



# Weekly Notice

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## Monadnock Waldorf School



Please join us for our  
**End of the Year Party**

**Saturday evening, June 12**  
**from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.**  
**Apple Hill Center for Chamber Music**  
**410 Apple Hill Road, Nelson, NH**

We'll celebrate the accomplishments of a great school year. We'll take some time to thank the people who have provided such able leadership. We'll say good-bye to some good friends. And we'll have a healthy dose of laughing at ourselves.

Please bring a potluck snack to share and feel free to bring-your-own-bottle. We'll provide dishes, utensils, ice, and soft drinks.

**This party is for adults only.**  
*Please RSVP to Main Office at 603-357-4442.*

**Hope to see everyone there!**  
(Apple Hill is about 8 miles from downtown Keene.)  
*Photo by Tracy Huntley, T. Mae Photography*

## Last Week to Make Coffee Count!

Our community partner and alum father, James Callaway, has told me that 1,860 coffees were purchased in the second May week at Brew-bakers! As a result, an additional \$186 has flowed into MWS's Annual Fund to help our school be more affordable for more families.

This fun incentive has entered its last week. Many thanks to James and all who have participated by buying any coffee and thereby making an extra 10-cent donation to the Annual Fund.

*Rüdiger Ruckmann,*  
*Development Leader*

**Monadnock Waldorf School** is dedicated to nurturing young human beings who will be capable of contributing fully to the tasks of life with courage, compassion, and conviction. We strive to foster wholeness and life long well being through awakening an abiding love and interest in the world while cultivating the gifts and strengths that are unique to each individual student.

**Reminder:**  
**no Nursery-Kindergarten classes on Friday, June 4.**

## Flowers Needed for Rose Ceremony and Graduation

Many beautiful flowers are needed to decorate our school for the Rose Ceremony and Graduation. If you have any flowers to donate, please bring them to the school on Friday, June 4, at drop off. We will be busy making arrangements in the teachers' room for the Rose Ceremony that day. We are happy for any flowers that you have. Some suggestions are iris, peonies, and azalea. Please cut the flowers with as long a stem as possible.

We are always amazed at the assortment of wonderful flowers that come in to us. Thank you!  
*Lynn Wetterhorn*

## *Ashuelot River High School Scholarship Fund*

Ashuelot River High School will be selling raffle tickets to benefit the scholarship fund. The grand prize is a beautiful Weber grill (donated by Hamshaw Lumber) and meat to go on it. The second prize is also fabulous—a kayak, paddle and even a life vest (from Kroka!). Third prize is a dine around Keene package—gift certificates to area restaurants. Parents will be selling tickets for the next month as the drawing will be June 10th at 2:30 pm at the Tilden building. Buy early and buy often!

*Thanks from all at ARHS*

## *Parent Council Challenge Grant Enters Last Five Weeks*

Although our Annual Fund coffee incentive has entered its last week at Brewbakers, the MWS Parent Council Challenge Grant still has five weeks to go!

So far, this most generous support from the Parent Council has helped inspire nearly 30 gifts and an additional \$3,500 to our Annual Fund. Every dollar donated results in an extra half dollar gift! If you were to donate \$37 – a dollar a day for all days left in the challenge – your gift would increase to \$55.50!

Our Annual Fund helps MWS offer more financial support to new and returning families. Many thanks again to all who have participated in this wonderful challenge.

*Rüdiger Ruckmann, Development Leader,  
357.4442, ext. 105 or 903.0596 (home)*

## *Summer Schedule for Weekly Notice*

July issue will be mailed out on July 27; all submissions due by Friday, July 23.

August issue will be mailed out on August 23; all submissions due by Friday, August 20.

## *Reminder: 2010-2011 Tuition Payments Due*

For those of you paying tuition in one or three installments, your first 2010-2011 payment is due June 1<sup>st</sup>. Invoices were mailed on May 12<sup>th</sup>. Any payments not received on time, will be charged a late fee.

If you have not signed your tuition agreement and are planning on the June 1<sup>st</sup> payment option allowing for a discount, you will not be eligible for that discount. If you haven't signed your agreement, please call me immediately.

