



South Royalton School

South Royalton School's mission is to challenge all students to strive for excellence while developing 21st century skills through a diversified curriculum. In partnership with parents and the community, we promote each individual's development toward becoming responsible global citizens – intellectually, socially, physically, and emotionally.

Principal's Corner

Don't miss these exciting student centered events:

- ◆ The Fall Musical—You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown. Nov. 9, 10 & 11
- ◆ The Book Fair through Friday
- ◆ The PTO Raffle
- ◆ Thanksgiving Dinner for Lunch Nov. 10

See details throughout the Newsletter.

SORO PTO

Be sure to look for the updated prize list for the So Ro PTO Holiday Raffle.

There are many great prizes, to give as gifts or use yourself! The raffle drawing will be on December 12, 2017. Students can pick up printed raffle tickets at the office or in the plastic file box to the left of the office door. Raffle ticket sales will be tallied. There are prizes for the top elementary sales. Thank you for your support!

Youth Basketball Assistant

The Royalton Recreation Committee is seeking a volunteer as an Assistant Basketball Coordinator. If you are interested, please contact Joe DeCoteau @jwdecoteau@gmail.com as soon as possible. ~ Thank you

Upcoming Athletic Events

Nov 14th - Fall Sports Banquet-Tuesday, @6:30 Café (Pot-Luck)
Nov 20th - Winter Coach's Meeting-@6:30 cafe
Nov 21st - Winter Players/Parents Meeting- @7:00 pm
Nov 27 - First Day to Practice HS Winter Sports
Dec 4 - First Day to Practice MS Winter Sports

Coming Events

- 11-9 Through 11-11, You're a Good Man Charlie Brown, 7:30 pm \$10 Students, \$15 adults
- 11-10 Last Day of the Book Fair
Thanksgiving Dinner for Lunch
- 11-15 Seventh Grade to Hulbert Outdoor Center
- 11-17/18 Winooski Valley Music Festival
- 11-22 through 11-24 Thanksgiving Break
- 11-30 K-5 Winter Concert 6:30 pm
- 12-1 Hopkins Center, Grades 4-5, 9:00am-12:00pm
- 12-7 Middle and High School Math League Field Trip
- 12-7 Middle and High School Winter Concert 7 pm
- 12-8 Half Day, 12:15 Dismissal
- 12-9 Winter Craft Fair 10 am—2 pm
- 12-21 Half Day, 12:15 Dismissal
- 12-22 Through 1-2 Winter Break

*Events are subject to change, for updates check:
<http://www.soroschool.org/quick-links/event-calendar/>*

Lunch Menu

Café Royal Menu for Nov. 13 to Nov. 17, 2017

- Monday Mozzarella Dippers
- Tuesday Cheese Ravioli
- Wednesday Hot Ham and Cheese on a Pretzel Roll
- Thursday Chicken and/or Veggie Stir Fry
- Friday Breaded Chicken Tenders

**No School
Thanksgiving Break
November 22, 23, 24
Happy Gobble Day!**

Fall Musical

by Alexis Taylor-Young, Student Reporter

This Thursday Nov. 9, Friday, Nov. 10 and Saturday, Nov 11 a group of students from South Royalton School will put on a production of *You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown*. Starring sophomore Alex Kimball as Charlie Brown, this show (based on Charles Schulz comic) is equally as timeless. Charlie Brown is joined by Lucy (senior Aliza George), Schroeder (senior Nicholas Thornton), Patty (sophomore Alexis Taylor-Young), Linus (freshman Kendrick Madore) and Snoopy (8th grader Grace Collins). This main cast is aided by a chorus and sub chorus filled with students of all age-levels. Showtime is 7:30 and the show is expected to run an hour and a half production time.



Photo: SoRo players discussing their roles are L-R Nick Thornton/Schroeder, Alex Kimball/Charlie, Kendrick Madore/Linus, Alexis Taylor-Young/Patty, Aliza George/Lucy.

SoRo is a Second Step School

Learning means doing something new every day. Sometimes when we're doing something new, we get stuck and don't know what to do. If we get stuck, we can use a skill for learning - being assertive - to ask for help. Being assertive means asking for what you need or want in a calm, firm, respectful way. Face the person you are talking to, keep your head up and your shoulders back! When you can't figure out what to do in class, remember to be assertive and ask for help.

