

FEBRUARY 15, 2016

TURTLE TRACKS

A WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER FOR THE VERMONT COMMONS SCHOOL COMMUNITY

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 17th
Parent Coffee w/
Dexter & the faculty

February 17th
Flynn Matinee
The Giver

February 18th
Student v Parents/Teach-
ers Basketball Game

February 18th
Evening of
Readings, Part I

Vermont Commons Hosts Sister School Students from China

Students from Huasheng High School in China traveled to Vermont to spend early February with our community. Vermont Commons would like to thank our parent community for opening their homes to our visitors, our faculty for including these students in their lessons, and of course our own student body for representing Vermont Commons so well, and helping our visitors feel at home.



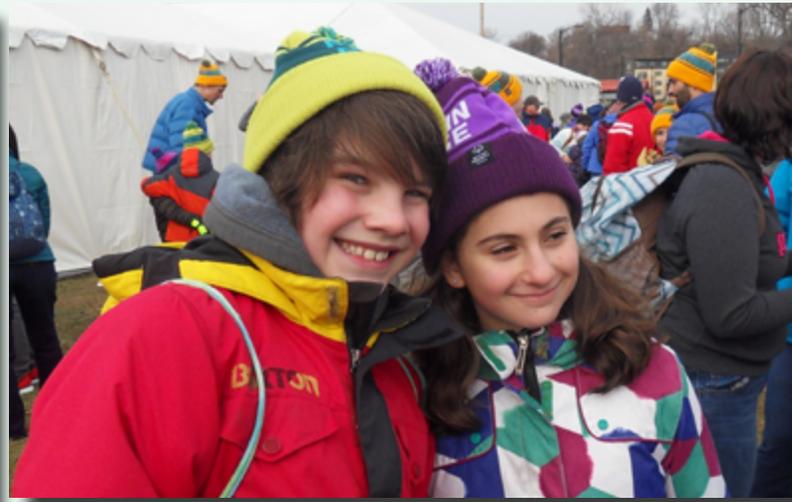
Penguin Plunge 2016!

by Christie Beveridge & Mark Cline Lucey

For the 10th year in a row, a stalwart crew of Frozen Turtles plunged into Lake Champlain on Saturday to raise money for Special Olympics Vermont. Led by veteran plungers Christie Beveridge and Mark Cline Lucey, and joined by alumni plunger Jamie Benson '15, the twenty Frozen Turtles kept warm by dancing in their 1980s Workout costumes. This was the biggest team Vermont Commons has ever had and we

broke our fundraising record, bringing in more than \$5,500! Thank you to all who supported our plungers and please join us next year!

[Click here to view the Plunge video, produced by Jamie Benson '15!](#)



Happy Valentine's Day!

photos provided by Heather Moore

This past Friday, Heather Moore's advisory gave out sweets & Valentine's for the entire school. Special thanks to Heather & her crew for their thoughtfulness & generosity!



6th Grade Science Creates Working Model of Water Cycle

photos provided by Kris Mohlman



March of the Turtles

cryptically submitted by Mary Hamilton

Coming Your Way on March 16th, 2016.

You'll seeee....



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