



February 11, 2021

*Respect ~ Responsibility ~ Pride*

Dear Parents and Guardians,

*Do you enjoy Chipotle as much as I do? If so, support our Mountain View Partnership (MVP) fundraiser that has been re-scheduled to Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup>. The fundraiser will take place at the South River Road location in Bedford from 4:00-8:00pm. Make sure to bring the attached flyer or show it on your smart phone when ordering. 33% of proceeds go to MVP!*

*The Winter sport season is just about over. The athletes at Mountain View have been working hard and have represented our community well with their skills and sportsmanship. The wrestling team was able to participate in three meets this season and had much success on the mat. While official records were not kept, athletes were able to take advantage of these contests to hone in on their skills for future competition. Our MVMS Cheer team, which is composed of many athletes who are brand new to the sport, has been working hard in preparation to compete this season. Coach Allen shared, "All their hard work has paid off and they are ready to showcase their talents when we host an exhibition next week". The parents/guardians of Cheer athletes are able to attend in person, in a limited capacity, or are welcome to watch live via Zoom from the MVMS gymnasium.*

*I would also like to give a big shout out to our girls and boys basketball teams, who have done a tremendous job competing this season. Both "A" teams are in the playoffs and both were successful in gaining quarterfinal wins yesterday. The "B" boys team also clinched a victory in the quarterfinals to play Bedford, in Bedford, next week as well.*

*As the winter sports season comes to a close, I want to thank all of the parents and fans who have shown up to support our teams while following all of our safety protocols during these events as well as for driving your student to all of the away contests this year. I am sure I speak for all of our athletes and coaches in being truly grateful for your presence and support.*

Sincerely,

Wendy Kohler  
Principal

**Important Dates**

<b>February 18 (Thu.)</b>	<b>MVMS Theatre Virtual Auditions</b>
<b>February 22 – February 28</b>	<b>NO SCHOOL – Winter Break</b>
<b>March 9 (Tue.)</b>	<b>NO SCHOOL – Teacher Workshop/Town Voting</b>

### **Arrival and Dismissal**

A friendly reminder, please drive slowly around the back-bus loop while picking up/dropping off your student. All students should also enter/exit the car from the passenger side of the vehicle. Thank you for reminding your student to exit the vehicle with their cloth mask covering on.

### **Full Remote Students in Grade 7 and Grade 8**

Please make sure your student repeatedly checks their email/Google Classroom for the links to our 'live' instruction for social studies, language arts, grade level math and science each week. All students learning in a full remote learning environment are offered two live instructional blocks beyond their "team" Friday Zoom sessions. Please make sure your student makes every effort to attend!

### **Attendance Phone Calls**

Please remember to call the MVMS absence line (497-8288 and when prompted press 2) if your child will not be attending their scheduled in-person day prior to 8:15.

Students who are accessing their learning in a fully remote learning environment, who will not be attending, should also be called into the absence line as well.

### **School Picture Pick-Up**

As a friendly reminder, all parents of students who are accessing a remote only environment – we still have a fair amount of school pictures that were ordered and are waiting to be picked up in the front office. Please stop by MVMS anytime between 8:30-4:00 to pick them up!

### **PBIS Theme of the Month – Gratitude**

February's PBIS Theme of the Month is Forgiveness. Staff and students are focused on what forgiveness looks like here at MVMS and how one should go about showing forgiveness. Be sure to chat with your student about what he/she is learning about Forgiveness.

### **MVMS Theatre Virtual Auditions**

Zoom auditions will be held Thursday, February 18th from 4 - 6:30pm for the spring musical Dear, Edwina Jr. Interested students should fill out the Google Form (link below) or reach out to Ms. Duford at [jocelyn.r.duford@gmail.com](mailto:jocelyn.r.duford@gmail.com).

Link to Google Form: <https://forms.gle/pkSxN2oUuJUZ9snE9>

### **Agoge Wrestling Club**

Have an athlete who is interested in wrestling? Please see the attached flyer for more information if your student(s) is interested in joining the Agoge Wrestling Club.

### **Yearbook**

#### **Purchase your 2021 Yearbook TODAY!**

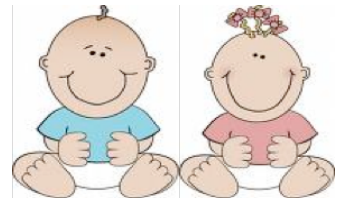
Hurry up and purchase your 2021 MVMS yearbook for \$26. Click/copy & paste the link below to place your order TODAY!

