

GALES FERRY SCHOOL  
JULIET W. LONG SCHOOL  
GALES FERRY, CONNECTICUT



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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT DAY FOR TEACHERS  
MONDAY, MARCH 22, 2010

NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

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**Daylight Savings Time** begins next week. This might be a great time to jump start family fitness. Activities that are fun and convenient may help make frequent exercise part of welcoming spring.

**WISH LIST:** If your family has tissues and Clorox wipes, we could use both of these around our school.



**LEARN** is offering a *free week* of Adventure Camp over the April break for students in grades 3 - 5. Information is available in our school office.

Consignment quality clothing is being collected by the Friendship Church. Most items will be resold for \$1 each and all proceeds will be sent to benefit relief efforts in Haiti. Donation/clothing sale hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:30 – 7 PM and Saturdays from 9 AM – 3 PM.



**AUTHOR SHELLEY GILL** will be visiting our school on Friday, April 23<sup>rd</sup>. Mrs. Castleman will prepare our students for this visit during their library classes. Students generally get more out of an author's visit if they are familiar with his/her books beforehand. Shelley offers a 20% discount to schools and is more than willing to sign books the day before her visit. If you would like to purchase an autographed book, please fill out the order form and make the checks out to Shelley Gill. Families are welcome to visit [www.shelleygill.com](http://www.shelleygill.com) for more information about her work

Title	Soft-cover	Qty	Hard-cover	Qty	Autograph to:
<b>Alaska's Three Bears</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Kiana's Iditarod</b> Kiana was Shelley Gill's lead dog in the 1130 mile Iditarod Sled Dog Race.	\$9		n/a		
<b>Swimmer</b> Follow the amazing journey of Swimmer, a chinook salmon who travels 10,000 miles home.	\$8		\$14		
<b>Tongass- the Last American Rain Forest</b> Rainforests in Alaska?! You bet. Home to fascinating animals and people. Both are in peril.	\$8		n/a		
<b>Danger the Dogyard Cat</b> Winner of the children's choice award	\$8		n/a		
<b>Mammoth Magic</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Alaska's Mother Goose</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Count Alaska's Colors</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Thunderfeet</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Adventure at the Top</b>	\$8		n/a		
<b>Up on Denali</b> A natural history of North America's highest peak	\$8		\$14		
<b>Sitka Rose</b> Pecos Bill has nothing on this whale roping, wild woolly Alaskan gal.	\$7		\$14		
<b>Big Blue</b> When my daughter asked me if she could swim with a Blue Whale in Baja for her ninth birthday we did!	\$7		n/a		
<b>Hawaii</b>	\$7		\$14		
<b>Alaska</b>	\$7		\$14		
<b>TOTAL ORDER</b>					

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Shelley Gill. Orders due to library by Friday, March 26th.