



Did you know...

- The Brophy Teacher and Staff Appreciation Luncheon is this Thursday and we need your help! Read more below.
- MCAS testing continues this week!
- The annual Brophy Yard Sale is this coming Saturday, May 4th!
- This Thursday is an Early Release day.



Brophy Values

- Be Safe
- Be Prepared
- Be Respectful
- Be Responsible

SAVE THE DATE

April

Tuesday, April 30
MCAS: ELA
Assessment for
Grade 5 (Session 1)

May

Wednesday, May 1
MCAS: ELA

Friday Folder

Each student receives a Friday Folder with notices from teachers, school administration, Brophy PTO, and community groups. Please remind your student to show you this information each Friday. This week's Friday folder included:

- Spring Band Vendor Night Information (4th grade students)

Teacher/Staff Appreciation Luncheon on Thursday

This Thursday, May 2nd, an early release day, will be the Appreciation Luncheon for our Brophy Teachers & Staff in the Brophy cafeteria. We need your help! Please click **on this link** to view the Sign-Up list to help out or donate food, supplies, or money to the luncheon. Thank you in advance for volunteering!



4th Grade Parents: Spring Band Vendor Night is Coming Up!

Assessment for
Grade 5 (Session 2)

Spring Band Vendor
Night
Framingham High
School
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Thursday, May 2
Teacher
Appreciation
Luncheon
EARLY
RELEASE/Parent
Conferences

Saturday, May 4
Yard Sale

Wednesday, May 8
Monthly Book Swap

Thursday, May 9
Monthly Birthday
Celebration
Parent Conferences
(Evening)

Monday, May 13
MCAS: Math
Assessment for
Grade 5 (Session 1)

Tuesday, May 14
MCAS: Math
Assessment for
Grade 5 (Session 2)

Wednesday, May 15
MCAS: Math
Assessment for
Grades 3 and 4
(Session 1)

Thursday, May 16
EARLY RELEASE
Parent Conferences
(Day)

99 Fundraiser
12:00pm - 10:00pm

Friday, May 17
MCAS: Math
Assessment for
Grades 3 and 4
(Session 2)

Monday, May 20
MCAS:
Science/Technology
for Grade 5
(Session 1)

Is your child in 4th grade and interested in learning an instrument and playing in the school band next year? Click [HERE](#) for information on the Spring Band Vendor Night coming up on Wednesday, May 1st.



MCAS Testing Continues This Week!

The MCAS Testing Schedule is posted online via the Framingham Public Schools website. Click [HERE](#) for the schedule.



The Brophy Yard Sale is this Saturday!

Save the Date! **Saturday, May 4** will be the Brophy Yard Sale. Clean out your closets, attics & garages! Sell your treasures or come shop to find all the items you just can't live without! More information in **English** and in **Spanish**.



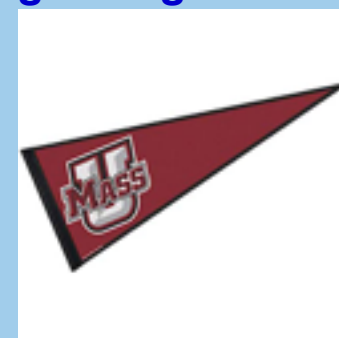
Save the Date: Thursday, May 16th for the 99 Fundraiser

Come out to the Ninety Nine in Framingham on Thursday May 16th any time between 12 noon and 10 pm to support Brophy! Click [HERE](#) to print out the flyer and present it to your server! 15 percent of your total check before tax will be donated to Brophy! This is a great day to support our school and have a fun time with family and friends! This happens to be an early release day so that gives everyone more options to enjoy 😊.



Brophy Main Office Seeking College Pennants

Each year our friends at Framingham State University invite our 5th grade students to attend a day at FSU. The students return to Brophy the next day so excited about growing up and attending college! It really is one of our best field trips! Additionally, all the March Madness



Tuesday, May 21
MCAS:
Science/Technology
for Grade 5
(Session 2)

Wednesday, May 22
6:30pm - 8pm
Science Fair Expo

Communicating with Brophy

Want Brophy
information sent
right to your mobile
device?
Text brophy to 444-
999 and follow the
prompts.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFO

Please make sure
you immediately
contact the Brophy
Office staff and let
them know about
any changes in your
home phone
number and work
phone so they can
reach you in case of
an emergency with
your child.

