### News from BBMS... March 25

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#### **Dear BBMS Families:**

We want to thank you for sending "kindness emails" to teachers last week. This was part of our school's efforts to recognize how important all individuals are at BBMS and how the power of being kind can help everyone succeed. Your notes to staff were fantastic! We hope the notes your students received on their lockers and throughout the week helped to brighten their day. We also hope that they shared with you some details from the anti-buillying video and discussion that we had on Friday. We want to live out the following message at BBMS everyday: "how we treat each other is most important".

As we prepare for the upcoming Spring Break, please talk to your students about the importance of the end of the year. This is the time we will ask students to do their very best work. We want to see whether students are building the skills, knowledge, and work ethic needed for the next grade level. Of the three, work ethic can sometimes be what holds students back. Your help in talking this through with students will help us teach students this valuable lesson.

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Thank you for your continued support of BBMS throughout the year: "Star Families", Kindness Notes, and the countless ways you help through the PTA, Music Boosters, and beyond... we are lucky to be in such a great community!

Have a great week Sharks!

Drew Cockley Principal

## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

March 26 - Middle School Debate travels to the APL (9am to 11:40am) Pajama day

March 27 - Rock Your Socks Day - new date and time - rock them all! Crazy Hair day and rock your socks day

March 28

Luau day

March 29 - DTL Meeting (7:30am)

**Orioles day** 

March 30 - Spring Break Begins

April 4 - Classes Resume

April 13 - End of the 3rd Marking Period (3 hr early dismissal)

April 18 - Student Member of the Board Election Day

April 25 - Last Day of Morning "Shark School"

**April 30 - PARCC Testing Begins** 

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