

# Bristol Beacon

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 8 – Report Cards Issued  
Dec. 14 – PTO Mtg. 6-7 PM  
Dec. 23-Jan. 1 – Christmas  
Break  
Jan. 2 – School Resumes  
Jan. 4 – School Board Mtg.  
5:30 PM, Library  
Jan. 5 – Geography Bee,  
1:00 PM, Gym  
Jan. 15 – NO School, Martin  
Luther King, Jr. Day

## LOST & FOUND

Is now located in the  
lobby by the office.  
Please stop by and  
check it out!

## SPORTS SCHEDULES

Sports schedules can be found  
on the BCS website:

<http://schools.aos93.org/BCS>

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## FIRST TRIMESTER CELEBRATIONS!

The BCS students and staff have had a productive first semester of learning and growth. Report cards go home today and are evidence of over three months of engagement and hard work. In addition to the report cards, students in grades 4-8 will have a copy of their Maine Educational Assessment (MEA) scores included in the envelope. Our students continue to perform at a high level in all three areas on the MEA - Math, English Language Arts and Science. Not only do our students shine in their academic growth, they are successful in the arts and athletics. Wednesday night we enjoyed their art and music talents with our Winter Arts Gala. Thanks for your continued support!

## BRISTOL CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL TRIMESTER 1 HONOR ROLL

### High Honors

**Grade 5:** Makenna

**Grade 6:** Celia, Hanna, Amelia and Isobel

**Grade 8:** Eben and James

### Honor Roll

**Grade 5:** Josh, Logan, Laurie, Will, Olivia, Leah, Tucker, Breck, Aubree, Taylin, Julia, Peter and Sophie

**Grade 6:** Cooper, Haley, Braxton, Paysen, Eli, Lindsey, Jack, McKayla and Kaydence

**Grade 7:** Connor, Sebastian, Ted, Megan, Nicole, Abigail, Kendyl, Jacob, Elsy, Ruby, Samantha, Alexa, Hailey, Ashton and Gabby

**Grade 8:** Colin, Addie, Jacob, Cassidy, Kyle, Owen, Levi, Taylor, Caeli, Ashton and Matt

## COIN SLAM AND FOOD DRIVE 2017

It is that time of year again! The 8th annual BCS Coin Slam and Food Drive takes place December 11-21. Time to look in all those little places you toss those coins and wrinkled dollar bills. We have raised a total of just under \$7000 in the last seven years!

Buy an extra non-perishable food item during your next shopping trip and put it in one of the boxes for food donations at BCS.

### COIN SLAM 2017, December 18-21

Coin Slam 2017 will have teams of grades. The teams are: PK/4, K/5, 1/6, 2/7, and 3/8. The jars will be in the gym lobby from 7:45-8:10 every morning and in the BCS Library after school all week. Cash donations will benefit the New Harbor Food Pantry and the Healthy Snack Pack for Kids program. Parents and community members can make donations in the BCS office during the day.

### FOOD DRIVE 2017, December 11-21

Put the food items in a donation box at BCS. Food donations can be made on school days and during basketball games. Food donations are donated to the New Harbor Food Pantry.

## **CARING FOR KIDS**

Caring for Kids wants to help local families at Christmas. The annual holiday project is in its 25<sup>th</sup> year of helping Bristol and South Bristol families with holiday needs, winter gear, hats, mittens, toys, etc. For holiday help, please call 677-3300 or 677-2211. All calls are completely confidential.

## **WINTER KIDS PASSPORT**

WinterKids helps children develop healthy lifelong habits through education and fun, outdoor winter activity. We create opportunities for children to be active, vibrant and healthy in the outdoors. For 20 years the Passport has introduced more than 75,000 fifth, sixth and seventh graders to outdoor winter sports in Maine.

The WinterKids passport program provides free and discounted tickets for children to try skiing, snowboarding, snowshoeing, ice-skating, tubing and even dog sledding! Families purchase the booklet for \$20 (WinterKids offers a generous scholarship policy to families in need) and present it at the participating areas for deep discounts on tickets, lessons and rentals.

Passports are available for all students in grades 5, 6 and 7. To receive your passport, apply online at [www.winterkids.org](http://www.winterkids.org) or complete an application available at school.