*Jo-Anne Yardley  
Business Office*

## *Don't Miss This Special Opportunity*

Stunning tote, shoulder and book bags, aprons, headbands and other useful 100% cotton goods sewn by Burundian and Congolese resettled refugee women in *Sewing Confidence*, a Rubia, Inc. program in Manchester, NH. Vibrant colors, African fabrics all for sale in the MWS school yard at pick up, Fridays: 1:30 - 2:30, May 7, 14, 21 and 28. Please consider our program for your fabric donations. We are especially looking for solid cottons for bag linings. Come see our table and find out other ways to become involved.

*Susan Bartlett and Bunny Ballantine,  
7th Grade Parents*

## *Nursery-Kindergarten Open House Saturday, June 12*

Do you know a family who might be happy at our Nursery-Kindergarten? We will host an Open House on Saturday morning June from 9:00 to 11:00 am. Michelle Brooks will be on hand to take parents on a tour and to talk about our program. Children are welcome and will have an opportunity to play while their parents visit with us.

No registration is necessary for the Open House, just stop by. MWS has a rolling admissions policy and new applications are welcome at any time of the school year. Questions? Give me a call at 357-4442, extension 104.

*Lisa Mahar*

## *Calendar of Events*

**May 31**  
*No school*

**June 4**  
*Rose Ceremony, 11 am  
(No Nursery-Kindergarten classes)*

**June 5**  
*8th Grade Graduation, 11 am*

**June 8**  
*6th Grade Medieval Ceremony*

**June 11**  
*Last day of school  
Noon dismissal for Nursery-  
Kindergarten &  
2 pm dismissal for elementary school*

## *Thursday Farmers Market Returns*

School parents who are vendors of home grown plants/seedlings, vegetables and hand crafts are invited to sell on our elementary school play ground at Thursday dismissal between 2:45 and 3:30. Bring your own small table. Please call Suzanne at 357-4442 to sign up.

*Lisa Mahar*

## *MWS Ultimate Frisbee Update*

Last Wednesday the ultimate Frisbee team members played their first game! After school, an intrepid group of students (plus a few spectators) piled into the bus with Mr. Schoen and set out for The Compass School in Westminster, VT. The Compass School team was pretty experienced and had already played a number of games this season, and established a 5-0 lead early on. However, MWS quickly regrouped and came back strong, energized by a diving catch made by Emmett Kiernan, grade 8, to score the team's first point. The game went on to end much closer than it began, with a final score of 13-7 for the Compass School. The MWS team looked great all around, with lots of interceptions and blocks on defense, as well as lots of short, quick passes and some beautiful long throws, one-handed snags and diving catches on offense. Congratulations to the students who came out: Yongmoon Won and Dominic Maynard from the 6th grade; Calvin Thurmond, Ryan Strickland, Patrick Foley and Ben Mallet (who came even though he could not play due to injury!) from the 7th grade; Delaney Bilodeau, a former student in the 7th grade class; and Will Henry, Emmett Kiernan, Nolande Turner, Clelie Fielding, Mirabai Siegal, Kerensa Bartlett, and Siena Powers from the 8th grade! Thanks, too, to the members of the team who were unable to attend the game: Zoe Temple, Fiona Spiegler, Ella Richardson in 7th grade, and Duncan Morgan and Matthew Beauregard in 8th grade.

*Nell Wiener*

## *Donations for Zimbabwe*

The 8th Grade would like to invite you to support the Rimbi Farm Project in Zimbabwe. The farm is in rural eastern Zimbabwe and designed to create a community based biodynamic farm. We are gathering donations in front of the 8th grade classroom for the next three weeks. This is a collaborative project with the 8th Grade and Silas Beardslee (a Monadnock Waldorf School and High Mowing alum and the son of Lisa Mahar).

