

NEWSLETTER



November 18, 2022

On behalf of the WRVS Class of 2023, we extend a huge thanks to everyone who came out to support the Class of 2023 and all the local vendors at the Holiday Bazaar last Saturday! The event was a huge success. It was so nice to see so many happy people out and about enjoying themselves and kick starting the holiday season with us. The event was a huge success and as always, we appreciate your support. Congratulations to the wood raffle winner, Doreen Estes.

The Pre-K Harvest dinner held earlier this week was outstanding! It was really nice to see so many families join this festive gathering that was sponsored by the regional Head Start. Thank you to Ashley Jacobs, Amanda Osgood, Mike Lamarre and many of Mr. Lamarre's scholars who assisted with serving food and entertaining some very energized young ones!

Tonight...the middle school dance is from 7:00 to 9:00. It's a sports theme, so wear your sporty attire and your entry fee will be \$4. It will be the last dance until March; with basketball starting the week of November 28th our gymnasium will be a very busy spot!

December is going to be a busy month with the return of our K-5 Holiday Concert and Holiday Feast. Please keep an eye on our [website](#) where you'll find helpful information and a calendar of upcoming events.

Next week, we have school on Monday and Tuesday before we break for Thanksgiving. Look for our next newsletter on Friday, December 2 and you can expect your child to bring home his or her first trimester report card as well.

As we take time to give thanks for the many blessings in our life we want to let you know how grateful we are that you and your family are one of them. With warm appreciation, we wish you and yours a very Happy Thanksgiving.

Have a good weekend,
Carlotta Perantoni
Principal



TONIGHT...A Middle School Dance!

7:00 to 9:00

\$5 Admission ~ \$4 if you wear your sports attire

Concessions will be sold. The proceeds from this dance benefits our Class of 2023. Join the fun and help a great class raise some money for their class trip!

Open Gym at WRVS on Sunday!

Scroll down for more information.

NOTEWORTHY...

Middle School Dance

Friday, November 18th

End of Trimester 1

Tuesday, November 22nd

No School ~ Thanksgiving Recess

Wednesday, November 23rd – Friday, November 25th

Report Cards Sent Home with Scholars

Friday, December 2nd

PK-5 Holiday Concert

Wednesday, December 7th

Holiday Feast

Tuesday, December 13th

Holiday Break

Friday, December 16th ~ Early Release

Monday, December 19th ~ Friday, December 30th

Operation Santa Claus applications are now available in the office; the application deadline is November 25.

The application can be found on the school's [website](#), or you can call the school at 439-5534.



Exciting News...Get Your WRVS Wildcat Apparel!

Here is the link for the WRVS apparel order: <https://shop.game-one.com/vermont/east-corinth/waits-river-valley-school>

As you will see, there are a variety of designs and each can be customized. Once you click on the item you want, select ""View More Designs" to see them all. The apparel is shipped directly to your home and will be there in time for the holidays if you order soon.

Use your imagination and order something really cool and unique!

GO WRVS WILD CATS!

Open Gym at Waits River Valley School

WRVS will provide an opportunity for supervised open gym access on **Sundays, from 1:00 - 5:00 P.M.**

Guidelines for Access/Participation

- Any adult who bring participants to the programming must remain on the property until they leave. (one adult can bring multiple youth/people, but that adult must remain on the property while the youth are participating in open gym.)
- A sign in/out sheet will be required to monitor the access/usage to document participation.
- A phone is available at all times for emergency and/or participant needs.
- A standard First Aid kit is available at all times.
- Bathrooms and water are available at all times.
- Pictures/video of participants may only be used/posted on social media if it is YOUR child.
- Access to the building outside of the entrance way and the gym is prohibited.
- All participants must stay inside the gym/entrance way area at all times, until signed out by the adult who transported them to the open gym.
- Transportation is not provided by WRVS.
- This is NOT a time for organized teams to access additional practice or work together on team skills.
- Multiple ages will access the gym at the same time (adults are welcome to participate too); participants will need to accommodate this.
- Materials/equipment must be used respectfully and appropriately
- All State guidelines for use of school property are in effect (tobacco, vaping, alcohol use is prohibited.)
- The designated monitor will determine if an activity is not appropriate/safe for the open gym (i.e., no stage use, no gymnastic supplies used, no climbing wall, etc.)
- The monitor will not organize activities, this is an independent opportunity.
- Any behavioral infractions that are considered unsafe, unacceptable, or disrespectful will eliminate that individuals' ability to access the program in the future.
- WRVS administration, with the consultation of the open gym monitor(s), reserve the right to alter these procedures and/or add to them. One-week notice will be given to any changes, and will be posted on the WRVS website and/or posted in writing outside of the WRVS gym facility.
- All participants, of all ages, must have fun! 😊

8th Grade Scholars...Working & Clowning Around at the WRVS Holiday Bazaar!



KINDNESS Abounds at WRVS...Thank You for Being Kind



8th Grade Scholars, Levi Thompson & Kobin Ellsworth



5th Grade Scholars, Zoey Riemer, Ethan St. Martin, Jacey Horniak, Tiana Ballenger-Moysich, Leah Beck, Timothy Graham, Brodey Florentine, Ella Downing & Lindsey Moulton



2nd Grade Scholar, Olivia Lapan



1st Grade Scholar, Colton Putney



K Scholars, Bailey Pippin, Lillian Mousley & Tabor Amsden



1st Grade Scholar, Eleanor Goyette