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### **Scholarship Announcement**

Applications for the Julie A. LeClair Memorial Scholarship are now available at the Office of the Granville Village School. The Julie A. LeClair Memorial Scholarship provides funds for graduating high school seniors who attended the Granville Village School and will be pursuing higher education in Fall 2012. Applications must be postmarked by March 31, 2012.

### G.V.F.D.

The Granville Volunteer Fire Department responded to the following calls in November and December:

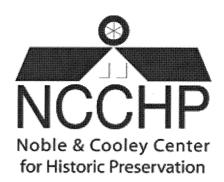
Ambulance / Medical	25
Motor vehicle accidents	4
Chimney fires	1
Structure fires	
Appliance fires	1
Cooking fires	
Mutual aid	
911 hang up	1

Valuable time can be lost in responding to calls if we cannot quickly identify the residence of the calling party. House and business numbers should be reflective so that they can be easily seen at night. They should also be located high enough to not be covered by snow in the winter and where they can be seen from the road. There are several locations in town where multiple houses are served by a single access. In cases like this the numbers of all the houses should be posted at the entrance from the road and the individual house numbers should be posted on the house or in the yard. If elderly or disabled need help in posting house numbers the fire department will be glad to assist.

The fire department and ambulance are volunteer organizations. If you are interested in supporting your town please consider joining the fire department or becoming an EMT. Our drills take place on Tuesday nights. If you would like to learn more please stop by the fire station on any Tuesday at 7:30.

Wes Bauver

Deputy Fire Chief GVFD



New for 2012: rotating exhibits! Starting in April and continuing through November there will be a series of four rotating exhibits on display at the drum factory museum. Exhibits will run for six or seven weeks with a two week break between each exhibit. The current schedule for 2012 is:

April/May – Textiles and their origins June/July – Antique Children's Toys Aug/Sep – Music Boxes and Gramophones Oct/Nov – Small Engines

We are currently looking for items for our textile display. If you have a unique textile sample with an interesting history or can highlight the techniques and technology used to create the textile piece, please email <a href="mailto:ncchp.org@gmail.com">ncchp.org@gmail.com</a> or call 413-357-8814. Check the <a href="mailto:www.ncchp.org">www.ncchp.org</a> website for updated exhibit schedules.

New winter hours are in effect for February - March. Museum tours will only be available by appointment Monday – Friday for groups of 10 or more, or when the museum is open for special events. The Gift Shop is open daily Monday - Friday from 8:30-3:30.



### LIBRARY NEWS

### **Library Hours:**

Monday 10-12, 3-8 pm Wednesday 3-8 pm Thursday 5-8 pm Saturday 10-12 **Phone 357 8531** 

Please stop in for the Children's pre-school playgroup on Monday mornings from 10-12. Enjoy books, crafts, music, a snack, and meet new friends.

Winter weather policy for the library requires that we remain closed until all sidewalks and parking areas have been cleared and treated as needed. This means that if school is closed on Monday morning, the library will be closed also. If the storm has stopped in sufficient time to allow for clean-up, the library may open for the 3-8 pm hours.PLEASE CALL AHEAD before venturing out in bad weather. We are happy to renew items over the phone. Fines are not charged when the Library is closed for weather.

### New books for adults:

1222 by Ann Holt.
Breakdown by Sara Paretsky.
Cell 8 by Anders Roslund.
Charitable Body by Robert Barnard.
Death of Kings by Bernard Cornwell.
Forever and a Day by Delilah Marvell.
Hunte, The by John Lescroat.
Rope by Nevada Barr.

### New books for Kids & YA:

Balloons Over Broadway: The True Story of the Puppeteer of Macy's Parade by Melissa Sweet.

No Where Else on Earth: Standing Tall for the Great Bear Rain Forest by Kaitlyn Vernon.

Across the Universe by Beth Revis.
Switched by Amanda Hocking.
Why We Broke Up by Daniel Handler.
Who, What, Wear Allegra Biscotti #2 by Olivia
Bennett.

### **New DVDs:**

Bones Season 3
Contagion
Dolphin Tale
Kung Fu Panda 2
Midnight in Paris
Money Ball
Turtle Story
Warriors

### Granville School - Class of 2012 Fund Raising Events

(for Washington DC Trip and Graduation)

January 27th- February 10th

Yankee Candle & Spring Catalog Sale

Perfect for Easter and Mother's Day.

