

LCS News and Announcements

January 6, 2012

Renovation Update



Framing the 3rd and 4th grade classrooms, September 2011



3rd and 4th graders in a new classroom, January 2012

The renovation at LCS continues on schedule. Much of the primary wing is now under construction. Kindergartners and first graders will move back into their classrooms on January 24. At present, the first grade is in one of the new 3-4 classrooms (the 3-4 classes have doubled up in one room for three weeks) and the kindergarten is in the mostly renovated library (minus the books!). The technology lab is being relocated to a room in the primary hallway and office/work spaces for special education, speech-language, Reading Recovery, and counseling are being carved out of an existing room. By February break, the bulk of the interior construction will be completed. Work continues on the exterior as weather permits—and so far we've been quite fortunate. Site work will be completed in the spring after the ground dries out. Feel free to stop by for a look!

Seeking LCS Board Members

The LCS Board guides the school in fulfilling its purpose and is responsible for the fiscal health of the school. If you're interested in nurturing the mission of the school and planning for economic well-being of the school in our community, please consider running for one of the open positions:

1 year remaining of a 3-year term

2-year term

3-year term: (Currently held by Henry Wilmer who is planning to run again)

Please contact Board chair, Dave Venman at dvenman@venmanandlee.com or 453-3540 or principal Tory Riley at triley@anesu.org or 453-2119 for more information about the role of board members. To run, contact Town Clerk Sally Ober at 453-2980 or the Town website to find out what to do to become a candidate. The deadline to apply is Jan. 30.

Eagles Youth Wrestling Sign-ups & FREE OPEN SWIM January 16th, 7:30 pm, Mt Abe Pool

by Nick Mayer

Would you like to meet new friends? Get strong? Win trophies? Gain self-confidence? Do you have spare cabin fever energy you need to burn up? Well, from mid January through March of 2012 LCS students can take advantage of a great opportunity to kill all of these birds with one stone—learn to wrestle!

Wrestling is a fun and challenging sport that teaches you fantastic skills for now and later in life! Wrestling is also a sport that has an amazing brother- and sister- hood surrounding it—once you become a wrestler, you become part of that. Who knows—if you start now you may continue on and win a gold medal in the Olympics someday!

Learn how to wrestle Folk Style (not WWF) from coaches Nick Mayer and Josh Conant and then put it to use in the 2012 VT Youth Wrestling Tournament Series. We will also be learning from the instructors at the brand new VT Wrestling Academy in Williston.

Wrestling is open to boys and girls in grades K-6 and practice is held Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings at Mt. Abe High School. To get started the cost is just \$10 (then if you decide to enter the tournaments there is an additional tournament fee). To learn more call Nick Mayer at 453-7005 or come to the FREE OPEN SWIM & Sign-ups January 16, 2012 at 7:30 pm at the Mt Abe Pool!

Winter Clothing for Recess and PE

While there's snow on the ground, please help your child be prepared for outdoor play at recess and physical education outdoors on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Outdoor clothing for PE and recess includes a hat, gloves or mittens, boots, and snow pants. On Tuesdays and Thursdays for PE, if older children have an extra pair of pants to change into, that is acceptable. Thank you.