

# Sedgwick Elementary School Newsletter

January 20, 2011  
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## Next PTF Meeting

The next meeting of the Parent-Teacher-Friends (PTF) group is scheduled on Wednesday the **26th of January at 6:00 p.m.** At that meeting, there will be planning for upcoming winter & spring events, a discussion of the upcoming Boston Museum Trip, the Children's Committee, a cyber bullying program, and other topics. All are welcome to attend. **Child care will be provided.**

## Pee Wee Basketball

Scheduled practices and games for the remainder of January are listed under 'Upcoming Events'. For any questions or additional information about scheduling, games and practices, please contact Peter Dauk at 359-6698. The program also has a website at [www.cravingcoastal.com/sedgwickpeeewee](http://www.cravingcoastal.com/sedgwickpeeewee).

## B Basketball Tournament

There will be a basketball tournament for all peninsula B Teams on Saturday, February 5 in the Sedgwick gym. Because we do not have enough grades 5-7 players to have a Boys B team, only our B girls will be playing. Look for more details on this as the date draws closer.



## A Teams - Basketball Game Change

The January 25th home basketball game with Surry has the following change: The A boys will play first at 3:30 p.m. and the A girls' game will follow the boys (around 5 PM).

## Important Parent Mtg.

Thursday, February 17  
6:00 p.m.  
School Library

### "Cyber Bullying"

Kelly Mitchell of Downeast Health Services will discuss various topics on bullying including ways parents can protect their children from cyber bullying and other forms of harassment.

## Boston Museum Overnight

A lot of interest in the Boston Museum trip has been expressed since the last newsletter. 40 students in grades 3-7 will be able to attend. Since there are 54 students in those grades, priority will be given to older students. Applications will be sent out sometime in February. With the exception of spending money kids may want to take for the museum store, there is no cost to students.

We will have school staff go on the trip as chaperones, but there will also be a need for parent chaperones, who will be selected by the Sedgwick Children's Committee, the group sponsoring the trip.

The Sedgwick Children's Committee is a group of citizens dedicated to the improvement of education for the children of the town. The committee has sponsored many programs in the past, including recreational summer programs, reading and craft days, scholarships to area camps and workshops for students, and other events. The committee needs more parents of school kids to be involved in determining what programs would benefit the current student body. If you are interested in helping out, please see Dr. Buckingham or call 359-5002.

## Spelling Bee

Last week's postponed spelling bee for grades 6-8 Sedgwick students will take place tomorrow (1/21) at 1:00 p.m.

## Grades 6-8 Dance

The eighth grade class will host a dance for grade 6-8 students on Friday, January 28 from 7:00-10:00 p.m. All money raised will benefit the Gr. 8 class trip.

## Girl Scouts

The next girl scouts' meeting is scheduled Tuesday, January 25 from 3:00-4:15 p.m. For additional information, please contact the troop leader, Ashley Pesek, at 359-4947.

## Upcoming Events

- 1/21 Spelling Bee @ 1:00; PeeWee Practice 3-5 PM
- 1/22 PeeWee game@ Penobscot
- 1/24 A & B girls practice 3-4:30; A boys practice 4:30-6:15
- 1/25 Girl Scout Mtg. 3:00-4:15; A Teams vs. Surry boys @3:30 & girls @5:00
- 1/26 B girls vs. BHCS @ 3:30; A girls practice 5:00-6:30; A boys practice 4:30-6:00; PTF Meeting at 6:00 PM
- 1/27 A Teams vs. BHCS girls @3:30 & boys @5:00
- 1/28 PeeWee Practice 3-5 PM; B girls & A Boys @ BHCS; Gr. 6-8 Dance 7:00-10:00
- 1/29 PeeWee Practice 10-12
- 1/31 Gr. K-5 Dental Health Presentations w/ Dr. van Emmerik; A girls practice 3:00-4:30; A boys practice 4:30-6:15
- 2/5 B teams' Bball Tournament
- 2/11 & 2/12 A Team Bball tournament games at GSA

**For up-to-date information for all extracurricular and school events, please visit our school website.**

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