Ski Runner Bus

If you would like your skier to ride the ski bus to and from the Ski Runner lessons fill out the form attached to this newsletter. Please send in with a \$25 check (payable to So Ro Ski Runners) or cash to Jenny Lane. Thank you

3-6 Grade Basketball Registration

Please remember to hand in your registration form by 11/10, if you are in 3rd through 6th grade and would like to play basketball.

Assistant Youth B-ball Coordinator

The Royalton Recreation Committee is seeking a volunteer as an Assistant Basketball Coordinator. If you are interested, please contact Joe DeCoteau @jwdecoteau@gmail.com as soon as possible.

SoRo Yearbooks 2017 and 2016

The South Royalton Yearbooks 2017 and 2016 are now available at the school. These beautiful full color editions capture all of the memories of your child's years at the school. Sports, drama, class events, senior memories are captured by our professional photographers. Copies will be available at the office and through the Family Consumer Science room. Reserve your copy now while supply is in stock. Call 763-7740 to reserve your copy now. Cost \$35 per yearbook.

Red Cross Blood Drive Thanks

The South Royalton High School NHS members would like to thank the community for their support of the American Red Cross Blood Drive held at the school on Wed. Nov 1. NHS members Connor Lambert, Kylan Nelson, Bradford Jones, Grace Pease, Grace Frary, and Aliza George along with their teacher advisor Sam Griffin organized and held a successful event. With 47 donors scheduled, the Red Cross was able to collect 23 whole blood units and 6 Power Red units (from 3 donors) for a total of 29 pints. Donna Sepkowski from the Red Cross commended the NHS for their efforts, concluding, "That's almost 90 lives that

your students helped to save!" The students agreed that it was a long day but well worth their efforts. The Red Cross provided nearly everything needed, except the space and the NHS students worked to provide the pizza. Photo: Bradford Jones wore the Blood Drop during NHS promotional efforts, plus he helped entertain student donors while they waited, to the right are Matt Porter and Ma-

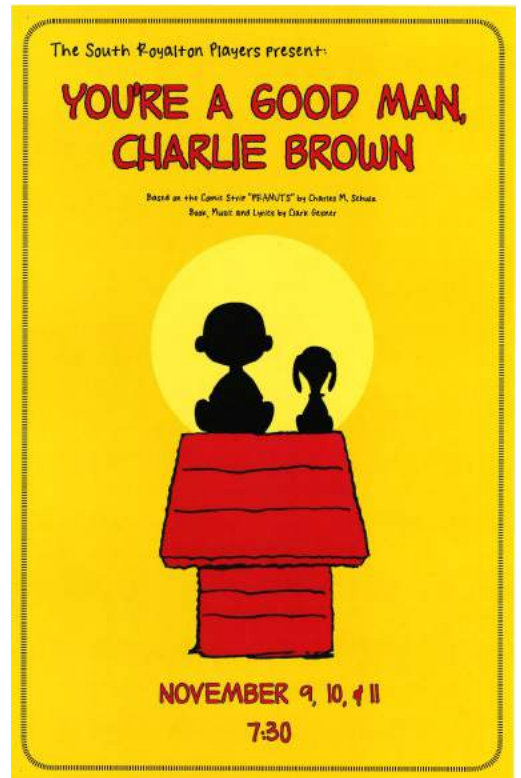


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Opening Tonight!
You're A Good Man,
Charlie Brown

\$10 Students/Seniors
\$15 Adults

See you there!



CALLING ALL CRAFTERS/VENDORS
WHO ARE INTERESTED IN BOOTH
INFORMATION

**DECEMBER 9TH 10-2^{PM} IN SOUTH ROYALTON
IS THE ANNUAL HOLIDAY FESTIVAL**

PLEASE CONTACT KERRI ROGERS AS SOON
AS POSSIBLE SPACE MAY BE LIMITED

802-299-9033 OR klrogers1475@yahoo.com



SORO'S Holiday Shop Around

December 9th 2017

Registration form

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

EMAIL _____

PHONE _____

TYPE OF CRAFT/ VENDOR _____

*FOR ANY SPECIAL REQUESTS PLEASE SPECIFY BELOW

BOOTH SPACE: _____ BRING YOUR OWN TABLE \$10.00

_____ TABLE PROVIDED \$15.00

PLEASE SEND REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT TO

KERRI ROGERS

P.O. BOX 871

SOUTH ROYALTON VT 05068

(CHECKS PAYABLE TO ROYALTON RECREATION)

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Tupperware!



