

## Congratulations

Crystal Bessey is the new school Spelling Bee champion. Crystal and Hayden Torrey, who came in second, will represent the school at the Deer Isle-Stonington Elementary School tonight. Bradley Gale will be the alternate. All the other spellers, Caitlyn Bray, Lucas Theoharidis, Patrick Duddy, Devin Hutchinson, Megan Gale, Justin Gray, Maggie Bunt, Maeghan Tobey, Emily Hammar, and Bradin Cote also did a great job.

## Great Day for Basketball

Last Saturday was a great day for basketball. The B Round Robin Tournament was a huge success for all involved. Our teams played well and the kids had a great deal of fun. As a benefit, the concession stand made over \$1,300 for the grade eight class trip. Many thanks to all those involved.

The A basketball tournaments will be held at George Stevens Academy on February 5 & 6. Tournament games will begin at 3:15 p.m. on Friday and 9:00 a.m. on Saturday.

# **PTF Meeting**

Although there was a modest turnout on a snowy night, the PTF met and approved spending money for a license to show films. We set a date for a family movie night and dinner on March 19. You will hear more about this date later.

PTF members in attendance also heard a brief report from the principal about using Response to Intervention (RTI) as an approach to improving the instructional program. Michelle Keyo reported that the spirit wear sale made \$135.00. Another sale will be held later in the spring. February 4, 2010

School Vacation Week February 15-19

Enjoy time with your family!

### 2010-11 Kindergarten Class

We would like to get a count on the number of children coming to kindergarten in the fall. If you have or know of a child who will turn five no later than October 15, 2010, please call 359-5002.

### **Free/Reduced Meal Applications**

This is a reminder that you may apply for free or reduced meals for your child(ren) anytime throughout the school year. Applications are available from Mrs. Grindle in the office.

### Pee Wee Basketball - Gr. 1-4

White Team Peter Dauk - 359-6698

Feb. 4	Practice 4:30-6:00
Feb. 6	Home Game vs. Blue Hill 1
Feb. 13	Away Game vs. Blue Hill 1
Feb. 20	Home game vs. Sedgwick Blue

#### Blue Team Carl Dannenberg - 359-2799

Feb. 5	Practice 3:00-4:30
Feb. 6	Away Game vs. Blue Hill 2
Feb. 13	Home Game vs. Castine
Feb. 20	Home game vs. Sedgwick White

All games are played from 10:00-11:30 a.m. Please contact your child's coach for questions, further information, or concerns.

# February School Committee Meeting Date

To avoid meeting over vacation, the February school committee meeting will be held February 23 at 6:00 p.m.

# **The Simmering Pot**

The next public supper will be held on Monday, February 8 from 2:30 to 6:00 p.m. at the Blue Hill Congregational Church -- You can eat in or take a meal home. Contact: Hadley Friedman at 374-2898

## Family Dance/Contra Dance

On Saturday, February 6, a Family Dance (cost: family \$10, individual \$3, kids under 5-free) will be held at the Blue Hill Town Hall from 6:30-7:30 PM followed by a Blue Hill Contra Dance with the Oakum Bay String Band and Caller John McIntire (cost: \$7 per person and kids under 13-free) from 8-11 PM. Beginners are welcome and all dances are taught.

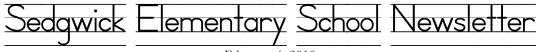
# Wanted: Girl Scout Troop Leader

The After School Girl Scout Program held its last meeting for the winter yesterday. However, the girls would love to have a parent step up and start a Sedgwick Brownie troop. If interested or for further information, contact Kate McCarthy at 989-7474.

Upcoming Events		
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2/4	Union Spelling Bee at DISES @ 5:30 p.m.	
2/5	A Tournaments at GSA	
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2/9	Gr. 7 & 8 students see play at	
-	the Bay School - 10:00;	
	Garden Club 3:00-4:00;	
	Hancock County Spelling Bee	
	in Bucksport	
2/12	Grades 6-8 Valentine Dance	
	@ Sedgwick - 7-10 PM	
2/14	Happy Valentine's Day!	
2/15-2/19	Vacation Week - no school for	
	students	
2/23	Garden Club 3:00-4:00;	
	School Committee Mtg. 6 PM	
Friday Dress Themes		
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C and C Topic: Being Patient Towards Others



February 4, 2010