FAIR ACRES Country Day School 35 Fair Acres Drive, Marston's Mills, MA 02648 (508) 420-3288

WINTER SKATING PROGRAM PRE-K CHILDREN AND KINDERGARTEN CHILDREN

Dear Parents:

Skating for the Pre-K children and the kindergarten has been scheduled **to begin on Tuesday, February 27.** We will be transporting the children by bus. Any Pre-K child, who is NOT registered on Tuesdays, is invited to join us. Those children should arrive at Fair Acres **at 8:45 AM** and be picked up at Fair Acres **at 11:30 AM**.

SKATE DATES/Times

February 27th (Tues)	9:30 - 10:30 am
March 5 th (Tue)	9:30 - 10:30 am
March 12th (Tues)	9:30 - 10:30 am
March 19th (Tues)	9:30 - 10:30 am

BUS WILL LEAVE FAIR ACRES PROMPTLY AT 9:00 AM

The fee for each day will be \$8.00 to skate, \$10.00 for Bus, and \$6.00 for rentals (if needed.) Please return the skating fees along with your completed permission slip to Fair Acres as soon as possible.

Please send warm clothing (snow pants are preferred), **labeled**. (The only way we can identify items left behind at the Rink). **Helmets are required**. Each child is to bring his/hers from home. (Please label). Limited helmet rental is available at the skating rink, but you will be charged.

Single-blade skates are recommended, and due to the rental fees, you may want to consider borrowing or buying. (Used skates are great too!) Children will have a special snack back at Fair Acres so we ask that you consider ALL the children and <u>NOT</u> buy your child a snack at the Rink. We also ask that you use the benches just off the ice when taking a break from skating. This allows us to better keep track of all the children, as safety is always our number one concern.

If on any given day you can arrange to meet us at the Hyannis Youth and Community Center in Hyannis to help tie and untie skates or join us on the ice, we would be most grateful. There will be **no** charge for our parent helpers to skate; we thank you for helping us. Chaperones who rent skates <u>will need to pay</u> the rink directly on that day. This is a fun time for children; we hope to see you there.

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