



The Week in Review

December 15, 2017



PLANNING AHEAD

Dec 15, 2017 7:00 PM
Holiday Movie Night

Dec 21, 2017 8:30 AM
PTA Enrichment Program

Dec 22, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Dec 25, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Dec 26, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Dec 27, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Dec 28, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Dec 29, 2017
School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1

Jan 01, 2018

A Message from Ms. Boyle

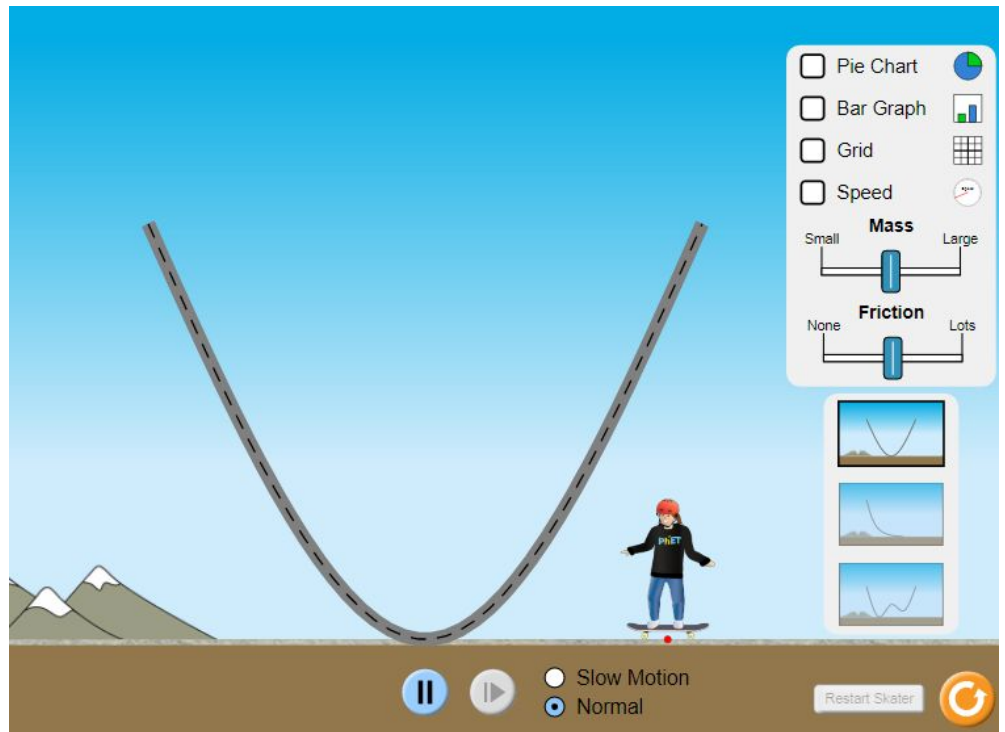
- The TPS PTA Kinder-Grade 5 Movie Night is tonight at 7:00pm in the cafeteria. Come on over for some fun!
- On February 14th a random selection of grade 8 students will participate in a Science and Technology assessment administered by the U.S. Department of Education. For more information please review this website: <https://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/> A letter detailing the specifics of the testing was sent via School Messenger to Grade 8 Families on December 4th.
- Please check your child's lunch balances! You can pay either on-line at www.myschoolbucks.com or in the cafeteria.
- Next week there will be no Afternoon Extended Day on Thursday, December 21st.
- This week Mrs. Shaveet's grade 7 classes explored the relationship between mass and kinetic energy using <https://www.brainpop.com/games/energyskateparkbasics/>

**School Closed: Winter Recess
12/22-1/1**

**Jan 15, 2018
School Closed: Martin Luther
King, Jr. Day**

**Jan 25, 2018
Half Day: Professional
Development**

**Feb 14, 2018
NAEP testing: Grade 8 only**



- Mrs. Holmes's first graders are using iPads and pattern blocks. Old and new technology! They had 7th graders come in to help during the middle school advisory period.





Basketball Schedule 2017-2018

Day	Date	Opponent	Time	Plays First
Thursday	12/7/2017	(HOME) West Boylston	3:30 PM	boys
Friday	12/8/2017	(HOME) Winchendon	3:30 PM	boys
Tuesday	12/12/2017	(HOME) Oxford	3:30 PM	boys
Tuesday	12/19/2017	@ Chocksett	4:00 PM	boys
Thursday	12/21/2017	(HOME) Tahanto	3:30 PM	girls
Friday	1/5/2017	(HOME) Central Tree	4:00 PM	boys
Tuesday	1/9/2017	(HOME) Mountview	4:00 PM	boys
Friday	1/19/2017	@ Paxton	4:00 PM	boys
Monday	1/22/2017	@ Central Tree	4:00 PM	girls
Thursday	1/25/2017	@ Whitinsville	4:00 PM	girls
Tuesday	1/30/2017	(HOME) Chocksett	4:00 PM	girls
Thursday	2/1/2017	@ Mountview	4:00 PM	girls
Friday	2/2/2017	(HOME) Paxton	4:00 PM	girls
Tuesday	2/6/2017	Preliminary Round of Playoffs		TBD
Thursday	2/8/2017	Semifinal Round of Playoffs		TBD
Tuesday	2/13/2017	District Championship @ WRSD	4:00 PM/5:15 PM	TBD

Important Safety Reminder about Parent Drop-off

Please do not park in the fire lines or idle.

The main entrance parking lot is ONE WAY. Please obey the traffic laws and patterns. We ask that parents make one queue. Your children should exit your vehicle as quickly and safely as possible when you arrive at the sidewalk entrance. Remind your child(ren) not to walk behind your car and to get to the sidewalk immediately and to go directly into the school building to the cafeteria. Please do not form two lines, nor should you leave the queue once you have dropped off to get around other vehicles whose children are still exiting their vehicles.



Please check out this link if you are interested in learning more about MCAS:

<http://www.doe.mass.edu/mcas/parents/>



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Coming up next week!

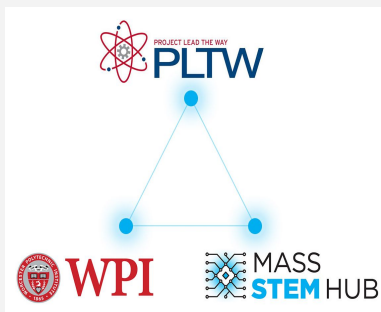
We have a very exciting PTA Enrichment Program coming our way on December 21st!!!

For those of you who have been here for awhile, you will remember Len Cabral, the storyteller. Well, PTA is bringing him back!



Storytelling is an art that can be taught to people of all ages. Len teaches storytelling skills to children, teachers, parents and other storytellers and customizes his workshops for each level.

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AHEAD!





WARRIORs OF THE WEEK



Thank you to the custodial staff for keeping our outdoor walkways clear of snow and ice and safe for walking! You did a phenomenal job with our first storm of the season!



PBIS Info https://www.pbis.org/	Thomas Prince School http://www.wrsd.net/thomasprince	Wachusett Regional School District http://www.wrsd.net/
Every Student Succeeds Act http://www.ed.gov/essa	MCAS Information http://www.doe.mass.edu/mcas/	<i>There are many forms of communication out there in the world today; Please know that TPS uses it website http://www.wrsd.net/thomasprince/, school messenger messages and email to communicate to families.</i>