

CRMS Schooner News



Kindness

Responsibility

Self Control

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IMPORTANT DATES

Monday - Friday, May 2-6 - Staff Appreciation Week! *Much love to the CRMS Crew!*

Tuesday - Wednesday, May 3, 4th - MEA assessments, grades 5 and 8

Wednesday, May 4 - MMEA District III Festival - details for those involved coming soon!

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, May 10, 12, 13th - NWEA Assessments

Wednesday, May 11 - **Early release day, 1:00pm dismissal**

Friday, May 13, 8:30am - Special Olympics at CHRHS track field

Tuesday, May 17, 6-7pm-SAD, 7-8 pm-CSD - Public Budget Hearing - CHRHS gym

Wednesday, May 18 - Bike and Walk to School Day - Save the date-details soon!

Wednesday, May 18 - CR Schools Finance committee meeting, 6pm - School Board meeting, 7pm

Thursday, May 19, 3:40pm-7pm & Friday, May 20, 7:30am-12:30pm - Student Led Conferences - **Friday, May 20 - NO SCHOOL - Student led conferences**

Wednesday, May 25, CHRHS Strom, 7pm - CRMS Band and Chorus concert - students report at **6:15** to band/chorus room at Strom

Thursday, May 26, 8:45am - 8th grade State Park Day-Details will be coming soon!



Monday, May 30 - NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day holiday

Tuesday, May 31, CHRHS - 8th grade step up day - details to come

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

Hello Schooner Families!

It's that time of year when our students and staff are gearing up for the NWEA and the Maine Educational Assessment (MEA). To clarify, every student takes the NWEA to show learning progress here at CRMS twice a year, once this past fall and now in May. For 5th and 8th graders, these NWEA's also score towards the MEA and additionally they will take a test in science.

Students will be testing May 3-4 as well as the week of May 9th. Most testing happens in the morning but some make-up testing may happen at other times during the day. It's important that students are on time to school each morning so they don't miss the start of the testing time each morning. In general, we will begin testing around 9am.

Please encourage your child to do their best work at school on their assessments. We often encourage them to "work hard and show what you know!" You can help your child be ready for these testing days by ensuring they have enough sleep, a good breakfast, and a hearty snack. We appreciate your support in helping these assessment days run as smoothly as possible.

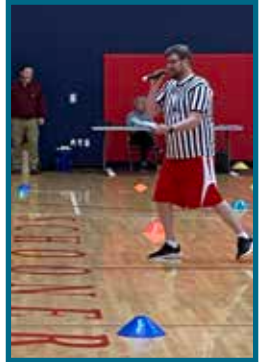
The Purpose of the MEA: While no single test can give a complete picture of student achievement, when combined with student grades and teacher reports, standardized assessment can provide some important information about student progress. At times, we use these assessments when considering the students entire profile for advanced courses, intervention classes, or special education needs. The MEA is used at the state level to measure the effectiveness of our academic program.

If you have questions about MEA testing, please reach out to your child's classroom teacher.

Ryan Watts, Assistant Principal

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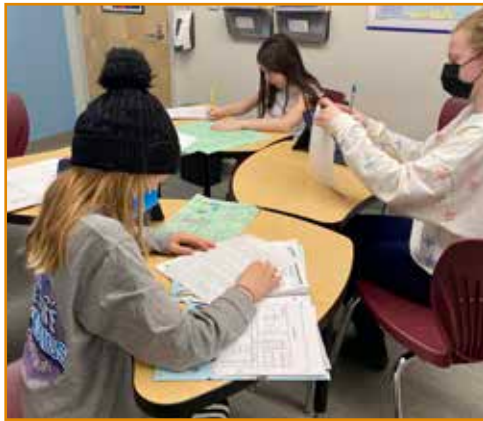
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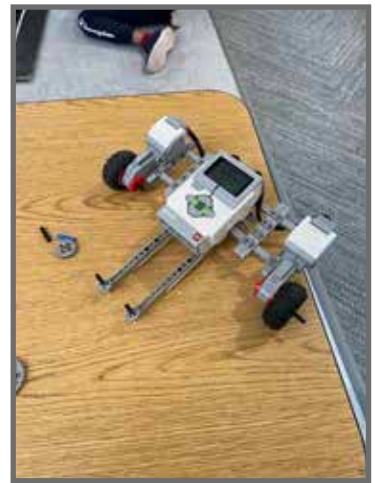
A big thank you to 5th grade teachers Heather Butler and Kerry Keefe for organizing the first ever Poetry Cafe! The students did an incredible job with your guidance and support! Well done!

