

ELIOT HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER MARCH 2026

Upcoming meeting – March 9th 6:30PM at McPherson Hall, First Congregational Church, 1361 State Road. Zoom link:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/2034163951?pwd=0CyJcarpTkIwWkDBbBODxWCI2biFNe.1>

Well, we're finally (?) coming close to the end of winter and the coming of spring! We had a really nice gathering in February for brunch at the A&B Diner in Eliot and so we thought we'd have another! March 26th @ 11AM is the date. If you can join us please call either Rosanne (207-752-0174) or Jan (207-450-6874) and leave a message or email us at info@eliothistoricalsociety.org, so we can make sure they have room for everyone!

NEWS



Member John Richardson drew upon his extensive collection of military memorabilia and created an eye-catching display at **Marshwood Great Works School**. The children and staff have really been enjoying it! Thank



you John!

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Our **Eliot Elementary School** display continued with its celebration of the history of the building. “Celebrating Eliot Elementary School – Six decades of dedication to our children – 1966 to present”. The display took up not only the case but spilled out onto the tack boards nearby. Staff added some of their own memories of events at the school. It is so wonderful to see the varied and exciting opportunities that have been provided to the education of the students. Among the many things noted were past teachers and principals; Eliot Festival Day, Eliot Bicentennial (2010) and Maine Bicentennial time capsule (2020); Wreaths Across America; Dr. Suess Day and Gov. Kings wife reading to the children; the annual visits of the graduates of Marshwood High



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School, the Wee-Deliver and E-Mail Deliver programs; the history of collaboration and support of the Eliot Police and Fire Departments; Odyssey of the Mind; “Egg Drop”; Square 7 Art; National Blue Ribbon School Award (2011), Race for Education; Start of the Pre-School Program; the old and new playgrounds; staff pictures; author visits;



Eliot history studies; art



projects and creating quilts!

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