# **MSMHS FISH TALES**



#### **SPELLING BEE EDITION!**

that are true from the desk of Dr. Spera

Week of March 31, 2014

### MSMHS Family Creating BUZZ for this Friday's PTO Spelling Bee



GROTON, CT - There will be quite a BUZZ this Friday, April 4th at 7 pm in the Great Hall at the Marine Science Magnet High School. The 3rd Annual PTO Adult Spelling Bee has finally arrived and there will be plenty of excitement and spirit in the room.

There will be four swarms (rounds) of this year's Bee: Family Bees (parents), Company Hive (teachers), MSMHS Worker Bees (students), and Taking Care of BEES-ness (companies & friends). Two teams from each swarm will advance to the Championship Round where the Champion will be stung

with trophies and the ultimate bragging rights.

The event will be emceed by NBC30's George Colli (*right*) will be supported by the three judges for the event: Mayor for the City of Groton, Dr. Marian Galbraith; UConn Avery Point Campus Director, Dr. Michael Alfultis; and the *King Bee*, Dr. Spera. Mr. Regan will serve as the *Dean of Spelling* with this year's *Enforcer*, MSMHS parent James Johnson. **Don't miss the fun!** 



## *Mr. L, aka DJ Aquaman, returns for his 3rd appearance this Friday.*

#### Night of Laughs, Great Food, and Prizes for All

Each year, the PTO Spelling Bee is our biggest family event. It is a guaranteed great time for us to share laughs and enjoy great food and fabulous prizes. The following prizes will be awarded to teams: *Effort Creates Ability Award, Best Team Costume, Most Team Spirit, Best Team Name, Funniest Parent Team (NEW), & Spelling Bee Champions!!* 

In addition to the Spelling Bee, spectators will have the opportunity to eat delicious food including Lobster Rolls, pizza, Dog Watch Clam Chowder and more. All visitors will have the opportunity to win tremendous prizes including baskets, a New York Yankees-Boston Red Sox Tickets and other fabulous prizes at the Silent Auction.

All funds raised at the event goes directly to the MSMHS PTO which supports students and teachers at MSMHS.

Please bring your smiles, appetite, and your generosity to this Friday's event! Hope to see you this Friday!

#### **EVENT INFO: Prom Tickets and Class Ring Night**

Tickets for the May 29th Junior-Senior Prom will be sold from April 21 through April 29 at the main office. Tickets are \$70 each.





#### **UPCOMING EVENTS/PROGRAMS**

#### A/B SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 31st

MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI
NO	A Day/	B Day	A Day	B Day/
SCHOOL	ADVISORY			ADVISORY

#### IT IS NOT TOO LATE TO SIGN UP FOR THE BEE!!!

If you still are interested in putting a team together please contact us ASAP.

We are still looking for a few more parent bee teams for the parent swarm.

#### **Next PTO Meeting!**

Tuesday, April 1st — 6:30 pm

Don't forget to email Dr. Spera if you are interested in participating in the School Improvement Committee.

Junior and Senior parents will be receiving a packet from Balfour for Class Ring Night being held on Tuesday, April 22nd at 6 pm in the Great Hall. Students and parents will be able to see, feel and try on different ring styles offered by Balfour.