# WAITS RIVER VALLEY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

September 9, 2022

#### From the Principal...

With Sunday being the 21<sup>st</sup> anniversary of 9/11, as a school community we spent time today reflecting on the significance of this important date in our country's history. We observed a moment of silence in memory of all of those who lost their lives and we will continue to work to instill in our scholars the importance of finding peaceful resolutions to conflict.

Our K through 5 scholars will be going to the Agricultural Education Day at The Tunbridge World's Fair on September 15<sup>th</sup>. We emailed the Tunbridge Fair Permission Form earlier this week. If you have already completed the form, thank you. If you have not, please do so by clicking on this link. We will need your permission in order for your child to attend the fair. If for some reason you're unable to complete the form, please email your child's teacher.

The first Community Outreach Meeting of the new school year is scheduled for Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm. Weather permitting, we'll gather under the pavilion that is located on the back playground. Please consider joining us; it's an informal conversation about any topic brought up and I'd really appreciate hearing your thoughts.

If you have not already done so, please send your child's forms to school with him or her on Monday. It's very important that we have up-to-date information for each of our scholars.

Our <u>2022-2023 Parent & Scholar Handbook</u> is online. If you would like a hard copy sent home, please call Lisa Thompson at 439-5534.

Please come see me, email me, or call me with your thoughts. My contact information is below. Knowing that many of you are available to reflect during the evening hours, please do not hesitate to contact me then.

Sincerely,

Carlotta Perantoní

## Carlotta Perantoni's Contact Information

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How can you volunteer at WRVS? Coach a sports team, chaperone a field trip, read with scholars, do a special art project with a class, be a part of the very fun end-of-year field day, etc. There are many opportunities to volunteer at WRVS and we WELCOME your interest in getting involved with us. Before you can volunteer there are OESU requirements you will need to meet. The VOLUNTEER TRACKER will walk you through the process. If you have any questions or would like assistance, please call Lisa Thompson at 439-5534.

NOTEWORTHY

K-5 to The Tunbridge World's Fair Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

Community Outreach Meeting – 6pm Thursday, September 15<sup>th</sup>

Mr. Lamarre's 5<sup>th</sup> Grade to the Hood Museum Wednesday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

> Middle School Dance Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup>

No School - Teacher In-service Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup>

> No School – Columbus Day Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup>

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Zoom Meeting Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> - 6:00pm

The Zoom link was emailed to parents earlier this week. If you didn't receive it, please call Lisa Thompson at 439-5534.



### Coming Soon to WRVS!

Note from our School Nurse: The Ronald MacDonald Dental Van will be at WRVS September 21-27. The Dental van is a modern, fully equipped dental office on wheels. Services include cleaning teeth, exams, fillings, x-rays, extractions and sealants. The goal is to bring dental services to Vermont children who do not have a dentist. If you would like more information or to enroll your child for dental care with the Ronald MacDonald Mobile Dental Van, sponsored by The Health Center in Plainfield, VT, we need a completed <u>application</u> returned to school by September 9<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Carla Horniak, at 439-5534 if you would like an application sent home with your child.

#### **Soccer News**

Our Middle School team is underway with coaches Corey Pittsley and Jason Rogers.

The 3-5 team will start after the volunteer coach has been cleared; we'll keep you posted.

K-2 will start Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> and do every Saturday morning from 9:00 to 10:00 through October 22<sup>nd</sup>.

#### KIND Kids...shown below

Mrs. Ulrich with Orry Ashford & Mrs. Perantoni

Mrs. Evans with Evelyn Allen, Dawson Keane & Mrs. Perantoni

Mrs. Perantoni with Brynlie Ruggles, Mrs. Champion & Mrs. Chute

# Kindness...

It's everywhere at WRVS...

And we're going to keep spreading it around!

In our ongoing quest to encourage and celebrate kindness at WRVS I'm notified when a scholar is recognized for showing an act of kindness. Each Friday, we take a picture with myself, the recognized scholars and the person who made the nomination and we include them in our weekly newsletter and post them on our Facebook page.

This year I'm starting another tradition where I will recognize a scholar each week who I feel exhibits behavior that they personally should be proud of and recognized for. Today, I nominate Orry Ashford, a 1<sup>st</sup> Grade scholar in Mrs. Ulrich's classroom.

Thank you, Orry! You're rocking it! ©

~ Mrs. Perantoni







Kindness Matters at WRVS