

Hope Elementary School

respect responsibility perseverance

FEBRUARY 2025 PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

PFE brought in Chewonki for grades PK-2. The presentation was *Owls of Maine*.

We practiced a lockdown drill in January.

We celebrated National School Counselor Week this past week, February 3rd-7th.

We are hosting a HAL dance on February 14th.

The girls finished the season in fifth place and lost to Vinalhaven in the playoffs. The boys finished the season in third place and made it to the semifinals losing to St. George.

Beth Grierson will be returning to coach softball this year.

I have two weeks left to complete my SPED Law class.

I am on cycle 7 for mini observations. I observe each teacher 10 times throughout the year for 10 minutes, which are unannounced.

I have met with all probationary teachers for a mid-year check on performance and goals.

We welcome Michael Steere as our new evening custodian.

Middle school students will be attending a social studies field trip to Camden Hills Regional High as the 9th grade Humanities class shares their learning on modern Africa. This interactive experience will allow our middle school students to learn from high school students while exploring narratives of modern Africa through their interactive projects.

I will be participating in a training with The Regulated Classroom- Train the Trainer. This is funded with a grant from the DOE. This has a monetary value of \$1,550, plus so much more!