

NOVEMBER 2 - 6, 2015

BEAVER COUNTRY DAY SCHOOL



This week is [Media Literacy Week](#) – a week designed to bring attention and visibility to media literacy education in the United States.

At Beaver, our goals for the Media Literacy Week are to ...

- Continue to expand on and share the work we already do around Media Literacy in our classrooms;
- Have an opportunity to exhibit how we as facilitators of teaching/learning incorporate and think about Media Literacy skills in our disciplines.

Highlights of Media Literacy related programming at Beaver

Here is a list of programming highlights for next week, happening outside of the classroom:

- **Monday, Nov 2: Technology for Social Change workshop**
 - 11:30 -12:55, Rogers Room
6th grade Humanities classes will participate in this Hiatt Center workshop, facilitated by Amit Nir '16 and Devin Lewtan '16.
- **Tuesday, Nov 3: Upper School Meeting presentation on Media Literacy**
 - 10:05 -10:35, Bradley Hall
Ms. Patel's Media & Message class will present their take on media literacy.
- **Wed, Nov 4: First Annual Beaver Film Festival screenings**

Hosted Javon Taylor, Eliot Tower, Corinne Downey, and Malena Horne

 - 11:45 -12:15, Rogers Room (lunch provided): **Screening for Middle School** (Sign-up required)
 - 12:15 -1:15, Rogers Room (lunch provided): **Screening for Upper School** (sign-up required)

All film-makers will be present for a Q&A at the end.
- **Thursday, Nov 5: News Media & Journalism Panel Discussion (All School Meeting)**
 - 10:05 -10:35, Gym A
 - A panel discussion with [Dan Kennedy](#), professor of New Media & Journalism from Northeastern University; [Jenna Wolf](#), former reporter for the [Boston Herald](#) and current Director of Research and Technology at Beaver; [Jessica Ainooson](#), a senior at Beaver who is an Editor of [Beaver Reader](#), and Oliver Trejo from the Middle School. The panel moderators will be Lila O'Neil and Max Reisner.
- **All Week in the Nancy Lincoln Gallery:** You will see projects of students from varied disciplines that demonstrate their use of Media Literacy skills in the classroom.

MORE MEDIA LITERACY RESOURCES

- **WHAT IS MEDIA LITERACY?**
- **Why does Media Literacy Week matters?**
- **Lessons/activities** that might be useful and appropriate for **Advisory** conversations next week. **Media Education Lab** and **The Representation Project** are also great to check out.
- **[Huffington Post on Media Literacy Week on 11/2/2015](#)**

Thank You!