

THE INTERESTS OF THE CHILDREN ARE AT THE HEART OF ALL DECISIONS

# EDGECOMB EDDY SCHOOL

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AOS 98/Rocky Channels School System

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**Feb. 6, 2017**



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- 02/07 - Lincoln County Spelling Bee at the Bristol School, 4pm
- 02/09 - Performance Festival, gr. 2 @2:05pm
- 02/13 - Science Club, 2:45-4:30pm
- 02/13 - 02/17 - **Bus Driver Appreciation Week**
- 02/20 - 02/24 - VACATION WEEK!

## **SAVE THE DATE:**

**A Boothbay Region Event at Rocktide Inn**

**Saturday, February 11th**

**Snow Date: Saturday, February 18th**

**8 A.M. – 2 P.M.**

***Redistribution of Furniture & Household Items from Rocktide Inn***

Paul and Giselaine Coulombe have purchased the Rocktide Inn and Restaurant in Boothbay Harbor. Revitalization of the Inn is part of his plan. Working with area Non Profits, there will be a redistribution of hotel furnishings and household items on above noted date.

The Boothbay Region Community is invited to the Rocktide Inn to choose items of need **for Free**.

### **List of items available:**

**Queen and Full Mattresses, Bed Frames, Headboards, Night Stands, Dressers**

**Writing desks, Chairs, Sheets, Towels, Blankets, Comforters, Pillows.**

**Assorted Dishes and Silverware.**

These items are donated for personal and household use and are not intended for resale. All items are in "as is" condition.

Volunteers will be available to help load items and other volunteers with trucks will deliver to the door for those without proper transportation to Boothbay Region addresses only.

This collaborative effort includes volunteers from Boothbay Region Community Resources Council, Rotary Club of BBH, Boothbay Region Community Center, Boothbay Region Food Pantry, Rebuilding Together and Boothbay Region YMCA.

**Questions call: Heather Lorrain, Congregational Church of BBH 633-4757**

## SPELLING BEE NEWS



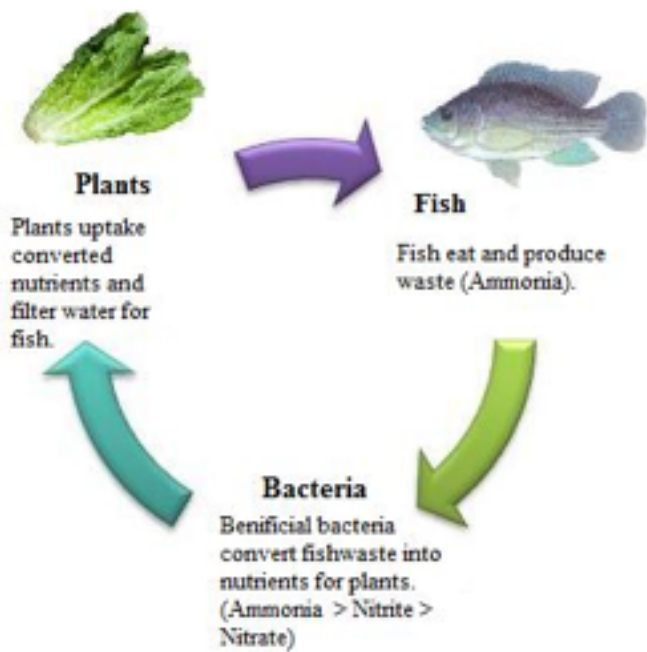
**CONGRATULATIONS** to Edgecomb Eddy School spelling bee champion Catherine Clifford of gr. 5, and runner-up Ross Gaffney of grade 3.



**CONGRATULATIONS and best wishes** to Ryan Clark and Dezaray Orne who will be representing Edgecomb Eddy School in the Lincoln County Spelling Bee on Feb. 7th. They will be competing against 6th-8th graders at the Bristol School at 4pm. Come cheer them on! The snow date is Thursday, Feb. 9th at 4pm.



Representing their class in the school bee are left to right: Ryan Clark and Dezaray Orne, gr. 6; Catherine Clifford and Emily Gosselin, gr. 5; Emma Castonia and Anna Gosselin(hidden), gr. 4; Alli Edgecomb and Ross Gaffney, gr. 4; Jayden Orne and Isabella Morton, gr. 2; Charley Carleton and Karen Higgins of gr. 1.



Students in Mrs. Currier's RTI class practice nitrogen cycle water testing as part of their aquaculture, aquaponics study. The nitrogen cycle is present in a natural ecosystem, which an aquaponic system mimics. The students learn that the fish create waste, which is then converted by beneficial bacteria into nutrients which in turn fertilize and feed harvestable plants. After the plants have absorbed these nutrients, the water is then clean for the fish to live in.



Left to right: Elisabeth, Ryan, Ashton and Lydia, testing water samples and recording the data collected.

*Recently, we said goodbye to Jade Brooks of the third grade; we wish her well in her new school.*



Like most schools, we have a couple of known cases of head lice.

Parents, please let us know if it is happening in your world, so that we can assist you, if possible.

If you have a child with long hair, it is advised that you tie that hair back in a ponytail or braids.

All children should be reminded to not share hats, scarves, combs and brushes, and to keep a distance when working together.

## Morris Farm February Vacation Farm Camp

WHEN: February 21-24, 2017, 8:30 AM – 3:30 PM  
(Childcare available from 3:30-4 for \$5 per day)

WHO: Children in grades K-6 (ages 5-12)

COST: \$155/child for members; \$180 non-members  
Register at [www.morrisfarm.org](http://www.morrisfarm.org) (882-4080)

Join us for a week of FUN on the farm! Each day will feature an animal theme and time outdoors exploring Morris Farm's 50-acre campus. Campers will gain farming and homesteading skills and an appreciation of what farmers in Maine do to produce the many products we enjoy daily.

• Farm chores • "Meet a Farmer" • Fiber Arts • Cooking & Baking • Fermentation • Sprouting • Whittling • Music & Stories • Animal Tracking • Plant identification • Nature Journaling • Games



Some of the friendly residents of **Wandering Root Farm** at the Morris Farm