

## BARRE TOWN MIDDLE AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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# PLEASE NOTE CHANGE November 11 is a school day for staff and students.



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# NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS

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Tuesday, November 23—Friday, November 26



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#### Crops by Kids



Most of The Crops by Kids garden has been "put to bed" for the season.

Many of the beds have been cleaned and the weeds taken away. Mrs. Thygesen's PE classes cleaned out the beds, weeded the walkways and composted the crops.

Mrs. Moran's students planted garlic from the bulbs harvested this spring. As we were cleaning the beds this week, students noticed several old garlic bulbs from the summer.

Mrs. Thygesen picked kale and brought it to the dining room for the staff to make kale chips. Some students will try them out. Kale chips are roasted with a little oil and sprinkled with salt.

Students from the Career Center at Spaulding repaired the rotten boards and fence posts during the last week of October. A big thank you for doing this!

According to the Farmer's Almanac, the full moon in November is the Beaver Moon. For both the colonists and local tribes, this was the time to set beaver traps before the swamps froze, to ensure a supply of warm winter furs. This full Moon has also called the Frost Moon.

What do you call specific groups of animals? For a group of beaver? They are called a  $\frac{\text{colony}}{\text{colony}}$  of beavers. How about a group of caterpillars? An  $\frac{\text{army}}{\text{colony}}$  of caterpillars. The group of frogs is an army or colony of frogs.

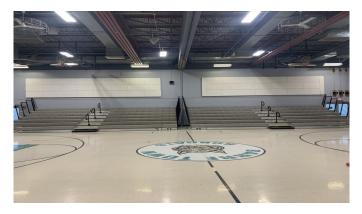
Until spring...be thinking of gardening...

Deb Curtis, Garden Coordinator, dcurtbte@buusd.org

#### New Bleachers

Our new bleachers were recently installed in the Crowley Gym! Take a peek at what our new and improved bleachers look like! We are hopeful that things to return to "normal" so that we can use them for assemblies and large gatherings.







#### Barre Town PTO

PTO Remote Meeting to be held on Tuesday, November 16th at 6 pm Please email <a href="mailto:ptobte@buusd.org">ptobte@buusd.org</a> for the meeting link and agenda.

A limited amount of Logo Gear is available for purchase. We are planning a bigger sale in the Spring but until then, please use the link below to see available merchandise.

Logo Gear Sale Items



### Other Events and Happenings

Dear Barre Town Families,

THE SUGARBUSH SKI AND SNOWBOARD PROGRAM IS BACK! And this time all family members, ages 5 – adult can participate. Anyone in the family can either do the lessons or just get a 1/2 day pass to ski/snowboard.

The program will run on the following 5 Sundays: January 9<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and February 6<sup>th</sup> and 13th. The cancellation make-up date will be in March (only if canceled by Sugarbush).

This program runs from 12:00 - 4:00 on Mount Ellen (Sugarbush North).

If you enroll in the lessons the day looks like this:

12:00 - 1:00 free ski/snowboard (for non-beginners)

1:00 - 3:00 lessons

3:00 - 4:00 free ski/snowboard

If lessons are not required, a lift ticket holder can ski/snowboard from 12:00 - 4:00.

Prices for the entire program, all 5 Sundays are:



5 Day Program Products	½ Day Rate per person	Check One
Lift Ticket	168	
Lift Ticket & Rentals	228	
Lift Ticket & Clinic	282	
Lift Ticket, Rentals, & Clinic	312	
Clinic only	156	
Rental only	132	
SugarXpress Media Fee*	5	
Sugarbush Premium Young Adult	\$429 for the	
Season pass (ages 13 to 29) Both Lincoln Peak & Mount Ellen	season pass	
Sugarbush Value Young Adult Season pass (ages 13 to 29) Mount Ellen Onlly	\$339 for the season pass	
Sugarbush Value Child Season Pass (ages 5 to 12) Mount Ellen Only	\$249 for the season pass	

Please email <u>aliciahuskes@gmail.com</u> if you are interested as the forms must be completed with payment and mailed by November 20, 2021.

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1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11 CHANGE: Regular school day for staff and students  BUUSD Board Meeting 5:30pm	12
15	16 PTO Remote Meeting 6pm	17	18	19
22	23 T	hanksgivir	g Break	26
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