



# READFIELD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

 **November 3rd, 2023** 



## Important Dates

**November 5** - Daylight Savings Time Ends - Turn the Clocks Back One Hour

**November 7** - Picture Retake Day - Please notify teacher if retakes are needed.

**November 8** - Early Release Day - Dismissal Starts with Bus Students at 11:45am

**November 8** - REPA Meeting at RES 6:30 pm

**November 10** - Holiday - No School - Veteran's Day

**November 16** - Parent Teacher Conferences - 3:00 pm - 6:40 pm

**November 17** - Square 1 Art Orders and REPA Norway Candle Forms Due

**November 22 - 24** - Thanksgiving Break - No School

**November 30** - Parent Teacher Conferences - 3:00 pm - 6:40 pm

Fall Parent Teacher Conferences are scheduled for November 16th and November 30th with appointments from 3:00 pm - 6:40 pm. Schedule using this link, <http://www.pickatime.com/readfield>

Parent-Teacher  
**CONFERENCES**



## Holiday Food Baskets

During the upcoming Holiday Season, we understand that a celebratory dinner may be a hardship for many. If your family needs assistance with a holiday meal for help with food in general please see attached flyer for local resources.



# Maranacook Elementary

## Physical Education

### Mr. Lajoie

We are a few weeks into our throwing and catching unit where we are learning many cooperative skills and starting some competitive games. Throwing and catching is always a student favorite as there are so many great games and activities we get to do. With all competitive games we discuss the importance of good sportsmanship, wanting to win but respecting those we get to play against and the only way we truly win in PE is by giving our best effort.

Grades K-2 are learning about underhand throws and beginning to learn how to throw overhand in a mature pattern that will lead to accuracy and greater distances. Grades 3-5 are still practicing our overhand throws with games like Boom city, Monster ball and mini games during our station day.

I always lead new skills with a talk about how we get better at things, **Practice, Practice, Practice!!!!** Your kids are awesome so get out there and be awesome with them and let them show you their new (or old) throwing skills.

### SHOE CORNER

**Cold weather** means winter boots and warm gear for an active outdoor recess. It also means an **extra pair of sneakers** for gym class and all indoor activities.

Boots are better than crocs but still not the right gear for gym class. A wet and dirty gym floor is slippery and unsafe. Help me keep the children safe and active by sending them with sneakers.



#### Mr. Lajoie PE Days:

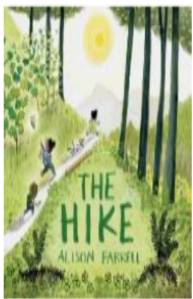
**Mon:** Readfield  
**Tue:** Wayne  
**Wed:** Manchester  
**Thurs:** Manchester  
**Fri:** Readfield

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# OUTERWEAR AVAILABLE

We have new and gently used coats, snow pants, and boots. Please contact Nurse Jada if your children are in need of any of these items. 685-4406 ext. 1 or [jada\\_clark@maranacook.com](mailto:jada_clark@maranacook.com)



## November STORY WALK® at Readfield Elementary School—*The Hike*

The RES StoryWalk® is always open for all to enjoy! The RES Story Walk is located along the edge of the back soccer field behind the school. The picture book featured for November is *The Hike* by Alison Farrell, sponsored by Barbara and Bruce Bourgoine.



