



The Beeman Buzz

From the Principal's Office

December 2015

- We are so very proud of our Beeman students who took the PARCC test last Spring. As a result of their hard work we moved up to a Level 2 school from a Level 3 school, as did Veteran's School. The Gloucester Public Schools are also now a Level 2 district, an impressive accomplishment!
 - **Polar Express at Beeman:** All the K students had a wonderful time this past Friday as they went on the Polar Express right here at Beeman School! Students came into the gym and had Polar Express tickets that were punched by Conductor Eric Doe. They watched the movie on our new large screen and ate popcorn. Then just like in the film – they had hot chocolate and candy – and cookies too made by Jaime Dort and served by Chef Mrs. Sibley and many elves!
 - **4th and 5th grade got to attend the Christmas Carol at the North Shore Music Theater:** All students in grade 4 and 5 were provided with a free ticket to watch the Music Theater's beloved performance. They dressed up for the occasion and made all their teachers very proud by their excellent behavior and interest in the musical production. This treat was a big hit with everyone! They wrote thank you notes to Jackie Rapasardi who provided us with the tickets. They were perfectly behaved and had a wonderful time!
 - **Upcoming Concert of Peace and Friendship** – Don't forget that this Thursday is our concert. Grades 3 – 5 perform at 9:15AM and grades k – 2 at 1:15PM. This is ¹a wonderful performance of songs that showcase our students' amazing singing talents.
 - **Beeman Basket Raffle:** Don't forget to buy your tickets for our Basket Raffle, which will take place after the k-2 performance on Thursday afternoon. The tickets are \$1 per ticket or 6 tickets for \$5. The proceeds go to supporting Beeman families in need this holiday season. We hope to provide Market Basket gift cards to over 25 families.
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We are also very proud of the following students who received awards for demonstrating a growth mindset and trying their very best this first term:

Grade 1: Bansri Patel, Sara Salvaneli, Anthony Parker Mendez, Madison Urbanski, Eleanor Melvin, and Gabriella Martell

Grade 2: Sam Mello, Sean Broe, Katarina Cardone, Keysha Fermin Romero, Gavin Bren, and Jackson Cody

Grade 3: Giacomo Martell, Chandra Cruz, Krystina Eldridge, Hannah Olson, Michael Gigliotti, and Sheila Rideout

Grade 4: Julian Cruz, Jazmin Baez, Ethan Mahoney, Anessa Palmatier, Ashlee Scola, and Max Muise

Grade 5: Sam Rodriguez, Daphne Passos, and Grace Robbins

From our specialists: PE: Myles Tran-Harrison, Hannah Olson

Music: Cameron Noble, Anessa Plamatier Art: Trinity O’Leary, Gino Tripoli

Important Upcoming Dates:				
<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>
Dec. 21	Dec. 22	Dec. 23 Half Day Holiday Break	Dec.24 Holiday Break	Dec. 25 Holiday Break
Jan. 4 Students Return	Jan. 5	Jan. 6 PTO 6:30PM	Jan. 7	Jan. 8
Jan. 11	Jan. 12 Early Release Prof Development	Jan. 13	Jan. 14	Jan. 15
Jan. 18 MLK Day No School	Jan. 19	Jan. 20	Jan. 21	Jan. 22
Jan. 25	Jan. 26 Early Release Prof Development	Jan. 27 Book Fair	Jan. 28 Book Fair	Jan. 29 Book Fair CA Symphony Grades 4/5

*Wishing Our Beeman Community
A Safe and Happy Holiday Break!*