



It's the BEAR News!

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF BEEKMAN

Many Minds, One Mission - To learn and grow every day !

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REMINDERS FOR FAMILIES:

IF YOU **DROP OFF** YOUR CHILD IN THE MORNING, PLEASE PULL ALONGSIDE THE CURB IN FRONT OF THE SCHOOL AHEAD OF THE BUSES. HAVE YOUR CHILD WALK ON THE SIDEWALK TO THE MAIN ENTRANCE.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO **PICK UP** YOUR CHILD AT THE END OF THE DAY, PLEASE DO SO FROM 3:10-3:25 AT THE MODULAR DOORS. YOU MAY PARK ON THE BLACKTOP IN FRONT OF THE MODULAR SECTION AND FORM A LINE WITH THOSE WHO ARE WAITING. PLEASE SEND IN A NOTE OR EMAIL LETTING US KNOW THAT YOU WILL BE PICKING UP YOUR CHILD.



Students Practice Love and Empathy

The first few months of school have been very busy for students, families, and staff at Beekman Elementary School. Students have had many opportunities to practice showing love and kindness to others and they learned about the power of empathy.

- At the September whole-school meeting, students showed respect and empathy for our custodians. They thanked them for all they do for us and they gave them cards and posters. Students made speeches and acted out a skit showing their appreciation.
- Students and families donated Halloween costumes for Dutchess Outreach and made a difference for many children this Halloween.
- The 4th grade organized the October whole-school meeting where they shared plans for our school to raise money once again for the Maria Mora School in Nicaragua. Students learned about the difference we can make when we come together with purpose and hope.

The Beekman Bear Broadcast (BBB)

The BBB just posted its latest production video and you can watch it by going to our website or clicking [here](#). The BBB is a club that meets before school. The students learn about video editing, script writing, web-searching, green screens, and many other skills that are used to produce the BBB's videos. Ms. Thyberg is the genius behind the scenes who brings it all together! Thank you, BBB!