

# Montgomery Elementary School Newsletter

Friday, November 30, 2007

**Picture Re-Take Day** – next Monday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9 a.m. This is the last chance to have pictures taken this year. Please bring your picture package back to school if you wish to have another picture taken – a \$5 fee applies (unless the eyes were closed.)

**Berkshire Craft Show** – Saturday, December 1<sup>st</sup> from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. A pancake breakfast takes place between 9 and 10:30 a.m., a Silent Auction of raffle items will be held, and local crafters will have tables set up. Please call Michelle at 848-3551 to reserve a table or to get more info.

**SKI PROGRAM NOTICE** - Due to the overwhelming response for participation in the ski program this year, the school board has limited program participants to students from **grades four through eight only**. We regret the disappointment that this causes for 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students and their families.

Note: The “ski foundation” ticket price for participants in our school program, when they ski at other times, is \$20. These tickets must be obtained at Customer Service.

**SCHEDULE:** Basketball games start at 6 p.m. unless noted otherwise:

M, 12/3	Montgomery @ Fairfield
T, 12/4	Berkshire @ Montgomery
TH, 12/6	Montgomery @ Enosburg
T, 12/11	Montgomery @ MVU (5:00 p.m.)
TH, 12/13	Montgomery @ Bakersfield
T, 12/18	Fairfield @ Montgomery
TH, 12/20	Richford @ Montgomery
TH, 1/3	Montgomery @ Sheldon
T, 1/8	Montgomery @ Berkshire
TH, 1/10	Enosburg @ Montgomery

Please go to [vtonlinelib.org](http://vtonlinelib.org) if you would like to check out the Vermont Online Library – our password: gramp

## **TEEN CENTER FUNDRAISERS!**

Christmas Trees (\$25) and Wreaths (\$15) are for sale at the Teen Center, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 3-7 p.m. Also, drop your returnables at Sylvester’s Market and ask to have them donate the money to the Teen Center! It’s a great way to support kids in our community!



**St. Johnsbury Academy** is offering two 4-year boarding scholarships next year to 9<sup>th</sup> graders from a school choice town. Please contact Allison May for more information.

## **TOWN LIBRARY NEWS:**

The **Montgomery Town Library** is now open during after-school hours on Mondays and Tuesdays, from 3 to 7 p.m. Debbie Landauer, Director, welcomes all students, but those younger than 8 years old must be accompanied by an adult. Students in grades 3 and up may ride the bus to the Town Library if they have a note from a parent or guardian.

Monday, December 17<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 to 4:30 – **Origami Treasure Boxes and a “Mystery Read?”** Students ages 7 and up are invited to learn how to make these sturdy folded paper boxes to use for small items or gift-giving. They can be decorated too! Then you can hear the first chapter of a funny book and try to guess the title – or make one up!!!

The **Hannaford Helps Schools** campaign ends December 1<sup>st</sup>.

A **Community Turkey Dinner** with all the “fixins” is planned at school for Wednesday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. The meal will be followed by a dress rehearsal of the concert for anyone who wishes to stay to watch it.

Our **Holiday Concert** is planned for December 12<sup>th</sup>, starting at 6:30 p.m. (a departure from our usual 7 p.m. time).



Have a great weekend!