

CVU ANNOUNCEMENTS

Friday, January 4, 2019

White Day

Birthdays: Michael Nails

Menu: Crunchy chicken Hawaiian wrap w/baked French fries
Crunchy veggie Hawaiian wrap w/baked French fries

Activities: Add/Drop 8:00-9:45, 10:00-3:15
Semester 2 begins

Saturday

10:00 Wrestling at Saratoga Springs High School

10:00 Nordic Ski at U-32

6:15 Boys Hockey at Stowe Arena

8:20 Girls Hockey v Rice at Cairns

DIRECTION CENTER:

- **Attention All Seniors:** The 2019 New England Red Sox Service Scholarship Program is now open. The program will be awarding one \$1,000 scholarship to a senior at CVU who applies and meets the criteria of 1) Demonstrated Community Service 2) Academic Performance and 3) Eligibility for Financial Aid. This scholarship award is for those pursuing a two or four year degree at any college or university in the fall, 2019. You will find a link to the instructions on Naviance. You can also go to www.redsoxfoundation.org/servicescholarships/#Application. Each student must enter an access code to begin the application. The code is RICTVT2019. Each application must include: Student Aid Report/copy of FAFSA confirmation email, student transcript, letter of recommendation, and written essay. The application deadline is Friday, February 8, 2019. Any questions, see your House Counselor.
- **Mad River Glen Ski Pass:** Students, if you received the Sugarbush Ski Pass for having high honors for your final grade at the end of the 2018 school year, you are also eligible for a Mad River Glen Ski Pass. You can pick up your pass at the Mad River Glen Ticket Office. Make sure you bring an ID.

WORD OF THE DAY: Solstice

1. Either of two points on the ecliptic at which its distance from the celestial equator is greatest.
2. The time of the sun's passing one such point on the ecliptic which occurs about June 21 to begin summer in the northern hemisphere and about December 21 to begin winter in the northern hemisphere.

In the Northern Hemisphere, the summer solstice usually occurs on June 20 or 21 and the winter solstice on December 21 or 22. In the Southern Hemisphere, where the seasons are reversed, the solstices are exactly the opposite. For several days around the time of the solstices, the sun's appearance on the horizon at sunrise and sunset seems to occur at the same spot, before it starts drifting to the north or south again. *Solstice* gets its shine from *sol*, the Latin word for "sun." The ancients added *sol* to *-stit-* (a [participial](#) stem of *sistere*, which means "to stand still") and came up with *solstitium*. Middle English speakers shortened *solstitium* to *solstice* in the 14th century.

Merriam Webster

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