

MANCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



JAN 30, 2020



News from the Principal Jan. 31, 2020

Congratulations to Participants!

It's really been an amazing week of growth at MES. School so often focuses on the formal curriculum, assessments and classroom work expectations but this week I saw tremendous courage and growth in our students in grades 3-5. Students participating in the MES production of the Lion King were asked to audition this week, in front of teachers and students. They were amazing, reading and singing solos while friends watched and encouraged. The MES Geo Bee was held on Wednesday with 9 students in grades 4-5 answering challenging questions while classmates and family members silently cheered them on! Not only were the participants brave and charming but the classmates and friends watching were so supportive, encouraging everyone and cheering. Kuddos to all: students, teachers and parents for the opportunity and all the support.

IMPORTANT DATES:

FEB 5 District Wide Early Release Day 11:40 dismissal

FEB 7 PTCO - VIP Dance 6-8 MES Gym

FEB 12 PTCO Fudge delivered

FEB 14 VALENTINES DAY!

FEB 17-21 VACATION!

Nurse Notes



If your child has a fever or is vomiting, or has any flu-like symptoms please keep them home for at least 24 hours after the symptoms subside, and until your child is free of any fever reduction medicine.



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RSU #38 – FY21 Budget Workshops
Maranacook Community High School
Student Center (unless otherwise noted)
6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

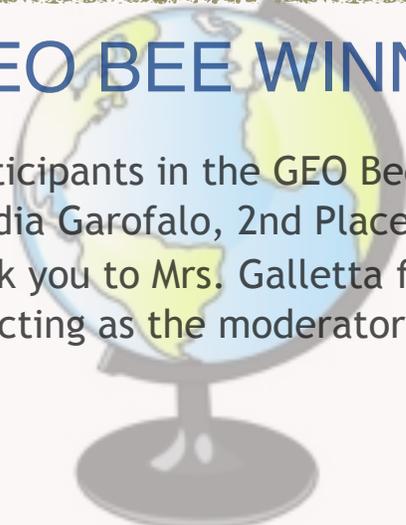
BUDGET WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

- January 15** Budget Workshop – Elementary, Middle & High Schools
- February 5*** Regular Business Meeting - Report from Auditor Ron Smith
Budget Workshop – Technology, Special Education, English Language Learners (ELLS), Gifted & Talented
- February 26** Budget Workshop – Operations & Maintenance
- March 4*** Regular Business Meeting
Budget Workshop – Co-and Extra-Curricular, Transportation, Miscellaneous Cost Centers/Accounts (Adult Education, Food Service, Health Center, Professional Development/Assessment/ Curriculum, Systems Administration, Debt Service)
- March 11** Budget Workshop –Joint Meeting with Local Select Boards re: draft FY21 budget; budget deliberations, follow-up and decision making
- March 18** Budget Workshop – budget deliberations, follow-up and decision making
- March 25** *Tentative meeting* – Budget Workshop – budget deliberations, follow-up and decision making
- April 1*** Regular Business Meeting and Budget Workshop – budget deliberations, follow-up and decision making
- April 15**** Regular Business Meeting – vote on Budget
- May 13** Annual Budget Meeting, MCHS gymnasium, 7:00 p.m.
- June 9** **Budget Validation Referendum at individual town's polling locations**

* Regular Business Meeting in addition to budget workshop
Budget documents are available by visiting <https://www.maranacook.org/o/rsu-38/page/fy-21-budget-documents>

MES GEO BEE WINNERS!

Congratulations to the participants in the GEO Bee! The Top three finishers were 1st Place Lydia Garofalo, 2nd Place Joshua Herzing, 3rd place Brennan Boyd. Thank you to Mrs. Galletta for organizing the GEO Bee and to Mrs. Scott for acting as the moderator for the event.



RSU NO. 38 is hiring a full-time Bus Driver to provide safe transportation for district students so that they may enjoy the fullest possible advantage from the district's curricular and co-curricular program.

Qualifications:

- Valid State of Maine School Bus Operators License
- Certified by the district physician as being in physical condition necessary to carry out bus driving duties
- Satisfactory driving record
- Criminal Record History Check (CHRC) by the Maine Department of Education

Excellent benefits package includes 100% employer paid MEA Choice Plan BC/BX single group insurance coverage, 100% dental insurance, paid holidays, sick, personal and vacation time. Looking for a team player who is willing to collaborate with others in order to benefit students.

Interested individuals, please send an application to: Superintendent of School Office, c/o HR Dept., 45 Millard Harrison Dr., Readfield, Me 04355 or kate_taylor@maranacook.org.

https://core-docs.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/asset/uploaded_file/368207/ApplyBusDriver.pdf

RSU No. 38 is an Equal Opportunity Employer

RSU 38 Maranacook Adult Ed News

Lots of new classes starting soon!!

HiSET/Diploma Classes Ongoing Year-round

Class Name	Start Date
Beginning Ukulele	1/28/2020
EMT Course	2/2/2020
Gymnastics	2/7/2020
Driver's Ed	2/10/2020
International Travel Group	2/11/2020
Yoga for Every Body	3/2/2020
Journey Uptah Camp	3/4/2020
Small Engine Repair	3/10/2020
Event Planning	3/10/2020
Essential Oils	3/17/2020
Reiki 2	3/18/2020
CDL Class B - Dump Truck or Bus	3/19/2020

To register, or for more details and to view all classes, go to:

<http://maranacook.maineadulted.org>

Or call the Adult Ed office at 685-4923 x1065 for more info