

CVU ANNOUNCEMENTS
Tuesday, December 4, 2018
Red Day

Birthdays: Baker Angstman, Finn O'Brien

Menu: Beef chili dog served with garden mac salad
Veggie organic chili dog (dairy & soy free local frank) served with garden mac salad

Activities: Math League at Colchester 3:30 – dismiss 2:45
Boys V&JV basketball scrimmage at Lamoille Union High School 5:00/6:30

-
- **The CVU MOUNTAIN BIKE CLUB** is having a meeting today, 12/4 in Room 124 from 3:00-3:15 (you will catch your bus in time). New riders are welcome to join the club at any time during the year!

 - **See you at CVU's CELEBRATE THE ARTS NIGHT** on Thursday, 12/13! A fun date for all! Art activities for the whole family. Family and Consumer Science classes provide free refreshments.
6:00-7:30 pm - Visual arts, performing arts, fashion design and tech ed will display over 450 pieces created by current CVU & district students.
Business students will share info on the Vermont Haiti Project. Purchase advanced tickets for their Annual Family Formal benefiting Make-A-Wish Vermont.
6:30-7:00 pm - CVU's Jazz Ensemble in four corners!
7:00-7:15 pm - CVU's Women's Chorus in the science wing!
7:30-8:30 pm - CVU Theater performances by CVU's Symphonic Winds and Women's chorus
Also, new this year...
5:30-7:00pm - NEXUS independent learning students will share Nexhibitions in the Library
Sustainability student work in the café!

 - **The Refugee Outreach Club** is holding a winter clothing drive this week. There is a box in the main office where people can drop off anything they're willing to donate. We will take things of any sizes, socks, gloves, boots, pants, coats, hats, etc. Thank you!

 - **The CVU Nordic Ski Team** is once again having its annual online auction (<https://www.32auctions.com/cvunordic2018>). We have a large variety of donated items from area businesses in our auction including ski passes, gift cards for dining, and clothing. Please help support CVU skiing while enjoying local products! The auction runs from 12/2-12/16 at 6pm. Check it out at <https://www.32auctions.com/cvunordic2018> New Items will be added daily!

 - **The 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 from 3:15-4:30 in the theatre. (This will be a mandatory meeting if you are considering auditioning.) Auditions will be Wed. Dec. 12th. 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.

- **Ever wonder how pizza came to be consumed in the US**, or why yoga is practiced differently in different parts of the world? Come check out the Cultural Diffusion Infographics produced by AP Human Geography students on display in the library.

DIRECTION CENTER:

- **Mad River Glenn 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 Glenn Ski Pass. You can pick up your pass at the Mad River Glenn Ticket Office. Make sure you bring an ID.
- The Direction Center would like to make you aware of a **scholarship opportunity for JUNIORS ONLY:** “The Coolidge Scholarship is an annually awarded, full-ride, presidential scholarship that covers a student’s tuition, room, board and expenses for four years of undergraduate study. The Coolidge may be used by recipients at any accredited American college or university.” The application deadline is January 23, 2019 at 5 PM. Criteria are: academic excellence (depth and/or breadth beyond the classroom), interest in Public Policy (not just government, but “engaging in the pressing issues of the time... including service and care for the well-being of others.” The link to the website is: <https://coolidgescholars.org/> The link to apply is: <https://coolidgescholars.org/apply/>. All Juniors should have received an email with this information. Good luck!

WORD OF THE DAY: Circumvent

1. **To manage to get around especially by ingenuity or stratagem**
2. **A. To hem in**
B. To make a circuit around

If you've ever felt as if someone was circling around the rules, you have an idea of the origins of *circumvent*—it derives from the Latin *circum*, meaning "circle," and *ventus*, the past participle of the Latin verb *venire*, meaning "to come." The earliest uses of *circumvent* referred to a tactic of hunting or warfare in which the quarry or enemy was encircled and captured. Today, however, *circumvent* more often suggests avoidance than entrapment; it typically means to "get around" someone or something, as in our example sentences.

Merriam-Webster

[Archived Announcements](#)