

# Mont Vernon

## Annual SHS Operation Pumpkin Visits MVVS



Students from the Souhegan High School Ethics Forum engaged students of the Mont Vernon Village School with dance, play-acting, and music during a Charlie Brown themed version of their annual Operation Pumpkin visit to the school on Friday, October 31. All students then shared lunch and recess, and then the high school seniors visited with the elementary school students in their classrooms to assist with the preparation for the MVVS costume parade and to distribute previously decorated pumpkins to every student at MVVS.

### Daland Memorial Library News

Library Director: Bonnie Angulas  
Children's Program Director: JoAnn Kitchel  
Hours:  
Tuesday 10-5:30  
Wednesday 12-8  
Thursday 10-5:30  
Friday 2-6  
Saturday 10-1  
Sunday Closed  
Monday Closed

#### Junior Book Clubs

**Bankers For Books** junior book club for 3rd and 4th graders will be reading "A Nest for Celeste" by Henry Cole. Group will meet on Wednesday, December 3rd from 4-5pm.

**The Page Turners** junior book club for 5th and 6th graders will be reading "Crispin" Avi. Group will meet on Wednesday, December 10th from 4-5pm.

**The Just Because We Are Awesome** junior book club for 7th and 8th graders will be reading "The Goose Girl" by Shannon Hale. Group will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 17th.

Books for all three groups are available to borrow @ the library. New members always welcome!

#### Pins and Needles is back!

Pins and Needles knitting and crafting group is back! Join our new leader, Ana Barrett, on the first Thursday of every month from 6:30-8pm for a night of communal crafting. Adults and children ages 8 & up are welcome to attend. Mark your calendar for Thursday, Nov. 6th and Thursday, Dec. 4th.

#### Holiday Super Saturday

Sign up to make a beautiful glass lantern to bring to tree lighting on Saturday, December 6th. Miss JoAnn has openings for 48 children. 4 one hour sessions at 10, 11, 12 & 1pm. Space is limited! Call to reserve your space today!! Ages 6 & up please.

#### The Bibliophiles

Our new evening adult book club will be reading Rebecca by Daphne Du Maurier this month. Group will meet on Wed., November 19th at 7pm. Books available to borrow at the library. New members always welcome. Refreshments will be served.

#### Friends to Meet November 24

The last Friends of the Daland Memorial Library meeting of the year will be held on Monday, November 24, at 7:30 p.m., at the library. The agenda will include a vote on the slate of officers that will come on board in January. The slate to date: President – TBA, Vice President – Lori Meader, Treasurer – Larry Yetter, Secretary – Genevieve Coursey, Newsletter – Stephanie Lindsey, Publicity – TBA. Anyone interested in a position may contact the library at 673-7888, or current president, Bruce Schmidt at 4bschmidt@comcast.net. Fall and winter programs for both adults and children will be discussed.

Through fund raising the Friends of the Library help supplement extras for the library that tax dollars do not cover including the children's summer reading program, museum passes to three area museums, caring for the library gardens, book groups for both children and adults, and treats for the many trick-or-treaters who visit the library on Halloween.

The annual membership of \$15 includes a newsletter published ten times a year and helps support the above programs. Join now and your membership will run through December 2015. Checks made out to The Friends of the Daland Memorial Library. New members are always welcome.

#### Morning Book Discussion Program

The last selection for 2014 in the Daland Memorial Library's monthly morning book discussion program will be the classic short story,

"The Gift of the Magi", by O'Henry. An American writer born in 1862, this is probably his best known work. The discussion will be held on Monday, December 1, at 9:30 a.m. at an off site location. Traditionally, the group has a holiday brunch that precedes the discussion. Please contact the library if interested in the discussion. Copies of the story are now available at the library.

The group plans to meet on Monday, January 5, 2015, at 9:30 a.m. at the library to put together a list for 2015. The list usually includes fiction, non-fiction, a biography or auto-biography, a classic, perhaps poetry, and something with a local flavor.

The group usually meets once a month and the meetings last an hour and a half to two hours. Participants take turns bringing a light refreshment. No attendance requirement – attend discussions that are of interest. The library purchases a copy of each selection that may be checked out by library patrons when the book is not reserved for the discussion. Multiple copies of the book are made available through inter-library loan. The program is suitable for adults and open to Mont Vernon residents at no charge. For bookkeeping purposes, non-residents wanting to borrow a

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### Mont Vernon Police in Benefit Footrace



Members of the Mont Vernon Police Department and family recently took part in the 2014 Manchester Police Footrace for the Fallen on October 5th. The Footrace is held yearly to honor fallen officers. Pictured from left to right are: Sergeant Aaron Daigneault; Corporal Mark Slavin, Taylor Aspinwall, Retired Chief Kyle Aspinwall, Christine Aspinwall, Nicole Goyette, and daughters, Autumn and Lana.

### 2015 Pats Peak Ski & Ride After School Program

#### Kick Off The Weekends At Pats Peak...Online Registration Is Now Open!!!

Join us on Friday nights beginning January 9th (5 week session) for some quality time with family and friends on the slopes of Pats Peak. One hour lessons begin promptly @ 4:30, then ski until close (10pm). If you are interested in chaperoning, please let me know (free pass to ski on scheduled program nights). Don't miss out!

**SIGN UP BEFORE NOVEMBER 15th TO AVOID A \$25 LATE FEE!**  
TO REGISTER (must be 6 by 115, grades 1-12):

1. Go to [http://www.patspeak.com/winter/ski\\_ride.html](http://www.patspeak.com/winter/ski_ride.html)
2. Click on: REGISTER ONLINE HERE
3. Enter Username (montvernon) and Password (5141) and click login
4. Chose your program/options (level/rentals, etc)...many to choose from.
5. Have fun and stay warm!

**PROGRAM TAGS** (valid lift ticket/café card) - ready for pick up on Monday, Jan 5th (time/place TBD).

**SCHOLARSHIPS** - Please contact me for more information.

**TRANSPORTATION** - no bus transportation available. Parents are responsible for driving their children to/from Pats Peak.

If you know someone that is new to town that would be interested in the program, please pass on this information or have them contact me.

Check out the website (<http://www.patspeak.com/winter>) throughout the season to see all the fun events and activities that Pats Peak has to offer. Feel free to contact me (554-7260 or cgm1071@comcast.net) with any questions.

Thanks everyone and hope to see you on the slopes (or in the lodge) in January!

Caroline Morrisette,  
Pats Peak Ski & Ride Program Coordinator  
for Mont Vernon

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