Delivery expected mid to late March. Catalog and Order forms will be sent home with students on January 27<sup>th</sup>. We hope to also have a booth at the town hall for the 1/31 town meeting if you would like to place an order.

March 2<sup>nd</sup> (5:30-7:30)

6<sup>th</sup> Annual SOUP-A-LOOSA (also taking Grinder Orders for March 9)

All –U-Can-Eat - variety of hot soups and chili, salad, bread, dessert and beverages. Warm up with soup with family, friends and neighbors. Win a raffle prize!

### March 9th- (4:30-7:00pm) Grinder Drive thru Sale

On this Friday night, enjoy meatball and ham and cheese grinders for dinner. Eat in GVS Café or take your grinders to go.

### May 5<sup>th</sup> - Car Wash/Bake Sale/ Document Shredder

Stop by GVS for a shiny car/truck wash and enjoy homemade baked items at the bake sale and bring your unwanted paper for shredding.

### May 30th-June 2<sup>nd</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> Graders Travel to DC

Traveling by train to see and experience the history of our great nation with their classmates!

June - GVS of 2012 Graduation

### Grinder Sale to Benefit the GVS Class of 2012

When: Friday, March 9th 2012 at GVS

Where: Pick-up or eat in the GVS Café from 4:30-7:00pm

Who: The GVS 8th Grade Class of 2012 will be making Meatball and Ham Grinders

What: Huge 12" Meatball and Ham grinders made to order

Cost: \$8.00 for fresh made to order grinders

How: Pre-order your grinders by completing order form at the Soup-A-Loosa on Friday 3/2 or

stop by our booth on Tuesday, at 1/31 Town Hall Meeting to place your orders.

### **ORDER FORM**

Meatball & Ham Grinder Sale at GVS - Friday March 9th 4:30-7:00pm

Please circle the additional items you would like on your meatball grinders:

Order 1:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers
Order 2:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers
Order 3:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers
Order 4:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers
Order 5:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers
Order 6:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers

Please circle the additional items you would like on your ham grinders:

Order 1:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo
Order 2:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo
Order 3:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo
Order 4:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo
Order 5:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo
Order 6:	Cheese	Onion	Peppers	Lettuce	Tomato	Oil	Mayo

Name	

Total # Grinders: \_\_\_\_\_\_ x \$8.00 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Due

Please make checks payable to "Granville Class of 2012"

The GVS Class of 2012 would like to thank you for your generous support!



# **Granville-Tolland Lions Club**

DANIEL L. STOSICK Secretary, Granville-Tolland Lions Club 91 Old Westfield Road, Granville MA 01034 357-3027 – d.stosick@comcast.net

Gentlemen of Granville and Tolland,

Do you like to have Fun? Would you like to meet your neighbors and make new friends? Are you interested in serving your community? If you have answered <u>yes</u> to any of these questions, the Granville/Tolland Lions Club would like to invite you to attend one of our meetings We are individuals working together throughout the year in several different fund raising activities to benefit organizations in our Granville and Tolland communities as well as the international struggle to prevent blindness. Some of our Club fund raising activities include fried dough sales and a car show at the Harvest Fair, Breakfast with Santa, Granville Community Calendar and a spaghetti dinner for student award.

Granville-Tolland Lions Club members are proud to donate their time to serve our community and to continue our record of achievement we are always looking for individuals willing to continue our tradition of service. As a member you will use your time and talents to make an impact in <u>your</u> community!

If you may be interested in making a difference in your community, call one of our members and he will gladly give you details about our next meeting:

President Robert Gleason, Vice President John Banish, Membership Chair Rick Knoener, , Secretary Dan Stosick, Treasurer Rick Tierney, Art Adams, Robert Beaudion, Ron Bouwer, Brad Burnett, Amos Carpenter, James Connors, Mike Crawford, JB DeJean,, Mike Fillion, William Jarvis, Jay Jones, Tom Jones, Ralph Ledger, Matt Lefebvre, Eric Munson, Jim Psillas, Bob Rahn, Leon Ripley, Scott Short, Ted Sussman, Stan Tkaczuk, Fran Wolak

During the calendar year of 2010-2011 the Granville-Tolland Lions donate to the following organizations:
Tolland Fire Dept
\text{Emergency Sight & Hearing}
Granville Fire Dept
Granville Federated Church (use of hall)
Tolland Tattler
MA Lion Eye Research
Country Caller
Lions Campaign SightFirst II
Student Awards
Lions Orthoptic Clinic

### **Presidential Election Year**

Secretary of State Galvin has announced that Michele Bachman, Newt Gingrich. Jon Huntsman, Ron Paul, Rick Petty, Mitt Romney and Rick Santorum will appear on the Republican ballot, with President Barack Obama on the Democratic ballot. The primary itself will be Tuesday March 6. The last day to register to vote or to change your party affiliation is February 15<sup>th</sup>. Please be sure to vote! (Reminder: You can take the ballot of your choice if you are un-enrolled, or registered with the party on the ballot.)