SCHOOL MEALS

Breakfast (menu) FREE
Lunch (menu) \$2.75

District Calendar
2018-2019

English
Spanish
Portuguese

college basketball and hockey games have spread a
lot of March Madness fever!

Following these collegiate themes, we would like to
start decorating our Main Office (and maybe our
foyer) with different college pennants! We are
calling on the Brophy community to consider
donating college pennant(s) to support us with this
endeavor. Over time, we hope to fill the wall space
in our offices with college pennants from all over the
country and the world.

If you'd like to see your alma mater or your favorite
college showcased simply send it in with your child
and we promise to put it up. Click [HERE](#) to sign up
to send in a college pennant.

The Next Monthly Book Swap

Wednesday, May 8th, will
be our next monthly book swap!
Your child can bring in 1 to 2
age-appropriate books to swap
for the same amount of "new-to-
them" books. Volunteers are
needed! Please click [HERE](#) to
sign up. Thank you!



Continue to Bring in Your Box Tops!

Thank you to those that submitted Box
Tops for the March 1 deadline - you
earned \$108 for Brophy! Even though
the deadline has passed, we are still
collecting Box Tops for our next
submission! It's a very easy way to help our school
- Box Tops can be found on hundreds of products, [see a
list here](#). Just clip, collect and send them in! Ask
friends and family members to collect them as well - put
them in a baggie or send them to school on the
[collection sheet](#). \$0.10 a Box Top can really add up!



Planet Aid Bin

Do you have any clothes
or textiles you don't want
or need? Are they stained,
ripped, or mismatched?
No problem! Recycle them
by dropping them off in
the Planet Aid yellow bin
located in Brophy's

parking lot. Brophy earns money for your
donations. Acceptable items include clothing,
blankets, towels, shoes, backpacks, jackets,



FPS School Committee

The next meeting is Wednesday, April 3rd at 7:00pm. See the Agenda [HERE](#). Visit the [School Committee website](#) for more details.

Framingham PTO Council (PTOC)

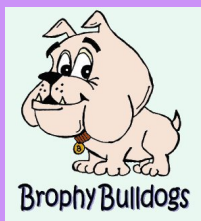
Next meeting: May 13

Check out the [Framingham PTO Council FB page](#) or visit the [website](#).

Framingham Public Library

Learn about the current **activities** and hours at the Framingham Public Library (main and McAuliffe branches).

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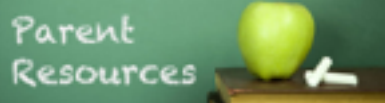


Our Brophy staff, faculty and bulldog created this VIDEO to emphasize our Brophy Values that are part of our PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) program. Sit back and ENJOY!

pillow, curtains, table linens, stuffed animals. Must be fabric items only.

Stop & Shop Reward Program

Thank you for your participation. The program ended on 3/16/2019.



Parent Resources

Below are some important resources for families

- [Framingham Public Schools](#)
- [Brophy Elementary School](#)
- [2018-2019 School Calendar](#)
- [Parent Information Center](#)
- [School Lunch Menu](#)
- [Explorers Before and After School Program](#)

School address and phone number:

Brophy Elementary School

575 Pleasant Street

Framingham, MA 01701

Office: 508-626-9158

Attendance Line: 508-626-9158

Support Brophy When you Shop Online

If you shop online, please remember to use these links to [AmazonSmile](#), [igive.com](#), and [GoodShop](#). Designate Brophy PTO as your charity so we earn credits for your purchases! Thank you!!!

Brophy PTO News - Spread the Word

Please remind other Brophy families to **sign up** to receive this newsletter so they can be in the loop about happenings in and around our school!

The **Brophy Elementary School** website is managed by the Framingham Public Schools. Feel free to **email us** if you have any feedback. Thank you!



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