5th Grade Spanish students were busy before break working on their "Casa de Gabi" (Gabi's House) projects. Students used newly learned house vocabulary, key verbs and their previous knowledge to create what they thought Gabi's (Gabi is a small cat and the main character in the stories we learn throughout 5th and 6th grade) house looked like. They labeled the rooms and items in their houses, created a written description of their house and presented their creations to the class ALL in Spanish. Students really had fun with this project and it was fun to see different styles and personalities that came out in their final products. Sr. Henderson and I were very impressed!

**5TH
Grade
Spanish**



ROBOTICS CLUB
preparing for the BATTLE OF THE BOTS!



CRMS YEARBOOKS!!

ORDER YOUR 2021-2022 YEARBOOK NOW! *Order forms can be picked up in the main office and should be returned with payment no later than May 31st.*

Our goal is to make sure that any student who would like a yearbook is able to have one. On the yearbook order form you can purchase additional yearbooks toward this goal. **THANK YOU!**

2022 CRMS YEARBOOK ORDER FORM

STUDENT NAME _____

GRADE _____ HOMEROOM TEACHER _____

YEARBOOKS ARE \$12.00

IN ADDITION TO PURCHASING MY YEARBOOK, I WOULD LIKE TO DONATE _____ ADDITIONAL YEARBOOK(S) FOR STUDENTS AS NEEDED.

TOTAL # YEARBOOKS _____ TOTAL \$ AMOUNT _____ (CIRCLE - CASH OR CHECK)

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM AND PAYMENT BY CASH OR CHECK (MADE PAYABLE TO CRMS) TO THE CRMS MAIN OFFICE by May 31st.

FROM THE NURSE'S DESK**2022 Lyme Disease Awareness Month theme this May is "Tick Wise"**

It is important to practice tick prevention measures frequently. The easiest way to avoid tickborne diseases is preventing tick bites.

Remember to be "Tick Wise":

- Know tick habitat and use caution in areas where ticks may live.
- Wear light-colored clothing that covers arms and legs.
- Use an EPA-approved repellent such as: DEET, picaridin, IR3535, or oil of lemon eucalyptus.
- Perform tick checks on yourself, family members, and pets daily and after any outdoor activity. Take a shower after exposure to a tick habitat to wash off any crawling ticks.

Visit the Maine.gov websites for more information about [Lyme Disease](#) and [Lyme Disease Awareness Month Activities](#).

IMMUNIZATION REMINDERS for FALL 2022

Students entering 7th GRADE are required to have 2 immunizations (in addition to the immunizations for entering Kindergarten) by the first day of school:

- Tdap booster
- Meningococcal Vaccine

Check with your provider to schedule these immunizations if your child has not already received them.

Medical Exemptions for Immunizations:

If your child has a **signed medical exemption** currently on file, it **must be updated ANNUALLY**.

All immunization documentation must be on file **by the first day of school, September 6th, 2022** for your child to attend.

CHRHS's Annual Plant Sale!

Spring is coming even though it has been a cold, wet Spring. We have had a few issues with heat in the greenhouse but students have been hard at work and plants will be ready for sale.

We will have lots of vegetable and herb seedlings, as well as, a variety of annuals and perennials. New this year will be a selection of house plants grown and donated by the horticulture program at the Maine state prison. In addition to plants we have bags of compost for sale. Each bag is about 40lbs, is high quality, organic compost and sell for \$6 each.

Sale takes place Saturday, May 14 from 8am – 1 pm and on Sunday, May 15 from 9am – noon at the greenhouse on campus. The sale always takes place the weekend after Mother's Day. The greenhouse is located in back near the loading dock area of the school. All containers are \$3 each. Buy 3 and get a 4th for free. On Sunday everything is buy one, get one free from 9–11 and the last hour everything is \$1.

All proceeds support the Horticulture/ Gardening & Sustainability programs at CHRHS!!