The 8th grade is collecting donations of:

shovels	clippers
rakes	wheelbarrows
hoes	hammers
trowels	gloves
buckets	seed of all variety (vegetable, flower, or fruit)

*Thank you! 8th Grade Students*

## *Grandparents/ Special Friends Day Made Memorable by Many*

Thank you to all our volunteers for a wonderful Grandparents/Special Friends Day last week – Parent Council members who helped set up and made refreshments for the event, faculty and staff who also created a beautiful atmosphere for our more than 30 guests, and our students for being so impressive. All your contributions made last Thursday morning memorable for people who have attended the event before and for those for whom it was their first visit to MWS.

*Rüdiger Ruckmann,  
Development Leader*

## *Danke!*

We would like to thank our friends from the MWS community for the very warm welcome our new daughter, Ellen Elizabeth, has received since her arrival in Keene. Although just over two weeks old, she is settling in quite nicely!

*Rüdiger Ruckmann and Ben Bruch*

## *Bulletin Board*

**House share available in July** in the beautiful hills of Marlborough, 6 1/2 miles from Keene (15 minutes). One bedroom with washer/dryer, and kitchen use included for \$550/month. *Call Peter Schoen at 876-9448. 5-25-10*

**Summer mowing, yard and garden work, wood stacking available by strong, hardworking 14 year old.** I can bring a riding mower for large lawns if needed and babysit. *Call Lucas Schoen at 876-9448 or 802-254-8654. 5-25-10*

We've heard many of you were wondering where to get the vegetable, herb and flower transplants you bought the past two years through the 5th and 6th grade transplant sale fundraisers. **We are still growing the transplants and you can purchase them at our self-serve farmstand in Fitzwilliam**, which is 20 minutes from Keene, heading up Route 12 south from Main St. Take a right on Jaffrey Road, and we are 600' up on the right. You'll see the farmstand, signs and greenhouses. We're open sunup to sundown. We also have other local goods available in the barn. If you can't make it to the farm you can also visit [www.traciesfarmonline.com](http://www.traciesfarmonline.com), register and order what you'd like via our online order form by Tuesday 5 p.m. for pickup at a home on Elm Street in Keene that Friday from 5:30 p.m.-8 p.m. If you choose to do this, please don't leave payment at Elm Street. You need to mail it to the farm. Happy planting! It looks like it's going to be a good season! *Tracie Smith, Tracie's Community Farm, LLC, 72 Jaffrey Rd., Fitzwilliam, NH 03447. www.traciesfarm.com, (603) 209-1851. 5-25-10*

I am a single mother with three children (former MWS students Billy and Abbie Fraser) and I am **looking for a house/apartment to rent** in the Keene/surrounding area. We would like to move ASAP. *Please contact Roberta Fraser if you have anything available. Cell: 603-209-5821, Home: 603-239-4202. 5-25-10*

**House for rent:** Charming 3-bedroom house on Rule Street near the school; all wood floors; 1 and 1/2 baths; wonderful

child-friendly fenced yard backing on woods; large woodstove; rent \$1,280/month including water/sewer and weekly trash pickup; lease required. Pets negotiable. Availability July or negotiable. Please call Sara Ciborski at 603-654-8833. 5-25-10

**Host families needed for Spanish teens in July.** Expand your family's horizons this summer by welcoming a student from Spain into your home through the STEP-to -U.S.A. program. The boys and girls, who range in age from 14 to 18, will arrive on June 29 and spend four weeks in the Keene/Brattleboro area., departing on July 26. The students are all from the Basque region of Spain and must have excellent grades, attendance and behavior in school and also pass an English conversational interview to be accepted into the program. Host families are asked to provide a warm and safe home environment for the student, as well as meals and transportation to a meeting spot on the days there are field trips (to New York, Boston, and Six Flags, and host siblings are invited to come along). It's fine for a student to share a room with a host sibling. The students have their own spending money and phone cards. *Since the students arrive in just a month, interested families are encouraged to call Norm Oakes or Ann Newsmith at 802-579-3433 or email exchangeVT@gmail.com.*

Assistant at the Kindergarten Rebecca Ciraulo and her cat are **looking for a studio apartment in or around Keene** from mid or end of July through the next school year. *If anyone in the community needs a trust-worthy tenant, please don't hesitate to reach me at 518-429-5133 or Ciraulor177@strose.edu. 5-18-10*

