



St. Kevin School  
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## From the Principal's Pen

### NEASC Visit

The NEASC visiting team will be here on Sunday, March 21 to start the accreditation process. The team will visit classrooms, meet with teachers, students and parents. They will also go over the self-study that staff put together. In all, they will spend about two and a half days with us. Six educators from Catholic Schools in CT and MA make up our visiting team. Two members of the team are principals and the other members are classroom teachers. After the team is done they will write a report with their findings. The process is designed to be a helpful tool for us in how we operate.

**If any student, ages 10-13, is interested in being a Junior Reporter at the CVS Caremark Charity Golf Classic, we have applications and information at school. The deadline for applications is May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2010. One of our parishioners passed this information to us. It sounds like a wonderful opportunity for anyone interested in journalism.**

Pictured below are our Diocesan Spelling Bee participants: Nicole Boucher and John Perrigo.

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### End of the Year

It's hard to imagine that we are closing in on the end of the year. Our last day is June 18<sup>th</sup>. We do not have to make up the one snow day that we had. Since we are in school on March 22 instead of going to the Diocesan Professional Day, we have an extra day built into the calendar. Let's pray we don't have any more snow days.

### Parking Lot Politics

Have you ever played a game where one person whispers a sentence to another person and that sentence is passed along to other people in a group? By the time the last person hears the sentence it does not come close to the original. I think the same thing happens at schools. Something is said in class or a memo goes home and people react. As a school we fully understand that. It is part of what happens at schools, public and private. If you have concerns I would ask that you bring your concerns to your child's teacher or to me. I made it very clear when I started at Saint Kevin School that I would be available to meet with anyone if there are school concerns. That has not changed. It is much better, in my opinion, to voice your concerns with us so we can work together to make SKS "Simply the Best."



### Career Day with Father Green



### Birthdays

**January Birthdays:** Kayla Martini, Chris Bianco, Molly Raposa, Ryan Lawrence, Blake Roberti, Zane Tyskowski, Elizabeth Tibbitts, Michael Ferrazza, Troy Fielding, Olivia Conrady, Kevin Chen, Christian Ranallo, Alison Altshuler, James Gonsalves, Alex Corey, Sophia Schmitt.

**February Birthdays:** Victoria Ferri, Mason Porto, Ryan Baker, Zachary Mongeau, MaryRose Lucas, Matt Ricci, Jasmine Lewis, Kevin Madden, Ryan Galamaga, Kaela Morgan, Grace McCarty, Anna Beaulieu, Sarah Whelan, Kaleigh Catucci, Jeff Singman, Indira Romero, Brooke Alexander.

### Reminders to Students

Permission for Boston Museum of Fine Arts due March 24th  
Grade 7 to BHHS on March 26th  
Stations of the Cross in mime March 26th



### At the State House for Catholic Schools Day



### Reminders to Parents

1. March 17<sup>th</sup> – PSO Dress Down
2. March 17<sup>th</sup> – Happy Saint Patrick's Day
3. March 18<sup>th</sup> – Report Cards Go Home/ Papa Gino's Night
4. March 26<sup>th</sup> – Stations in mime
5. March 27/28 – State Science Fair @ CCRI

### Thank You Students!

Special thanks are due the following students:

**Grade three students for their outstanding presentation at our monthly Mass on March 11. Helping at Mass were: Sarah Abatiello, Brianna Alexander, Marie Balemian, Evan Beauchemin, Ben DeLuca, Camryn Devanney, Emily Fielding, Joseph Gambardella, James Gonsalves, Kayla Martini, Blake Roberti and Eva Silva.**