

August 24, 2020

Dear Parents /Guardians:

Project Youth is a licensed Afterschool Program that is available to students at Berlin Elementary (K-5) and BMS/BHS (6-8).

The programs provide homework support and enrichment activities that are linked to the school day curriculum. The programs are designed to improve academic achievement and expand social/emotional opportunities for growth. Activities are active, experiential, and focus on service learning, STEAM, literacy, health, physical activity, nutrition, and violence/bullying prevention. Teachers report that most students participating in the Afterschool Program have improved their reading and math grades, have turned in more complete homework assignments, and have a more positive attitude towards school.

Please know that we will be following all the Berlin School District Guidelines for students. This includes all **Covid-19** Guidelines. **Students will be required to wear masks** and will be given mask breaks. We are collecting registrations and will contact each family to let you know your child has been accepted into our programs. (They are not first come first served as they may have been in the past.) We will do our best to accept all students.

This year we are opening on the first day of school, September 8th and following the Berlin School plans for reopening. We will begin our programs when your child is released from their school day and we will close at 4:30pm. (The middle school program will be open till 5:15pm .) We will offer busing home but the number of slots is limited due to the restrictions - we can provide 25 students a bus ride home. The bus will pick up at the Berlin Elementary at 4:30pm then at the middle school at approximately 4:40pm.

If you would like to enroll your child in the Project Youth Afterschool Program you must submit the following:

- A completed Project Youth Enrollment Form
- A completed Child Care Registration and Emergency Information Form (required by licensing)
- A copy of your child's most recent health form/physical from his/her physician
- A copy of our child's most recent immunization record from his/her physician

If you have any questions about the programs, the fees, or the registration process please call the numbers below and we'll be glad to assist. Completed forms may be returned to the Afterschool Program Site Director at your child's school or mailed to Family Resource Center 123 Main Street Gorham, NH 03581.

Judy Arsenault	Program Director	466-5190 ext 303 or 723-5222
Joe Young	Berlin Elementary School (K-2) Site Director	723-3872
Jake Buteau	Berlin Elementary School (3-5) Site Director	723-3875
Troy (Sanschagrin) Fritschy	Berlin Middle School (6-8) Site Director	723-3874
Bus Monitor		723-3871

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