

The mission of the Three Village Central School District, in concert with its families and community, is to provide an educational environment which will enable each student to achieve a high level of academic proficiency and to become a well-rounded individual who is an involved, responsible citizen.

Rosanne DiBella, Principal Merrilleen Heidrich, Assistant Principal

## **WS Mount Elementary School**

Mount **SCORES!** 

Our students are Self-controlled, Caring, Open-minded, Respectful, Encouraging, and Safe!

August 2019

**Dear Mount Families:** 

Welcome back to an exciting new school year! I hope it was an enjoyable, restful summer with your children. As always, we have much news to share.

Below are our wonderful new additions to the W.S. Mount Elementary School faculty and staff:

Ms. Califano, part time Music Teacher

Ms. Conforti, Pre-K Teaching Assistant

Ms. DeLorenzo, Instructional Consultant

Ms. Diana, Health Teacher

Mr. Jordan. Band Teacher

Ms. Keller, Guidance Counselor

Ms. O'Leary, Kindergarten Teacher

Ms. Rebore, School Psychologist

Ms. Rickmers, Social Worker

Our school schedule for the 2019-2020 year will be as follows: First day of school for students – Tuesday, September 3, 2019 W. S. Mount School Hours – 9:25 am until 3:40 pm.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING BUS TRANSPORTATION**: Please be aware that the district will not be mailing bus passes again, this year. Please refer to the Parent Portal to obtain information regarding your child's transportation.

Please go to the W.S. Mount School website where there are letters and supply lists posted from our teachers. Kindergarten packets with teacher information will be given out at our kindergarten play date on August 27<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM. Any kindergarten parent unable to attend the play date will receive all information by mail.

W. S. Mount will continue to have security guards and a greeter who will require all visitors to sign in and show photo identification upon entering the building. Every visitor will be issued a pass and will be required to turn in the pass and sign out before leaving the building. Please be aware that W.S. Mount does not have the personnel required to supervise students who

are dropped off early. Only students who have prescheduled activities are permitted to arrive prior to the regular start of school. Likewise, if you are picking up your child at the end of school, please be prompt, as we are not able to supervise students after school unless they have a prescheduled after school activity.

Your child will receive a September lunch menu, but to help prepare for the first day the menu for Tuesday September 3, is as follows: Chicken Bites, Fluffy Brown Rice, Gravy, Broccoli, Applesauce and Milk

The school district policy regarding delayed openings due to weather is located on the district calendar. You may log onto our website at <a href="www.3villagecsd.k12.ny.us">www.3villagecsd.k12.ny.us</a> for weather or emergency related closings. The School-Age Child Care (SACC) program <a href="www.412.ny.us">www.412.ny.us</a> for weather or emergency related closings. The School-Age Child Care (SACC) program <a href="www.412.ny.us">www.412.ny.us</a> for other other purposes is cancelled when schools are closed. If weather predictions indicate that early morning conditions will clear shortly, a two hour delayed opening might be conducted district-wide. In that event, all schools will open two hours later than regular time. All students should be at their bus stops exactly two hours later than their usual time. The morning SACC program will be cancelled, as well as all before school programs. Dismissals for all schools will be at the normal times. If there is an Early Dismissal,

W.S. Mount will dismiss at 12:15 pm.

Please note that the W. S. Mount Open House will be:

Thursday, September 12, 2019

ENL & Pre-K at 6:00 PM KN, Grades 1 & 2 at 6:30 PM Grades 3 & 4 at 7:00 PM Grades 5 & 6 at 7:30 PM

Our District Code of Conduct can be found as a link on the W. S. Mount website. Please take some time to familiarize yourself with the district's policy on conduct and safety.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to call me. I am so very much looking forward to welcoming our talented Mount students and staff back to school! Together they make Mount the wonderful place it is!

Sincerely,

Rosanne DiBella

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