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#### **8<sup>th</sup> Grade Baby Photos (PAWS Pride)**

Calling all 8<sup>th</sup> grade parents! We still have room in our 2021 MVMS Yearbook for "8<sup>th</sup> Grade Baby Ad" photo submissions. You will need to submit a baby picture with your child's first and last name on the back, a message addressed to your 8<sup>th</sup> grader, and the \$14 check or cash. Please include a self-stamped envelope if you would like

the picture returned to you. Fill out the Baby Ad form on the following page to make your photo submission. FINAL DEADLINE is now extended until February 17, 2021.  
Eighth Grade Parent(s),



Looking for a creative way to tell your child, “I love you and I’m proud of you”?

Place a recognition ad in the yearbook.

A recognition ad is always a great idea. In the future, seeing your message will bring a smile as students remember your love and support during these important years. It’s easy to create a recognition ad. Just send us your favorite baby photo and compose your message. **You must have your son/daughter’s name on the back of the picture. Please supply a self-addressed stamped envelope if you would like the photo returned in June 2021.**

We will try to keep the ad a secret until the yearbook is distributed. If your son or daughter is on the yearbook staff this may not be possible.

Reserve a space for your recognition ad today. Like the yearbook, your message will be a permanent memory.

Thank you!

Sincerely,  
The Yearbook Staff

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**RECOGNITION AD ORDER FORM--- MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY!**

Student name \_\_\_\_\_ Team \_\_\_\_\_

Parent name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cost \$14.00 (Checks made out to MVMS – Yearbook)

**Message: Limit 35 words or less!**

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**MUST BE RETURNED TO MS. SINCLAIR, ROOM 212 BY FEBRUARY 17, 2021**

## Goffstown Junior Baseball

Registration for Goffstown Junior Baseball is open now at [www.GoffstownJrBaseball.com](http://www.GoffstownJrBaseball.com). Available for boys and girls from ages 4-12. Email [GJBBoard@GoffstownJrBaseball.com](mailto:GJBBoard@GoffstownJrBaseball.com) if you have any questions. See you on the field!

## Goffstown Babe Ruth Softball



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**The Spring 2021 Season is here...**

Registration opens February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.

Team Shirt/Face Covering provided.

6U Division - \$30

8U Division - \$55

10U, 12U, & 16U Divisions - \$75

Register Online at: [www.leaguelineup.com/goftstownnh](http://www.leaguelineup.com/goftstownnh)

Interested in coaching or have more questions?

Contact league President, Sean Sweeney at [SSweeney16@comcast.nh](mailto:SSweeney16@comcast.nh)

New 6U  
Instructional  
Division



Don't forget to follow us on Facebook at:  
**Goffstown NH Babe Ruth Girls Softball League**  
to stay up to date on all exciting league news & events!

## Health Corner

Dear Parents and Guardians:

The COVID-19 pandemic continues to impact every aspect of our lives and the MVMS nurses would like to provide you with some additional information to keep your family and our school community safe and healthy as now that we have returned from vacation. In order to ensure our schools stay open, and our students stay well, we continue to ask that all students, parents, and staff remain diligent in adhering to the SAU 19 COVID-19 guidelines (see attached). Below are some reminders for everyone to keep in mind as we embark on vacation week.

- Social distancing, the use of cloth face coverings, monitoring for symptoms, and avoiding those who are sick are still important public health measures that we should all be following both in school or out.
- If any of your family members develop symptoms of COVID-19, even mild, call your PCP and seek COVID-19 testing.
- Travel outside of New England carries an increased risk for contracting COVID-19, all students who travel outside of New England will be required to quarantine for 10 days upon return home and may not attend school.
- If your child has had close contact with someone diagnosed with COVID-19 they must quarantine for 10 days after the last exposure to that person and may not attend school.
- If a household member has been diagnosed with COVID-19 (parent, sibling) your child must remain in quarantine for an additional 10 days after the infected person has completed their 10 days of isolation and they may not attend school.
- Although persons may be released from quarantine after 10 days, COVID-19 has an incubation period of 2-14 days, your child could still become symptomatic and spread the virus for up to 14 days after exposure. It is important to monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 for a full 14 days after exposure and seek testing if symptoms develop.
- If you attend gatherings with persons outside of your immediate household you significantly increase the risk for COVID-19 exposure, these types of gatherings are strongly discouraged by public health officials.
- Prior to sending your child to school each morning please assess your child for COVID-19 symptoms and consider your child's COVID-19 exposure risk, if you are questioning sending your child to school please call the MVMS nurses and we can assist you.
- As always, if your child presents to school with any complaints of illness, they will be sent home and be required to isolate for 10 days or seek COVID-19 testing.