**Looking for a housemate!** Co-op household in Marlborough. Ready for occupancy now. Country setting, wood heat, garden, one parking spot, not much storage. Perks include: wild animals walking through, woodworking shop, views of Monadnock, a bit of insulation from the modern world. 15 minutes from Keene, 20 to Peterborough. *Details? Christopher Briggs at 876-3744. 5-18-10*

**Playgroups/homeschoolers:** Hello, I am Taja's father and I am hoping to join/create a playgroup for my 4 and 1/2 year old son Dylan. I live about one mile from the Waldorf elementary. Since I am still

new to this area, I really don't know many folks and Dylan does not have many friends. Please contact me if you have a child between the ages of 4-6 and would also like to get together with our children - I am happy to host anytime. Many thanks! *Please call Mike Nadeau @ 903-4979 or email me at mnadeau38@gmail.com. 5-18-10*

**Looking for an apartment or house share in Keene:** I will be entering the Master's program in Dance/Movement Therapy in August at Antioch University. I am looking for a garage apartment or child-friendly house share within my budget of \$400/month - \$500/month. *Please email tgrissom@my.centenary.edu, or call Tracy Grissom at (318)344-5132. References available. 5-18-10*

**Beautiful Green Home for Rent/Caretaking/Possible Share.** We are looking for a capable and caring individual, couple or small family to help look after our 30 acre homestead in southwest Stoddard (13 miles/25 minutes from Keene). For rent is part or all of our restored, 200-year old, well-insulated cape with 2-3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, radiant floor heat, woodstove, all wood floors and lovely old wood paneling. Your only neighbors are next door in the 2-3 bedroom barn apartment. The two homes are surrounded by gardens, fields and thousands of acres of conservation land. The two homes are powered by sun, wind and wood, with some propane and grid power imported. The land offers trails, streams, pond, and solitude, and invites gardening, farming, and small livestock production. Tenant-caretakers help out in the care of grounds, homes, 1/2 mile driveway, trails, firewood production and snow removal. Rent is negotiable. For the entire house rent is 20 hours' work plus \$800/month including most utilities. A house-share is possible for an individual or couple willing to share space and rent with last year's single tenant who hopes to return in the Fall. High speed wireless internet available. Pets negotiable. Living here requires a love of nature, an interest in energy conservation and sustainable living, and enthusiasm for outdoor work. One bedroom available in June. The full home will be available in August or September 2010 if no share is found. *For more in*

*formation, call Bob or Annie Faulkner at 603/352-3444 or e-mail afaulkner@gaw.com. 5-18-10*

**Cheese**—organic, grass-fed. Cheddar, garlic cheddar, jack, pepper jack, Colby, and Swiss can be ordered. It is \$5.50/pound plus shipping. You need to order the full 5# block or arrange to split it with a friend or two. This will be the last order of the school year. Let me know if you want to be contacted during the summer for an order. *Call me if you want some cheese in this order, Margaret Foxweldon at 355-1371. 5-11-10*

**Job Posting: Assistant Teacher** at Cobb Meadow School Nursery and Kindergarten, located in Dublin, NH . Established in 1992, and currently a developing member of WECAN, Cobb Meadow School is a thriving nursery and kindergarten. We are looking for an enthusiastic and loving Assistant Teacher to work 20 to 30 hours a week starting in the fall of 2010. The ages of the children range from 3½ to 6 years old. The role of the assistant teacher is to give direct support to the lead teacher. Daily activities at Cobb Meadow School include inside play with artistic activities, seasonal circle time, snack, outdoor play, story, lunch and rest time. We enjoy celebrating several festivals during the school year. Our program begins in the beginning of September. Our school is nestled in a cozy, home-like setting with ample outdoor space. We offer an hourly wage of \$10 to \$12 an hour commensurate with experience and education. *Interested candidates are asked to please submit a resume, three references and a short autobiography to Anne Branzell-Spiegler at Cobb Meadow School, PO Box 352, Dublin, NH 03444 by June 15th. 5-11-10*

**Lost at May Day Celebration at Robin Hood Park.** New blue (two tone) Columbia wind and weather jacket. Men's medium. *If found, please contact Michele Turner at 835-6654. 5-11-10*

