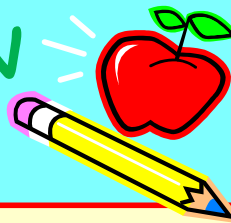


# MARTINSON MESSENGER



**Weekly Update**  
April 30 – May 6, 2017

## PRINCIPAL'S NEWS

I want to give a huge THANK YOU to the Martinson Playground Committee: Mrs. Concannon, Mrs. Pozerski, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Vigilante. We received \$130,000.00 from the Community Preservation Committee due to their hard work. The town's people voted unanimously at the Town Meeting to allocate the funding for the playground. The PTO has generously donated \$10,000.00 and the Molly Fitzgerald Fund gave \$2,500.00 towards the playground.

MES was lucky to have MHS seniors volunteering their time on Friday We Are Marshfield project. 200 seniors participated in a day of service. Former parent Matt Gorham led a group of 8 students to clean the up MES grounds. The PTO provided pizza and it was a great day.

Finally, the MES Playground Carwash and Savers Fundraiser is this Saturday from 10:00-2:00.

[Marshfield Food Pantry](#)  
[Sowing Seeds](#)

Follow me on Twitter at Dr. Leslie Scollins @MESPPAL.

[Healthy Celebrations](#)  
[Healthy Students, Healthy Schools](#)



## This Week's Important Events at Martinson

**5/1-5/5: Staff Appreciation Week**  
**MONDAY: MCAS Gr. 3, Math, Gr. 4 State Float Fair Kickoff-1:30P**  
**TUESDAY: MCAS Gr. 3, Math, Enrichment-Gr. 1 MOS, Habitats, MES Night at Famous Pizza**  
**WEDNESDAY: MCAS Gr. 4-Math, Gr. 5 Field Trip-Regal Cinema**  
**THURSDAY: Conferences, 1:30-3:30**  
**FRIDAY: MCAS Gr. 4-Math, Student Council Mtg. 5/6: MES Playground Carwash, Savers Fundraiser-FBMS, 10:00-2:00PM**

## Nurses Corner

Postural Screening will be conducted during the month of May. This is only for students in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade. If you have any questions or concerns please call Nurse Mudge at 781-319-3985.

If your child is in the 4<sup>th</sup> grade, and you have not done so already this year, please submit their up to date annual physical exam and immunization report.



### *From the School Nutrition Dept.*

School Nutrition Department has a NEW Electronic Free and Reduced applications please click on the link below to apply for Free and Reduced.

<http://nlappscloud.com/District.aspx?sdid=40&op=30dcb3efe164777986725f978cd9b4ba>

For more information click the links below:

[MES Website](#)

[The Recreation Department will offer a variety of programs](#)

Details on the above programs are listed in the Winter Community Brochure.

## *PTO NEWS*

Thank you to the families who came out for pizza trivia, a fun night was had by all! Thank you to Lauren Dargan for coordinating.

Once again, Sarah Beck has put a lot of effort into coordinating teacher appreciation week! Mail carrier has gone home and an email has gone out with a link for a sign-up genius for all those who would like to help shower our teachers with love!

Thanks to Joan Pozerski for presenting at town meeting regarding the plans for the Martinson playground! There are many opportunities to support the fundraising efforts for the playground, including the car wash/savers drive on Saturday, May 6th. Please follow the playground committee's Facebook page for the most up-to-date information.

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, May 2, we will have Martinson night at Famous pizza. Famous will donate 10% of all dine in and take out sales back to MES PTO. Flyers were sent home and can also be found on the MES parent's forum on Facebook.

## *Looking Ahead Mark Your Calendars*

**5/8: MCAS Gr. 5 Math**

**5/9: MCAS Gr. 5 Math, Enrichment Gr. 2**

**MOS Animal Lifecycles, Gr. 1 - Field Trip**

**Wheelock College Theater, School**

**Committee Mtg. -EWS, 7:00P**

**5/10: MES PTO Mtg.-Café, 7-9PM**

**5/12: Student Council Mtg., Mother's Day**

**Tea-Gr. 3, 2:00P**

**5/15: MCAS-Gr. 5, STE, School Council**

**Mtg.-4P**

**5/16: MCAS- Gr. 5, STE, Kindergarten**

**Screening-9:30AM-12:00PM, Reading**

**Book Buddies, Debyah/McHugh Classes**

**5/17: Brain Drain-Anti Drug**

**Presentation-MPSD, Gr. 5**

**5/19: Enrichment-Fun With Science-GrS.**

**K-1, Gr. 5 Visit with Mr. Sullivan,**

**Student Council Mtg.**

**5/22: Memorial Day Concert**

**5/23: Kindergarten Screening, School**

**Committee Mtg-SRS, 7P**

**5/24: Enrichment-Whalemobile-All**

**Grades, FBMS Guidance Visit to Gr. 5**

**5/25: Kindergarten Screening**

**5/26: Enrichment-Top Secret Science &**

**Math-Gr. 2, Spirit Day, Student Council**

**Mtg.**

**5/29: NO SCHOOL- MEMORIAL DAY**

**5/30-6/2- MES JOG-A-THON**

**5/31: MES Gr. 5 Visits FBMS, Incoming 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Gr. Parent Night-FBMS, 7:00PM**





The Federation for Children with Special Needs  
Presents

***BASIC RIGHTS  
In Special Education  
A Workshop for Parents and Professionals***

The Basic Rights workshop provides families with an introduction to their rights and responsibilities under:

- **Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA)**
- **Massachusetts Special Education Law**

This workshop is designed to help parents learn to be effective partners with their child's school to decide their child's eligibility for special education, and to plan, make decisions and monitor their child's progress in school.

**Date: Monday, May 8, 2017**

**Location: Boys & Girls Club of Marshfield**

**Time: 7:00-9:00PM**

**Contact: Heidi @ [Heidiconwaymobile@gmail.com](mailto:Heidiconwaymobile@gmail.com)**

**or**

**Rachael @ [rachaell@bgcmarshfield.com](mailto:rachaell@bgcmarshfield.com)**

Questions regarding this workshop should be directed to the contact individual listed above. A presenter from the Federation for Children with Special Needs will conduct this workshop. Federation workshops are free and open to the public. You are welcome to attend any workshop in or outside of your immediate community.

**The Federation for Children with Special Needs  
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617-236-7210 or 800-331-0688, ext. 0 or <http://fcsn.org/pti/workshops/home.php>**

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