MILLER SCHOOL

October 20, 2023



October Character Trait—Be a Learner

Dates to Remember

Oct 26: Public Bond Meeting @ 6-7:30 pm

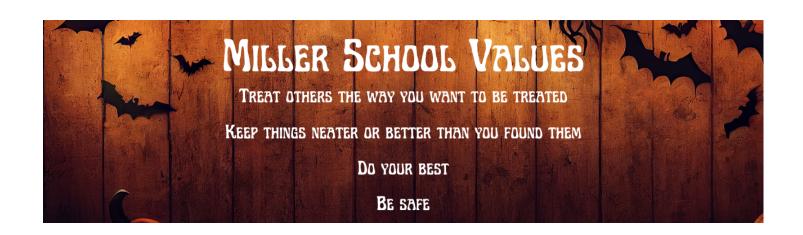
Oct 27: HALLoween @ 5-6 pm NOTE: New Time
(For Miller School Families Only)

Nov 6: School Picture Re-Takes

Nov 6 & 9: Family-Teacher Conferences + Book Fair @ 3:30-7 pm

Nov 10: No School- Veteran's Day observed

Nov 15: Early Release Day- Dismissal @ 1:10 pm



Principal's Desk



Unveiling Our New School Vision and Mission!

At Miller School, we've always had a commitment to nurturing and educating our students. We've witnessed the incredible potential in every child who walks through our doors, and it is our privilege and responsibility to help them reach for the stars.

Our new vision, which aligns with the RSU40 District vision, encapsulates our shared dreams and aspirations: **"Inspiring students to achieve life-long success."** This vision is not just about excelling academically; it's about fostering qualities like resilience, creativity, and a love for learning. We aim to instill in every child the belief that success is within their reach, and it's a journey that continues throughout life.

As we strive to inspire lifelong success, we understand that the world our students are growing up in is rapidly changing. The skills, knowledge, and understandings that were once enough for success are evolving. Therefore, we are proud to introduce our new mission: "To graduate all students with the knowledge, skills, and understandings needed for success in the 21st century."

This mission embodies our commitment to equipping our students with not just the basics but also the critical thinking skills, adaptability, and technological literacy that are essential in today's dynamic world. We want our students to be innovators, problem-solvers, and compassionate leaders, capable of thriving in any endeavor they choose.

What This Means for Our Students

Our new vision and mission are more than just words on paper; they will drive everything we do at Miller School.

- 1. Curriculum Enhancements: We're updating our curriculum to ensure it aligns with 21st-century standards, helping your children gain the skills and knowledge needed for success.
- 2. New Teaching Strategies: Our educators will continue to explore and implement teaching methods that engage students and encourage their growth.
- 3. Emphasis on Character Education: We will emphasize character development to help our students become responsible, empathetic, and globally-aware citizens.
- 4. Community Partnerships: We're committed to forging partnerships with the community to provide your children with real-world experiences and opportunities to apply what they learn in the classroom.

Your involvement and support in your child's educational journey are invaluable. We encourage you to stay engaged with our school, attend family-teacher conferences, and participate in school activities. Together, we can work toward achieving our vision and mission to inspire lifelong success and prepare our students for the 21st century.

Organized w/assistance from ChatGPT

When using ParentSquare to contact the office, please use "miller office" (no quotes) so all office staff will receive the messages.



Changes to Dismissal Plans?

Please call the Office <u>BEFORE</u> 2:30 pm @ 832-2103

More Parent Reminders





NO last-minute office pickups after 2:45 unless emergency

Public Bond Meeting
October 26th
6-7:30
at Medomak Valley
High School



HALLoween (For Miller School Families Only)

Friday, October 27, 2023

NEW TIME!! 5 – 6 pm

Location: the Haunted HALLs of Miller School

Children must be accompanied by an adult and please no scary costumes.

We need CANDY! If able, please send in a bag of Halloween candy by Wed., Oct. 25.



GIRLS BASKETBALL CLINICS

Medomak Valley High School and Medomak Middle School will be the sites for upcoming basketball clinics for girls.

The clinics will be run by MVHS Girls Varsity Head Coach Lindsay Vinal and Assistant Richie Oliver on Saturday, November 4th and 18th with the program starting on November 20th.

The November 4th clinic will be at MVHS from 1-2:30 for grades 3 & 4, and 2:30-4 for grades 5 & 6.

The November 18th clinic will be at MMS from 9-10:30 for grades 3 & 4, and 10:30 – 12 for grades 5 & 6.

