

Youth Scoop

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DIRECT DIALOG

Sweet November is here! October was so busy that before we could blink, it was over! October was a very successful month for the crew here at MYSB and in the community.....Wasting no time we moved forward with all kinds of fun and successful MYSB events from: our 11th annual Lights on After School, to the Pancake Breakfast, to our 7th Trick or Trunk Event with Parks & Recreation! See recaps of these great events on our Facebook page... We have some very cool pictures! Thank you to those who attended, donated to, and supported our (13th) Annual Pancake Breakfast, It was a huge success with over 180 people served Troy's famous Pancakes! We raised over \$1,200.00 to support MYSB programs & services!

Please take a moment on **November 11th** to honor our **Veterans** (serving now and in the past, those still with us, and those we have lost) for the freedom they have given to us through their patriotism and great personal sacrifice! Fly your **Stars & Stripes** proudly! Each year MYSB kids send cards to the 2 Veteran's hospitals in Connecticut to brighten their day and thank them for their service! For me it is extra special and important since I have 4 Veterans in my own family! We also have several military families in our MYSB family as well.

November is also host month to Thanksgiving, and MYSB stays busy helping with food drives, and of course hosting the ever-so-popular Parent/Child Pie Baking Contest (on 11/14) See inside for details on how to enter. November 23rd is Thanksgiving Day, so celebrate in the true spirit of this holiday by giving thanks for family, friends, good food, warm homes, and all those little everyday things that we all so often take for granted!

Be safe while celebrating, and keep our holidays happy! Then brace yourselves for dare I say it...December and all the fun that is in store for all of us! You truly do help to make a world of difference! Be safe and thankful this holiday season and may you, your families, and your friends enjoy a really Nice November! See inside for all of our important November events!

Warm Regards~



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Remember to stay tuned to The Youth Scoop, the Montville Events Magazine, our website: www.montvilleyouth.org and our Facebook page for up-to-date program, service & event information, or give us a call at 848-7724 to speak with a staff member. We will be happy to assist you in any way we can!

What's going on?

Parent/Child Pie Baking Contest

Tuesday, November 14th

5:30 pm

Parents or Grandparents and children must work together to make a pie at home and bring it in to have it judged by special guest judges.

Prizes will be awarded for the best pies!

(MYSB discourages ice cream pies, as they melt.)

Parent/Child Teams must include ingredients for their pies!

Last day to sign up is November 10th

(6 teams minimum & 12 teams max)

Please see Kim or Barb for details!!



STOCKING DRIVE!

MYSB & YAC NEED YOUR HELP!! We hope to collect 200+ Gift Cards & Christmas Candy to help make the holidays a little brighter for Montville Teens.

We will be collecting \$5 Gift Cards for the Dollar Store, 5 Below, McDonald's and Dunkin' Donuts.

Candy canes, hot chocolate packets & other holiday treats would be great, too!!

All the stockings will be delivered to Montville Social Services in December!

Last day to donate is December 13th



*Remembering Sandy Hook
5 year Anniversary!*

Green Out!

Thursday, December 14th

Luminary Lighting 4:30-5:30 pm

Montville Community Center

Join Montville High School Youth Action Council & Montville Youth Services as we remember the Sandy Hook Community by "greening out" our community. Wear your green to show support for Newtown!

Luminaries will be available to purchase at the Youth Center beginning, Monday, November 27th (as well as the day of the event!)

All donations will go directly to The Sandy Hook Memorial Fund!

~Odds & Ends~

Save The Date!!

Tuesday, March 1st at Tyl Middle School

~**Dr. Ruth Potee**~

Brain Development, Substance Abuse & Mental Health Community Conversation

Stay tuned for more information as it becomes available!



Town Of Montville

Holiday Parade

Sunday, December 3rd

MYSB & Montville High School Youth Action Council will be having a table to purchase Glow Necklaces (2 for \$1) and luminaries for our Sandy Hook Green Out Event (\$1.00).

All money raised will benefit the Sandy Hook Memorial Fund & Montville Social Services Stocking Drive!!

Kid of the Month

November 2017

Sarah May is a senior at Montville High School, and has been involved with Youth Services for many years! She participated in the After School Program and now volunteers in the ASP and Summer Center! She has been such an asset to our After School Program, helping with homework and being a friendly face to the kids in our program. Sarah is also a member of the Montville High School Youth Action Council, helping with the Stall Street Journal and upcoming Sandy Hook Green Out event. Sarah has grown into an amazing young woman who is so great at giving back to her community! Thank you for being such a great part of our family, Sarah!



Sarah May

©Happy November Birthdays©



Alex Balkcom– 1st
Katie Gifford– 2nd
Zachary Gifford– 5th
Landon O'brien– 7th
John James– 15th
Anthony Martin– 18th



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 ASP 2:00- 6:00	2 ASP 2:00- 6:00	3 ASP 2:00- 6:00	4 Center Closed
5 Center Closed	6 ASP 2:00- 6:00	7 Office Hours 8- 4:30 Election Day!	8 ASP 2:00- 6:00	9 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Advisory Board 6pm	10 Center Closed	11 Center Closed Veteran's Day
12 Center Closed	13 ASP 2:00- 6:00	14 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Pie Baking Contest	15 ASP 2:00- 6:00	16 ASP 2:00- 6:00	17 ASP 2:00- 6:00	18 Center Closed
19 Center Closed	20 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Elementary Half day	21 ASP 2:00- 6:00 Elementary Half day	22 Office Hours 8- 1pm	23 Center Closed Happy Thanksgiving!	24 Center Closed	25 Center Closed
26 Center Closed	27 ASP 2:00- 6:00	28 ASP 2:00 to 6:00	29 ASP 2:00- 6:00	30 ASP 2:00- 6:00		



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throughout the year www.montvilleyouth.org