### **Timeline for Town Election**

The town election is on April 9, 2012. Nomination papers are due by close of day March 5. If you are interested in running for office, please speak with Town Clerk Ann Sussmann on Monday mornings between 9am and noon or Monday nights from 7pm until 8:30pm or call her at 357-8585.

The Following offices will be on the ballot: one Selectboard member, one Assessor, one Moderator, two Planning Board members, one Constable, one Town Clerk, one Library Trustee, five Recreation committee members and one Southwick-Tolland-Granville Regional School Committee member.

Still Looking for People to Serve on the Senior Transport Study Committee!

Call Kathy at the Town Hall 357-8585 for information.

# NOTICE OPEN BURNING STARTS JANUARY 15th

### BURNING (WITH A PERMIT) OF THE FOL-LOWING MATERIAL IS ALLOWED

- > brush, cane, driftwood, and forestry debris from other than commercial or industrial land clearing operations between January 15 to May 1, under the following conditions:
- burning must be at least 75 feet from all dwellings,
- burning must be carried out between 10:00 AM and 4:00 PM,
- burning must take place on the land closest to the source of the material to be burned,
- burning must be conducted during periods of good atmospheric ventilation and without causing a nuisance as determined by DEP air quality control division

### PROCEDURES FOR OBTAINING A PERMIT

- There is no charge for a permit but no one can burn without a valid permit on the burn site. A permit is required for each day you burn.
- There are three ways to obtain a permit:
- Go to the Town Website, www.townofgranville.net, then to the Fire department. Follow this link to Contact Us. Complete all the starred areas and in the message block state your name, the dates you want to burn, where you want to burn and a contact number where you can always be reached. The permit will be emailed to you.
- Call 357-8585, ext. 0 and speak with Kathy. A permit will be either emailed or mailed to you.
- Come to the Town Hall between 9am and 2pm, Monday through Friday to pick up a permit.
- You must make arrangements to burn on weekends and on holidays during the work week. You cannot secure permission to burn on Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays on the day itself. You must make arrangements ahead of time.
- The permits are conditional. If atmospheric conditions are not favorable for burning the day for which you have been granted permission to burn, you will

be notified by phone. This is the reason that we ask for a cell phone or some other number where we can reasonably expect to contact you on short notice.

- You will not be issued a permit for same day burning after 10am since you must burn between 10am and 4pm.
- Burning without a permit is subject to fines.
- You must burn without creating a nuisance.
- An adult, someone 18 or older must be at the site of the fire at all times that the fire is burning.

# GUIDELINES FOR CONDUCTING OPEN BURNING:

### > Starting the fire:

- Before placing material to be burned in an area, remove all grass.
- Before burning brush, dry by cutting in advance or covering.
- Start the fire using either small amounts of kerosene, #2 fuels (NO GASOLINE), or a pressurized burner which uses diesel fuel.

### > While burning:

- An adult must attend the fire until completely extinguished.
- Have available a water supply, such as a pressurized water pump can or hose, and shovels or rakes for controlling the fire.

### > Extinguishing the fire:

• Burn the fire down to coals and spread the coals with snow, water, sand or soil.

# BURNING OF THE FOLLOWING MATERIAL IS PROHIBITED STATEWIDE:

- > Trees, cane and driftwood from commercial and/or institutional land clearing operations-grass, hay leaves, and stumps.
- > Tires
- > Any type of Refuse: includes household garbage, paper waste, building materials

ALSO PROHIBITED IS stacking, placing, or storing combustible material such that the Department may presume that it will be burned.