Participants can register at the clinic for the upcoming season which will run Monday, November 20th – Saturday, January 20th. For more information, or to sign up, contact Coach Vinal at vinallindsay@gmail.com

WINTER YOUTH BOYS BASKETBALL CLINICS 2023-2024 Season

GRADES 3-6

at MEDOMAK VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

CLINIC DATES

NOVEMBER 4th Grades 3/4 9:00-10:30

Grades 5/6 10:30-12:00

NOVEMBER 18th Grades 3/4 9:00-10:30

Grades 5/6 10:30-12:00

Participants will be able to register at the clinics. You can also email or call Coach DePatsy and Coach Starr. THIS PROGRAM WILL BEGIN ON NOVEMBER 20th AND END ON JANUARY 20th.

Coach DePatsy 207-542-3671 Coach Starr 207-975-4145

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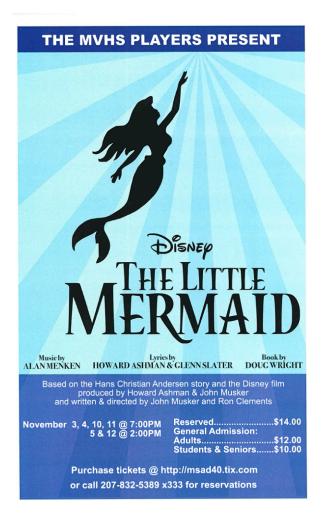


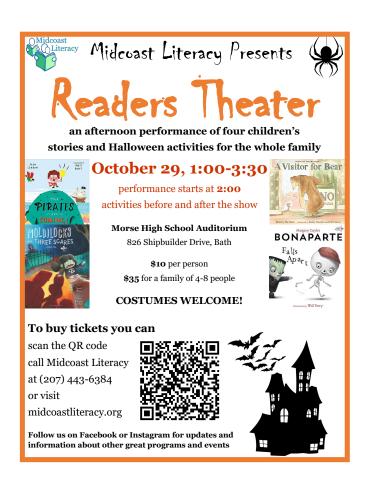


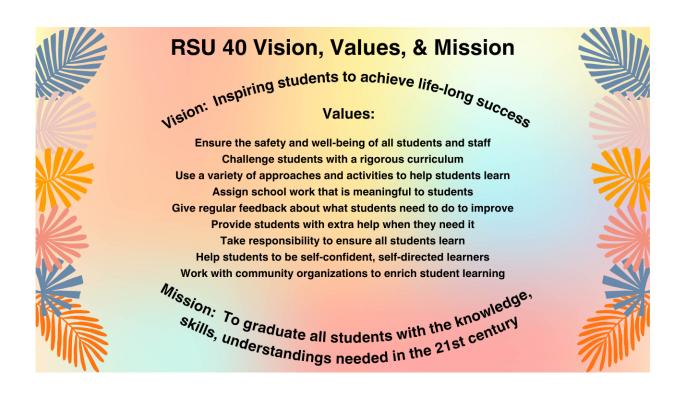
Fundraiser for Miller School

Miller School will receive \$1 from every \$2.50 reusable *Fight Hunger Bag* sold during the month of November at Waldoboro Hannaford.

Plus, Miller School will receive \$0.25 from every *Hannaford Snack Pals Plate* sold during November. You will find these 2/\$5 plates in special displays at the Waldoboro store.

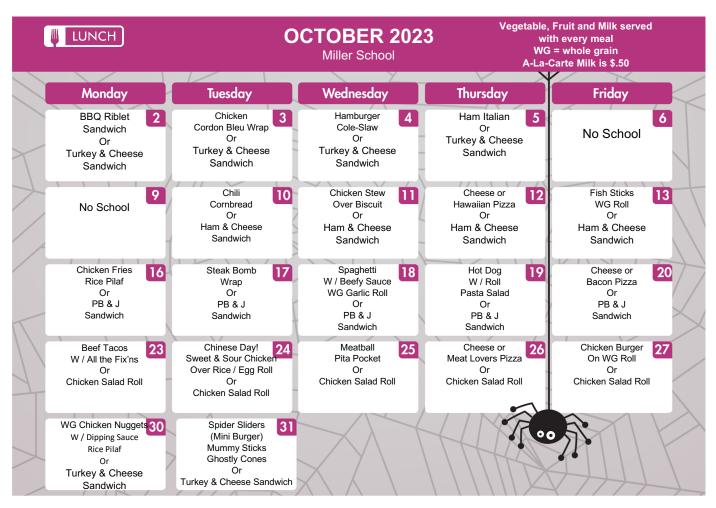






Lunch Calendar

Milk is FREE for students who bring their own lunch



"This institution is an equal opportunity provider" Menu subject to change according to availability of food.



