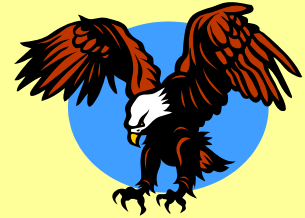


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IMPORTANT DATES

October 5 In-service ALL DAY

October 8 NO SCHOOL Columbus Day

October 9 7th and 8th Grade STEM

October 11 School Photos

October 24 NOON Dismissal Teacher In-service

October 27 PTG TRUNK or TREAT Party 5:00-7:00

Common Ground Fair

Sixth graders went to the Common Ground Fair on Friday September 21. This fair emphasizes the importance of protecting our natural resources, reducing pollution, recycling of materials, and increasing our renewable energy usage.

Beginner Band

Twenty 4th graders are now participating in Beginner Band Monday mornings. Students learn responsibility for bringing their instrument, caring for their instrument, keeping their own music and keeping their commitment to daily practice. We look forward to their first concert in December.

NWEA Testing

NWEA testing will be completed soon. Data from the tests will be printed, distributed, and analyzed at the October in-service day. This data helps us identify Title One students. The data is also helpful in placement of students for RTi purposes.

STEM for Girls

Girls in grades 7 & 8 will be going to the University of Maine on October 9th. The goal of the day is to increase awareness of STEM activities and careers for **girls** in middle school. Boys in grades 7 & 8 will have presentations on that day at Center Drive to increase their interest in STEM opportunities.

Respectfully submitted
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