “Daily Announcements”. This is a convenient way to be aware of the day to day happenings at Broad Street School, the district and Nashua. Go to the Broad Street School website, www.nashua.edu/broad/home. Then go to the “For Parents” tab and “Announcements Sign Up”. Once you have subscribed, you will receive the daily announcements every day via email.

Guidance News

Classroom guidance lessons are wrapping up in grades K-2. They’ve done a wonderful job learning about feelings, being a whole body listener, coping skills, making and keeping friends, how to be safe, and how we’re all different but can still get along. Upper grade lessons will start after Thanksgiving. 3rd graders will be learning all about empathy. 4th grade will focus on conflict resolution skills. 5th grade will dive into what cyber bullying is and how important internet safety is.

Thank you to everyone who participated in Red Ribbon Week! So many of the challenge slips came back. I hope the new foods they tried make it into a weekly rotation. I saw many kids making healthy choices such as healthy snacks, running around at recess, and telling me that they were getting enough sleep at night! Please continue to talk with your children about staying drug free and making healthy choices. It’s an important message outside of the dedicated week that we organize.

Thank you.

Kim Remillard—Guidance Counselor

“Gratitude turns what we have into enough”.

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BAD WEATHER REMINDER
(Please cut this out and place it on your refrigerator)

On days of questionable weather, parents should check local reports for school cancellations and delays. There are many options of finding out if school is delayed/cancelled (see below). Parents should avoid calling school to ask about delays. **On delayed openings AM Preschool will be cancelled.** All other students should not arrive at school until after 10:00 am; there will be no breakfast program on days of delayed openings.

- ♦ **Listen and Watch** - WSNH 900 AM, WSMN 1590 AM, WFNQ 106.3 FM, WFEA 1370 AM, WZID 95.7 FM, WMML 96.5 FM, WGIR 101.1 FM and 610 AM, and on the following TV stations: WMUR Channel 9, WBZ Channel 4, WCVB Channel 5, WHDH Channel 7 and WFXT Fox 25 Channel 12.
- ♦ You may call the District Office answering message at 966-1000.
- ♦ You can go to the district website, www.nashua.edu, to check updates.
- ♦ Blackboard Connect Phone Communication System will also make automated calls at approximately 6:00 a.m. Note: There may be occasions when network connections do not allow the use of Blackboard Connect. Television and radio will continue to be a reliable source of information.

