

## FALCON FLASH

*In It Together: Meaningful Learning That Lasts*

*Care for each other, take Responsibility, and Focus on learning*

**April 28, 2017**

Monday 5/8	Tuesday 5/9	Wednesday 5/10	Thursday 5/11	Friday 5/12
Spaghetti/meat sauce Green Eggs & Ham Brussels Sprouts	Waffles w/Ham Blueberry Chicken Pasta Salad Fresh Grapefruit	Burger Day Baked Fries Cauliflower	Roast Pork & Gravy Peas Dinner Roll	Pizza Hot Port & Gravy Carrots

**Upcoming Events:**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5/5 - Bridge to Bowdoin – 5<sup>th</sup> graders</li> <li>5/5 - Bowdoinham at the Sea Dogs</li> <li>5/8 –Electives Assembly</li> <li>May 9 - Grades 3-5 Field Trip to see the All-District Band/Chorus Concert (10am) at the ORION</li> <li>May 9 - 7pm All-District Band and Chorus Concert (participating kids in grades 4 &amp; 5 only) at the ORION</li> <li>5/11- Bowdoinham Art Show</li> <li>5/15-19 -Book Fair</li> <li>5/19 - 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Field Trip</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5/24 -Step Up day for 5<sup>th</sup> Grade</li> <li>6/2 -Boston Trip – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade</li> <li>6/2 - Bowdoinham Days – 4<sup>th</sup> grade</li> <li>6/2 - Bowdoinham Buds</li> <li>6/2- Gr. 2/3 to Scarborough Marsh</li> <li>6/14-Kindergarten &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> grade Field Trip</li> <li>6/15 - Field Day (Rain date – June 16)</li> <li>6/19 - Magnificent Monday</li> <li>6/22- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Graduation</li> </ul> |
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THE PRINCIPAL CONNECTION

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Welcome to the new parents on our email list this week – those of our incoming Kindergarteners receiving the Flash for the first time! We're glad to have you. You can also follow news of the school by joining our official school Facebook group: "Bowdoinham Community School."

HOT TOPIC: CULTURE

*"We move audiences from cultural appreciation to cultural engagement." - Michael Wingfield's mission statement.*

Thank you to our Parent Partnership – and the Caring Kids subcommittee – for this week sponsoring our Artist in Residence, Michael Wingfield. All K-5 students experienced the songs, rhythms, stories, and mythology of the African New World. Thank you, Michael, for being our teacher. Please check out some amazing photos from our experience on our Facebook page. *Ashe!*

Yours in meaningful learning that lasts,

*Mr. Lajoie ☺*



**Art Show** – You are invited to the 2017 BHM Art Show the days of May 11 – May 17. Please come take a look at all of the artwork our talented students have finished this past school year. The Artist Reception will take place on Thursday, May 11, 2017 from 4pm-6pm. Each child in the school will have a piece of artwork on display. There will be live music from local students and complimentary refreshments. Art portfolios containing all artwork from your child's school year will be available to pick up in the art room during the reception.

***(If you would like to contribute a plate of baked goods for the reception, please send it to the office next week. Your help is much appreciated)***



**ANNUAL Rummage Sale** – TONIGHT, MAY 5 – 5PM-7PM – COST \$1.00 EARLY BIRD. TOMORROW, MAY 6 FROM 9AM – 12PM – NO DOOR CHARGE!



The "Scholastic Buy one, Get One Free" book fair will be open Wednesday May 17 at 1PM through Monday, May 22 at 11AM. Please note that we are closed each day from noon until 1pm. for lunch and recess. Most children will be visiting the fair during their regular Learning Commons time. We are always looking for volunteers to help with the fair, so if you would like to help with your child's class, or at any other time, please let us know. Students will not be purchasing anything during their Learning Commons time. Instead they will be making wish lists, which they will bring home to share with you. On the bottom of the wish list will be the order form, which can be filled out and returned to us with cash or a check made out to BHM. We will be able to make change and there is no tax. If you have no preference as to what your child buys, you can simply send them with money or a check. Students will be able to make purchases at designated times throughout fair days and teachers will be notified of these times. You can also make purchases by shopping with your child Thursday, May 18 after school until 7pm. Thanks for your support!

Wed. May 17 1:00-3:15    Thurs May 18 9:15 - 7:00    Fri May 19 9:15-3:15    Mon. May 22 9:15- 11:00

