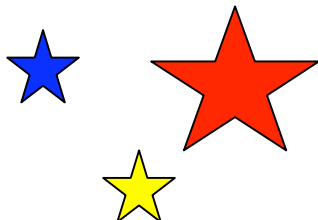

Harold Martin School

January 18, 2008

Parent Flash



NEXT WEEK AT 'TWEEN SCHOOL 'N HOME CHILD CARE PROGRAM

Monday: NO SCHOOL

Tuesday: Baby Blankets

Wednesday: Collages

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Thurs: Card Tournament

Friday: Sand Pictures

Music Lessons

NOTE: *Due to great interest in skiing and Destination Imagination, Dance Lessons with Pat Walker will stop for now and will restart on February 20th.*



It's getting quite close...the announcement of courses and sign-up for this year's *Reaching For The Stars* program which begins March 14. We have a strong lineup of courses again this year for Harold Martin students in grades 1-3. For those new to the school, *Reaching For The Stars* is our after school enrichment program which runs on six successive Fridays. Traditionally we have had around 150 students participate with 40-50 parent and staff volunteers.

However, while we have our main advisors set for the courses for the most part, we certainly **need more volunteers** to help in the classes in order for the program to run. We also provide daycare for the volunteers who have smaller children and currently we have no one at all for this. I should mention that those who volunteer for the six weeks will receive his/her child's first choice. Please contact our coordinator Nora Forziati at: forzi_fam@yahoo.com or me if you can help out at all.

Coming up next Thursday night is our annual **Spaghetti Dinner** served by the HMS staff to support our Playground. See the attached flyer. It is easily the social event of the year!

A reminder about email: at times the system can slow down a bit and it may take several hours for us to receive an email. Email is not the same as instant messaging. So, if you need to communicate with us immediately, it is better to call us. By the way, to call in an **absence, use this number: 746-4030.**

Have a great weekend and remember that there is no school on Monday as we celebrate Martin Luther King Day.

Sincerely,

Bill Carozza, Principal

NO SCHOOL MONDAY

JANUARY 21ST

CIVIL RIGHTS DAY
