



June 2024



June Newsletter Summary

With the school year rapidly drawing to a close, there's A LOT going on. Notably, if you haven't had a chance to volunteer in the school yet this year, there are a few opportunities to get in on the fun! We'd love to have you!

Here's a quick round up of what's included in this newsletter. Click a link below to jump to that section:

- [Fun Run and Ice Cream Social](#): June 14, 5:30-7:00pm, volunteers needed!
- [End of Year Staff Luncheon](#): Donations/volunteers needed!
- [Maker Space Cleanup Help Needed](#): Volunteers needed!
- [PTO Signups for the 2024-2025 School Year](#)
- [Student Directory Advertising available for business sponsorship](#)
- [Community Events](#)

[Fun Run & Ice Cream Social](#)



We're so excited for the Fun Run & Ice Cream Social! Join us **Friday, June 14 from 5:30-7:00pm** at Bancroft for music, ice cream, and of course running. This is a rain or shine event, we'll move indoors if the weather doesn't cooperate. Kids can dress in their class color as noted in the graphic above.

We understand there is some discrepancy between this week's class spirit colors at Bancroft and the Fun Run colors. It truly doesn't matter what the kids wear to the run as long as they come to have fun! They can wear the color designated above or the color they'll wear to school tomorrow, whatever is easiest!

If you purchased ice cream, be on the lookout for an email with your tickets. Please print the tickets at home and bring them with you so Food Services can collect them. Electronic tickets won't be accepted. Thanks for your help!

Volunteers Needed:

In order to make the event run smoothly, we are in need of some additional volunteers. The more volunteers we have, the more crazy and fun obstacles we can provide the kids while they run!.

Signup to Participate/Volunteer for the Fun Run!

End of Year Staff Luncheon



The PTO is currently seeking volunteers for board and event committee positions for the 2024-2025 school year. [This year we've built out descriptions and estimated time commitments for each of the roles; this can be found on our website](#), and added a few new roles as well! Some examples of the available positions include:

- Social media specialist
- Cultural arts coordinators
- Garden committee members
- Learning Labs coordinators
- Theater coordinators

Click the button below to sign up today, and as always, please reach out to president@bancroftpto.org if you have any questions.

Feel free to pass this link on to any incoming Kindergarten family you may know (in fact, forward them this newsletter so they can subscribe!).

[Click Here to Sign Up for the 2024-2025 School Year](#)

[Seeking Student Directory Business Sponsors](#)

We're looking for business sponsors for our 2024-2025 Student Directory.



The PTO is also seeking local business sponsors for our 2024/2025 Bancroft School Directory. For more information or to sign up to participate, click the button below or reach out to us at president@bancroftpto.org.

Also, families be on the lookout for an email from your room parents in the next week or so - we'll be distributing the original directory pages to each classroom and asking families to update their information, or confirm nothing has changed, in preparation for next year's directory. Thank you!

[Click Here to Become a Sponsor](#)

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Thank you!
Honor a Teacher
 and Support Andover Coalition for Education (ACE)!

Celebrate a special teacher, assistant, coach, aide, counselor, or other school staff member, who has made a difference.

ACE will celebrate Andover Public School teachers and staff by:

- Notifying the teacher or staff member of your gift with a **hand-delivered, personal note along with a wrapped rose!**
- Sharing honoree names with the Superintendent and principals.

Make your tribute gift **online** today!
 All donations received by June 7th will be delivered by June 13th.

Learn more about ACE and how your donation is making a difference in our schools.

ACE Honor a Teacher
[Click Here for More Information](#)

ANDOVER Farmers Market
2024 MARKET THEMES

DATE	THEME
JUN 15	MEET ME AT THE MARKET FOR OPENING DAY
JUN 22	CELEBRATE POLLINATOR WEEK
JUN 29	SHOW YOUR PRIDE
JUL 06	4TH OF JULY
JUL 13	EASY FARMERS MARKET MEALS
JUL 20	PICNIC ON THE LAWN
JUL 27	CELEBRATE WORLD CONSERVATION DAY

SATURDAYS 9 AM - 1 PM
41 CENTRAL STREET, ANDOVER, MA

VISIT OUR FACEBOOK EVENTS FOR MORE DETAILS

Andover Farmers Market
[Click Here for More Information](#)

Upcoming Calendar Events

[Click here to access the full Bancroft PTO Calendar](#)

[Click here to view the full APS 2023/2024 calendar on the APS Website.](#)

- **June 13:** 5th Grade Moving on Celebration and Moving Up Party
- **June 14:** Ice Cream Social & Fun Run (5:30-7:00pm)
- **June 17:** Staff End of Year Luncheon & Last Day of School (12:15 dismissal)

HAVE NEWS TO SUBMIT TO THE BOBCAT? Email us at communications@bancroftpto.org. All submissions must be received by the end of the month to be included in the next monthly update.

Bancroft PTO

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