**Looking for child's size 3-4 rubber tall riding boots and size 10 light riding pant** for our daughter. Either would be a blessing. The summer camp has a boot wearing policy, so borrowing is an option. Thank you in advance! *Call Tamara Reynolds at 603-785-1838. 5-11-10*

**Part time nurse needed at Camp Glen Brook.** Glen Brook is looking for an RN or LPN to work one 24 hour shift per week while our regular nurse is away. There will be a total of five shifts during our camp season June 28-August 7. The nurse will sleep on campus and will be provided meals in addition to being paid. *Interested candidates please contact Willow Nilsen. [www.glenbrook.org](http://www.glenbrook.org) or 603-876-3342. 5-11-10*

**Mothers & Sons:** Hello Mothers, what a wonderful first meeting! We had a joyful and productive, if somewhat noisy (coffee grinder) first meeting at Prime Roast in Keene. The conversation fell mostly on pre to full on adolescent issues, American boy culture, accepting, understanding, and accommodating boy behavior and the necessity of fostering emotional literacy within our beloved boys. There was a strong collective voice to start a study group of William Pollack's Real Boys, so that is on the horizon. A new meeting spot is in the near future, but until that resolved I will stick with Prime Roast this Saturday @ 10:00. (feedback on location, time & day is good too) For mothers who feel so inclined there is now an online Mothers&Sons@Facebook, which represents and the necessity of fostering emotional literacy within our beloved boys. I believe we are off to a great start with a great collection of mothers, and a whole spectrum of boyhood. Mothers & Sons is a forum for mothers of boys who would like to explore their role in the development of their sons, and share their questions and concerns of mothering boys in today's all too busy and disconnected world. *If you have any questions you can email me at [dawnekmorgan@gmail.com](mailto:dawnekmorgan@gmail.com)*

*or leave a message @ 352-9174. Come join us! 5-11-10*

**House for sale.** Lovely home on 12.63 acres in Keene. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, large screened-in porch, open kitchen/dining, wood floors, wood stove & 2 fireplaces, beehive oven, treehouse. 1st floor bedroom, bath & laundry. Large master bedroom suite, \$344,900. *Contact Holly Gorsuch, BHG The Masiello Group, 603-313-1224, [hollygorsuch@masiello.com](mailto:hollygorsuch@masiello.com). 5-11-10*

**Price Reduced on Multi-Family Home For Sale:** Two 3-bedroom apts. in well cared for home within walking distance to MWS, downtown and Robin Hood Park. Each apt. has replacement windows, newer bath, its own washer & dryer, decorative fireplace & separate heat controls. House has fenced yard, new porch, all roofs recently redone, rear deck, tree swing, sandbox and storage. Strong rental history. An excellent owner-occupied or investment property. \$233,000. Offers welcome. *Call Sharon or Glenn Koshar for more info or a viewing 352-2207. 5-4-10*

**Carpentry, Etc.**—recycling an old trade towards a sustainable future, sliding-scale offered, barter negotiable. *Call Kimball Temple at 852-3927. 3-16-10*

**For sale:** 190 S. Lincoln St., Keene - New Price! \$179,500. Large front porch, walk to town and to MWS, lovely living room with fireplace, dining room with built-ins, one car garage, wood floors, 3 or 4 bedrooms and loads of charm. *Contact Holly Gorsuch at BHG The Masiello Group at [hollygorsuch@masiello.com](mailto:hollygorsuch@masiello.com)*

*such@masiello.com or 603-313-1224. 3-9-10*

**Babysitter available most weekends and some weekday evenings.** My name is William Henry and I am an eighth grader with experience babysitting children, mostly between the ages of 3 and 10. I also completed the Red Cross babysitter training course last spring. *You can contact me at 355-8132. 02-02-10*

**Whether you are heating with oil, wood, gas or electricity, contact Home Energy Audits of Keene** to find out how a professional energy audit can help you reduce both your carbon footprint and your utility bills. *Philip Henry can be reached at 355-4441 or [eadits@gmail.com](mailto:eadits@gmail.com). 02-02-10*

