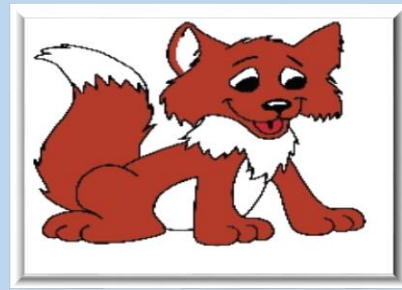


FOXTALES NEWSLETTER

MARCH/APRIL

UPCOMING EVENTS!



<u>Event</u>	<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
Basketfest	3/29/19 6-8 PM	Concord High
Health and Science Fair	4/2/19 6:30-8 PM	Forwood
Night at the Museum and Art Show	4/2/19 6:30-8 PM	Forwood
Staff Professional Day (School Closed)	4/5/19	
Book Fair	4/8 – 4/12	Library
K-3 Spring Concerts	4/12 (9:30AM or 1:45PM)	Auditorium
Report Cards Sent Home	4/16	Forwood
Parent Conferences	4/18	Forwood
Spring Break	(April 19 – April 26)	



Basketfest Is Finally Here!!!!

March 29, from 6-8pm, Concord High School

If you have never attended Basketfest, you have to do so this year! Our PTA has worked tirelessly during the past 12 months to collect donations for all ages and interests. Below are just a few of the highlights:

- Dinner for purchase from Mazzellas Italian Restaurant
- Amazing Basketfest auction items (Books, gift cards, toys, cash, pool memberships, show tickets, restaurant gift cards, etc.)
- Dance party for the children (In the gymnasium)



Choose to Include Pledge

During the week of March 4-8, Forwood students took the “Choose to Include” pledge: I pledge to look for the lonely, the isolated, the left out, the challenged and the bullied. I pledge to overcome the fear of difference and replace it with the power of inclusion.

Forwood students demonstrated their pledge by wearing their Choose to Include T-shirts and participating in other dress-down events during the week. In addition, the ILP Program sold bracelets for one dollar. In Total, the ILP Program raised \$370 dollars for Special Olympics.

Special thanks to Jackie Daciw, special education teacher, for spearheading the Choose to Include program.



K-3 Spring Concert

April 12th (9:30 AM or 1:45 PM)

Due to limited seating and parking, the k-3 Spring Concert will be performed twice. Both the morning and afternoon show will be the same.



Second Annual Valentine's Day Breakfast

The Second Annual Valentine's Breakfast was a huge hit. Students and their families enjoyed donuts, juice and coffee. Thank you to all those that attended! Check out some of the pictures on Instagram: @forwoodthinkers



NED Assembly

Wondering why your child suddenly wanted a yo-yo? The NED Assembly visited Forwood last week! The school-wide character education program centers around a 45-minute assembly called the NED Show. NED is an acronym for Never give up, Encourage others, and Do your best! Why the yo-yo sales? The NED Show was no cost to Forwood because it is a "pay it forward" program. The yo-yo proceeds will allow another school to experience the NED Show at no cost as well. A special thanks for Mrs. Ward for scheduling the show...and managing the yo-yo sales all week!

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**American
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Forwood Elementary Students Help Fund Lifesaving Scientific Research

