HEDGEHOG HEADLINES

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Important notices:

The following attachments are at the end of this newsletter: Please take time to review the attached information.

Bartlett PTA Newsletter Special Olympics Young Athlete Flyer Girls on the Run Literacy Magazine Link Springfest Goffstown Screaming Eagles Cheerleading Egg Hunt Information



This Week's Quote:

"Education is the key to unlocking the world, a passport to freedom."

-Oprah Winfrey

NH Statewide Assessment System:

On 3/5/24, students in grades 3 and 4 began participating in the NH Statewide Assessment (SAS). SAS is a computerized assessment of academic skills in the areas of English Language Arts and Math. The results provide a review of student progress and help the school measure its progress in meeting curriculum goals. This year, the NHDOE has set a mandatory window during which students must complete the writing portion of the test. All writing tests, including make-ups, were completed by March 15. Classroom specific testing schedules will be posted on Schoology. Students in grades 3 and 4 will be completing their reading and math SAS per the schedule below:

2024 New Hampshire Statewide Assessment System Testing Dates:

Grade 3	Grade 4
Reading: April 8 & 9	Reading: April 1 & 2
Math: April 10 & 11	Math: April 3 & 24

Reading and Math Make-ups for all students begin April 15

Bartlett Literacy Magazine:

Below is the link for Volume 2 of our Bartlett Literacy Magazine. Please take a few moments to look at all the amazing work by our students.

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PTA Penny Wars:

Copper versus nickel! Who will win? That's right, we are declaring a penny war! Start collecting those coins because the highest earning class in each grade will win a pizza party!! The war will run April 8-19.

Volunteer Information:

Spring is almost here and that means field trips will be happening! Often, teachers will reach out for volunteer chaperones. In order to chaperone a school field trip, individuals need to complete the volunteer fingerprinting process and complete an online bullying training. This process can take up to 8 weeks for results to come back, so please don't wait until the last minute.

The Goffstown Police Department (GPD) has partnered with our district and will now accept SAU 19 volunteers at the police station during the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM, Monday through Friday. You do not need to make an appointment, but you will need to bring a photo ID with you and tell them you are an SAU 19 volunteer. In the event you cannot make it during these open hours, you may stop by the GPD at any time, but the availability of an officer to take your prints may be limited and you may have to wait for an available officer, or you may be asked to try again at a different date and time.

Once your fingerprinting is complete, GPD will provide you with an electronic receipt. This receipt needs to be brought to the SAU office along with the following forms and payment for the State of NH for \$21.25. Please visit the following link for more information and forms.

Volunteer Fingerprinting (goffstown.k12.nh.us)

Registration:

Grade One Registration is now open. Glen Lake Kindergarten students do not need to register. Please see our website for more details.

Upcoming Events

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04/01/2024	pm, GHS Library	04/04/2024	6:00-8:00 pm
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04/05/2024	PTA Popcorn Friday \$.50	04/192024	PTA Penny Wars
	PTA Movie Night 6:00pm and		School Board Meeting, 7:00pm, GHS
04/12/2024	Popcorn Friday \$.50	04/15/2024	Library
04/17/2024	PTA Meeting, Gym 6:15 pm	04/19/2024	PTA Popcorn Friday \$.50
04/22/2024-			
04/26/2024	Spring Recess	05/03/2024	PTA Popcorn Friday \$.50



YOUR PTA

The PTA can be reached on Facebook (@Bartlett PTA) or by email (<u>bartlettPTAteam@gmail.com</u>). Contact us anytime – we want to hear from you!

President: Sandra Burke Vice President: Desi Bernard Treasurer: Eric Bernard Secretary: Sarah Cameron Memberships & Volunteer Coordinator: Sheryl Weigler

The next PTA meeting is Wednesday, April 17th at 6:15 pm at Elementary. We encourage everyone to attend to help plan the upcoming events. You do not have to be a member to attend the meeting.

However, if you would like to be a member, please fill out the PTA membership form on paper or through Cheddar Up. If you are interested in volunteering or donating to any of our upcoming events, please contact us! We can always use the help!

THANK YOU!

YEARBOOK

Get those Treering orders in and customize your 2 free pages! Custom pages are due: **4/22/24** Order yearbooks by **5/3/24** to have them delivered to school by **6/10/24**. Click <u>here</u> to order! Passcode: 101495057345595

FOURTH-GRADE PARENTS: We want to see those baby pictures! Please upload your photos to Treering or email them to the PTA. Include your student's name and your message.

Have photos to share from Bartlett events? Please email them to us! We really love to fill the yearbook with as many of the students as possible.

