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SUPERINTENDENT'S WEEKLY UPDATE – 13-March-2015

- The calendar for the 2015-2016 school year was voted and accepted by School Committee at Monday night's meeting. The calendar can be found on the District Web: <http://www.swampscott.k12.ma.us>
- We have had 34 people come forward to be part of the exploratory Task Force for a new elementary school project. Members will be selected and notified next week.
- Our *Light Up Swampscott* fund raiser with UNOs begins March 23rd. See attached flyer.
- I was sad to learn that Coach Dembowski has stepped down as Swampscott's football coach to accept the head football coaching position in his hometown on Milton. Steve was here for 21 years and a Hall of Fame Coach. His departure is a great loss to the Swampscott Community. Best of luck to Steve in this new adventure.
- I will be holding *Coffees with the Superintendent* at each of the schools for **staff only** during the month of April. The purpose will be to share my Entry Plan findings, the budget, and answer any questions. This is the first step in my plan to increase two-way communication.
- Congratulations to our Monthly Student-Athletes!

December:	Coed Swim & Dive:	Will Cronin
	Girls' Basketball:	Meaghan Hartmann
January:	Gymnastics:	Sydney Levine
	Girls' Hockey:	Alana Burke
February:	Swim & Dive:	Tessa Diaz
	Boys' Indoor Track:	Barry Tevrow

The Girls' Indoor Track team, the Coed Swim & Dive team, and the Girls' Basketball team had cumulative grade point averages above 90%.

The **Girls' Indoor Track team** placed third 3rd with a cumulative grade point average of **93.56**

The **Coed Swim & Dive Team** placed 2nd with a cumulative grade point average of **94.20**.

And for the third winter season in a row, the **Girls' Basketball** team had the highest cumulative grade point average with a **95.75**.

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