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**Dover High School Family Information Update
November 22, 2016**

Thanksgiving Break will be from Wednesday, November 23 through Sunday, November 27 with classes resuming on Monday, November 28. We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

At this time when we reflect upon what we are thankful for, I would like to recognize the efforts of Donna Berchulski in organizing Dover High School's Thanksgiving Food Basket Program which resulted in the school's ability to provide 56 Thanksgiving meals to our families that would benefit from assistance. Two specific groups to recognize are Measured Progress and Ms. Stone's AP United States History Class for their material and financial contributions. A final thank you goes to all the other members of the Dove High School community whose contributions, large and small, made this effort successful.

Ms. Freear-Motor and Ms. Cancellieri again spearheaded this year's Pink the Wave effort which raised \$1,028.34 for My Breast Cancer Support. They would also particularly like to thank the Girls' Volleyball Team and Ms. Lauze for their help in making this undertaking a success.

Thank you to the Guidance Department and the assistance of the New Hampshire Higher Education Foundation whose efforts resulted in 50 students applying for college on November 17th.

Finally, thank you to Mr. Leclair and the Anatomy & Physiology students for overseeing a blood drive that resulted in the collection of 51 pints of blood.

Yearbook News:

Yearbooks make a great holiday gift....purchase a yearbook today for \$55.00, and print out a gift certificate to give to your DHS student. Students will pick up their copy of the DHS Yearbook on the Yearbook Reveal Day in June 2017.

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Repeated Information

Please join us at the DHS Ice Hockey Jamboree is on Saturday, December 3rd at the Dover Arena starting at 1pm. It features 12 teams in total including local teams like Dover, St. Thomas and Spaulding. Admission is \$8 for adults and \$5 for students and senior citizens.

Yearbook News:

The opportunity to purchase a Parent Ad/Personal Message for the 2017 Yearbook has been extended to November 26th.....

Send a personal message to your 2017 Graduate which will appear in the DHS Yearbook. Go to yearbookforever.com and click on "Personal Message" and you will be prompted to choose an ad size, enter your message, and add a photo/photos. It's fast and easy and payment is done online. <https://yearbookforever.com/#school/329238/2017>

This year the *2016 Christa McAuliffe Technology Conference* invites parents and teenagers to join us for a FREE showing of the award-winning documentary *SCREENAGERS*, followed by questions and answers with a panel of educators and administrators. *SCREENAGERS* is an hour-long documentary by physician and filmmaker Delaney Ruston, who probes into the vulnerable corners of family life, including her own, to explore struggles over social media, video games, academics, and internet addiction. The average kid spends 6.5 hours a day looking at screens. She wondered about the impact of all this time and about the friction occurring in homes and schools around negotiating screen time—friction she knew all too well. This screening will be held on Monday, November 28th from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at the Radisson Hotel in Manchester. Interested parties are asked to RSVP by Wednesday, November 23rd. An informational handout is attached to this email.

Would you like to be more involved in your child's school? Maybeth Anderson, Dover High School librarian, would love to have your help in the library this year. There are many tasks for you to choose from: entering magazine and book data on a computer, compiling library attendance statistics, creating signs, shelving books, repairing books and much more. Choose the day and time that work best for you. No experience necessary! Please contact Maybeth for more information: m.anderson@dover.k12.nh.us; 603-516-6973.

Sincerely,

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