

# Hope School



"Where Children Come First"  
December 2010 Family Newsletter

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## Navy Band Returns to Hope School Wednesday, December 8<sup>th</sup> at 1:30!

Once again the Navy Band will entertain us with a holiday music program that will delight us all. Parents are invited to join us in the gymnasium. Students in the AM Kindergarten are invited to join the afternoon class with their parents.



## Student Council

Under the leadership of our Student Council, Hope School collected over 3,000 canned goods that were donated to local food banks. This will certainly help many families in Scituate enjoy their holidays during these most difficult economic times. All classes were treated to an extra recess and pizza party for their outstanding participation in this community service project.

## Picture Re-Takes Thursday, December 2nd



## PTA

Everyone had a fabulous time at Pumpkin Carving Night! This annual event was very well attended by families of Hope School. We appreciate the hard work of Mrs. Maiello and Mr.

Weller for making all the fun possible.

A special thanks also goes to Mrs. Amado for raising nearly \$4,000 with the Yankee Candle fundraiser. A notice will be sent home shortly regarding pick-up in time for the holidays.

- Next PTA meeting is December 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm in the Library.

## ALERT NOW

Please make sure all of your contact information is up-to-date at school. We will again be using the Alert Now system to notify families about school closings during inclement weather.



## Movie Event

### Featuring "Toy Story 3"

Wednesday, December 8, 2010

Donation \$3.00 per student

Proceeds will be used to purchase toys for needy children. Please complete the sign up sheet and return it to school with the \$3.00 donation by Monday, December 6<sup>th</sup>.

PLEASE NO LAST MINUTE SIGN UPS!

## Mr. Feinstein visits Hope School!

On Thursday, November 4<sup>th</sup>, Mr. Feinstein came to visit all the Hope School Junior Scholars. He presented the children with Junior Scholar cards that can be used for free admission to many exciting places including the Mystic Aquarium and the Providence Children's Museum. Admission is free for the adult accompanying the child as well. Before he left he presented Ms. Mowry with a check for \$5,000 to be used for the children of Hope School. Members of the School Improvement Team are carefully considering how best to spend this wonderful gift. Children wrote many wonderful thank you notes to Mr. Feinstein for his generosity.



## Important Upcoming Events



### December

- 2 Thursday - Parent /Teacher conferences  
5:30-8:00
- 2 Thursday - Chorus Fieldtrip - State House
- 2 Thursday - Life Touch picture re-takes
- 4 Saturday - Breakfast with Santa / Holiday Shop
- 6 Monday - PTA Meeting 6:30, Library
- 7 Tuesday - School Committee Meeting  
North Scituate School, Budget Workshop
- 8 Wednesday - Navy Band 1:30
- 8 Wednesday - Student Council Movie Event
- 9 Thursday - SIT Meeting
- 21 Tuesday - Grade 5 Fieldtrip - Trinity Rep. to see  
"A Christmas Carole"

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Friday, Dec 24 - Friday, Dec 31



**Breakfast with Santa and Holiday Shop**  
**Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup>**  
**8:00-10:00 A.M.**  
**Hope School Cafeteria and Gym**

