

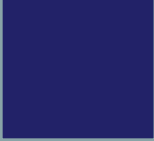
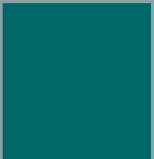
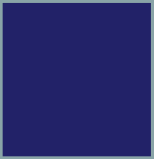
Malta Avenue Elementary School

Building Leadership Team

October 2015



BLT Membership



- Sharon D'Agostino, Principal
- Deb Dugan, Administrative Aide
- Susan Kosinski, 2nd Grade Teacher
- Tracy Manning, 2nd Grade Teacher
- Jodi Townsend, 4th Grade Teacher
- Kathy Constantine, 5th Grade Teacher
- Jean Hoins, 5th Grade Teacher
- Sheila Gregoire, Tech Coach
- Laura Shockley, Social Worker
- Lori Bebout, Special Education Teacher
- Molly Cook, ENL Teacher
- Naomi Barnwell, AIS Math Teacher
- Bairbre McCarthy, Ballston Scholars Teacher
- Tracy Michaels, Secretary
- Khristie Murdie, Parent Member
- Karyn Lefco, Parent Member

Malta Avenue's PACT for Learning

2015-2016 Goals Update

- **P**artnerships
- **A**cademics
- **C**ommunity
- **T**echnology



Partnerships

- Community Partners

- Brookside Museum
- Saratoga National Historical Park

- Ballston Spa Rotary Club

- Backpacks
- Christopher Morley Reading Award
- Dictionaries

- Saratoga County Kids Care Club

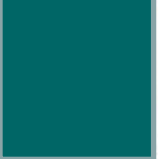
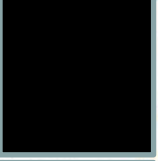
- Parents As Reading Partners

- National Center for Missing and Exploited Children

- Presentation & Bike Ride September

- World Awareness Children's Museum of Glens Falls

- International Youth Art Exchange
- 5th Annual To Malta and Beyond
- Traveling Museum



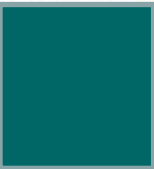
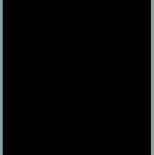
Academics

- Continued Data Driven Instruction

- Assessments
 - Development and analysis of formative and summative assessments to inform instruction
 - i-Ready, Dibels , district benchmarks, and state assessments
 - Progress monitoring, RTI
- Teachers participate in ongoing professional development opportunities
- Collaborative goal of sharing instructional practices among all of our elementary schools

Continuing...

- Co-teaching with ENL teacher
 - English as a New Language
- Morning Scholars Program with both Reading and Math
- Inter-grade level Classroom Buddies
 - Reading
 - Writing
 - Math
 - Science and Social Studies
 - Character Education activities
 - Fine motor skills



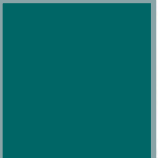
Academics



Currently...

- Developing Readers As Leaders
 - Community Leaders
- Integrating Mathematical Practices into everyday lessons
 - Whole school approach
 - Consistent terminology
- Enhance learning by providing hands-on experiences
 - Saratoga National Historical Park quarter release
 - Living history museum

Academics



- After school enrichment programs
- March “Mathness” Math Night
- Malta Avenue Giving Garden

- 5th Annual “To Malta and Beyond”
- ENL After School Club
- Homework Club
- Lego Robotics
- Odyssey of the Mind

Character and Community

- The Malta Way –Am I being my best...
 - New The Malta Way Song , Mr. Brian Chevalier kick off
- Monthly School Wide Meetings
 - Hosted by students
 - Character education
 - Sharing school news
 - Public speaking
 - “Peace” various languages
- No Place For Hate
- Cyber bullying Program

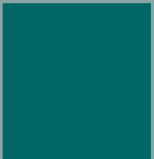
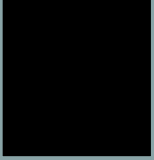
- First Friday
- County Fair
- Penny Harvest
- Student Council
 - Spirit Celebrations
 - Recycling program
 - Community Parades
 - St. Baldrick’s
 - Fun Field Day



Character and Community

- PTA recognized as a National PTA School of Excellence

- Live PTA Broadcast Meetings
- Kindergarten Bag O' Books Program
- Book Fairs
- School Banking
- PARP
- Fundraisers
- Empty Stocking Partnership with classroom teachers



T echnology

- Live from Malta Avenue Elementary School it's the "Morning Announcements"
 - Start with New Character Ed School Song
 - Student led
 - Inclusive of ENL Students
 - Out in the field Newscast
- Classroom Correspondence
 - Connecting with a Peace Corp volunteer serving in Paraguay (2 yrs)
 - Siblings attended Malta Avenue
 - Exchange ideas, stories, pictures and artifacts

Partnership Academics Community Technology



Malta Way

Being proud of who you are on the inside and how you show it on the outside

