R.M.T. Johnson Elementary School

Weekly Bulletin
June 1, 2012

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Principal's Message

Congratulations to Mrs. Danielle Westervelt-Crane who was honored as Johnson School's Teacher of the Year, to Mrs. Candace Amore-Gallay who was honored as Johnson School's Rookie Teacher of the Year and Mrs. Janet Troetti who was honored as Johnson School's Pillar of the Year. The Johnson School community is proud to have such fine educators representing us!

June is a busy, busy month at Johnson School. We are all very excited about the end of year. Though it is important to remember that we still have almost two weeks left of valuable school time! As we approach the end of the year, there are several items that require wrap up. All books should be returned to the classrooms and media center. Students should begin to bring home personal items that they will not need for the remainder of the year.

The lost and found will be donated to needy families after next week, please have your children claim missing items.

Have a great weekend!!

Dr. Gombos

June Calendar

5	Grade 5 Field Day
6	Grade 4 Field Day
	Grade 5 Variety Show
7	Rain date for Field Days
8	Grade 5 Picnic Meckauer Park
11	Rain date for Grade 5 Picnic
13	Grade 5 Moving Up
14	LAST DAY REPORT CARDS ISSUED
	EARLY DISMISSAL 1:00 pm

Invitations to Moving Up/Slide Show

Fifth Grade parents, invitations to the Moving Up/ Slide Show on June 13, 2012, was sent home on May 25. Please check with your child.

Notification for Medication Pick-Up

Please remember if your child has any medication in the nurse's office, it **must** be picked up by the last day of school, June 14. Any medication that is not picked up will be **discarded**.

Responsibility *Caring* *Trustworthiness* *Respect* *Citizenship* *Fairness*

PTO NEWS

We need volunteers to set up, serve, clean up and bake for the fifth grade *Moving Up* breakfast on June 13. Please contact Sherry Gonzalez 203-313-1370 Bethel50@aol.com.

Our last PTO meeting of the school year will be June 12th at 9:15 a. m. We would like to invite all our volunteers for a Thank You Breakfast. Please join us in the Teachers' Lounge.

STOP & SHOP A+ PROGRAM: Stop & Shop gives cash back to our school each year from October-March. Please register your customer card online at www.stopandshop.com/our_stores/bonus_bucks or in stores.

Regards from your PTO Board,

Sherry Gonzalez, President
Mary Finaldi, Treasurer

Mark Your Calendars! Celebrate the start of summer vacation with the Bethel Education Foundation at the second annual *Family Summer Kickoff*, Thursday, June 14th (rain or shine), 2:00pm-6:00pm on the grounds of Bethel Middle School. Bring the entire family, your lawn chairs and blankets for an afternoon of games and activities for kids of all ages, sports games, bounce house, dunk tank, music, food and much more. To purchase discount tickets now, visit www.betheledfoundation.org. All proceeds benefit the BEF which supports public and private education and community initiatives in Bethel through grants to teachers, administrators and community members.

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Dr. Janice Jordan
Associate Superintendent
(203) 794-8613

End of Year P.E. Information

As the school year rapidly comes to an end, there are some points of interest worth noting relating to physical education:

Grade 5 Pentathlon winners will be receiving awards at the ***Moving Up Ceremony* on Wednesday, June 13th** at the Bethel Middle School.

All Grade 4 Pentathlon winners and Grade 5 cluster winners will be receiving their awards during a special time.

Grade 5 will be participating in Field Day on Tuesday, June 5th.
Grade 4 will be participating in Field Day on Wednesday, June 6th. Rain date for both grades is June 7th.

Please make sure that your child is dressed in **sneakers**, **shorts** and a **hat** that protects the face from the sun. **Long hair** should be **tied back** off the face and any students with loose fitting shorts/pants ***must*** wear a **belt**!
Sun block is highly recommended!

All students are encouraged to bring a plastic water bottle labeled with their name.

Events begin 8:30
Lunch (after 11:00)
Overall Awards 1:30