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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 20th
Lifetouch Picture
Retakes

Nov. 24th
Parent conferences

Nov. 25th-29th
Thanksgiving break

Dec.1
MANDATORY Okemo
meeting for WINTER
SPORTS
Down hill skiers and
snowboarders only
6 PM in the gym

Dec. 9th
PTO meeting, 7 PM,
SRES library

Dec. 24th-Jan. 3rd
December break

Jan. 5th-First day of win-
ter sports



FROM THE FRONT OFFICE

Upcoming Events:

Best Thanksgiving wishes to all SRES families!

Don't forget that the Monday before Thanksgiving is a regular school day for SRES students.

Tuesday, Nov. 24th, is parent conferences—no school for students. If you haven't already signed up for a conference it's not too late!

It's winter sports time again. You have already received the sign up form for this program. Please make sure to return it to the office before Thanksgiving break. Our parent coordinator for the ski/snow boarding program at Okemo is Ben Wallace. Tim Morton is running the snowshoeing/survival skills group, and Janet Brennan is the main contact person for the other programs. Winter sports will run for 6 weeks, on Tuesdays, starting on Jan. 5th. Parent and community members are needed and welcomed as volunteers in any of the programs.

Flu Clinic:

The state sponsored flu vaccine clinic has again been postponed due to the large number of students out sick. It will offered again, a ConnectEd phone call or notice home will give the details.

Close School or Not?

When absenteeism reaches close to 50%, it becomes a difficult call as to whether school should remain open. Once we have over 50% of our students out on a day, the state doesn't allow us to count that day as part of the required 175 days. Even though we got close, we were able to stay open last week. Thanks to both parents who kept sick children home, and parents who sent well children to school!

Volunteers Thank You:

A big thank you goes to Knitting Together for their donation of beautiful hats, mittens, and sweaters.

Rockingham Budget Meetings:

The following dates are currently scheduled for

review and adoption of the 2010-2011 school budget: Monday, December 7 for the administrative presentation of the final budget, 7 PM, and December 21st for the adoption of a budget, 7 PM. Locations for both meetings are yet to be determined.



Mandatory Okemo Meeting

For those doing downhill skiing or snowboarding at Okemo for winter sports, there will be a mandatory meeting in the gym on Tuesday, December 1st at 6:00PM. Sign up, rental fittings, payment, and safety presentation are on the agenda.



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