

~ Quote of the Week ~

Just when the caterpillar thought the world was over, it became a butterfly ~ *Anonymous*



- 19th – Windham School Board Workshop
- 22nd – Early Release Day
- 27th – Pelham School Board Business Workshop

~ WINDHAM MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS ~
M2M SUMMER TRAINING

What dedicated Mentors we have! Over 60 students gave up a day over summer vacation to learn what it takes to be a mentor. Students participated in team building activities and learned about classroom management, how to be good listeners, and how to develop skills to help others. Students used a “web” to show how they have received support in the past and how they can show support to their “mentees”.

Windham Middle School Open House is Wednesday, September 20th at 7:00 PM. PowerSchool Passwords for the parent portal will be distributed that evening. A Camp Bournedale informational meeting for Grade 6 parents will take place the same evening at 6:00 PM



~ PELHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS ~

The Pelham School District has a new face this year. His name is Alan Miller, and he is the new Maintenance Supervisor for Pelham. We are very lucky to have Alan, as he is doing an outstanding job thus far. Please give Alan a warm welcome to the district when you see him.

~ WINDHAM CENTER SCHOOL NEWS ~



On September 8th, Windham Center School invited all parents, students and relatives to our annual "Ice Cream Social". It was a great success. A record number of guests enjoyed vanilla, chocolate or strawberry ice cream with an assortment of toppings scooped by many of our teachers. Several students won raffle prizes to have lunch with Mr. Desrosiers, Principal, to read with Mrs. Armfield, Assistant Principal, have a free "Peaceful Playground" activity with five friends and many other fun prizes. The "Grand Prize" was: “ to be Principal for an hour. Everyone is already looking forward to next year’s social.

~ PELHAM ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS ~

On September 11, the 3rd, 4th and 5th grade chorus students of Pelham Elementary School, under the direction of Ms. Erin Palmer, performed a tribute to the victims of 9-11. The event took place at the gazebo in the center of town. The students sang 4 patriotic songs, including "The Star Spangled Banner" and "American Tears". The Pelham Fire Department read aloud the names of the 347 firefighters who lost their lives in this disaster, and then rang the 5-5-5-5 alarm signifying the death in the line of duty of these heroic firefighters. This was a very moving tribute. We are very proud of our students and their participation in this event.

The classes of Mrs. Strasburger, Mrs. Tobin, Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Sidlowski wrote letters to the firemen and the policemen and policewomen of Pelham to thank them for working so diligently at keeping us safe.

FYI: The Connection is accessible on-line at <http://www.windhamsd.org/SAU28/sau28.htm>. Just click the link for Newsletters and chose the issue you would like to read. Remember, all feedback, comments or suggestions should be directed to Jfortin@windhamsd.org.

Windham ~

Our mission is to be a continuously improving, learning community, providing quality services to enable all children to master the knowledge and competencies necessary to function skillfully throughout life.

~ Pelham ~

Our mission is a commitment, in concert with the entire Pelham community, to provide quality services to each student, parent and resident through planned, focused and continuous improvement of our educational programs and practices.