



Soccer practice got under way at AE/MS the week of August 22 with (front) Brynne Makechnie, Kaylee Bendixson, Katie Bent, Jeremy Johnson, Jaimes Southworth, Garrett Niemyer, Wesley Koziol, Aaron Weeks, Dana Buswell, (back) Cedar Kiedaisch, Sasha Mackenzie, Lily Menard, Jazlyn Perkins, Sadie Barton, Tyler Champagne, Liam Donovan, Jesse Niemyer, Joey Upton, Fenn Davis, River Turnbull, Coach Amy Makechnie

## Fall Sports Under Way at AE/MS

Soccer and cross country are practicing

### Athletic Department, AE/MS

As summer comes to a close, the students of Andover don their backpacks, new shoes, and head to school. Inside of those bags are cleats or running shoes for students in the middle school who have chosen to come out for our fall sports programs.

Preseason started for both the cross country and the soccer teams on August 22. Both sports began developing a great team atmosphere right away and started working on conditioning as well as skill building. The idea of a healthy mind and body was shared with the student athletes.

Once again Brian Reynolds will be coaching our cross country team. Coach Reynolds has been with the program since its inception. He has developed a program that helps his runners begin to push their limits and meet their personal best every day. Andover is very excited and honored to have him on staff.

As the soccer team takes the field this year, you will see a very familiar face on the sidelines. Amy Makechnie has been the face of Andover soccer

for the past few years. She has developed a program that weaves conditioning, skill building, and game play into a true team mentality. Once again it will be an absolute pleasure to have Coach Makechnie working with our student athletes.

Some important dates to remember are:

The soccer team will be hosting its annual jamboree on Saturday, October 1, at Proctor's turf field.

The cross country team will have a home meet at Proctor Ski Area on Wednesday, October 5.

The cross country team will participate in the Extreme Chunkin 5K in memory of Don Gross on Saturday, October 15, at the New Hampshire Motor Speedway.

The soccer team will be traveling to a tournament on Saturday, October 22, at Kearsarge Regional Middle School to cap off the season.

For more dates of soccer games and cross country meets, please visit AEM-Seagles.org and look under Athletics. Please come out and support your local Eagles at AE/MS.

Go Eagles!

### THE AE/MS EAGLE CODE

- Always be Respectful
- Everyone is Responsible
- Make Good Choices
- Safety: First, Last, and Always



The AE/MS staff for 2016-2017 gathered for a group photo on August 26, the last weekday before school started on August 29.

Photo: Charlie Darling

## Four Former AE/MS Eagles Start Their Proctor Journey

Five days of hiking and camping in the Whites

### Scott Allenby, Proctor Academy

On Tuesday, September 6, Proctor Academy welcomes its incoming class to campus for its 46th annual Wilderness Orientation in the White Mountains. Since 1971, Proctor's orientation pairs new students with seven other incoming students and two faculty members for five days of backpacking on various routes in the mountains of New

Hampshire.

Throughout the five days of hiking and camping, new students learn school rules and expectations while building relationships with their new classmates and teachers. Best of luck to these former AE/MS Eagles as they head out on Wilderness Orientation 2016 and begin their Proctor experience!

- Tori Braley '20
- Ryelle Jenifer '20
- Vienna Marcus '20
- Ronan Walsh '20



The Proctor Dining Commons will open for the start of the 2016-2017 school year and is the greenest building ever constructed at Proctor Academy.

Photo: Scott Allenby

## Proctor's New Dining Commons Complete: Greenest Building on Campus

Official ribbon cutting on October 14

### Scott Allenby, Proctor Academy

The new Proctor Dining Commons is scheduled to be completed for the start of the new school year.

After a year of construction, the 16,100-square-foot facility will come online as the most energy efficient, most sustainable building constructed on Proctor's campus. Its net-zero-ready construction features geothermal heat-

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## Watch Out For School Buses!

Please keep our students safe! Remember these important safety rules:

### Stop For School Buses!

School bus yellow caution lights come on at least 100 feet before a planned stop. Watch out for students who may cross the street before the red lights start flashing.

School bus red lights mean **traffic in both directions must stop!** **Never** pass a stopped school bus on the right!

### Violations Can Be Costly

Being convicted of ignoring a school bus' flashing red lights can mean up to \$1,000 in fines and suspension of your license for 30 days.

Being convicted of passing a stopped school bus on the right can cost you up to \$1,200 and up to a 120-day suspension.

And who knows how much it will cost you in increased auto insurance premiums, and for how long!