

Rallyball Team Tennis

Students in grades 1-4 are invited to sign up for Team Tennis Rallyball season at Sugarbush. The Rallyball format is designed to allow kids of all levels to play the game of tennis in an easy and fun way while providing a safe and healthy activity. They will learn the game, be on a team with their peers and have a great time! No experience necessary.

The season will run March 30 through May 28 (eight weeks, skipping the vacation week of April 19). Racquets are available upon request. Teams are being formed now and consist of 3-5 players. Teams will have a one-hour practice session each week where the instructor will teach tennis skills through drills, instruction and games. Teams will also compete in a one-hour match to take place on Friday afternoons. At the end of the season, there will be an award ceremony and party.

To register or learn more, call or email the Sugarbush Tennis Director, Ross Greene at 802-583-6706 or rgreene@sugarbush.com

Circus Minimus Summer Camp

Circus Minimus – “The Circus Kids Create” – will return to the Mad River Valley this summer for a two week camp to be held this year at *The Big Picture Theater* in Waitsfield. Camp will run 9 am to 3 pm from Tuesday, August 10 through Friday, August 20 for children ages 7 to 13. The camp will culminate in a “Big Top” performance on the night of Friday, August 20. Attending both weeks is required and the fee is \$400. Scholarships are available. Skyler Sullivan will serve as the camp’s artistic director. Skyler has been teaching circus skills and physical comedy with Circus Minimus since 2001 and directed camp at the Warren School in 2007 and 2009. To save your clown a spot in the act, contact April Smith at aprilsmith@gmavt.net or call 496-5547. Circus Minimus Summer Camp is sponsored by Open Hearth.

Planning for the East Warren Commons

The East Warren Town Common has been conceptually planned by Whole Systems Design and land owner Anne Burling as a working land use model for rural New England. The site is planned as a redeveloped town common for the post-petroleum era. This involves the inclusion of localized and intensive food and fuel production, rapid carbon sequestration and topsoil formation, materials and food processing and storage, micro-business enterprise, education and connection with similar models across climates and scales around the globe.

Please join Rootswork in welcoming Ben Falk (of Whole Systems Design) to discuss the plan, take suggestions, and outline the importance of reviving this historic landmark, Thursday, 3/11 at 6:30, upstairs at the East Warren Schoolhouse.

Important Dates for your calendars:

3/9	Tues	Board Meeting 6 pm
		Lice Policy Discussion 7 pm
3/12	Fri	Ski Program 12:30-3:00
3/18-3/19		Parent Conferences
3/19	Fri	School Closed for Conferences
3/23	Tues	I-Team Play, 6:00 pm
3/26	Fri	Ski Program 12:30-3:00
4/17-4/25		April Vacation

REPEAT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Girls on the Run®

Gina, Whitney and Prudence invite all girls in grades 3-6 to join our new Girls on the Run® program. This is a wonderful curriculum based program that utilizes the power of running to provide girls the tools to celebrate themselves, honor their voice and build their self-esteem. Girls who participate get the opportunity to have fun with other girls while exercising, sharing experiences and challenging themselves. We will meet twice a week from March 29-June 13 and the program will end with a 5K fun run with other girls from around the state who are also part of this program. We also invite adults who are interested in volunteering to speak to one of us. We would love to have you!

Tickets Now on Sale for Terra Rossa Dinner

Terra Rossa Ristorante, on the Access Road, is hosting a benefit for the Warren School on April 1st from 5-9 pm. We have 200 tickets

to sell and need everyone's help to make this a success.

Tell your family! Invite your friends! The best way to purchase your tickets is from Laurie, either at the school or via the "Family Envelope". (Order forms will be sent out in next week's envelope.) Tickets for dinner are \$15/adult \$10/child (includes tax) and enters you in a raffle to win a Pizza Party for 10 at Terra Rossa. All tips from the evening will go directly to the PTO. This is no April Fools joke, it will be a night you won't want to miss! Thank you for your support.

Primary Unit Swim Program Leigh Clark writes, The Primary Unit Swim Program starts on April 14th, with a lesson on swim safety here at school. Then first and second graders will travel to the Sugarbush Sport Center on four Fridays -- April 30, May 7, 14 and 21. Two licensed water safety instructors and I will teach the children.



Lyndley Mittler will be taking over the P3 classroom for the balance of the year, as Heather O'Hare VonTrapp begins her maternity leave. Lyndly is an experienced preschool teacher, with prior experience at the Springhill School and in Jackson Hole, WY. She lives in Warren, and has two future Warren preschoolers.