

TIGER TALES

October 20, 2016



Middle School Dance

Grades 6-8 Friday, October 21 at DCS 6:00 - 8:30pm Cost \$5.00

It going to be raining outside but we'll be having fun inside dancing to Mr. Simmons tunes in the cafeteria, playing some ball in the gym and we'll have plenty of food at the concession stand for a small fee!!

If you have not done so already, please bring your signed social/dance rules form to the dance with you.

Volunteers are always needed and donations of cupcakes are always welcome! Contact Nancy Decker at orc95@comcast.net for more information.

It's Book Fair Time!!

Our semi-annual PTA Scholastic Book Fair is coming up.

Monday, October 24 9:00am - 7:00pm Tuesday, October 25 9:00am - 7:00pm Wednesday, October 26 2:30pm - 7:00pm Thursday, October 27 2:30pm - 7:00pm Friday, October 28 2:30pm - 4:00pm Saturday, October 29 Halloween Party

We hope you will take this opportunity to get some great books and support the PTA in their efforts to fund programs here at DCS including field work and enrichment opportunities for all grade levels.

Everyone has been doing a great job this year letting us know if students will be absent or late to school. This really helps us to make sure that all our students are safe either here at school or at home. Just a reminder that if your child is going to be dismissed with someone other than parents or persons listed on their emergency list we MUST have confirmation from you, preferably in a written note. Also, a reminder about bus changes. Bus changes can be made for daycare and safety purposes and are not intended to provide transportation for play dates or birthday parties. Please make other arrangements for these situations.



Upcoming Events

Thursday, 10/20

3:30pm Cross Country @ Greely

Friday 10/21

3:45pm Girls Soccer (home vs. Freeport) 5:00pm Boys Soccer (home vs. Freeport) 6:00-8:30pm Middle School Dance

Monday 10/24

3:45pm Boys Soccer (home vs. Poland) 5:00pm Girls Soccer (home vs. Poland)

Tuesday 10/25

3:45pm Boys Soccer @ Waynflete 5:00pm Girls Soccer @ Waynflete

Also in this week's Newsletter

7th/8th grade artwork

PTA Halloween Party **RSU 5 Community Programs** Ski Swap

Fall Sports Awards Night

Substitute Teachers Needed

RSU 5 and Durham Community School are in need of qualified substitute teachers for grades K-8. If you are interested and have completed at least 2 years of post secondary education and are interested in substitute teaching please contact Rose in the main office.





Artwork from our 7th/8th grade students













Annual PTA Halloween Party

BOO! It's that time of year again, for the ghosts and goblins to walk the halls of Durham Community School! The ghoulish annual PTA Halloween Party will take place on Saturday, October 29th from 3-5 pm. Last year we had over 300 students attend!

From 3-4pm all the tricksters can parade down Treat Street (please bring your own Halloween bag) collecting treats. Other activities will include: the popular cakewalk, costume contest (pre K-K, Grades 1-2, and Grades 3-4), door decorating contest, and refreshments.

We need lots of candy or treats for our little ghosts and goblins! If you could donate a bag or two, it would be greatly appreciated! Penny, the Pumpkin, is located in the foyer by the gym and is hungry for treats.

The PTA could not sponsor this safe event without your help! Please consider helping in one of the following ways:

- *Sponsor a Door (decorate, provide, and pass out candy in costume)
- *bake a cake for the cakewalk
- *donate refreshments (to include vegetables, fruits, baked goods, juice & paper goods)
- *donate Halloween decorations
- *help with set up (Friday, October 28 from 6:00-8:00) and clean up

If you are able to help with this very popular annual community event that is sponsored by the DCS PTA please send an email to Julie at williams j@link75.org

Freeport Ski Boosters annual **SKI SWAP**, with both Alpine and Nordic, new and used equipment, will be held on **Saturday**, **October 29**, 9:30am to 12:30pm at the Freeport High School cafeteria. Drop off and consignment will be Fri. Oct., 28 from 4:00-7:00 pm and Sat. Oct. 29 from 7:30-9:00 at the high school. Come support our ski program and get your family outfitted!

RSU 5 Community Programs

Upcoming Classes! To register for classes: By Phone: 865-6171 Online: www.rsu5cp.org In Person: 17 West St, Freeport (Central Office)

IMMEDIATE PART-TIME HELP NEEDED FOR LAUGH & LEARN

Do you enjoy working with young children? Interested in being part of a dynamic team of educators? Join the Laugh and Learn Staff as an energetic, positive and caring professional. Duties include participating in and planning activities for our fabulous students. Experience in an Early Childhood setting is preferred but not required. Immediate openings available in our before and after care program. Please consider joining us! Application information is available on the rsu5.org site or at https://www.servingschools.com/job/74e9ev

MONGOLIAN MUSIC & DANCE

Freeport High School is hosting a touring group of music and dance students on October 21st. The group from Mongolia is on tour in northern New England, and will present to the entire FHS student body during the day The group will then provide a free performance for the community that evening at 7:30 in the Freeport Performing Arts Center, 30 Holbrook St. See the performance poster here: http://pub.lucidpress.com/ MongolianMusic/. For more information, contact David Watts at wattsdog.org.



FALL SPORTS AWARDS NIGHT



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

6:30 PM







