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October 27, 2023

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## HEDGEHOG HEADLINES

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### **Important notices:**

The following attachments are at the end of this newsletter:

Free Clothing Drive  
Goffstown United Soccer  
Parks and Recs Youth Basketball  
Agoge Wrestling Class

### **Annual Halloween Parade**

#### **A friendly reminder to parents & guardians**

Costumes sent with your student must be school appropriate with no masks or fake weapons please. Any face paint must be applied at home. Thank you!

**The parade will take place here in Pinardville starting at Bartlett Elementary.** We will take a left out of the playground and walk-up Higgins St. then turn right onto Cross St. and turn right onto Laurier St. and head to Sarette ballfield, we will turn into the Sarette ballfield walk around the upper parking lot and then head back up Laurier St. then turn left onto Cross St. and then turn left onto Higgins St. and then return to school.

#### **Parking**

- Parking is available at Sarette Field in the lower parking lot. Please walk to find a spot along the parade route.
- No parking at school. The school's parking lot will be used as a staging area for our students and the Goffstown High School Band bus.
- Do not park on the parade route for the safety of the kids.

#### **Family Spectators**

- Please stay on the side of the road for parade viewing.

#### **Conclusion of Parade**

- We are asking parents/guardians to follow our current dismissal process and wait until 2:35pm to pick up students as usual.
- Please no early dismissals, the children will have more to do with their teacher when they return to class.

### **DESTINATION IMAGINATION**

We are very excited to once again offer Destination Imagination (DI) to Bartlett Elementary School Students. Destination Imagination is an extra-curricular educational activity in which teams of students solve open ended challenges and present their solutions at tournaments. Students develop leadership, artistic, performing, writing, technical, building, teamwork skills, and more while working in a fun environment. There will be an informational Zoom meeting on Monday October 30th at 7:00pm. To receive the meeting invite or to ask for more information, please email our DI Coordinator Lissa Winrow at lwinrow@comcast. Lissa will be happy to meet with anyone that would prefer an in-person meeting.



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### **This Week's Quote:**

"Teachers can open the door, but you must enter it yourself."

-Chinese Proverb

## **CELEBRATING MS. DORIS**

Our amazing volunteer, Doris Demers, received the 2023 Spirit of NH Award in Concord on October 23, 2023. Doris has served in the AmeriCorps Seniors as a Foster Grandparent for 23 years. At the age of 88 years young, she still volunteers over 30 hours per week for a lifetime total of 23,000 hours! For the past 23 years, she has volunteered at Bartlett Elementary School in the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade classrooms. Ms. Doris has also volunteered at Bartlett's Summer School. She is an integral part of the school community and a beyond reliable volunteer. Miss Doris is so loved by the staff and students at Bartlett Elementary. Congratulations Ms. Doris!!!

## **From the Nurse: Free Vision Screening CHANGE IN DATE**

**Please note the date for screening has been changed to be tentatively Tuesday November 14, 2023.** On this date, we will be offering **free vision screening** for your child at Bartlett Elementary School. The screening involves a PediaVision SPOT™ Vision Screener that automatically detects common vision problems. Members of the Lions Club will be assisting with the screening.

No physical contact with your child is necessary, and no eye drops will be used. The screening consists of an instant scan (like a photograph) of your child's eyes. You will receive notification of your child's results and if further evaluation is recommended.

The school nurse also screens students for hearing difficulties throughout the school year. This screening involves the use of an audiometer which is designed to determine hearing thresholds levels. Testing headphones will be placed on your child. A variety of tones with various loudness levels will be presented through the headphones. Your child will be asked to press a button when they hear the tone. You will be notified if your child fails their hearing screening at school.

As with any type of vision or hearing screening, a "pass" does not overrule any additional concerns regarding your child's ability to see or hear. A full audiologic or vision evaluation should be done by a specialist if you have concerns about your child's hearing or vision. If you have any questions, you may email the school nurse at [Catherine.Whitney@SAU19.org](mailto:Catherine.Whitney@SAU19.org) or call her at 660-5902.

Please take time to review the attached information.