The MVMS nurses truly appreciate all of your continued cooperation as we navigate this pandemic. We are here as a resource for you and your family and encourage you to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Sara Matatall RN  
[Sara.matatall@sau19.org](mailto:Sara.matatall@sau19.org)  
660-5623

Susan Potvin RN  
[susan.potvin@sau19.org](mailto:susan.potvin@sau19.org)  
660-5615

# CAUSE AN EFFECT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support Mountain View Partnership. Come in to the Chipotle at **99 S River Rd Ste 4** in Bedford on **Monday, February 15th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to Mountain View Partnership.

## NEW! ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP

Use code ZGJARZM before checkout in 'promo' field. Orders placed on Chipotle.com or through the Chipotle app for pickup using this unique code will be counted towards the fundraiser.



All online orders must be placed for pickup at the same time/location of the fundraiser. Delivery cannot be counted at this time. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.

## Food Service Information

~ This year **all** school meals are FREE to ALL students! ~

We ask that parents/guardians pre-order meals, following the instructions below, to help us with the delivery to the classrooms.

### Ordering Meals

You need to either download the NutriSlice App from your app store or go through the food service webpage for the menus.

1. Select MVMS.
2. Select the appropriate menu.
3. Pick your child's meal on the day he/she will be attending school.
4. Choose from the optional items then click Add to Order.
5. You may pick another day your child is attending school or you may check out for that student.
6. Click on the lunch bag on the top left of the screen.
7. View your cart and confirm it is correct, then click Checkout or Create an Account. You will need to create a Parent account and then add students with their lunch number in order to Checkout.
8. Choose who the order is for.
9. Select Pickup: Choose grade level; enter your child's homeroom in the box on the right above the submit button.
10. Click submit.
11. If you have additional children to order for you will need to click on Start Another Order.

A student ID number is necessary, for bookkeeping purposes. You will **not** be charged.

If you need further help either contact the MVMS kitchen or food service by emailing Megan Bizzarro, [megan.bizzarro@sau19.org](mailto:megan.bizzarro@sau19.org).

## Guidance Department Corner

### Middle Years

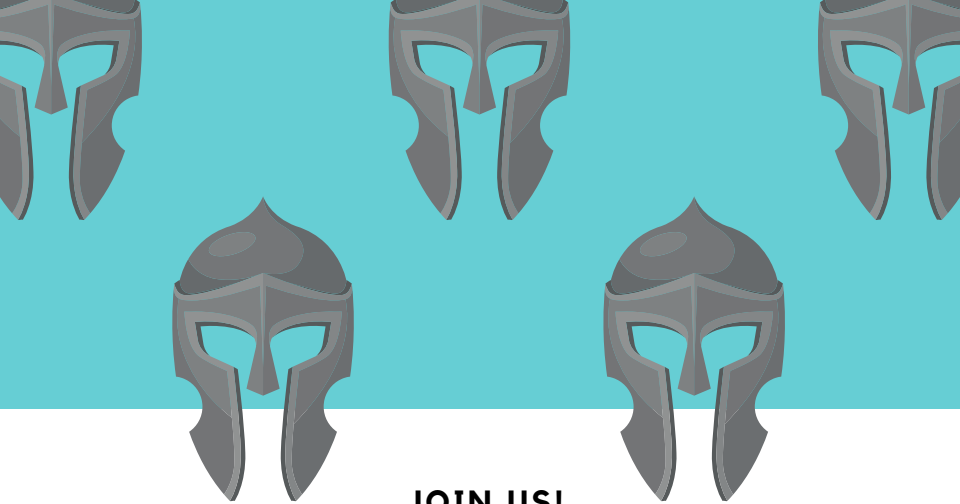
Please click/copy paste the link below to view this month's edition of Middle Years. If you're unfamiliar with the Middle Years publication, the purpose is to provide busy parents with practical ideas that promote school success, parent involvement, and more effective parenting.

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### Guidance Counselors

If you need to consult with a counselor for advice/information for your student, please contact one of the following:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Ryanne Roy	5 & 6	(603) 660-5616
Melanie Cali	7	(603) 660-5607
Erin Sakolosky	8	(603) 660-5606



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