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FRIENDS OF CUTLER

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THIS MONTH AT CUTLER.....

Upcoming Events

- Nov 10th- No School Teacher Professional Day
- Nov 11th- No School Veterans Day
- Nov 18th- Friends of Cutler Mtg. @ 9:15am
- Nov 19th and 20th – Ski, Skate, Board and Ride Sale
- Nov. 23rd -Early Release Day @ 12:05
- Dec 16th - Teacher/Staff Cookie Swap
- Dec 14th -Principal Coffee

Full calendar at www.friendsofcutler.com

- *We are getting very excited for our Ski, Skate, Board and Ride Consignment Event that is taking place on November 19th and 20th. For those of you that are new to the school, this is a consignment event with skiing apparel and equipment, skates, hockey equipment, snow boards horseback riding equipment and apparel and bikes. Do you have things to consign? Or to Donate? Check the website for instructions! Don't forget to sign up to volunteer to get in on the presale! This is an event you won't want to miss!
- *The holidays are right around the corner and for those of you getting a jump on your holiday shopping don't forget to utilize the Amazon link on The Friends of Cutler website for all of your Amazon shopping. Cutler will get up to 10% of your purchases!
- *A huge thank you to Stephanie Stein and Anna Siedzik for getting the school directory completed and printed. This is a resource we all turn to throughout the year.
- *Thank you to the Free Money Committee for collecting and organizing our first Box Top submission of the year. Don't forget to keep clipping throughout the year!

Top Things to Know about the Ski, Skate, Board & Ride Consignment Event (More details on PAGE 2)

When: Saturday and Sunday, November 19th and 20th

What: New & consigned apparel & equipment for skiing, skating, hockey, snowboarding & horseback riding. Gear for the whole family! Bikes, scooters, roller blades too!

Where: Cutler School, 237 Asbury St, South Hamilton, MA 01982

Why: A fundraiser for the Friends of Cutler that also provides a venue for the community to buy used equipment at a reasonable price and sell equipment they can no longer use.

Meet the Cutler Staff

Ms. Meikrantz

Favorite Food for Breakfast: Pumpkin Pancakes

Favorite Book: I can't pick just one, I LOVE to read!

Favorite Movie: "We Bought a Zoo"

Favorite Activity: Hiking with my family.

Favorite Thing about Cutler: The kids!

Two things we don't know about you:

I have 11 chickens, a dog, a cat, a bunny and a snake.

I love to play ice hockey!



Ms. Meikrantz



Ms. Paulson

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Favorite Food for Breakfast: Smoothies

Favorite Book: "The Fountainhead" by Ayn Rand

Favorite Movie: "Notting Hill"

Favorite Activity: Downhill Skiing

Favorite Thing about Cutler: The kind and caring nature of the staff and students.

Two things we don't know about you:

I enjoy letterboxing in the summer. I have a 7 year old cocker spaniel named Riley.

Outdoor Classroom Gazebo Project

Last June, the Friends of Cutler donated \$20,000 to the school for the construction of an outdoor classroom on our back playground. Classes will explore the new space over the next few weeks during both class times and during recess. This is a welcome addition to our back playground, giving our younger students an additional recess play space and our entire school a place to hold classes outside and shielded from the elements. This beautiful project is a product of the dedication of our parents. Thank you for supporting our students so generously with your time, efforts, and funds.



The First FoC Mini-Grant of the Year has been Awarded!

The Friends of Cutler are happy to announce that we awarded our first mini-grant of the year! Susan Lucia submitted an application to purchase literature that supports a Growth Mindset. In a Growth Mindset, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work—brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment. Virtually all people have had these qualities. Teaching a growth mindset creates motivation and productivity in all aspects of life.

As always, thanks for all your help!



Ski, Skate, Board & Ride Consignment Event (Cont.)



How can you help?

- **CONSIGN OR DONATE** - Start cleaning closets now and making your consignment or donation pile! More details on the process coming soon.
- **HELP SPREAD THE WORD** – Tell your friends about the event and follow it on Facebook - www.facebook.com/skiskateboardrideconsignmentevent
- **PLAN TO SHOP** - Bring friends and family - Find great deals on new and previously used apparel & equipment.
- **VOLUNTEER** - Sign up for a volunteer slot and get your PRE-SALE PASS. Details coming in October.
- **JOIN THE FUN!!** This is one of those events that communities and friendships are built on. Join us for the fun!

Full details online at <http://www.friendsofcutler.com/ski-skate-board--ride.html>

