

CVU ANNOUNCEMENTS

Monday, October 15, 2018

White Day

Birthdays: Rachel Kelley, Tim Duvernoy

Menu: Garlic teriyaki tempeh, broccoli & pineapple on rice
Crispy chick pea gyro served w/hummus

Activities: Advisory/Flex – Co-Advisory #2 (Optional)
JV Football v Colchester at CVU 4:00 dismiss 2:45
Girls V&JV Volleyball at St. Johnsbury 4:30/6:00 dismiss 1:30
Boys JV Volleyball v MMU at CVU 4:30

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- **Tickets are selling quickly for the musical “LEGALLY BLONDE.”** Join Harvard's beloved blonde, Elle Woods, as she tackles stereotypes and scandals in pursuit of her dreams, all while taking the stage by pink storm in this fun, upbeat story of self-discovery. You can purchase tickets on line at Ticketsource.us/cvutheatre, but if you would like to avoid the on-line ticket processing fee, you can purchase tickets in the Main Office with cash or check. Shows are Friday and Saturday 10/26 and 27 at 7:30 and Sunday 10/28 at 2:00. Tickets are \$8.00 for students, children, faculty and staff and \$10.00 for general admission.
 - **Lost & Found** items are now displayed and organized in the Main Office – if you've lost anything, please come check the table. Items will go out in the Lobby next Thursday/Friday when parents are here for conferences. There is also a box of stuff that was found in the Café at the Rally Dance, including a bag of white gloves.
 - **Next weekend (10/20 and 10/21) CVU -- for the first time ever!** -- is hosting the Special Olympics Vermont Fall Games!! This is a really big deal for our school. Lots of volunteers are needed to make this event work. To sign up, go to: <http://www.tinyurl.com/CVUFallGames> and scroll to the bottom to sign up to help out. Any questions, see Peter Booth in Room 120.
 - **Burlington Technical Center** is in session on Thursday, 10/18. CVU will provide transportation to and from the technical center from CVU ONLY. Students will need to get themselves to CVU for a bus ride to and from BTC.
 - **Picture Retake Day** - Lifetouch will be here Wednesday, 10/17 in the Main Office lobby. Bring your packet of pics if you are doing retakes.
 - **Nordic Ski Team Information Meeting** on 10/25 in the CVU Cafeteria 6-6:45pm for NEW skiers and parents- team & equipment information 6:45-7:30pm for ALL skiers and parents- changes for this season & fundraising. Please see Sarah Strack in room 200 or email sstrack@cvsdvt.org with questions. Lots of information can also be found on cvunordic.com
 - **Lost water bottles and lunch boxes** are located on the window ledge by the Main Office. Please check there if your water bottle/lunch box has gone missing. They are disposed of after a couple of weeks.

DIRECTION CENTER:

College Visits Are Here! Please come on time, during a free block or with permission from your teacher. If you are going to be late, please let Karen in the Direction Center know the day before so that the college rep waits for you. All visits are 45 minutes long.

Monday, 10/15

1:00 PM High Point University

Tuesday, 10/16

10:30 AM Sarah Lawrence College

1:00 PM Hobart & William Smith Colleges

Wednesday, 10/17

8:30 AM University of Vermont

9:30 AM Nazareth College

1:00 PM Wheaton College

WORD OF THE DAY: Oblige

1. To constrain by physical, moral or legal force or by the exigencies of circumstance
- 2 a) To put in one's debt by a favor or service. b) to do a favor for. c) to do something as or as if as a favor

Oblige shares some similarities with its close relative *oblige*, but there are also differences. *Oblige* derives via Middle English and the Anglo-French *obliger* from Latin *obligare* ("to bind to"), a combination of *ob-* ("to or toward") and *ligare* ("to bind"), whereas *oblige* descends directly from *obligatus*, the Latin past participle of *obligare*. Both *oblige* and *oblige* are frequently used in their past participle forms to express a kind of legal or moral constraint. *Obliged* once meant "indebted for a service or favor," but today it typically means "required to do something because the law requires it or because it is the right thing to do." *Obliged* is now the preferred term for the sense that Southern author Flannery O'Connor used in a 1952 letter: "I would be much obliged if you would send me six copies."

Examples of OBLIGE

"Bessie would rather have stayed, but she was *obliged* to go, because punctuality at meals was rigidly enforced at Gateshead Hall."

— **Charlotte Brontë**, *Jane Eyre*, 1847

"The band has been playing the anniversary shows around the country since mid-2017, and after West Coast fans demanded a local performance, the nine-piece ska band from Boston happily *obliged*."

— **Kelli Skye Fadoski**, *The Chico (California) Enterprise-Record*, 29 June 2018

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