### Get Fit Where You Sit ™ **Chair Yoga**

### **SOUTHWICK SENIOR CENTER**

**Southwick Senior Center** 454 College Highway, Southwick, MA Call SSC @ 413-569-5498 or email: councilonaging@southwickma.net to register and reserve your seat. Fridays 11:00-12 p.m. NEW! 5-week series starts Jan. 6th \$3 per class

This class is open to seniors in or around the Southwick area!

This specialty class is for those new to yoga, people seeking stress reduction, elderly, disabled, pregnancy and those in recovery from illness, injury or surgery, overweight or workers who sit at a desk all day! People of all ages and walks of life with arthritis, fibromyalgia, MS, chronic pain are able to participate.

Benefits include; relaxation, stress reduction, flexibility, mental clarity, strengthening and toning of muscles, improved breathing and more!

~No Previous Yoga or Exercise Experience Is Necessary~

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### **Granville Federated Church**

American Baptist & United Church of Christ 16 Granby Road, Granville, MA 01034—Phone 413-357-8583

### Join us at Granville Federated Church!

Morning Worship is held each Sunday at 10 a.m. with the children leaving early in the service to attend Sunday School. Coffee Hour follows the service.

The church's annual meeting will follow the worship service on Sunday, Feb. 5. We will have a potluck luncheon prior to the meeting.

On the second Sunday of the month, Feb.12, we will gather with the Rev. Patrick McMahon for a **Bible Study** at about 11:30 a.m. This discussion and the fourth Sunday **Sermon Discussion**, again with the pastor, are a great way to expand your understanding of our faith and get to know each other.

### Feb. Sleigh Ride

A church sponsored sleigh/hay ride will be held at Evans Farm on Silver Street on Sat., Feb. 11, 2012, Valentine's weekend, at 3 p.m.

This event is open to the public. The cost is \$10 per person, minimum # of participants is 10; maximum 14 per sleigh. *Cost to be paid at time of making reservations*. Some scholarship money may be available. Please check.

Grilled cheese sandwiches and hot chocolate will be served at the church following the ride. Folks who do not want to go on the ride will play cards at the church beginning at 3 p.m.

Please see or call Starr at 357-6260 (leave message) or Carolyn at 569-0384 for details and reservations.

### Water Buffalo Project

The Sunday School children at Granville Federated Church, under the leadership of Beth and Samantha Burzynski, have chosen to support the Heifer Project. They are working to raise enough money to purchase a Water Buffalo to be donated to a family in Thailand. Because this animal allows the Thai farmer to raise more crops, it changes the life of his whole family.

Let's all help them with meet their worthy goal! Each \$10 donation entitles the donor to one gift card, available at the church. Some generous donations have been received and we wish to thank the donors.

The children will hold a **Bake Sale** to help. More information as available. Please see Channel 15.

### Breakfast planned

A delicious breakfast will be served from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. at the church on Sunday, Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>. Scrambled eggs, home fries, sausage or bacon and pancakes or French toast will be served. A fruit bowl, coffee, tea and juice are also included. Delicious West Granville pure maple syrup tops it all off! A free will offering is accepted.

### **Church World Service Kit Drive Starts Now**

The annual Gift of the Heart Kit Drive for Church World Service begins in February. Lists of items needed to make a kit are available at the church or by visiting <u>churchworldservice.org</u> on line.

CWS is the CROP Walk people in action, often the first to arrive at disasters worldwide. Your donations are used here in the USA or sent to 80 countries around the world. Imagine someone who has just lost everything getting a health kit that you took the time to put together! School Kits and Baby Kits are also cherished gifts to those who have so little.

### **WEEKLY SCHEDULE:**

Sunday—10am Morning Worship & Church School Monday—8pm-AA Meeting Third Sunday—8:30 a.m. Breakfast Third Wednesday—Noon, Ladies Aid Luncheon; no meeting until March Thursday—7pm Choir Practice with Fran Wackerbarth

Senior News
Cards and Games and Food
1pm-3:30pm
Mondays: Feb. 6, 13, 27
Tuesday Feb. 21

### **Announcing Dr. Robert Petschke!**

Rob Petschke of 1569 Main Road has recently completed the requirements for the Doctor of Education degree at American International College in Springfield, MA. His research is in Blended Learning, the integration of traditional classroom instruction with Internet-based instruction and resources.

Rob taught mathematics, science, and computer technology in kindergarten through eighth grade for more than ten years. He has taught mathematics and computer courses at the Suffield Campus of Lincoln College of New England for six years. He holds multiple teaching and administrative licenses and may one day return to the public schools, either as a teacher or administrator. A formal graduation ceremony will take place May 20<sup>th</sup> at the Mass Mutual Center. Congratulations Rob!