## **Upcoming Events**

10/27/23	PTA Popcorn \$.50	10/31/23	Halloween Parade at Bartlett 1:20 pm, rain date is 11/1/23 at 1:20 pm
11/03/23	PTA Popcorn \$.50	11/06/23	School Board Meeting, GHS Library 7:00pm
11/10/23	No School, Veterans Day	11/15/23	PTA Meeting 6:00pm, Bartlett Gym
11/17/23	PTA Bingo Night, 6:00pm, Bartlett Gym	11/20/23	School Board Meeting, GHS Library 7:00pm

# FREE CLASS



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**AGOGE** WRESTLING CLUB

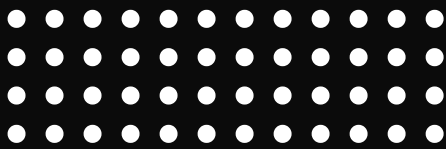


# INTRODUCTION TO **WRESTLING**

**WED, NOV 8TH**  
**5 - 6PM**

CLASS

**COME TRY A FREE CLASS**



- **ALL BEGINNERS CLASS**
- **CO-ED**
- **ALL AGES**

**CAN'T MAKE NOV 8TH?  
WANT TO START SOONER?  
NO PROBLEM...SIGN UP FOR A  
FREE TRIAL CLASS ANYTIME!**

**REGISTER NOW TO  
RESERVE A SPOT!**

**[AGOGEWRESTLINGCLUB.COM](http://AGOGEWRESTLINGCLUB.COM)**

**AGOGE WRESTLING CLUB**  
11 Lance Ln, Unit 12  
Goffstown, NH 03045

**QUESTIONS? EMAIL US...  
[INFO@AGOGEWRESTLINGCLUB.COM](mailto:INFO@AGOGEWRESTLINGCLUB.COM)**

# **FREE KIDS CLOTHING INCLUDING WINTER GEAR**

**Stop by the Masonic Lodge to pick up free kids clothing including winter coats, snowpants and boots.  
Sizes range from baby – kid.**

**Wed, November 15<sup>th</sup>  
5:30pm – 7:30pm  
Masonic Lodge (15 Mountain Rd., Goffstown)**

**If you would like to donate items for the event, please email [girlscouttroop62994@gmail.com](mailto:girlscouttroop62994@gmail.com) or text Emily at 603-481-0866.**

**Brought to you by Girl Scout Troop 62994**

# YOUTH BASKETBALL

AVAILABLE TO BOYS AND GIRLS  
GRADES 1 THROUGH 12!

OUR PROGRAMS ARE INSTRUCTIONAL, YET  
COMPETITIVE IN WHICH ALL ABILITIES ARE  
INVITED TO PARTICIPATE. THE PROGRAMS ARE  
ALSO IN-HOUSE, WHERE PRACTICES AND GAMES  
WILL TAKE PLACE IN GOFFSTOWN ONLY.

## REGISTRATION DATES

GIRLS GRADES 3-8	OCT 1
BOYS GRADES 3-8	OCT 15
COED GRADES 1&2	OCT 15
BOYS HS LEAGUE	OCT 15



ALL AGE LEVELS AVAILABLE TO RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENTS OF GOFFSTOWN. DATES ABOVE SHOW RESIDENT REGISTRATION DATES, NON-RESIDENT REG WILL OPEN 3 WEEKS AFTER RESIDENT DATE. REG WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL PROGRAM BEGINS

REGISTRATION SITE:  
[GOFFSTOWN.RECDESK.COM/COMMUNITY/PROGRAM](http://GOFFSTOWN.RECDESK.COM/COMMUNITY/PROGRAM)

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT  
[ERIN.TRNKA@GOFFSTOWNNH.GOV](mailto:ERIN.TRNKA@GOFFSTOWNNH.GOV)

GOFFSTOWN PARKS AND RECREATION

# 2024 Spring Soccer Tryouts

*Tryouts*

All girls and boys born between 2009 and 2016, regardless of residency, experience or skill level, are invited to participate in our tryouts.

Our tryouts will take place at Sarette Field in Goffstown, NH, and will be led by training staff from Brazilian Arts. Evaluations will be made by Goffstown United's licensed coaching staff.

For more information or to register.

Please visit our website:

[www.gusc.soccer](http://www.gusc.soccer)

Or

On Facebook

November 2023

6th - 7th

