



**2014-2015
Kindergarten and Preschool Registration
for the *new* Francis T. Bresnahan School**

Kindergarten

Kindergarten Information Night for the New Bresnahan School

Tuesday, January 7, 2014*

Brown School Gymnasium- 6:00 p.m.

**snow date January 8, 2014*

Please come and learn about our Kindergarten Programs at the NEW Bresnahan School and Registration Process for the 2014-2015 school year. We are still working to determine start and end times for our kindergarten programs at the new school which will be finalized in the coming weeks.

All Kindergarten staff, specialists and administrators will be available to present an overview of our program as well as answer questions. Registration procedures will be discussed.

Newburyport offers 2 types of kindergarten programs:

- **A full day program** (6 ½ hour day) that is tuition-based (current tuition for the 2013-2014 is \$3500- annually and is subject to change for next year). A full day lottery will be held on January 29, 2014 to determine if your child is accepted into the full day program. If there are more applicants than slots available, a waiting list will be formed. Students not granted a spot in the full day program will be entered into the half day lottery which is held to determine AM or PM placement in the half day program.
- **A half day program** (2 ¾ hour day) that is free of charge. Both AM and PM classes are offered. A half day lottery will be held on January 29, 2014 to determine AM or PM placement.

Children who will be 5 years old by September 1, 2014 are eligible to register. Children who are 6 years old by this date must register for Kindergarten or 1st grade.

PRESCHOOL

Preschool Information Night for the New Bresnahan School

Tuesday, February 4, 2014*

Brown School Gymnasium- 6:00 p.m.

**snow date February 5, 2014*

Please come and learn about our Preschool Programs at the NEW Bresnahan School and Registration Process for the 2014-2015 school year. Due to planning for the new school, we are still working to determine our offerings for next year but will be able to announce our programs at the preschool information night. We hope to be able to offer the same programs that are in place this year: 5 Full Day (6 ½ hour program), 5 Extended Day (4 ½ hour program), 4 Day AM and 4 Day PM (2 ¾ program- Monday-Thursday).

All preschool staff, specialists and administrators will be available to present an overview of our program as well as answer questions. Registration procedures will be discussed. Returning students entering their second year of preschool in our programs will be granted priority registration. All new students will be enrolled in our programs through a lottery which will be drawn on March 4, 2014. Children must be 3 by September 1, 2014 to enroll in preschool.