My name is Kerensa Bartlett and I am an enthusiastic, MWS 8th grader who is **looking for work as a babysitter.** Whether you need a simple outing, a weekly sitter, or just a night out, I'm your girl. I love being around children and have lots of experience from my 7 year old brother and his friends. *If you are interested, please give me a call on my cell phone at 762-5822. References available. 12-01-09*

**Please consider me for your home improvement needs:** J. Klassen Carpentry and Painting. Interior/exterior painting, lazure, drywall, roofing, sidewalling, window replacement, floor installing and refinishing, screened porches, chimney flashing, chimney cleaning, insulating, small scale renovating, and weatherization. Interest in working with living design. References available and fully insured. *Call Jonathon at 603-903-3028. 10-06-09*

## Community Events

### **Fishing Clinic, Friday, May 28 and June 4, 2:15 to 5:00 pm, Robin Hood Park, Keene**

I am offering two fishing clinics at Robin Hood Park on Friday, May 28th and June 4th. The cost is \$35.00 for each. Please let me know if the fee is an obstacle to participating and we can arrange something. I can accommodate up to six children at each clinic. I will meet children at the elementary school at dismissal and we will walk up to Robin Hood Park. They will need to bring shoes that can get wet, snack, water bottle, bug repellent, and fishing pole. I will provide bait, bobbers, weights and hooks. Robin Hood Pond will be our instruction site. We will learn how to put a line on your pole, hook, sinker and bobber too. I will be using power bait, not live bait. We will practice casting, and reeling, as well as how to locate prime fishing spots. We will walk around the pond to observe the different sites open to fishing, and the advantages and challenges that they bring. I look forward to fishing with you! *Please call Campbell Morgan at 352-9174 to register. I will register up to six children for each Friday. If there is a need I will extend the clinic to another Friday as well.* There will also be two week long Fishing Camps, information on those will be in the next newsletter. Thank you everyone who called in and showed an interest in the camp!

### **The Starving Artist's Community Dance Project**

The Starving Artist, along with Diletant Dance and Impetus Dance, will be facilitating a Community Dance project to be featured at a multi-medium local arts festival called "A Sense of Place." Other organizations such as Stonewall Farms, Keene State College, Keene Music Festival, and others are getting onboard to help make this event a truly community collaboration, and a well-rounded event. I would like to extend an invitation

to you and your organization to get involved on any level you choose. If you are interested in being a part of this, be it through choreography, dancing, spreading the word, submitting art, giving advice, please email me back! The more minds and hands the better! *To RSVP to this event, please email us at dilettantedance@gmail.com, Laina Barakat, Director of Artist Relations, The Starving Artist, 609-221-6875, www.thestarvingartistcollective.com.*

### **The Second Annual Keene Aviation Day is Scheduled for Saturday, June 5, from 10 am to 4 pm. Rain date is June 6.**

For all you aviation enthusiasts this will be a great opportunity to see many airplanes up close on static display including. Helicopter rides will be available (for a charge) and EAA Young Eagles Flights will be available for kids 8 - 17 at no charge by volunteer pilots. For the non-aviation enthusiasts out there this is an opportunity to see the Dillant-Hopkins (Keene) Airport and see first hand why our airport is such an important part of the economy for Keene, Swanzey, and the Monadnock Region. The airport is an extremely important asset to the area, there is opportunity for development, and potential for the airport add substantial economic value to the Region. Come out and see what you've been missing! <http://www.monadnockaviation.com>, <http://www.monadnockaviation.com/AviationDay.htm>. I will be a volunteer during the event and additional volunteers are still needed. If interested, please contact Beth or Rick at 603-357-7600. One final note -- the entire event is sponsored by Monadnock Aviation and Fenton Dealerships. Additional sponsorships are still needed for the performers at the event and there is still time to have your company's name listed as one of the sponsors of the event. Daryl Stutes, President, Wing Kings Flying Club, Inc.

