

CVU ANNOUNCEMENTS
Wednesday, November 14, 2018
White Day

Birthdays: Alexandra Wainer, Carl Recchia

Menu: Sweet n'sour chicken green beans & fresh pineapple
Sweet n'sour tofu green beans & fresh pineapple

Activities: Connect/Flex – RISE Student Course Selection (must be completed by 11/16)
Molander/Gover Advisory field trip W3&4
Scholar's Bowl at Lamoille Union High School 4:00 dismiss 2:30
Meet the Coaches night 6:00 Gym (required)

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- **For those students who are participating in Winter sports**, please make sure you are registered in Form Releaf. If you want to add a winter sport to your current registration, stop in the Main Office and see Debbie. Also, you must have a current well exam to participate. You can also check with Debbie to see if your exam is current. This needs to be done before November 26 which is when tryouts begin.
 - **The 2019 CVU Spring Theatre Production will be THE LARAMIE PROJECT** (A theatrical collage that explores the depths to which humanity can sink & the compassionate heights to which we can climb). If you are interested in auditioning, or just finding out more about this production and how you can get involved, please plan to attend the info meeting – Wednesday 12/5 from 3:15-4:30 in the theatre. (This will be a mandatory meeting if you are considering auditioning). Auditions will be Wednesday 12/12 and performances are March 15, 16, 17. This production contains MATURE THEMES. In 1998, a 21 year old student was kidnapped, beaten and left for dead...for being gay. His name was Matthew Shepard. The place was Laramie Wyoming. THE LARAMIE PROJECT explores the aftermath of this event.
 - **WINTER Sports “Meet the Coaches Night”** - The “Meet the Coaches Night” for all WINTER sports is Wednesday, 11/14 at 6pm in the main gym. This is a REQUIRED meeting for ALL athletes (and at least one parent) planning on trying out/playing a WINTER sport. The meeting will begin with an overview of the athletic department philosophy and protocols presented by Dan Shepardson, CVU AD, and then there will be “breakout” meetings for the individual sports. Any questions, contact Dan Shepardson: dshepardson@cvsdvt.org
 - **Hello, my name is Sophie Roy and I am a senior at CVUHS.** For my graduation challenge I am hosting a meal packing event on 12/1! It will be in the chorus room and will be about 2 hours long. In order to host this event I need to raise 3,500 dollars. All the money will be going towards food for malnourished people around the world. If you would like to help eradicate world hunger, please contact me @sophieroy@cvsdvt.org or check out my instagram @sophiesgradchallenge (all checks can be made to RISE Against Hunger).
 - **On Thursday, 11/15, the EnACT club** is hosting an environmentally themed open mic and workshop in collaboration with Young Writers Project. The event will be held from 6-8pm at the Burlington City Arts Church Street location (135 Church St). Come and share or listen to poetry, prose, essay, visual art or a song (it can be anything!). There will also be a collaborative creators workshop. It's free and there's pizza! For more see Sophie Dauerman, Hazel Civalier, Katie Antos-Ketcham or go to <https://youngwritersproject.org/node/24751>

DIRECTION CENTER:

ATTENTION SOPHOMORES AND JUNIORS: The Direction Center will be offering a field trip to Vermont Technical College/Williston for their "TRY A MAJOR DAY" on Friday, 12/14, from 9:15am-12:45pm. Field trip permission forms are in the Direction Center. Each major offering is capped on a first-come, first-served basis.

Interested students can sign up by returning their permission form to the Direction Center no later than Friday, 11/30.

Programs offered are:

Business Programs

Computer & Information Systems Programs

Dental Hygiene

Electrical Engineering Technology

Paramedicine

Professional Pilot Technology

Respiratory Therapy

Questions? Connect with your House Counselor

College Visits

Wednesday, November 14th

8:15 am Lesley University

9:00 am Maine College of Art

Friday, November 16th

8:30 am Castleton University

Monday, November 26th

10 am Salisbury University

WORD OF THE DAY: Recalcitrant

1 : obstinately defiant of authority or restraint

2 a : difficult to manage or operate

b : not responsive to treatment

c : **resistant**

Long before any human was dubbed "recalcitrant" in English (that first occurred in the 18th century), there were stubborn mules (and horses) kicking back their heels. The ancient Romans noted as much ([Pliny the Elder](#) among them), and they had a word for it: *recalcitrare*, which literally means "to kick back." (Its root *calc-*, meaning "heel," is also the root of [calcaneus](#), the large bone of the heel in humans.) Certainly Roman citizens in Pliny's time were sometimes willful and hardheaded—as attested by various Latin words meaning "stubborn"—but it wasn't until later that writers of Late Latin applied *recalcitrare* and its derivative adjective to humans who were stubborn as mules.

Merriam-Webster

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