

The Bay Academy for the Arts & Sciences Intermediate School 98 Maria Timo Principal



Weekly Intercom May 23, 2014



- 1. **Grade 8 Trip-** A great time was had by all even though the weather was lousy. Thank you to the following staff members who gave up their time to support this student centered event: Janice Dalton, John Bommarito, Sean O'Neill, Adam Goldfarb, Nick Auriti, Frank Ciaiti, Chris Browne, Anna Savarese, Carly Shannon, Tina Schneider and Amy Curren
- 2. **Spring Concert-** The annual Spring Concert was a huge success. We had a record number of attendees and the students sang and played beautifully. Thank you to Mrs. D'Agosta, Ms. Comas and Mr. Zoltowski for orchestrating this wonderful event. A special thank you to Ms. Kasbar for her expert lighting and program design and to Mrs. Samuelson and Ms. McGrath for their decorations. A special thank you to the teachers who attended but an even bigger thank you to those teachers who pitched in and helped to keep things running smoothly.
- 2. **Small Group Instruction-** SGI is suspended until further notice to allow for MOSL grading.
- 3. **Prom RSVP-** Please return your Prom responses to Joann in the Main Office by Friday May 30th.
- 4. Important Date Reminders
 - o Tues May 27- Dance Show: Night Performance 6:30pm
 - Wed May 28- Dance Day Show Schedule to follow
 - o Thurs May 29- Grade 6 trip Medieval Times
 - o Fri May 30- Arista Archon Practice Gr 8 Periods 1-2 Gr 7 Periods 3 & 4
 - o Fri May 30- Bay Madness Begins- 3:00pm- Grade 6 vs 7 4:00pm 8 vs 8
 - o Fri May 30- End of Marking Period
- 5. **Instruction-** The State exams are over and that stress is behind us, but please remember that instruction must continue until the last day of school. Our grade 6 and 7 students will be returning to us in September and it is imperative that their next year teachers have well prepared students.
- 6. Holiday Weekend- As we celebrate the holiday where we honor and remember the men and women who died while serving in the US Armed Forces please take a moment to reflect on all blessings we have and the freedom we have because of these courageous people.

As we continue to grade the MOSL's please understand I am making every attempt to provide you with the extra time you need. This is my way of thanking you for your hard work.

