

# GOAL Newsletter

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## Goal Quizzer



The GOAL Quizzer Tournament began on Tuesday, Jan. 5, 2010. Brainquest and News Bowl Weekly's were used for this academic challenge

GOAL 208, Mr. Esposito's team, was victorious over GOAL 141, Ms. Pepper's team.

Team members are as follows:

GOAL 208 - Brian O'Gara and Tim Madden.

GOAL 141 - Brandon McCall and Jessica Weissman.

**Good Luck to ALL!**

## 2010!



## Welcome Back

We are looking forward to a fun-filled February:

Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> - Musical  
Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> - Gr. 7/8 Talent Show as well as Report Cards  
Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> Valentine's Day  
Feb 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> - Winter Recess  
Feb. 25<sup>th</sup> - 5/6 Talent Show Auditions

## What is GOAL?

Advisor - an advocate, role model, listener, liaison between home and school.



- \* A bridge to the day ahead.
- \* A place to organize or retrieve what is needed for the day.
- \* A forum for discussion, venting, listening, valuing and good decision making.
- \* Time to decompress from the morning rush, as well as academic or social stress.
- \* Provides socialization across the four grade levels both in and between GOALS.
  - Projects
  - Tournaments
  - Games
  - Kindness Awareness Day
  - Big Gym/Little Gym Days



\* Goal Setting - Discuss report cards and interims to set personal goals.

\* Provides access to a nurturing, supportive adult in a relaxed non-academic setting.

## What's happening in your corner of the school?

Have a special activity that you would like to share?

Want the school to know about the good things that are going on in your GOAL?

Just send a short note to Room 232. We will be glad to highlight your ideas in our next Newsletter..



## **-WANTED-**



**Board Games**.....Let's reestablish our **GOAL Game Library!** Check the closets, under the beds, in the basement and even the garage for any board games that are no longer being used. Send all games to the Main Office ASAP.