The Granville Village School's Parents Association will be holding a Silent Auction,

Live Auction and raffle on the evening of Friday March 16th at Maple Corner Farm to benefit school activities.

Everyone is invited to attend this fun filled event!

We are looking for local artisan donations of any size and value.

Please call Jessica Ripley x9919 or Donalee Drohen x9061 with any questions.



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# February Events for Bartholomew's Cobble & the Southern Berkshires

### **Low Impact Forestry Demonstration**

Saturday, February 4 from 10am to 2pm Bartholomew's Cobble Reservation, 105 Weatogue Road Sheffield, MA 413.229.8600

Come hear Will Conklin talk about how to manage a sustainable forest. Rich Ciotola will bring a team of oxen and haul out a large oak tree that had fallen from the hurricane. There will be a portable saw mill on site to cut the logs into lumber. Adult \$10. Members: \$5. Children free. Please bring your own lunch. Hot drinks provided. Please let us know you are coming.

### **Saturday Snowshoe Trek**

Saturday, February 18 from 10am to Noon Bartholomew's Cobble Reservation, 105 Weatogue Road Sheffield, MA 413.229.8600

Join a Trustees of Reservations guide to explore Bartholomew's Cobble with an easy-to-moderate snowshoe hike. Each Saturday The Trustees host snowshoeing hikes across Western Massachusetts. The Cobble is a great place to see wintering bald eagles along the Housatonic river. Adult \$10; Child \$3. Members: Adult \$5. Child free. Snowshoe rental included. Please let us know you are coming.

# The History of Water Fowling and the Art of the Decoy

Thursday, March 1st from 6pm to 7pm Bartholomew's Cobble Reservation, 105 Weatogue Road Sheffield, MA 413.229.8600

One of the most passionate outdoorsman in the Berkshires today, Ken Schopp will share his years of hunting and carving decoys. Examples of early carvings will be on hand. bring your own to share! Free for all. Pleas let us know you are coming.

### **OBITUARY**

A good friend has passed from us, Herbert Holcomb Hiers, Herb to most, Bud to those he grew up with.

Born in Granville June 28, 1932 he lived and loved and had three wonderful children of whom he was very proud. Also three beautiful grandchildren to brag about!

He passed quietly at home January 4, 2012, after a lengthy illness.

Herb was a friend to everyone he met. He was one of our world's true gentlemen. He was never more content than when helping others, which he did whenever and wherever he could. He served the Town of Granville in several ways – as an EMT, a policeman and as Town Moderator for some 20 years. He enjoyed serving and sharing his indomitable sense of humor with his cohorts!

He leaves behind his wife of 56 years, Laurie, his three children, David W. Hiers of Pensacola, FL; Kevin D. Hiers currently of Costa Rica and Sharon E. Nobbs of Granville, along with three grandchildren, Ross C. Nobbs and Lindsay E. Nobbs of Granville; Catherine Deborah D. Hiers of Pensacola, FL.

In lieu of flowers please donate to the Granville Federated Church or the Granville Fire Dept./ EMT Service for all of which Herb had a longtime affection.

### — IN NURSING HOMES—

### Philip Dickinson

Renaissance Manor of Westfield 37 Feeding Hills Road, Westfield, MA 01085

### **Bea Lewis**

Landmark at Monastery Heights 110 Monastery Avenue, W. Springfield, Ma 01089

### Lena Perla

East Village Place 50 Benton Drive, East Longmeadow, MA 01028



Submitting names is easy:

### Granville-Tolland Lions Club 2012 Calendar

Greetings from the Granville-Tolland Lions Club.

Every year the Lions Club puts out a calendar where people can have birthdays and anniversaries printed on it. This calendar has been a tradition for 45 years in Granville and Tolland but we have found that not everyone knows about it, now is your chance to get your birthdays and anniversaries included.

You submit birthdays and anniversaries that you would like to remember and it will be printed on the calendar. THE CALENDAR WILL HAVE EVERYONES NAMES AND DATES NOT JUST YOUR SUBMISSIONS.