DANCE COMMITTEE

We are starting the planning process for our Small & Tall Dance in May. The students voted and want a disco glow theme. We are looking for volunteers to help us organize the event. Please email us if you can help!

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 30: Easter Egg Hunt April 12: Movie Night April 17: PTA Meeting April 22-26: Spring Recess May 6-10: Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week May 10: Small & Tall Dance

PHOTOS

We like to fill the yearbook with as many different students as possible and that's where we need your help! We need your photos!

- Candids for every grade
- First day of school
- Sports
- PTA & school events

If you'd like to share, please upload to Treering our email them to the PTA.

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VOLUNTEERING

We continue to look for SAUapproved and fingerprinted volunteers to help during school hours for events such as popcorn Fridays and Scholastic book fairs. If interested, click <u>here</u> for more information and the required forms. We appreciate all that our families do for Bartlett!

BARTLETT PTA EVENTS

<u>September</u>

4: No School 5: First Day of School 11–25: Cherrydale Fundraiser 20: First PTA Meeting 22: Movie Night

<u>October</u>

9: No School 18: PTA Meeting 20: Movie Night 23–27: Book Fair 24: Spooky Stories 31: Halloween Parade

<u>November</u>

10: No School 15: PTA Meeting 17: Bingo Night 22: Early Release 23–24: No School

<u>December</u>

8: No School 11–15: Penguin Patch 12: Cocoa with Santa 15: Movie Night 20: PTA Meeting 22: Early Release 25–29: Holiday Recess

<u>March</u>

1: Winter Recess 15: Movie Night 17: St. Patrick's Day 20: PTA Meeting 25–29: Book Fair 26: Wild Encounters

<u>June</u>

3–5: Clearance Book Fair 6: Field Day 12: PTA Meeting 17: Last Day of School /Early Release

Happy Summer!

*PTA Events Are Subject to Change. *PTA Meetings: 6:15 at Bartlett *Movie Nights: 6:00–8:00

<u>January</u>

1: No School 15: No School 17: PTA Meeting 19: Movie Night

<u>April</u>

12: Movie Night 17: PTA Meeting 22–26: Spring Recess

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<u>February</u>

9: Bingo Night 14: Valentine's Day Carnations 21: PTA Meeting 26–29: Winter Recess

<u>May</u>

6–10: Teacher & Staff Appreciation Week 10: Small & Tall Dance 15: PTA Meeting 24: Bingo Night 27: No School

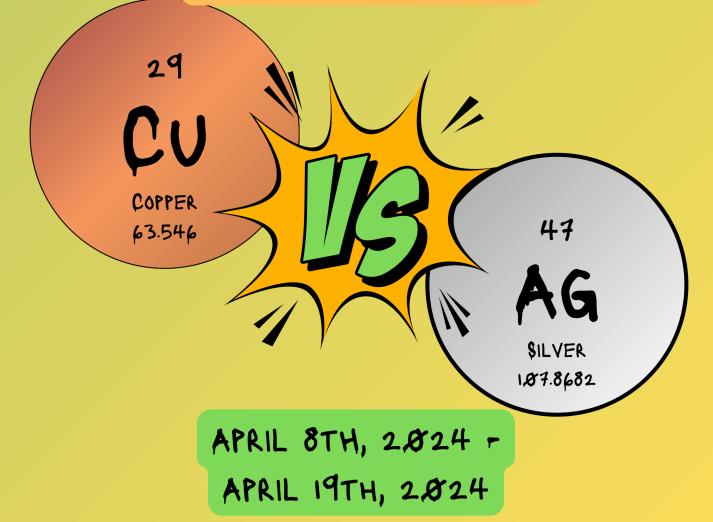
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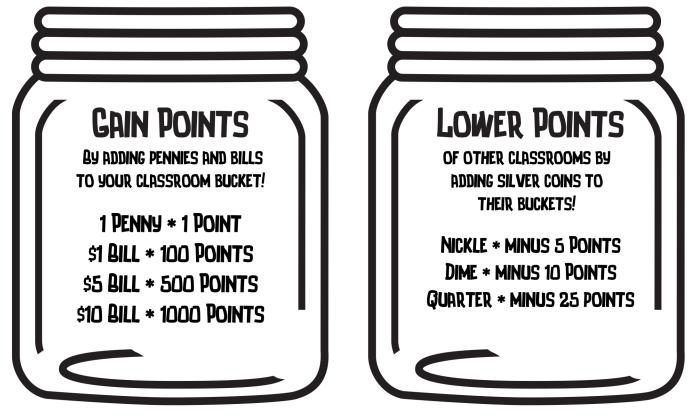






RULES OF ENGAGEMENT

Between April 8th - April 19th, 2024 Each class will have a bucket in their room to collect money



THE CLASS WITH THE MOST POINTS WILL WIN A

Presented by Bartlett PTA





WITH MRS. GOGUEN!!



