

2011 Legislative Breakfast

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Amy Bloom hosted the MetroWest Legislative Breakfast at the Wilson Middle School on February 11. The event was well-attended and provided a wonderful forum for advocacy directed at local and state decision makers. Amy's principal and superintendent were on hand to add their voices to those explaining the importance of school libraries. The most impressive voices were those of middle school students describing the many ways their school libraries helped them to succeed academically. (above) Amy introduced the Natick Superintendent of Schools while the students waited for their turn to talk about their library.

Amy Bloom, School Librarian at Natick Middle School, greets the many attendees.

Representative Linsky of Natick was the keynote speaker at the breakfast and described the library at the Wilson Middle School as a source of community pride.