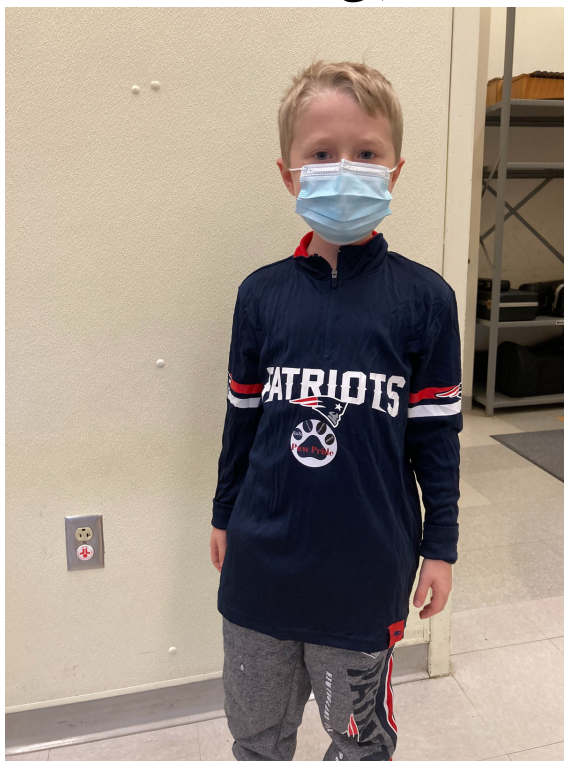




WILDCAT WEEKLY

December 3, 2021



DATES TO REMEMBER

December 8-Early Release Day
December 10-Trips to Newport Cultural Center and Corinna Stewart Library
December 14-Concert Recording
December 15-Picture retake day
December 17-Last day to send in Giving Tree donations for the Corinna and Newport food cupboards
December 23-January 2nd-Holiday break

For the health and safety of our staff members and students, it is important for you to assess your child EVERY morning for red, watery eyes, runny nose, sore throat, cough and fever. If these symptoms ARE present, PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CHILD TO SCHOOL UNTIL THE SYMPTOMS have IMPROVED! The district administrators, classroom teachers and school nurses understand that this is a VERY DIFFICULT REQUEST, but it is necessary to protect the entire community. Please contact the school nurse with questions or concerns.

Newport Cultural Center and Corinna Stewart Library

On December 10th our students will be taking trips throughout the day to decorate the trees at the Newport Cultural Center and the Stewart Library in Corinna. All students will go to one place or the other to continue to be a part of decorating the trees for the holidays. We are fortunate to be a part of such amazing community traditions.

CONCERT RECORDING

This year our holiday concert will be a virtual event. We will be doing the recording for the concert on December 14th. The recording for the concert will take place outside, so please make sure that your child is dressed warmly. We will make the recording available on our website the following week. Notices will be sent out once it is available to view.

Early Release Dismissal Times

December 8th is an early release day. On early release days students load the buses at 11:30am.

Students getting picked up are dismissed at 11:40am. If your child's dismissal arrangement is different than a typical day, please send a note in with your child.



NEWPORT NOEL



Community in the Spirit of Christmas!

OUR COMMUNITY COMES TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE THE SEASON!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

NOVEMBER 28TH: FROM 4-8 JOIN IN FOR A NIGHT OUT IN NEWPORT

Shopping night close to home, 30 vendors, free goodies, cash bar, and live music will make your evening festive while you check off items on your Christmas shopping list. **FREE ENTRY**, and a **LARGE raffle!!** Hosted by Barrows Skidgel American Legion Post 105 at the Newport Rec (Old Elementary Gym on Elm Street) **SPONSORED BY MOOSEHEAD TRAIL SPORTING GOODS!**

NOVEMBER 29TH: CHILDREN'S ORNAMENT MAKING.... FROM 5-6

Fun filled experience making ornaments for the community trees at the Newport Cultural Center. **SPONSORED BY THE NEWPORT CULTURAL CENTER!**

NOVEMBER 30TH: JINGLE BELL SHOP! FROM 3-7

visit participating local businesses and be entered into a drawing to win! Pick up and drop off entry form at the NCC. **SPONSORED BY THE NEWPORT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GROUP**

DECEMBER 1: SHOP AT YOUR FAVORITE LOCAL SHOPS!

DECEMBER 2-5: VALLEY OF TREES FESTIVAL

Sebasticook Valley Chamber of Commerce Valley of Trees Festival. Newport Rec Center, 142 Elm Street. **SPONSORED BY SEBASTICOOK VALLEY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.**

DECEMBER 3: HOLIDAY PARADE AND TREE LIGHTING; WELCOME SANTA! ... BEGINNING AT 6 P.M.

Help escort Santa and Mrs. Claus to the Newport Cultural Center for the Annual Tree Lighting at 7. Join The Claus Family for pictures and snacks! Make sure to see the holiday displays from the Newport Historical Preservation. **SPONSORED BY THE NEWPORT CULTURAL CENTER!**

CHECK WITH THE EVENT SPONSOR FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT PARTICULAR EVENTS



Cold weather is here! Please make sure that your child comes to school with warm winter clothing to wear at recess and outside PE classes. We were recently given a very generous donation of new winter jackets. If your child does not have a winter jacket and is in need of one, please feel free to contact Mrs. Donahue at Idonahue@rsu19.net.