Create your 2 free custom yearbook pages for

BARTLETT ELEMENTARY





Add Photos

Add your favorite photos from your phone, computer, Instagram, Facebook, Google or Dropbox account, and have them printed in your copy of the yearbook.



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Add Memories

Answer questions about your year and capture your very best moments. You can even include a photo to go along with them.

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Sign Books

Make your friends smile by sending them a message (can include a photo or sticker) that they can add to their custom pages or ask them to send you one!



Design Your Page

Add all of your memories to your two free personal pages that will be printed in your unique copy of the yearbook. Need more room? You can add more pages!

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- Go to: www.treering.com/validate
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Regular price: **\$26.58**

Create Custom Pages by: Apr 22

Need help? Contact

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BARTLETT ELEMENTARY VEARBOOK CALLING ALL 4TH GRADERS!

It is time to submit your baby picture if you want it featured in the yearbook! All baby pictures are due NO LATER THAN 5/3/24. Pictures submitted after that date will not make it into the yearbook.

Submit photos by uploading to Treering or emailing the PTA at BartlettPTAteam@gmail.com. Don't forget to include a note to your student - we will include it under the photo.

TO POST ONLINE IN YOUR TREERING ACCOUNT Scroll to the bottom to "Share School Photos" and choose the "Upload School Photos" link. You can upload photos to any of the photo folders. Add any notes as the caption, which appears directly under the photo after you upload.



BARTLETT PTA Bartlett Elementary School 689 Mast Road Manchester, NH 03102 www.bartlettpta.org Bartlett PTA @NHBartlettPTA

Dear Bartlett Families,

The Bartlett PTA would like to welcome all the new and returning families to the Bartlett community! We are very excited for an exciting and successful 2023–2024 school year!

The PTA is an organization that partners with parents, teachers, staff, and our community to bring fun and educational programs, events, services, and opportunities to our children to enrich their academic experience. Bartlett is a community, based on vibrant parent involvement. Your contribution, whether it is your time, knowledge, or resources make a difference! We invite you to become an involved member of the Bartlett community by joining the Bartlett PTA.

The Bartlett PTA provides funding for field trips, birthday books, classroom library support, school library funding, creating the Bartlett PTA Member Directory, organizing book fairs, family events, ice cream socials, pizza parties, field day, and so much more! These events enhance our children's educational experience and help to make our school a fun and supportive community. These activities and events require volunteers to help make them successful.

We want you to become part of the PTA to help plan these amazing activities! Membership is \$10 annually per member and meets once a month in the evening at the school with free childcare provided! The annual membership fee helps to support the many activities the PTA coordinates. Even if you are not able to donate your time to the PTA, think about becoming a member to help support the cost of events.

If this sounds like something you'd like to be part of, please fill out the attached membership form and return it to the office. We ask that you put the form and payment in an envelope labeled Bartlett PTA so the office will make sure it gets to us. And this year, you also have the option to pay your dues via Cheddar Up!

To stay informed and connected to all Bartlett PTA news and events, please visit our website at <u>www.bartlettpta.org</u> and follow us on Facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/NHBartlettPTA</u>.

We look forward to another amazing school year and hope to get many more of you involved with the PTA! If you have any questions or would like to share some of your thoughts and suggestions, please feel free to contact any Bartlett PTA Board Member (<u>bartlettPTAteam@gmail.com</u>).

Sincerely,

2023–2024 Bartlett PTA Board Members (Sandra Burke, Sarah Cameron, Sheryl Weigler, Desi Bernard, Eric Bernard)



BARTLETT PTA Bartlett Elementary School 689 Mast Road Manchester, NH 03102 www.bartlettpta.org

Please support the Bartlett PTA by becoming a member! The cost is only \$10 per person for the entire school year, which goes toward programs for the students, teachers, and school. The PTA also offers additional educational events and entertainment like family movie nights, holiday events, family dances, carnivals, book fairs, story nights, special visits, and more!

Your membership alone will give us a BIGGER voice in our school and community. Your membership dues of \$10 comes with no obligation, but we are always looking for more volunteers. Whether you have 30 minutes or a few hours a month—volunteering with the PTA doesn't have to take a lot of time. Maybe it's dropping off a box of cookies or decorations for an upcoming event, helping hand out carnations, or maybe it's an hour helping with popcorn on Fridays (it's a Bartlett tradition!). Anyone can help and we are always in need of volunteers.

