



Week of Jan. 26, 2014

Marion Cross School • Norwich, Vermont

PTO NOTES

Staff Appreciation Valentine's Breakfast: Friday, February 13

Our annual Valentine's Day breakfast is planned for February 13. The PTO is asking families of students in grades 4 through 6 to provide food for this year's event. A sign up document to help make this feast sweet and special for all MCS teachers and staff will go out shortly.

Save the date: Mud Stomp on Friday, February 27

Please join us for some mud season fun at our annual Mud Stomp Dance on Friday; February 27. Professional caller David Millstone will guide us through contra-style dances in the MCS Gymnasium. All are welcome for this family friendly event. Please do not drop off your children. They need to be with an adult. The PTO plans to serve light refreshments. Stay tuned for more information.

MCS Big Hoot Talent Showcase coming soon

It's now official, MCS plans to host a talent showcase this spring! The Big Hoot will take place Friday, April 24, with preview rehearsals starting Monday, March 23. More information on this new and exciting MCS event will go home after the Winter Break so keep a look out.

Skating fun was had by all

Thank you to all who helped make this year's Skating Party one of the best! The Hosers did a stupendous job creating the pristine ice, while the Norwich Recreation Council provided Hot Chocolate (compliments of the Norwich Inn) complete with marshmallows, as well as cold cider and a warm and toasty campfire. Finally, the MCS PTO provided lots of goodies and Mother Nature chimed in with mild temps and even some sunshine!

Winter is a great time to head to the theater; get out but stay warm

Don't miss Northern Stage's production of *Blithe Spirit* running from February 11 to March 3. Please visit www.northernstage.org for a full description of this "ghostly comic delight" and join us for Marion Cross night on Thursday, February 26 at 7:30. Tickets are \$30 each with a full 30 percent returning to the PTO.

Thank you business partners!



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