Here is the link to order compost ahead of time.

[Compost Order Form](#)

We hope to see you there!



SUBSTITUTE TEACHER

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

Home from College? Retired and looking for something to do? Come be a substitute teacher! No commitments and a flexible schedule! Fingerprinting required but the state is now reimbursing you for the cost (see <https://www.maine.gov/doe/substitute> for more information).

Five Town CSD and MSAD #28 are seeking Occasional Substitute teachers for Grades PreK-12. Interested persons should apply on-line at www.applitrack.com/fivetowns/onlineapp or contact the Superintendent's office if you require a paper application. Substitute Teacher applications are reviewed regularly throughout the school year. Selected candidates will need to be fingerprinted and will undergo a background check. All substitutes will be required to follow the district health and safety protocols.



For more information and to apply on-line visit
www.applitrack.com/fivetowns/onlineapp

Contact Human Resources at 236-3358 for a paper application.

SUNDAY, MAY 22, 2022

2-4PM @ THE STRAND THEATRE

345 Main Street, Rockland

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at the door to support UNICEF



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Sundog Outdoor Leadership Initiative
www.sundogoe.com

Outdoor Art experience for 7/8th graders

May 9-14 afterschool



artists Colin Page
Michelle Finn
Susan Beebe
Whitney River

SUNDOG
OUTDOOR EXPERIENCES

Outdoor Art

Day One: Rockland artist, **Susan Beebe**, will share her knowledge of Andy Goldsworthy and pose **forest sculpture** challenges for the group.

Day Two: **Colin Page** of Camden will take us to the Rockport Harbor to **paint, paint, paint** as he shares tips on composition and color.

Day Three: We are back in the forest with **Michelle Finn**, renown survivalist and expert in "primitive technologies" as she shows us **roftings & clay & baskets** and more.

Day Four: We'll meet at Fernald's Neck with **Leah Trommer** of Coastal Mt Land Trust who will help us see interconnectedness of nature and art with **forest journaling**.

Day Five: Boothbay's Botanical Gardens will be our palette as Camden artist, **Whitney River** shares pencil & shading skills and we follow the **Trail of the Troils**.

For 7th & 8th graders ---- register here

LEARN TO SAIL

YOUTH SAILING IN ROCKPORT HARBOR

ROCKPORT BOAT CLUB

www.rockportboatclub.org

Windjammer BASKETBALL CAMP

For Players entering grades 2-9

JULY 18-22
9:30-11:30, 12:30-2:30
younger players/older players

At Camden Hills Regional High School

Hosted By **CHRHS Coaches and Players**

Questions? Contact Jon Moro at **JON.MORO@FIVETOWNS.NET**

CALL : 207-691-7564

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Run 4 the MONEY 5K

MONEYATHLETICFOUNDATION.ORG

RUN 4 THE MONEY 2022
LINCOLNVILLE, MAINE

We Are Back and Ready to Run!

- o Sunday May 29, 2022
- o Children's Fun Run - 9:30 AM
- o 5K Event - 10:00 AM
- o Register Online at: moneyathleticfoundaton.org

Race day registration runs from 8:30 to 9:30 AM at the Lincolville Central School, 523 Hope Road, Lincolville, Maine.

Participants may pre-register using the online form on the webpage, pay by using the PayPal donate button, and all you will need to do is sign our release form on race day.


The cost is \$25.00 for adults and \$10.00 for children under the age of 12. All Proceeds go to the MONEY Athletic Foundation Scholarship Program.

Can't make it that day? No big deal ... you can "virtually" walk or run your 5K from anywhere. Just make your donation via paypal and send a course description, map, or photo to monevathleticfoundation@gmail.com, so we can post it to our Facebook page!

CRMS LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

Tuesday, June 21 is the last day of school for 5-8th graders!

It is an early release, 1:00 pm dismissal



Please note that Monday, June 20 is a federal holiday - there is no school.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES Fair

The Mid-Coast Summer Activities Fair Directory will be published soon! To get your copy, email midcoastsaf@gmail.com.

Like the Facebook page to see all the updates & offerings all year long!

Please contact Andrea Pierce in the main office if you know you are moving out of the district before the fall. She can be reached at andrea.pierce@fivetowns.net, or 236-7805