### COST: \$4 PER CALENDAR AND ONLY 25 CENTS PER BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY

Anniversaries – Name and Date
John Smith - 5/21

John and Jane Smith - 10/22

(A separate piece of paper can be used if more submissions are needed)

Make check payable to: Granville – Tolland Lions Club or Pay on Delivery

Your Name and Address:

Telephone #

Number of Calendars @ \$4 = \_\_\_\_\_\_

Number of Birthdays and / or Anniversaries @ 25 cents =

Return form to Dan Stosick, 91 Old Westfield Rd or Email: Birthdays and Anniversaries to: <a href="mailto:d.stosick@comcast.net">d.stosick@comcast.net</a> as soon as possible - Delivery will be in December. The Lions Club supports organizations in the Granville and Tolland communities. The lions are always a helpful resource for those with eye and sight emergencies and our club has helped several local citizens.

Contact Dan Stosick for interest in an advertisement on the calendar.

# **BROWN BAG: FOOD FOR ELDERS**

A program of The Food Bank of Western Massachusetts

### **REGISTRATION FORM**

For office use only.

Date Application Received:

### PLEASE COMPLETE AND MAIL THIS FORM TO:

The Food Bank of Western Massachusetts 97 North Hatfield Road, PO Box 160 Hatfield, MA 01038

Telephone: (413) 247-9738, (800) 247-9632; Fax: (413) 247-9577

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Please print. Income verification may be requested. NAME MAILING ADDRESS STREET ADDRESS (If Different) ZIP PHONE YEAR OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_\_ If you are under 55, do you have a documented disability? \_\_\_ LANGUAGE SPOKEN AT HOME \_\_\_\_\_RACE \_\_\_\_ AT WHICH SITE WILL YOU PICK UP YOUR BROWN BAG? \_\_ DO YOU RECEIVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? (Please circle all that apply) SNAP (Food Stamps) **TANF** Veteran's Aid X Fuel Assistance WIC Medicaid (MassHealth) **Head Start** Welfare Supplemental Security Income (SSI), SSI Monthly Amount *If you did* **NOT** *circle any of the above:* What is the total GROSS MONTHLY income for everyone in your HOUSEHOLD (please include social security, pension, retirement dividends, & other income)? Who else lives in your household? Name Race Sex Year of Birth BROWN BAG DELIVERER'S NAME (Note: Home delivery is not a service provided or coordinated by The Food Bank. If you need to have your bag delivered, please contact the person in charge at your site to see if this service is available. It is not a guaranteed method of receiving your Brown Bag.) YOUR SIGNATURE DATE In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. (Not all prohibited bases apply to all programs.) To file a complaint of discrimination, write to USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, or call (800)795-3272 (voice)

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# February MENU AND CALENDAR 2012

also include milk & fruit or juice, French toast, or hot eggs or egg sandwich.. Every student is given the opportunity to eat even if his or her bus is late. The cost is \$1.50 for students and \$2.00 for adults. We invite parents to join us for breakfast. Lunch for students is \$2.25, adults \$3.00 which Breakfast "A" is served every day, and consists of Toast or muffin, cold cereal, milk & fruit or juice. Breakfast "B" will change each day and will includes milk. The cost to purchase milk separately is \$.50.

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Oven toasted cheese soup / fruit / milk Chicken parm veggie / fruit veggie / fruit **Breakfast A Breakfast A Breakfast A Breakfast A** sandwich sandwich Friday pizza mik пi 24 BQ baked chicken Breakfast A & B Breakfast A & B Breakfast A& B Veggie / fruit Milk Fish sandwich Rice / veggie **Breakfast A** Chefs choice Thursday ¥ 23 Baked Mac & Cheese Pasta w/ meat sauce Baked Mac & cheese Pasta w/meat sauce Veggie / fruit / milk Breakfast A & B Veggie / fruit Veggie / fruit Veggie / fruit Breakfast B **Breakfast B Breakfast B** Breakfast B Wednesday ¥iĕ Ш 29 22 Scrambled eggs Ham / hash brown Hot dog w/ roll Veggie / fruit Cold cut wrap Breakfast A & B Veggie / fruit **Breakfast A Breakfast A Breakfast A** Breakfast A Tuesday Σ 28 Oven toasted cheese origin, sex, age, or disability. Baked potato bar Breakfast A & B Chili w/ 1/2 bagel Broccoli / fruit Cheese / fruit **Breakfast A Breakfast A Breakfast A** VACATION Sandwich Soup /fruit **Breakfast A** Monday WEEK Σ ΖijΚ 20