



Here are some story ideas in which you may have an interest:

February 21, 2008

**\*NOTE:** To help us track the usefulness of the Memo to Media, we ask that you inform us if you will be covering any of the events or information listed in the memo. Please send all correspondence to [Amanda.Spencer@hcps.org](mailto:Amanda.Spencer@hcps.org).

## Board Meetings

• **Monday, February 25th at 6:30 p.m.** - Board Business Meeting at the HCPS A.A. Roberty Building. For agenda, exhibits, and more information, log onto [www.hcps.org](http://www.hcps.org) or call 410-588-5203.

**NOTE:** The Board Business Meeting of March 24 is cancelled and will now be held on March 17th (March 24th is the first day of the spring break). The Board Work Session scheduled on March 17th will be moved to April 7th. The topic will be Harford Technical High School Enrollment Capacity.

## Save the Date

- The Teacher of the Year banquet program will be Thursday, April 24th, 6:00 p.m. at the Bayou Restaurant.
- On Friday, March 7th beginning at 7:00 p.m., Churchville Elementary School will host its Third Annual Basketball Game, faculty versus the Belcamp Basketball Coaches. This annual game is a fundraiser for the Belcamp Recreational Basketball Team. The series is tied 1-1 between the teams and the winner will be presented with a trophy. For more information, contact Stacey Sewell at 410-273-5550. **NEW!**
- C. Milton Wright High School is currently looking for a new Dance Team Coach for the 2008-2009 season. For more information, contact Bonnie Fry at 410-638-4110. **NEW!**
- The Patterson Mill High School National Honor Society is sponsoring a Harford County Table Tennis Tournament on Friday, February 29th at 3:30 p.m. in the PMHS gymnasium. The tournament is open to all Harford County residents, grades 8 to 12. Winners of the event will receive \$200 for first place, \$100 for second place, and \$50 for third place. For more information, contact Cindy Mehr at [Cindy.Mehr@hcps.org](mailto:Cindy.Mehr@hcps.org) or 410-638-4640.
- Aberdeen High School will host the Second Annual Harford County High School Chess Tournament on Friday, February 29th from 9:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. in the media center. The tournament will have 40 minute games where players will compete for individual and team championships. For more information, contact Mr. William Wardle at Aberdeen High School at 410-273-5500 or [william.wardle@hcps.org](mailto:william.wardle@hcps.org).
- On Monday, February 25th from 8:15 - 11:45 a.m., former NASA astronaut Dr. Don Thomas will visit Fallston Middle School. The topic of this assembly will be "Living in Space aboard the Space Shuttle." During his career at NASA he flew as a mission specialist on four different Space Shuttle missions, completing nearly 700 orbits of the Earth and traveling some 17 million miles. For more information, contact Kenneth Horn at 410-638-4129.
- The February inductee into the HCPS Educator Hall of Fame will be 30 year teacher and coach Robert M. (Bob) Slagle, who was also athletic director at Edgewood High School. Mr. Slagle, the current UCBC Commissioner, led the Edgewood Rams boys basketball team to a state title in 1996-97. He becomes the 128th former educator to be inducted into the Hall of Fame. Mr. Slagle will be officially inducted by the Board of Education of Harford County on Monday, February 25th (6:30 p.m., HCPS A.A. Roberty Building). Call Don Morrison, 410-588-5203 for more information.

# Memo to Media



Harford County Public Schools • 102 S. Hickory Ave. • Bel Air, MD 21014 • [www.hcps.org](http://www.hcps.org)

Donald R. Morrison • Director of Public Information • [don.morrison@hcps.org](mailto:don.morrison@hcps.org) • 410.588.5203 • (toll free) 866.588.4963

Here are some story ideas in which you may have an interest:

February 21, 2008

- The Bel Air Cultural Arts Commission will host the Hitchcock Film Festival on Sunday, February 24th at the Bel Air Armory. Admission is free and doors will open at 12:30 p.m. "Rear Window" will be featured at 1:00 p.m. followed by "Strangers on a Train" at 3:30 p.m. For more information, contact Trish Heidenreich at 410-638-4541.
- The Greater Edgewood Education Foundation, Inc. will host the 2nd Annual Student Art Exhibition and Sale on March 12th from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at Richlin Ballroom in Edgewood. This event, which is being sponsored by Provident Bank, will feature student artists from each of the six Edgewood schools: Edgewood Elementary, Deerfield Elementary, Abingdon Elementary, William Paca/Old Post Road Elementary, Edgewood Middle School and Edgewood High School. Proceeds from this event will benefit programs and services for Edgewood students. For tickets and sponsorship information, please contact Jennifer Lewis by phone at 410-569-9963 or by email at [jlewis@lewiswebcreations.com](mailto:jlewis@lewiswebcreations.com).