



The Shaw Avenue Scoop

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UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ **District Music Festival Monday, May 17th 7 pm at Shaw Avenue Auditorium**
- ◆ **BOE Work Session Monday, May 17th at 8 pm Shaw Ave. Library**
- ◆ **BUDGET VOTE TUESDAY, May 18th 6 am - 9pm ART SHOW 7:30 - 9 p.m.**
- ◆ **Teacher/Staff Appreciation Day Thursday, May 20th**
- ◆ **BOARD OF EDUCATION Meeting, Monday, May 24th**
- ◆ **SCHOOL CLOSED Memorial Day May 31st**

A Message From the Administrators...

It is hard to believe that we have finished eight months of school and we have only two short months left! We have accomplished so much this year, especially in the areas of reading, writing and math.

The next few weeks will continue to be busy at Shaw Avenue. Second grade students will take a BOCES English Language Arts test on May 26th and BOCES Math test on June 2nd. These exams are designed to expose the children to the format of the NYS assessments.

Spring is definitely in full swing and

Community Support

A very special thank you to Mr. Ed Parlow the General Manager of South Shore Honda Located at 704 W. Merrick Road in Valley Stream, for donating money to purchase t-shirts for our Peer Mediation students. This unselfish donation will never be forgotten. Thank you!!!

students are busy planting, learning about butterflies, and studying the concept of change.

Our fourth grade students have been busy getting ready for the New York State Science Assessment. Students will take both written and hands-on parts of the assessment, which encompass third and fourth grade concepts. Mr. Laudano, along with the fourth grade teachers, are working with students to be sure they are prepared for this test.

As always we appreciate your continued support and encouragement for your child(ren).

We Need You!

The Building Level Team is looking for two parent representatives to join the team. This is a very exciting opportunity for you as parents to share your thoughts and opinions about the many things that occur at Shaw Avenue School.

As you consider joining our team, keep the following in mind:

- Meetings are held at 3:15 pm
- There are at least 4 meetings a year (additional meetings may occur as needed)
- You have an opportunity to speak on behalf of the parents and families
- You will become a very active participant in your child's education



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SCORR WINNERS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 3RD

Kindergarten

Jonathan Diaz
Zynab Munir
Anthony Cupid
Isabella Roman
Ashley Okafor

Grade 1

Alanis Castro-Pacheco
Amisha Mangal
Iziah Hernandez

Grade 2

Starla DeMartino
Dorisa Chance
Reine Afflick
Eliora Melvin

Grade 3

Ravpreet Singh
Katelyn Marcia
Amanda Singh