



# MILLER SCHOOL

## NEWSLETTER- NOV 6, 2025



Wrapped up in  
*Gratitude*



This November, wrap your community in warmth. When you purchase a \$2.50 reusable Community Bag at our selected Hannaford store, \$1 goes directly to our organization. Together, we can help neighbors in need and make the season one of giving and gratitude.

Benefiting organization:  
**Miller School**

At the following store:  
**Walpole Hannaford**

HANNAFORD.2GIVELOCAL.COM COMMUNITY BAG PROGRAM

PLEASE NOTE: ANY CHANGES TO AFTERNOON PLANS MUST BE COMMUNICATED WITH THE OFFICE BEFORE 2:30PM. PLEASE CALL 832-2103

### Upcoming

- NOV 7<sup>th</sup>: Workshop Day/No School
- NOV 11<sup>th</sup>: Veterans Day/No School
- NOV 19<sup>th</sup>: Early Release Day
- NOV 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup>: Thanksgiving Break



### Lunch Menu



**MONDAY:** WG PANCAKES W/MAPLE SYRUP & YOGURT CUP

**TUESDAY:** VETERANS DAY/NO SCHOOL

**WEDNESDAY:** CHEESE OR BACON PIZZA

**THURSDAY:** BAKED CHICKEN W/WG ROLL

**FRIDAY:** HOME-MADE MAC & CHEESE W/MINI WG CORN DOG

**ALTERNATIVE:** CHEESE AND PEPPERONI SANDWICH

### Parent Reminders

Student Drop off @ 8:30AM  
Classes Begin @ 8:45AM  
Afternoon Pickups @ 3:10PM  
Dismissal to Busses @ 3:15PM

**\*\*NO last minute office pick up after 2:45 unless emergency\*\***

**\*PB&J IS OFFERED DAILY\***

**Reminder: School parking lot is only 10 MPH. Please drive SLOWLY!**



The Waldoboro Children's Christmas & Winter Program is dedicated to providing essential items and holiday cheer to Waldoboro families in need. While toy drives are valuable, we have found that many families in our community have more pressing needs for necessities.

Each of our Boxes of Joy include new mittens/gloves, hat, winter boots, a winter coat, socks, a warm outfit, a pair of pajamas, 2 age-appropriate toys, books, and a game for the family to enjoy. We also connect families to additional community resources through our Community Navigation Program. Our goal is for every child or teen who receives a box from the WCCW Program to feel special and to know that their gift was specifically chosen for them. This sense of warmth, joy, and care is made possible only through the generous donation of items and financial support from individuals and organizations.

If your family is in need of assistance this holiday season please use the following link to learn more about our program. The sign up deadline is November 7th.

[https://cms9.revize.com/revize/waldoborome/departments/community\\_navigation\\_assistance/toy\\_request.php](https://cms9.revize.com/revize/waldoborome/departments/community_navigation_assistance/toy_request.php)

#### WINTER YOUTH GIRLS BASKETBALL CLINIC

2025-2026 SEASON

AT MEDOMAK VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL



CLINIC DATE:  
NOVEMBER 15TH



GRADES 3&4 - 12:30-2:00  
GRADES 5&6 - 2:00-3:30

PARTICIPANTS WILL NEED TO REGISTER FOR THE UPCOMING YOUTH SEASON ON THIS DATE. IF YOU CAN NOT ATTEND THE CLINIC BUT WANT TO PLAY, PLEASE CONTACT EITHER LINDSAY VINAL OR DUSTY STARR.

COACH VINAL: [VINALLINDSAY@GMAIL.COM](mailto:VINALLINDSAY@GMAIL.COM) (207) 701-1048  
COACH STARR: [DSTARRJR@ICLOUD.COM](mailto:DSTARRJR@ICLOUD.COM) (207) 975- 4145

#### WINTER YOUTH BOYS BASKETBALL CLINICS

2025-2026 Season



GRADES 3-6



at MEDOMAK VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

CLINIC DATE

NOVEMBER 1st	Grades 3/4	9:00-10:30
	Grades 5/6	10:30-12:00

NOVEMBER 15th	Grades 3/4	9:00-10:30
	Grades 5/6	10:30-12:00

Participants will be able to register at the clinics. If you are unable to attend the clinics you can email or call Coach Nick DePatsy and Coach Dusty Starr. THIS PROGRAM WILL BEGIN ON NOVEMBER 1st AND END ON JANUARY 24.

Coach DePatsy 207-542-3671 [nick.depatsy@fivetowns.net](mailto:nick.depatsy@fivetowns.net)  
Coach Starr 207-975-4145 [dstarrjr21@icloud.com](mailto:dstarrjr21@icloud.com)

THE MVHS PLAYERS PRESENT

# GREASE

Book, Music, and Lyrics by Jim Jacobs and Warren Casey



November 7, 8, 14 & 15 @ 7:00 PM - 9 & 16 @ 2:00 PM

Reserved.....\$20.00  
General Admission:  
Adults.....\$15.00  
Students & Seniors.....\$10.00



RYDELL  
HIGH SCHOOL

Purchase tickets at <https://msad40.tix.com>  
Or call 207-832-5389 x333 for reservations

\*Grease\* is presented by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc., a Concord Theatricals Company.  
[www.concordtheatricals.com](http://www.concordtheatricals.com)

## KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

The McKinney-Vento Act



#### IS YOUR FAMILY TEMPORARILY STAYING IN:

- someone else's house or apartment due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason?
- a hotel or motel?
- a shelter?
- a car, park, campground, abandoned building, or other inadequate space?

Your local school district's McKinney-Vento Coordinator may be able to help!

If your family is staying in these living situations, your children have the right to receive extra services and supports in school under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. These include:

- Staying in the same school, even if you move, and receiving free transportation to and from that school if it is in your best educational interest to stay
- Immediate enrollment, even if you don't have the documents that are typically required for enrollment
- Receiving free school meals
- Connecting younger children to early childhood services
- College readiness assistance for high school students
- Referrals to the community for help with other needs



Please reach out to the RSU 40 McKinney-Vento Coordinator to see if your child may be eligible.



Nancy Stover, Email: [nancy\\_stover@rsu40.org](mailto:nancy_stover@rsu40.org) Phone: (207) 542-8570

If you are unable to reach the coordinator, please contact the RSU 40 McKinney-Vento Liaison

Danielle Fagonde, Email: [danielle\\_fagonde@rsu40.org](mailto:danielle_fagonde@rsu40.org) Phone: (207) 785-2277 Ext 235



## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR FAMILIES:**

### **Food Assistance During the Government Shutdown**

If you or your family are worried about food during the government shutdown, help is available.

- **School Meals will Remain Available for All Students**

All students can still get free breakfast and lunch at school every day.

- **Find Local Food Assistance**

If your family needs food support, [call 211](tel:211), or visit the Good Shepherd Food Bank's Food Pantry Locator to find help near you. Visit [www.gsfb.org/get-help/food-map](http://www.gsfb.org/get-help/food-map) or scan the QR code.



- **General Assistance**

Families can apply for General Assistance, which can help meet basic needs including food, housing, utilities, medical costs and more. Visit [www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofc/programs-services/general-assistance](http://www.maine.gov/dhhs/ofc/programs-services/general-assistance).

- **Continue to Apply or Renew SNAP Benefits**

You can still apply for or renew SNAP during the shutdown. If you qualify, doing this now will help make sure your benefits are ready as soon as funding resumes. Apply or renew at: [www.mymaineconnection.gov](http://www.mymaineconnection.gov).