

Montgomery Elementary School Newsletter

Friday, October 17, 2008

HALLOWEEN CANDY RECALL

There has been a warning by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency.... to verify: <http://www.snopes.com/food/warnings/coins.asp> Sherwood brand Pirate's Gold Milk Chocolate coins are being recalled due to the fact that they contain Melamine, the ingredient in milk products that has caused infant deaths in China. These candies are sold in Canada at Costco, as well as many bulk and other dollar stores. Please make sure to check your children's Halloween candy and **DO NOT EAT THE SHERWOOD BRAND PIRATE COINS.**

Jay Peak Ski Passes

Students in K-8 who attend Montgomery Elementary School are eligible to purchase season's passes at Jay Peak for \$179. This promotion ends November 7th. Please make checks payable to Jay Peak Resort.

We are offering Entertainment® to raise money for field trips. Enjoy up to 50% savings on family fun, dining out, travel & shopping. Books cost \$30 and our school makes \$15 from each sale. Offer ends December 1st.

Book It Lunch – Nov. 5th

Your town and school librarians are teaming up to begin a book discussion group for students in grades 6-8. Our first meeting will be during lunch on Nov. 5th to plan the book discussion and other library events. Seating is limited to 14 - sign up with Mrs. Bryce.

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair will be held in the school library beginning Monday, Nov. 10th. Watch for fliers being sent home and get your wish list ready! Volunteers are needed to help set up on Friday, Nov. 7th and pack up on Thursday, Nov. 13th. Please contact Mrs. Bryce if you have an hour or two to spare!

North Country Union High School - 8th Grade Transitions Class, Thurs., Nov. 6th at 2 p.m.

PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES are being scheduled for Wednesday, November 12th, between the hours of 3 and 7 p.m. Please call to set up an appointment. Other dates and times may be available upon request. Report Cards will go home Fri. Nov. 14th if no conference has been scheduled.

An Honor Roll / Character Ed. / First Qtr. Perfect Attendance / Soccer / FISH Awards Assembly takes place Thurs., Nov. 20th at 9 am

The 7th & 8th Grade Basketball team practices: Girls – M, W, TH, F from 3 to 5 p.m., and Tuesdays from 4 to 6 p.m.

Boys – M – TH from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

First game – HOME – Tues, Nov. 18th

CHEERLEADERS will practice Wednesday, Nov. 3rd and then Thursdays after that.

RICH CHARETTE Concert – Nov. 7th, 6:30 p.m. at the Opera House in Enosburg. Rick is a singer/songwriter of delightful children's songs. He travels throughout the US and Canada performing at schools and concert halls. The cost is \$7 for an adult and \$5 for children under 12.

SHOUT IT OUT! will be shown at the Opera House in Enosburg on Wed. Nov. 12th at 7 p.m. This is a film about teenagers, written and produced in Vermont, addressing serious issues that teens face today. Donations will be accepted at the door to help defray costs. Please call 933-2988 with any questions.

FREE Developmental Screening – The FNESU Early Childhood Program will be offering a screening for children ages 3 to 5 years, on December 5, 2008, at our school. You must call to schedule an appointment. Please contact Cindy in Enosburg at 933-7705.

Thanks to everyone who helped make Red Ribbon Week a success, especially our 6th Grade VKAT team!

Have a great weekend!