### **Walk New Hampshire**

Saturday, June 6 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm at Horseshoe Pavilion in Wheelock Park for a 3 mile easy paved walk to Ashuelot River Park and back

Walk NH is a statewide effort designed to encourage people to make walking a part of their daily lifestyle. Pack a lunch and join us for a watermelon social after your walk in Wheelock Park for fun and games for all ages. This fun walk is organized by Cheshire Medical Center/Dartmouth Hitchcock Keene. Visit [www.walkNH.org](http://www.walkNH.org) to learn more or call Patrick Michelson at 345-5454 ext. 2321 for more information about this event.

### **Family Summer Series at Stonewall Farm: 3 events**

Big Tractor Day: Saturday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 2010, 10-2 pm: Join Stonewall Farm for Big Tractor Day where there will be a tractor and truck display. Come climb on farm equipment; enjoy a Horse-drawn Hayride and local ice cream. Fun for the whole family, admission is \$5 6yrs and over, \$3 6yrs and under. National Ice Cream Day: Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup> 2010, 11-2 pm: Come to Stonewall Farm to celebrate National Ice Cream day with NH-made ice cream, live radio coverage, Horse-drawn Hayrides and Dairy Tours and Small Animal tours from 11-2. Who doesn't love ice cream? There is no admission fee! Movie night: Friday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 2010, 7:30-9 pm: Enjoy a family movie the old fashioned way, under the stars and on blankets. *Charlotte's Web* will be the featured film. There will be refreshments and Hayrides. Admission is \$5 6yrs and over, \$3 6yrs and under.

### **Second Annual Probate Street Neighborhood Yard Sale**

Our annual street-wide multi-family yard sale will be on Saturday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, from 8am -2 pm. Furniture, toys, baby stuff, other household items. Come check out the deals! Probate Street is between Church Street and Roxbury St, just 2 blocks from the school. Dan and Lori York live at 52 Probate and are one of the many families participating.

### **TD Bank Summer Reading Program**

Now in its eighth year, TD Bank's Summer Reading Program assists families in a very tangible way to promote the value of reading on a regular basis. TD Bank will provide special bookmarks that detail the program for each child. Once a child has read 10 books, children and their families can take their completed book form to any TD Bank, where each participating child will be credited \$10 towards either the child's existing account or new Young Saver Account. For more information, please visit [www.tdbank.com/summerreading](http://www.tdbank.com/summerreading) or contact Cindy Hebert at 603-695-3211 or at [Cynthia.hebert@tdbanknorth.com](mailto:Cynthia.hebert@tdbanknorth.com).

### **Let Your Child Rediscover Summer with Camp Glen Brook**

"Camp Glen Brook offers my boys the chance to just BE: Be themselves; Be in nature; Be in community with others; and Be in the world in their own natural way. Glen Brook has provided a safe, holistic, healing, and beautiful space for them to grow. My boys' childhood has been deeply enriched by their Glen Brook experience: from the warm and loving interactions with staff who make them feel at home to the biodynamic food and healing daily rhythms that nurture their body and spirit." Maureen W. Camper Parent. Discover what your child's summer has been missing with Camp Glen Brook! We have been celebrating summer with children for 65 years. Our program is Waldorf inspired and each three-week session offers your child swimming in our beautiful pond, arts and crafts, wood shop, nature class, wilderness trips, cooperative games, archery, and music. While participating in our program your child will experience strong adult role models who will support your child's individuality while helping him or her develop lifelong friendships. Programs available for children 8-16; Session I June 27- July 17 Session II July 18-August 7 Family Camp: August 9-13. For more information: [www.glenbrook.org](http://www.glenbrook.org), 603-876-3342, [office@glenbrook.org](mailto:office@glenbrook.org).

### **Kroka Expeditions**

Kroka Expeditions is Waldorf-Inspired Earth Living Skills School in Marlow, NH, committed to awakening in young people a connection to nature and the spirit within, and a capacity for conscious living and compassionate service. Kroka's summer camps offer the unique combination of wilderness adventure, community living, farming and practice of traditional and indigenous skills. Our family of exceptional international staff invite students ages 9 - 18 for one and two-week sessions of fun-filled adventure. For more information, please see our website <http://kroka.org/>, email [summer@kroka.org](mailto:summer@kroka.org), or call 603-835-9087.

