

### Thai Festival

Thursday, February 18<sup>th</sup> at 1:00PM we will be having a Thai Festival with our visiting Thai teacher Waew. This will involve a Thai ceremony called "Pouring Water". It is a way to welcome in the Thai New Year and honor ones elders. We ask that each child bring in a small gift for a swap that is part of the ceremony. It does not have to be new; a small gently used toy is fine. We are also asking that each student bring in \$1.00 that will be donated to a charity going to help the people of Haiti. Parents are welcome to attend!

### Celebration of Learning

Our annual Celebration of Learning Night will take place on Thursday, February 18<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 7:30 PM. This is a special opportunity for students to share their work; we do ask that children stay with their parents. Mark will explain to parents about our Mini-REAL auction that will take place on March 4<sup>th</sup> at 2:00PM.

Student Progress Reports will be sent home with parents at the Celebration of Learning. Feel free to contact your child's classroom teacher with any questions, or for more information

### Grades 5-6 Web page

The students in Mrs. Chase's class have designed their own web page. You can reach it from Peacham School's web site. The students have worked very hard and are excited to share it with everyone, check it often to see what they are up to!

### Mini-REAL

This was our second week of Mini-REAL. The children are having a great time and are learning so much. We welcome you to stop by and visit our community Monday thru Thursday mornings from 8:20-9:00.

### PTF "Mud and Muck" Auction

We're still in need of auction donations. Please think about how your family can contribute to this fundraiser. A donation form is attached for your convenience. The donation form can also be accessed on the school's website at [www.peachamschool.org](http://www.peachamschool.org).

Mark will be calling families to see how you can help.

This is our biggest PTF fundraiser of the year and we need everyone's help to make it a success. Thanks for your help!

## Town Meeting Day

Tuesday, March 2nd is Town Meeting Day.

## Upcoming Dates

2/12	Burke Ski Program week 3- Grades 1-6
2/15-2/18	Mini-REAL Community – Monday through Thursday mornings from 8:20-9:00
2/18	Celebration of Learning - 6:00-7:30PM
2/19-3/2	Winter vacation <b>Please note the 19<sup>th</sup> is a noon dismissal</b>
3/2	Town Meeting Day
3/5	Make up day for Burke Ski Program week 4 – Grades 1-6