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Monthly Report – March, 2009
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Overview of Activities for March:

- The Boston Celtics and the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association (MIAA) honored the Uxbridge High School Girls Basketball teams with the Sportsmanship Alliance of Massachusetts Award for the 2008-2009 season. Boston Celtics President Rich Gotham, legend JoJo White and MIAA Deputy Director Bill Gaine presented the award to our girl's team at halftime of the Celtics game against the Oklahoma City Thunder on March 29. The SAM Basketball Award recognizes the outstanding demonstration of sportsmanship and fair play throughout the 2008-2009 basketball season. Our Girls Varsity Basketball team was selected as the team that best represents the elements of sportsmanship in Massachusetts high school basketball through their play and conduct this past season. Congratulations girls!
- From March 11-13, members of our student council attended the state conference held in Hyannis, MA. Once again our student council was recognized. They received the Gold Council of Excellence award.
- Our first Empty Bowls fundraiser was a big success and thus far we have raised in excess of \$1,600 to benefit *The People First Food Pantry* of Uxbridge. More than 150 tickets were sold for this event, which took place in the Uxbridge High School cafeteria on Thursday, March 26th from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Thanks to faculty, students and staff in the Uxbridge Public Schools, as well as residents of the Uxbridge community, for making this event a success.
- The course selection process is well under way and on schedule. Students in grades 8-11 have been meeting with their guidance counselors to select courses for next year. Arena Scheduling for students to get their course selections approved by teachers will be held on April 6th.
- On Thursday evening, March 12, Mr. Zini and Mrs. Bennett held a meeting for parents of 8th grade students to discuss the course selection process and the new trimester schedule for the 2009-2010 school year.
- On March 5th, Open House for parents was held from 6-8pm.
- On March 5th, a College Planning Night was held for parents to give them valuable information on the college application process and financial aid.

- The MCAS ELA test was administered to sophomores from March 31 – April 2.
- The annual Prom Fashion Show was held on Friday evening, April 3rd.

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George Zini, UHS Principal