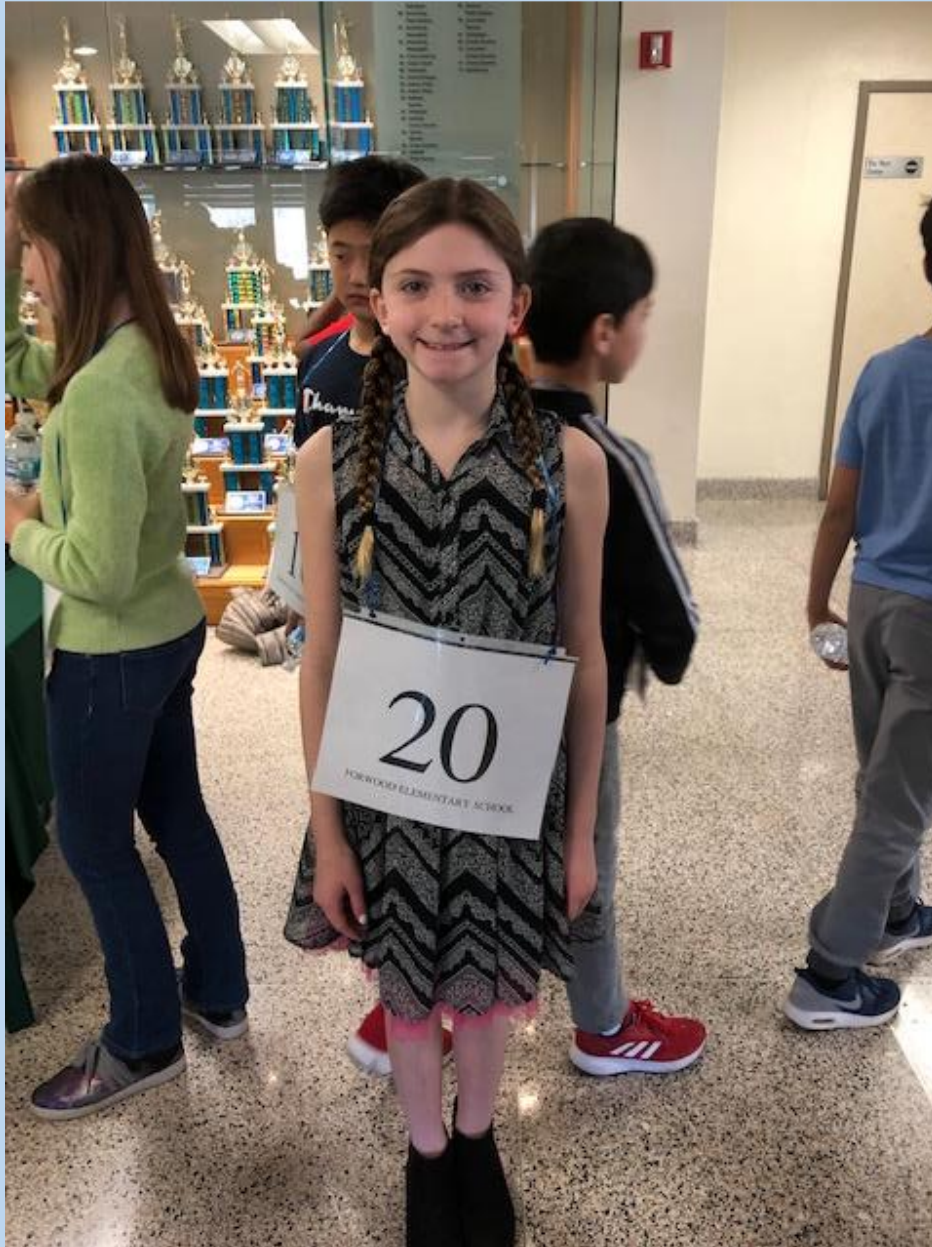
I am proud to announce that students and families of Forwood Elementary raised \$4,984.00 for the American Heart Association. That is an amazing accomplishment for a school of only 350+ students! A special thanks to our physical education teacher, Nikki Rogers who spearheads the American Heart Association fundraising campaign each year.



Rock Your Socks

On Thursday, March 21, 2019, Forwood students and staff joined other schools and organizations around the world in celebrating **WORLD DOWN SYNDROME DAY**.

Spelling Bee Champion



Congratulations to Sarah Beck, 4th Grader, who won the school-wide spelling bee at Forwood Elementary in early March. Sarah also competed in the grade 4-8 State Spelling Bee at St. Mark's High School on Saturday, March 16.