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THE LYME SCHOOL

Newsletter



Lyme School & Jon Gailmor Standing Room Only

Quack!



One word: Stupenddilyicious. (ok, so one *made up* word). A standing room only crowd was witness to a truly impressive night of original songs written and performed by Lyme School students. Jon Gailmor, this year's Artist-In-Residence, spent four days with grades K-8 teaching them how to write songs and producing one from each class which was performed last night to an enthusiastic

crowd. Songs about Parents, Penguins, Ducks and Dog Sled Races, as well as seven others, left the audience amazed that so



much could have been accomplished so quickly. Although this is what Jon Gailmor can accomplish given such talent. Jon is an accomplished talent and very well known in New England, I was made aware that some parents remember going to see him in concert and even one parent that quoted him in their High School Yearbook (your secret is same with me Nini... *Doh!* - sorry). A special thanks to Kate Cook, this year's



INK Spot

Imagination and Knowledge

Krypton to Lyme

You love 'em, you hate 'em
And no one doesn't care
They fight for they believe in
In slicked back hair
Everyone needs a hero
At some point in time
From way up there in krypton
To right here in Lyme



They're mighty, they're idols
And what you want to be
From head to toe in spandex
You watch 'em on TV
Chorus

They're firemen and coaches
They're teachers and our friends
Find 'em in our neighborhoods
They'll help us to the end
Chorus

They're athletes, they're parents
Who pick you up at school
They watch you and protect you
And teach you all the rules

In the Antarctic

Black on their backs
White on their tummies
Though they're a bird, they don't fly.
They swim with their flippers.
Their coats don't have zippers.
They waddle in tuxedos wearing ties.



Fairies and Emperors
Rockhoppers, too.
Penguins love to slide
Just like you!

Krill, fish and squid
Penguins love to snack on
When they are hungry or they're bored.
They live where it's freezing
No coughing and no sneezing
They hate it when they're captive or ignored.

Quack!



Ducks

They quack when they're angry
And fuzzy when they're chicks
Migrate down to Mexico
Take bubble baths for kicks

Donald and Daisy
Rubber ducky too
Combination bird and amphibian
White, brown and yellow
Flying down from Lyme to the Caribbean
Ducks da-na-na-na-na, *Quack!*
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They flip and dive for wigglers
Avoiding all the scum
They waddle like a penguin
With feathers on their bum

Chorus

They peck at passing people
With shiny, deadly beaks
You tell them all your problems
They listen while you speak



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for 5\$
Contact Kate Cook
by this Friday

We also recognized the Herculean efforts of the PTO President, Christine Farris who, despite our pleading, is moving this spring. We will miss you and owe you a tremendous amount of thanks for all you have done Christine, Thank You.





CHaD Ski and Ride Festival

The Marshall's want your help to launch the B+ (Positive) for CHaD Kids initiative by signing up for the CHaD Ski and Ride Festival.

Do you like snow? Raffle prizes? Good food? And the chance to win a 5-day trip to the Alyeska Resort in Alaska? Then...REGISTER TODAY for the 10th Anniversary CHaD Ski and Ride Festival on March 29th at the Dartmouth Skiway!

Individuals, corporate teams, kids and their families, from throughout New Hampshire and Vermont will hit the slopes for a day of fun; and an end of season celebration of winter in New England. The festivities will include wild costumes, live music, a BBQ, on hill activities such as a dual GS race course, speed trap, scavenger hunt and gelandesprung ski jump!

In addition, this year we have included a SNOW BOX DERBY; where participants are invited to make a sled at home using only cardboard, tape and glue then challenged to test their design on our derby course the day of the event! See official rules and regulations on our website :

WWW.CHADSKIFEST.ORG under "Event Information."

Also new this year, we are excited to announce that our top individual fundraiser will receive a grand prize trip to the ALYESKA RESORT in ALASKA! This trip includes deluxe accommodations for two people for five days; five-day lift tickets for two; a \$300 gift certificate to the resort's premiere Spa; and a \$200 dining gift certificate.

As always, there will be a raffle and silent auction for exciting ski gear and other great prizes. Put on your snow gear and come help CHaD help children!

Questions? Contact Tracey Jacobi at: 603-650-3435 or tracey.jacobi@Hitchcock.org

2009 Annual Spring Talent Show

FRIDAY, MAY 1ST



Tryouts for the show will be held on March 25-27, so think of YOUR talent and practice. Come to Mrs. Cove's room at lunch time on those dates to sign up.



2009 LYME DRAMA CLUB T-SHIRTS

We will be selling t-shirts in the lobby before school Tues., Weds., Th. \$10.00

2009 LYME DRAMA CLUB PRODUCTION

"This Old House"

by Tim Kelly

Music & lyrics by Stephen Murray

Mona Babbington's old victorian mansion, once a beauty, is now a rooming house for rambunctious college students. With the help of her nephew and niece, Mona struggles to hold off the wrecker's ball. The students decide to sell all the junk in the house at a yard sale, but little do they know what complications they will face!

Performance dates:

April 9, 10, 11

Bake Sale

April 11th from 9-12 at Stella's. Pies, dinner rolls, bread, and other holiday goodies to support the mission trip to Cherryfield, ME. To pre-order email Nancy Grandine at n.grandine@valley.net or at the Library book sale on Friday or Saturday.

Message from the P.T.O.

See PTO Newsletter in this week's Mailing.

Last Popcorn Friday of the School Year this Friday!



Lunch Week of 3/30 to 1/3



Monday	Chicken Burgers Tater Tots Garden Salad Hot Vegetable
Tuesday	Breakfast for Lunch !! French Bread Sticks Sausage Variety of Cold Cereals Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	Grilled Cheese & Chicken Noodle Soup Garden Salad Fresh Fruit Cookies
Thursday	Create Your Own Bagel Cream Cheese • Ham • Turkey • Jelly • Lettuce • Cheese Garden Salad Fresh Fruit
Friday	Homemade Thin Crust & Thick Crust Pizza Garden Salad Mixed Fresh Fruit Brownies



Ala carte Fruit and Milk are available everyday



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Monday, March 30
"It's in a Book" series for K-2
Westlandia and Spring flowers

Thursday April 2 for Grades 3-5
ACTIVITY: Mobiles