

## WELCOME TO THE UVMS DAILY BULLETIN!

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING OUR DAILY BULLETIN, FEEL FREE TO CALL ME, MRS. DAISY LOCKWOOD IN OUR MAIN OFFICE AT 223-8600. I WILL HELP ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE OR REFER YOU TO THE RIGHT PERSON. HAVE A NICE DAY!**

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**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2021**

**REMINDER:** Wednesday, November 24<sup>th</sup> through Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup> is our Thanksgiving Recess. Students do NOT attend school on these days.



**ATTENDANCE OFFICE –** Attention: Parents and Guardians – Please remember to have your child hand in the yellow (Health Office Card) and the white (Emergency Information Card)! Both cards can be dropped off in the Main Office.

**BEEKMAN LIBRARY –** The Beekman Library has provided us with their events calendar for December. Your child may stop by the Main Office for a copy.

**DUTCHESS OUTREACH –** The "Dutchess Outreach" Pantry has started a food drive! What to donate: any non-perishable food item including coffee and tea. The food drive collection box is located in the front lobby. We will be collecting until the end of November.



**HEALTH OFFICE –** If your child has borrowed an ice pack from the health office, please remember to return the ice pack when done with it. **REMINDER: Attention: Students** – please do not text your parents saying you are sick or not feeling well. Please go to the health office first and be seen by the nurse. At that time, you may call your parents. Thank you!



**LIBRARY –** **NOTE: Students; please return your overdue books!** The Library is OPEN Period 4 and CLOSED all other periods today, (11/23). Need assistance? You may e-mail our Librarian Ms. Kate Sprague-Hicks at [kspraguehicks@acsdny.org](mailto:kspraguehicks@acsdny.org) or the Library Secretary, Mrs. Kathy Schultz at [kschultz@acsdny.org](mailto:kschultz@acsdny.org).



**LOST AND FOUND ITEMS:** Please check the lost and found table in the hallway outside the Cafeteria, by the recess door for any clothing items, water bottles or lunch boxes you might have lost. Please label your coats and jackets with your name so they can be returned. For other items such as; books, calculators, jewelry, eyeglasses, purses; you may check in the Main Office.



## MATH AND LEARNING LAB-

Union Vale Middle School's Math and Learning Lab is available during all periods. Students take advantage of this opportunity to receive extra help with your math and other subjects during the school day. See your Math teacher for a pass. All students must have a pass to attend the Math and Learning Lab.



## PTA – BOX TOPS FOR BOOKS –

The PTA has a program called Box Tops for Books. Each coupon you clip will go towards the purchase of books for the UVMS Library. Please visit [boxtops4education.com](http://boxtops4education.com) for a complete list of participating brands. Do your online shopping at [boxtops4education.com](http://boxtops4education.com) and our school earns up to 8% on your purchases. Thank you for your support!

## PTA – REFLECTIONS PROGRAM – Calling all artists, writers, performers and more – UVMS PTA presents

**Reflections 2021!** This year's theme is I Will Change the World By.... You can create your Reflections entry using the following: Dance, Film, Literature, Composing Music, Photography, Visual Arts, Special Artist. See the UVMS PTA link on the UVMS Homepage for entry forms and rules. **The due date for entries is Friday, December 3, 2021.** Drop off at the Reflections Box in the Main Office.



## SCHOOL STORE –

The school store is located outside Room 113 and is open during homeroom. Daily supplies such as pencils, pens, index cards and loose leaf paper are available along with fancy pens, decorations for your locker and so much more! Stop by and check it out! If you are interested in helping with the School Store, see Mrs. Jensen in Room 113.

**TECHNOLOGY – REMINDER:** students should bring in their Chromebook chargers **EVERYDAY** to school with them.

**YEARBOOK (UVMS YEARBOOK) – Attention: 8<sup>th</sup> graders** – this is a friendly reminder; if you are interested in including your baby picture in the UVMS Yearbook, go to UVMS Website Homepage, Yearbook Information, under Quick Links for instructions. **The last day to submit your baby picture is Friday, December 10<sup>th</sup>!**

## AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

**ANIMATION CLUB – NOTE: The Animation Club is now FULL.** Animation/Movie Club will be meeting after school on Wednesday, (12/1) in Room 100. Students will be taking the 4:15pm late busses home. A list of Animation Club members is posted outside Room 100. Questions? Ask Mr. Tall in Room 100 or Mr. Healy in Room 116.

**DRAMA CLUB** – Drama Club is back! On Wednesdays and Thursdays, we will be holding drama workshops which will include improvisation, acting tips and lots of stage fun. Interested? We can only take the first twenty students who sign up for each day in the music hallway with Ms. Leonard. You will need to take the 4:15pm bus home or get picked up by your parent. Sign-up with Ms. Leonard in the Chorus Room. Sign-ups will be weekly. In January, we will begin our school musical. Questions? See Mr. Internicola in Room 233.

**SKI/SNOWBOARD CLUB** – Ski/Snowboard members; please bring your permission slip and check to the Main Office by Wednesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>. Remember: reservations are given in the order of received. Any questions, please see Mr. Franks in Room 235.

**STUDENT EQUITY TEAM** – Students! If you are interested in equity, diversity, inclusion and social concerns, join the Student Equity Team. Stop by the library and sign up! Our first meeting will be after school today, (11/23). We will meet in the library at dismissal. Have additional questions? See Mrs. Sprague-Hicks in the library.

**ULTIMATE FRISBEE INTRAMURALS** – Ultimate Frisbee will meet after school today, (11/23). Please arrive dressed to play Ultimate Frisbee and be sure to listen to afternoon announcements in case of bad weather. Ultimate Frisbee is open to all 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> graders. Pick up your permission slip in the main office today! Questions? Ask Mr. Tall in Room 100.

**YEARBOOK CLUB** – Interested in joining Yearbook Club? Please fill out the form linked to UVMS website. And, become a part of the club that keeps you connected to our school. If you have additional questions, students may stop by and see Ms. Keene.

**NOTE:** There will be 4:15pm late buses on Mondays through Thursdays, for our after school activities.