### **Summer Intensive Immersion in the Arts with Marcy Schepker and Hans Schepker**

One Week Session, July 4-9: Mathematical Art with Hans Schepker, Puppetry with Libby Haddock, Fiber Arts with Marcy Schepker, Sunday, 5 pm through Friday, 7 pm; Cost \$500, includes lodging, meals and materials, limit 15 participants, ages 12 to 16.

Two Week Session, July 18-30: Sculpture with Adam Schepker, Fibert Arts with Marcy Schepker, Mathematical Art with Hans Schepker, Sunday, 5 pm through Friday, 7 pm; Cost \$1100, includes lodging, meals and materials. Limit 15 participants, ages 12 to 17.

For more information, contact Marcy at 603-827-3014, [marchschepker.com](http://marchschepker.com), Hans at 603-721-2222, [glassgeometry.com](http://glassgeometry.com). Scholarships available.

### **Center for Anthroposophy Waldorf Teacher Education & Renewal Renewal Courses 2010—June 27-July 2 and July 4-9 in Wilton, NH**

For more information, please contact the Center for Anthroposophy, PO Box 545, Wilton, NH 03086, 603-654-2566, [info@centerforanthroposophy.org](mailto:info@centerforanthroposophy.org), [www.centerforanthroposophy.org](http://www.centerforanthroposophy.org).

**Common Ground Center—celebrating families in all their diversity.**

Enjoy a week with your family in beautiful Vermont. Camp Common Ground has week-long intergenerational programs for families of all shapes and sizes featuring delicious vegetarian food and fabulous programming in a unique community setting. Separate morning programs for adults and kids. Multi-age afternoons and evenings. Yoga, art, music, dance and more! Explore beautiful mountains, fields and Lewis Creek. Available for rentals as well. *Contact us at 800-430-2667 or www.cgcvt.org with questions or to get a brochure.*

**Summer day camps at The Orchard School and Community Center in East Alstead, about 20 minutes drive from Keene.**

Camps begin July 28th and run Monday thru Friday until August 13th. Camp themes include: Creating your own Folktales and Illustrating them, Comics, Kroka and Orchard Hill Adventures, Art in Many Mediums, photography , public art, mural painting, Japanese traditional arts such as ikebana and origami, Forest camp week, Farm camp week, Sankofa West African Village week , and Circus Arts week . Camps are detailed on our website [www.theorchardschool.org](http://www.theorchardschool.org) or you can find a brochure at the Monadnock Waldorf School’s elementary school table.

Camps run 8:30 -2:30 and Extended care available before and after, 7:30 -5:30. Camps are \$ 115 a week for campers ages 3-6 and \$160 a week for Campers ages 6-14. There are many financial assistance options and we make the finances work for everyone!

Everyday we explore forest trails and woodland streams, join in all camp sing, play at the pond and much more. Campers and counselors experience weeks full of arts, music , green building, picking and eating fresh produce, caring for farm animals, and being outside all the time! Dreams and Friendship abound. *Call 835-2495 or email [eleonor@theorchardschool.org](mailto:eleonor@theorchardschool.org). Also look on line for our April vacation camp at the Orchard School and Community Center. April 19-23th. Full time or part time options. Extended care available.*

# School Fundraisers

**Eighth Grade Bread and Cookie Order Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Orders due: Thursday, May 27, 2010

Pick-up date: Thursday, June 3, 2010



<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Total Price</u>
	Small FRENCH	\$4.25	
	Loaf Pan FRENCH	\$4.75	
	Sesame Batard FRENCH	\$4.25	
	4 SEED SUNNY FLAX	\$4.50	
	Large COUNTRY ROUND	\$4.75	
	WHOLE WHEAT	\$4.75	
	OLIVE ROSEMARY	\$4.75	
	Special: Roasted Potato	\$4.75	
	Wheat-Free: Dark Russian Rye	\$4.75	
	Cookie: Super nutty chocolate chip	\$1.50	
	Hermit	\$1.50	
		TOTAL \$	_____

***Please turn order in to the Main Office  
at the elementary school.  
Please make checks payable to  
MWS Class of 2010.***