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### **Mt. Ascutney School District Vision**

*To honor, encourage, and celebrate the excellence, diversity, and aspirations of each learner through creative and motivating challenges.*

December 3rd, 2021

Dear Windsor Parents, Guardians, & Caregivers,

If you have any questions or concerns around our recent health updates, please reach out. As the holidays near, we know this time can add stress as expectations rise. Please reach out for help. We have many resources available for our students and are happy to assist. We appreciate this community and are proud to be a part of it.

Colleen and Kate

#### **NEWS:**

##### **Important Dates:**

Early Release December 22, 2021

Winter Break December 23rd, 2021 -January 4th, 2022

Picture Day Retakes for Elementary Students - January 11, 2022

**Theater Performance** - Julie Aylward and our performance arts class will perform Macbeth - December 8, 9, and 10. Tickets available through cast members.

**Basketball games:** Basketball season is upon us. Please watch us:

youtube.com/windsorgirlsbasketball for Girls

youtube.com/windsorhoops for Boys

#### **Repurpose for our Art Class: Please Help!**

Our art class sculpture studio is looking for the following items- if you have some to collect, please send them to school! I will be collecting these types of materials all year!

-cardboard tubes (paper towel, tp, wrapping paper tubes etc.)

-newspaper

- Plastic bottle caps of all sizes and colors
- SMALL-ish chunks of thin styrofoam (not the really thick stuff and no larger than 12"x12")
- containers such as egg cartons, shoe boxes, or other small cardboard boxes
- donations of NEW rolls of tinfoil
- "5" brand gum containers (the plastic flip top rectangular ones)
- other cool sculpture materials (see a nifty piece of bubble wrap, cardboard packaging or other material and think it would make a great sculpture material? Send me an [email](#) and I'll let you know if we have space for it!)

### **Rotary Interact -**

"Hello, Windsor Students! Are you looking to get involved in your community? Mrs. Gogan and Ms. Eaker will host an informational meeting for interested students on Wednesday, December 8 during HS lunch and after school. Rotary Interact is an international youth club that has fun while carrying out service projects in their school and their community. Our club will work with the Windsor Rotary as well as other youth organizations in the Upper Valley. It's a great way to complete your community service graduation requirements as well as network with other youth leaders in Vermont and around the world. Come to the Hub on Wednesday to learn more!"

### **Reminders:**

This is the third year that Windsor High School is aiming to give all residents at the Historic Homes of Runnemedede a gift bag for the holidays. We are hoping, with help, we can continue this tradition.

Donations can be dropped off in room 424, Anne Rising's room, until December 15. Any questions can be addressed to Hudson Ranney ([HUDSON.RANNEY@WSESU.NET](mailto:HUDSON.RANNEY@WSESU.NET)) or Katie Ranney ([KATHRYN.RANNEY@WSESU.NET](mailto:KATHRYN.RANNEY@WSESU.NET))

### **Helpful Links**

#### **[Phone Extensions](#)**

**[Vermont Department of Health \(VDH\) Parent Information](#)**

**[WSESU Strategic Plan & Portrait of a Graduate](#)**

**[Leader in Me](#)**

**[Student & Parent Handbook](#)**

**[2021-2022 Covid Response Plan](#)**

**[Mount Ascutney School Board Meetings](#)**

**[Windsor Southeast Supervisory Union Board Meetings](#)**

**[2021-2022 School Calendar](#)**

**[Free and Reduced School Meals Application](#)**