## Weekly Message from Seaside Park

Good evening this is Mrs. Myatt with this week's message from Seaside Park

## **Upcoming Dates:**

**Wednesday, February 28th** – Seaside Park will be celebrating Pink Shirt Day. Pink Shirt Day was created in a school in NS in 2007. After a new student at their school was bullied for wearing a pink shirt, two grade 12 students bought 50 pink shirts and encouraged their classmates to wear pink. The next day they went to distribute the shirts and to their surprise the majority of students arrived at school wearing pink! With that act of kindness, Pink Shirt Day was born. We are encouraging all of our staff and students to wear pink and demonstrate kindness and acceptance on February 28th.

March 2<sup>nd</sup> - March 10<sup>th</sup> - March Break - No school for students

**Seaside Park Night of the Arts** – We will be hosting Seaside Park Night of the Arts. Our tentative date is April 25<sup>th</sup>. A sheet outlining the audition process has already been sent home with students. In order to audition, students must bring back the form filled out and signed by an adult. Auditions will be held the entire lunch hour (12:00pm-12:50pm) in the cafeteria. Students in the musical can also audition for the talent show.

- ·Students will bring their lunch and eat while they are waiting for their audition.
- · If a student is absent on their assigned day, they will audition on the next scheduled audition day.

Auditions will be on the following dates:

Monday, February 26th- Grade 5

Wednesday, February 28th (if needed)

**Grade 5 Grad Sweatshirts** - Grade 5 students have the opportunity to order a special school sweatshirt (hoodie), designed only for our Grade 5 students. The sweatshirts are grey with teal writing and will have a Seaside swoop with 2024 underneath and will have the number 24 on the back with all the Grade 5 students' signatures. The hoodies are \$35 each (tax included). We will have sample sweatshirts at the school so that we can ensure a proper fit. We will have students try on the sweatshirts at school. If the sizing differs from what you selected on your order form, we will call you to discuss. Order forms and money are due back on or before March 2nd.

**Library Volunteers** – We are in need of a few library volunteers! Our students visit our library Tuesday – Thursday. If you would like to volunteer please reach out to our Community Schools Co-ordinator at <a href="mailto:krista.turnbull@nbed.nb.ca">krista.turnbull@nbed.nb.ca</a>. All volunteers are required to have updated criminal record checks and to also complete Policy 701 online.

## **Home and School News:**

**Movie Night** - Kick off to March Break Movie Night is Thursday, February 29th at 6:30, doors open at 6:15. Admission is \$2 per person. We will be playing The Secret Life of Pets. We will be selling tickets to win the movie along with the sequel and a basket of snacks.

**Fundraiser News** - Thank you for all of your support with the Mitchell's Soups. Soups will be available for pick up on Thursday, February 29th starting at 7pm until 8:30 pm. Any orders that are not picked up will go home with students on Friday, March 1st.

As always, you can reach the SPES Home and School Association at <a href="mailto:seasideparkhands@gmail.com">seasideparkhands@gmail.com</a>, follow the school FB page and follow our NEW SPES Home and School News FB page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61555740451292&mibextid=LQQJ4d">https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61555740451292&mibextid=LQQJ4d</a>

That's all for this week.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to me at the school at 658-2729 or through email at Jocelyn.myatt@nbed.nb.ca

Thank you and have a great week!