a note from zach

Happy New Year! I don't know how you treat the turning of a new calendar, but like so many others, one of the things I do is create lists of the past year. Among the lists: the better books I read, the most memorable photos on my phone, the best moments of the past year, and some of the hardest moments. Beyond that I try to think about what I learned in the past year that I want to be mindful of in the year to come. One of those is to practice presence. Being present still feels like a new thing these days, and I am taking advantage as much as I can of going and seeing. I hope your new year is full of times when your presence matters,

and when what matters finds you present in its midst.



Ski Trip Headed out

Our high school ski trip will be heading out in just 2 short weeks! We are so excited to get out on the mountains and enjoy some fun and fellowship with our students!

Superbowl Party

No plans for Superbowl Sunday? We got you covered! On February 12 at 5:30 we will be hosting a Superbowl watch party in the youth loft! Middle school and high school students are all welcome to come watch the game with us!

Confirmation

Heads up to our 2023 confirmation class: we're about to get started! The first class will be held in late January.

If you haven't yet joined the class, there's still time to sign up: go to <u>villagepresyouth.org/</u> <u>confirmation.</u>

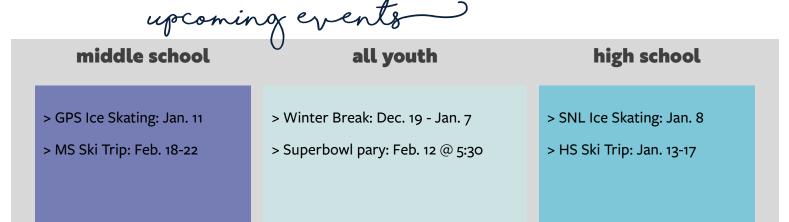
> Confirmation Leader Training: January 4 @ 4 pm on <u>zoom</u>

> First Class: January 22

Programs Resume January 8

We hope you enjoyed your winter break! We enjoyed our time off but we are ready to get back into our weekly programs with you guys! Programs will resume January 8 and we hope to see you all there!

- > Sunday: MS Mornings & SNL
 - > Tuesday: Lofternoons
 - > Wednesday: Dinner & GPS
 - > Thursday: Early Table



want to reach one of us?

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