

PUBLIC SCHOOLS of  
**BROOKLINE**

**Superintendent's Update - May 18, 2023**



# Agenda



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The Brookline Early Education Program (BEEP) celebrates 50 years in the community with an art show at the Public Library at Brookline Village showcasing student work. **The exhibition runs from May 18 through June 26, with an opening reception scheduled for Sunday, June 4, from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m.**

The exhibition showcases original artwork, made possible by artist Erin Palazzolo Loparo and a generous grant from the Brookline Education Foundation. The show will feature the works of over 250 students, ages 2-5 years old, across 19 classrooms in BEEP.

Media Credit: E. Palazzolo Loparo



# Celebrating 50 Years of BEEP



PSB's tradition of welcoming our **rising Kindergarten** students continues as **Peek and Practice** begins Thursday, May 25 for our K-8 Schools.

All K students and families who have completed registration are invited to visit their school after school hours and meet with their teachers and classmates. Families are also invited to attend a information session with school staff as well.

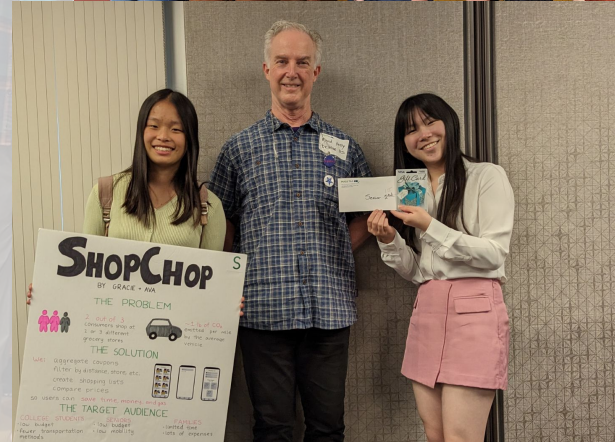
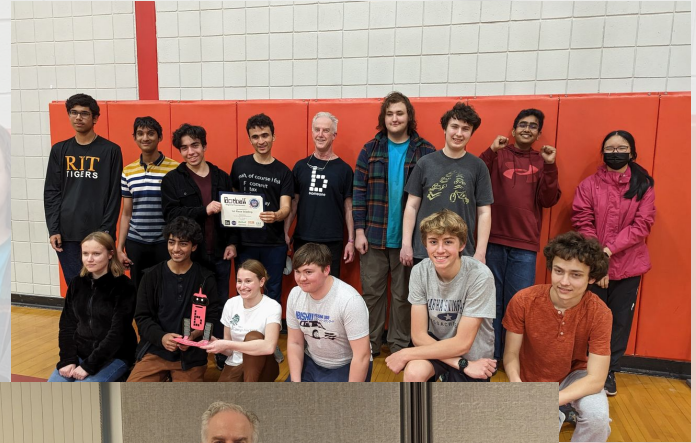


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# Welcome to PSB, Class of 2036!

Congratulations to BHS students competing in the **Robotics Team** and **Shop Chop** for their spectacular finishes in the recent tournaments!

- The Robotics Team finished **2nd overall** at the 2023 New England Regional Botball Tournament on **Saturday, May 6!**
- The Shop Chop tied for **1st place** at the Technovation Challenge New England Regional Showcase on **Saturday, May 13!**



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# BHS Students Excels in Tech Competitions



### Recently Completed

Lincoln Wednesday, 5/10

Pierce Thursday, 5/11

FRR Wednesday, 5/17

### Upcoming

BHS Friday, 5/19

BEEP Thursday, 5/25

Baker Thursday, 5/25

Heath Wednesday, 5/31

Driscoll Thursday, 6/1

On **Wednesday, May 3**, the Community Planning Team began drafting objectives and intended outcomes for the district's multi-year strategic plan.

The CPT will meet again for a final time **next Wednesday, May 24** to draft a final plan to present to the district leadership team in June for review.

## School Visits/Strategic Plan Community Meeting



- **Asian-American Pacific Islander (AAPI) Heritage Day: Saturday, May 20**
- **Shavuot (Judaism): Thursday, May 25 to Saturday, May 27**
- **Memorial Day Holiday (Schools and District Offices Closed): Monday, May 29**

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# Important Dates



## Graduation Dates

- **BHS:** Sunday, June 4, 12:00 p.m.
- **Runkle:** Friday, June 16, 4:00 p.m.
- **Heath, Lawrence, Pierce:** Tuesday, June 20, 4:00 p.m.
- **Baker:** Tuesday, June 20, 4:30 p.m.
- **Driscoll, Lincoln, Ruffin**  
**Ridley:** Tuesday, June 20, 5:00 p.m.

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# Spotlight on Excellence:

## Florida Ruffin Ridley School - Equity Parent Advisory Council