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Dear WRVS Families,

Middle school scholars were fortunate to enjoy some winter activities Wednesday afternoon. The snowshoeing was a success as was the skiing and boarding at NES. Again, the weather has put a pause on our Friday Winter Activity Program; we'll hope for better weather next week.

Thank you to everyone who joined the Community Outreach conversation last evening. We'll let you know when the next one will be held.

We're very excited about the River of Light Lantern Walk next week. Look for an email with more information on Monday.

Our 8th grade scholars played their last home game as a Wildcat earlier this week. It was fun to see their excitement as they were recognized and presented with flowers and a basketball. Please plan to attend the annual parents vs. coaches game next Friday night. It's a great way to wrap up another great season! **Please have your child bring their basketball uniform to school on Monday.**

Our school calendar indicates Friday, March 17 is an in-service day for staff and no school for scholars. In order to make up for the snow day in December, scholars will now have a half day of school on Friday, March 17 with dismissal at 11:45. Please remember there is no school for Kindergarten scholars on Thursday, March 16 and Friday, March 17.

Have a good weekend, Carlotta Perantoni

> **OPEN GYM at WRVS** Sunday, February 19 ~ 1:00 to 5:00 PM

SUNDAY

NEW THIS YEAR...

There will be an Equipment Swap set up in the gym on Sunday during the registration. Bring your cleats and glove you no longer use in exchange for equipment you can use!

Next Week...Tuesday, 2.22.23 The River of Light Lantern Walk!

The 3rd Annual River of Light at WRVS will be held on February 22, 2023. It is a celebration of kindness and peace for our community. Many communities around the world gather together in solidarity and parade with light to celebrate this human quality that is so important to the wellbeing of us all.

The Lantern Walk will begin at 6:00PM. Scholars, families, and community members, please plan to arrive at WRVS by 5:30PM. Please note the parking lot will be closed at 5:45 so we can safely begin our parade at 6:00pm.

Each scholar is participating in creating a lantern. K-2 scholars are building a half-sphere lantern with papier mache, 3-5 scholars are making rectangular prisms with parchment paper and watercolors, and 6-8 scholars are constructing spheres with reed and papier mache, as well as some of their own 3D sculptural lanterns designs.

Families and community members are invited to create a lantern using one of the methods listed above.

What: Little League Registration When: Sunday February 19, 2023 Where: WRVS Gym Time: 9-11



Fees: \$40 T-ball, \$45 all other teams

If your child is interested in playing baseball or softball this year and will be 5 years old by August 31, 2023, please come to the mandatory parent meeting. Your child will be fitted for the upcoming season uniform, parent and player code of conduct reviewed, and applications and fees completed.

KIND KIDS Are Everywhere at WRVS!

Middle School scholars, Skyler Greene and Mercedes Schwarz pictured with Mrs. Luck-Hill, Mrs. Perantoni & Mrs. Madan.

Thanks for being kind and for setting such a good example!





5th Grade to the Hood Museum Wednesday, February 22

River of Light Lantern Walk Wednesday, February 22 at 6:00 PM

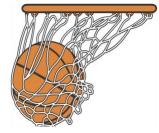
Parents vs. Coaches Basketball Game Friday, February 24 at 6:00 PM

Winter Break Monday, February 27 – Tuesday, March 7

Kindergarten Registration Thursday, March 16 & Friday, March 17

Middle School Musical Thursday, March 16 & Friday, March 17 Oxbow Spring Sports Registration

Tonight, Friday, February 17: Haverhill @ WRVS - 5/6 Girls @ 5:30 – 5/6 Boys @ 6:30 Saturday, February 18: K-2 Instructional Basketball from 8:00 to 9:00



Mark Your Calendar....

Annual Parent vs. Coaches Basketball Game

Friday, February 24 at 6:00 PM

Half-time recognition of basketball players

A GREAT way to wrap up a GREAT season!



Dear WRVS Families,

The Music Matters Concert Series (benefitting the WRVS music program) begins tomorrow evening! Mal Maíz (Costa Rican Afro-Latin music) headlines the show and DJ Jah Red (Puerto Rico) opens.

Music begins at 6 p.m. at East Coast Van Builds (490 Lower Plain, Bradford, Vt.) Admission is by donation, with all proceeds going towards the purchasing of musical instruments and equipment for Waits River Valley School.

Here is the complete series lineup:

At East Coast Van Builds (490 Lower Plain, Bradford, Vt.) TONIGHT! Fri. Feb. 17: Mal Maiz (Costa Rican Afro-Latin Orchestra)

At Fairlee Town Hall (75 Town Common Rd., Fairlee, Vt.) Sat. March 11: Jomion and the Uklos (West African Jazz) Fri. April 14: Mighty Mystic (Jamaican Reggae) Sat. April 29: Dilemastronauta (Columbian Tropicalia) Sat. May 13: The New Mozaic (American Soul/Funk) and Gentleman Brawlers

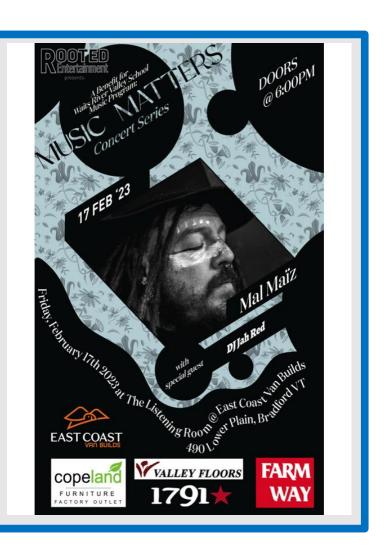
(Soul /Jazz)

Fri. June 2: Beg, Steal or Borrow (Vermont Bluegrass)

For more information, contact thomas.chapin@oesu.org



TONIGHT ...



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Rivers Edge SC - Spring 2023

Location

We will train at Rivendell Academy in Orford, NH, and be members of the Vermont Soccer League (VSL) in the Vermont Soccer Association.

Teams - Travel teams for boys and girls. We will have a High School age team (birth years 2004-2008) and a Middle School age team (birth years 2009-2011)

Youth Clinic - 3 nights a week for 7 weeks we will offer a non-travel option for younger players looking for skill development. Birth years 2012-2015

Dates

Practices will be two to three evenings a week from Mid-April - Late-June. Our early practice schedule will be dependent on snowmelt and field conditions.

We will play our games in the Vermont Soccer League. Games will begin at the beginning of May. All games with the league will be in Vermont.

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