Budget, programs, school events, and volunteer opportunities are discussed at each monthly meeting (attendance is not mandatory, but it's your chance to share your opinion and offer some suggestions!). We would love for you to join us at our next meeting and see all the awesome things Bartlett PTA has to offer! Meetings are the third Wednesday of every month, 6:15 pm at Bartlett.

ANNUAL PTA MEMBERSHIP FORM 2023–2024

Please return this form to Bartlett with your \$10 per person annual membership dues. Please pay online using Cheddar Up (QR code below) or by check payable to Bartlett PTA. If you pay via Cheddar Up, you can add the information below right on the online form and won't need to send anything into school.

Name:				
	Email:			
Child's Name:	Grad	le:	_Teacher:	
2 nd Child's Name:		Grade:	Teacher:	
Amount enclosed:	Method of payment: Check # _	Cash:	Cheddar Up:	
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SPECIAL GUEST: THE EASTER BUNNY!

Sponsored by Pinardville Lions Club and Goffstown Lions Club

NEW RAIN DATE! Saturday March 30, 2024

Location – Roy Park

Times:

9:00 am	Ages 1 to 3
9:45 am	Ages 4 to 6
10:30 am	Ages 7 to 9
11:15 am	Ages 10 to 12

Parking is limited so we ask for cooperation with timing.







EARLY BIRD

\$100 W/CAMP*- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED \$185- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED

Register by 5/15/24

Registered after 5/15/24

\$140 W/CAMP* - SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED \$225- SHOES AND BLOOMERS INCLUDED

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 - D8 7-8
 - D10 9-10
 - D12 11-12
 - D14 13-14
 - D16 15-16

*w/camp=UCA overnight camp payment \$285 or commuter \$220

Girls on the Run provides POWER, PURPOSE, AND POTENTIAL

Girls in 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade

Wednesdays and Fridays from 3:30pm-5:00pm

Starts: Week of April 1st

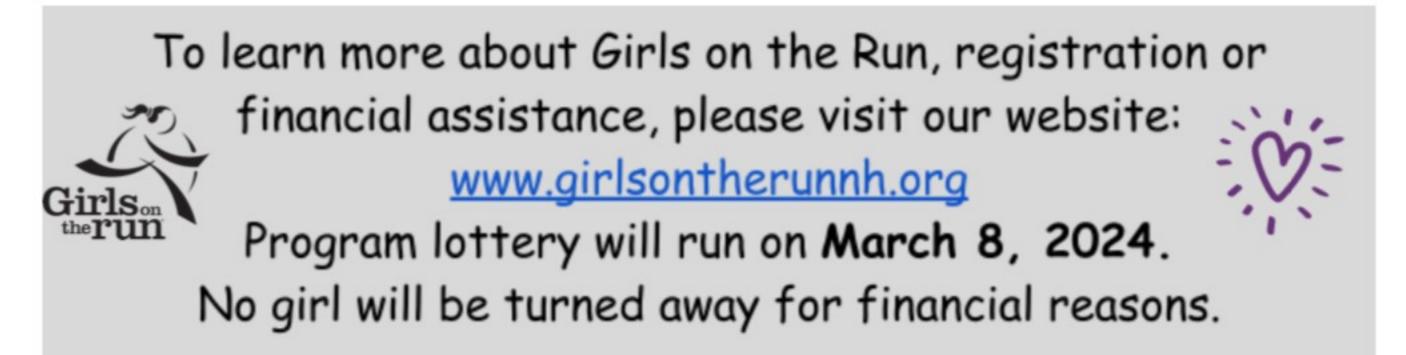
Ends: June 1st

Registration Opens February 23rd

Location: Maple Avenue School

5K Celebration Event: June 1st (Concord, NH)

Girls on the Run is a girl-empowerment organization that inspires participants to be joyful, healthy, and confident using evidence-based lessons that combine relationship building, community strengthening, and goal setting with physical movement.





Saturday, April 13th from 10 - 4 Saint Anselm College

120+ Vendors and Crafters

Offering product demonstrations, free samples, discount coupons, and homemade goods

* Additional charges will apply

Enjoy bounce houses, slides, glitter tattoos, face painting, games and more

Food Court

Meals, snacks, and drinks

Prizes

Door prizes, raffles, and a silent auction



And a visit from Fungo and a WZID Morning Host

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