September/October 2017

Mt. Agamenticus Hike
On September 26, the outdoor exploration club climbed Mt. Agamenticus in York, Maine. At 692 feet, the mountain also known as “Big A” is a good starter hike that offers views of Boston, Casco Bay, and the Presidential Range.

Look for photos of the club’s Fall Fest camping trip with the Appalachian Mountain Club in the November issue of the Wolverine Times!

Festivus 5K Registration Opens!
Festivus 5K for Autism, a run/walk that benefits the Northshore Education Consortium, will be held on December 10 at 10 AM at Finz Seafood and Grill in Salem. In 2 years, over $30k has been raised to assist consortium students.

If you would like to donate, sponsor, volunteer, or run in this event please visit www.festivus5k.com for more information or contact NSA parent and race director Cindy Johnson at cynthia.m.johnson@gmail.com.

Race applications will be sent home with students.

Fall Drivers Education Courses
NSA will continue to offer drivers education to students during the 2017-2018 school year. It is a wonderful opportunity for your student to learn in a supported environment.

Sign up sheets were sent home to students in grades 9-12. A student must be 15 years and 9 months to take the class.

Fall classes start the week of October 30 and Spring classes begin the week of March 26. Please email Lynn Burns with any questions at lburns@nsedu.org
Senior Seminars
NSA Seniors will be working on their senior seminars to plan and execute a fundraiser for a cause of their choice. This project will help them learn important job skills, such as collaboration, communication, conflict resolution, initiative, organization and time management, problem solving, and dependability.

PSAT/SATs
The PSATs will be held at NSA on October 25th for students who have signed up. If families missed it this year, it will be offered again next year to 10th and 11th graders.

The SATs are offered all year, with the exception of February and April. The remaining dates for 2017-2018 include: November 4, December 2, March 10, May 5, and June 2. To learn more, visit https://www.collegeboard.org

School Spirit Day Schedule
On the last Friday of each month, we encourage students to dress for the following school spirit days:

September: Red Sox Spirit Day
October: Halloween (Approved, school appropriate costumes)
January: Pride Day

February: Hawaiian Day
March: Superheroes vs. Villains
April: Music Rocks: Wear band shirts or dress like a rocker!
May: America Day

Save the Date!
10/3 NSA field trip to Topsfield Fair
10/4 Parent Teacher Night 6:30-8PM
10/6 PICTURE DAY
10/9 No School (Columbus Day)
10/11 College Planning Night (email lburns@nsedu.org to RSVP)
10/17 Northshore Community College visits NSA for “On the Spot” admissions
10/20 No School (Professional Development day)
10/25 PSAT at NSA
12/10 Festivus 5K run/walk to benefit Northshore Education Consortium

Go Wolverines!