We finished up our Tupperware fundraiser! The seventh-grade class raised the most amount of money in Tupperware sales. Tupperware sale participants: **Tatiana***, Essie, Hayleigh, **Bella***, **Kenny***, **Mackenna***, **Hannah C**, **Luke**, Abaigeal, **Zach***, Hannah V, Julia, Mackenzie, **Nick***, Felicity, **Alaina**, **Casey***, and Izzy.

Participants who sold any Tupperware won a Smidget! Those who sold \$100 or more won Ideal Bowls, and students who sold more than \$150 won soup containers! The proceeds from the Tupperware fundraiser support the class trips taken throughout the three years of middle school.

Bold sold \$100 or more
* sold \$150 or more



Second Step Connection

In our Second Step curriculum, we work with students to recognize values that they possess. At home, ask your student about their values! Below are some questions to start the conversation.

- Ask your child about some of his or her values. Talk about how his or her values are similar to or different from yours.
- Talk to your child about the kinds of interactions he or she has online. Ask your child how he or she shows his or her personal values while interacting online.
- Ask your child to name one value he or she thinks is important. Talk about ways everyone in your family can help show that value.
- Talk with your child about what he or she likes about his or her friends. Ask your child what he or she thinks those friends like about him or her.

Follow **Soro678** on **Facebook** for updates, reminders & photos!

The South Royalton Players present:

YOU'RE A GOOD MAN, CHARLIE BROWN

Based on the Comic Strip "PEANUTS" by Charles M. Schulz
Book, Music and Lyrics by Clark Gesner



NOVEMBER 9, 10, & 11

7:30



2018

South Royaltan Ski Bus Sign up

If you would like your child to ride the bus to and from Woodstock Ski Runners, **please return this form with \$25** (payable to Royaltan Ski Runners) ASAP to Jenny Lane in the Guidance Office. Scholarships are possible, please give Jenny a call.

For your child to ride the bus, you must chaperone at least once.

Child's Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Please select your first and second choice for chaperoning dates:

January 5__

February 2__

January 12__

February 9__

January 19__

February 16__

January 26__

March 2__

Your child's skis and poles must be in a sealed bag – completely within the bag and closed. Equipment not in such a bag will be refused by the bus company. Don't panic, we've figured out some very cheap handmade solutions. Please give Jenny a call with any questions (763-7740, ext. 208).



Student's Name _____ Classroom Teacher _____

2017 South Royalton School PTO Holiday Raffle

Name _____

Phone # _____

\$1.00 each ticket or 6 tickets for \$5.00

Drawing to be held 12/12/2017

Proceeds from the Holiday Raffle will benefit enrichment programs for students at South Royalton School

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Please return all raffle tickets and money to your teacher by Monday, December 11, 2017

Any questions about this raffle or the SoRo PTO, please contact Amanda Lewis or Gaylynn Huyghebaert.

Raffle prize winners will be notified by phone on 12/12/2017

Good Luck to all and thank you for your support.

Pizza Party Lunch for the elementary classroom with the most ticket sales.

Individual prizes for the top ten student ticket sales!

So Ro PTO 2017 Holiday Raffle Prize List 11/8/17

One cord dry firewood from David Ainsworth, \$250 value

Keurig 2.0 K250 Brewing System

Red Sox Mystery Item

Cabot Cheese Gift Box

Lake Monsters Bobble Head

Lunch @ RB's Deli

Music Stand

Handmade Holiday Wreath

Maple Syrup

Lake Monsters Hat

\$50 Tessie's Tavern Gift Certificate

Tupperware Bowl Set

ECHO Lake Aquarium & Science Center: 1 small family membership

\$90 OtterBox Gift Certificate

Large deluxe umbrella from Northfield Savings Bank

Lularoe Skirt

Vera Bradley Large Cosmetic Bag

Bath & Body Works Lotion

\$20 So Ro Senior Thrift Store Gift Certificate

\$20 Sherry's Headquarters Gift Certificate

10 pound case of Hatfield Hot Dogs

John Deere Insulated Tervis Cup

Office Chair from WB Mason

Thank you, Thank You, Thank You
To everyone who ordered from the
Middle School Grades 6, 7 & 8
Tupperware Fundraiser...!



Your generosity will support future field
trips and activities!

All orders have arrived and your student
should be delivering your purchase soon.

Questions – Contact Holly Williams via email

hwilliams@wrvsu.org

www.my.tupperware.com/hollywilliams

[Be sure you are on the VT Holly Williams site](#)