

# Community Life

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Hartland, Michigan

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## Superintendent's Corner

Chuck Hughes, Superintendent

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District staff continue to work above and beyond normal expectations to meet the needs of our students. From daycare to high school, everyone is providing the best service that they possibly can in these trying times. Our teachers are trying to manage in class instruction, remote instruction, students changing from one mode or the other and more. Our high school teachers are managing all of this on top of being anxious that some students are not engaging in the remote learning that they signed up for and therefore putting themselves in a position to not graduate on time. We simply want every child to be successful. I need to ask that parents who chose to receive remote learning, continue to monitor the engagement of their children and if it is not working out, to discuss returning to face-to-face instruction as soon as possible with the school administration. No matter what option is chosen for instructional and safety purposes, engagement through zoom meetings, completing assignments and assessments, and simply communicating regularly with the teacher is required in order to earn a grade.

COVID and its effect on the learning environment continues to create many challenges for the district. While we currently have not had an outbreak through in-school transmission, we want to remain diligent in requiring cloth masks that cover the mouth and nose by all students and staff. We continue teaching our students to wash their hands regularly, keep socially distant when possible, and not to come to school if sick. If there is someone in the household being tested due to COVID symptoms, please keep the student at home. The student should stay at home until a negative virus (not an antigen) test is returned or if positive, until the Livingston County Health Department provides a letter to return. We have had many students who were required to be quarantined due to exposure or contact with positive cases. This is an essential strategy in reducing the chances of an in-school outbreak or transmission.

Like many of you, I cannot wait for the day when we are all back in school full time. A former colleague of mine regularly reminded me that "normalcy" is essential to maximizing each of our potential. I cannot agree more with this advice. Hang in there, we will get back to normalcy. Someday, we will look back with astonishment on all that we have conquered.

## District Snow Day Procedures

**Step 1:** Superintendent and Director of Operations pay attention to weather condition predictions for the following morning. If bad weather is not predicted, end process and sleep well. If bad weather is predicted go to Step 2.

**Step 2:** The Superintendent and Director of Operations arrange for bus and vehicle drivers to drive the roads around Hartland starting at about 3:30 AM to assess conditions. The Superintendent and Director of Operations start communicating with each other, surrounding district transportation directors and superintendents, possibly the County Road Commission, and local law enforcement to assess road conditions with safety in mind. There is an effort to decide by 5:30 AM if roads are deemed too poor to travel, go to Step 3. If roads are deemed okay to travel, go to Step 6.

**Step 3:** Superintendent makes the call to have a "Snow Day" and communicates with the Director of Community Education to determine if the Child Care Center should remain open for business. Go to Step 4.

**Step 4:** Once a snow day has been called and the question of child

care operations has been agreed upon, the Superintendent will contact the administrative team to inform the local radio station (WHMI), Detroit area television stations, Twitter (join @Hartlandschools to get the fastest notice) Facebook, (@hartlandconsolidatedschools), the district website [www.hartlandschools.us](http://www.hartlandschools.us), send out phone calls and text messages to announce that the district has called a snow day. All district events are canceled and buildings are closed for the morning.

**Step 5:** Between 11 AM and 12 PM on the snow day, the Superintendent, Director of Operations, Athletic Director, Director of Community Education, and High School Principal determine what, if any, events will be open for the afternoon at the High School and Educational Support Service Center. All other buildings (not including the 51 Building) are shut down until the following morning without exception to give our employees an opportunity to clear sidewalks, driveways, and parking lots in preparation to reopen the following day.

**Step 6:** The Superintendent and other staff listen patiently to those who disagree with the decision to open or close schools.

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## November 2020 Person of the Month: Traci D'Arcy



This year marks my 14th year in Hartland Schools. I have been teaching 6th grade at Farms since 2007. I graduated from Sterling Heights High School. I have a Bachelor of Science

from Central Michigan University and a Master's degree in the Art of Teaching from Marygrove College. I taught second and fourth grades in Kingman, Arizona from 1990-1996 and second grade in Rapid River, Michigan from 1996-2002. While at Farms, I have taught social studies, science, language arts and math. I have

been involved in Classroom Assessment for Student Learning since the first cohort.

My husband, Daniel is a coach for the HCS varsity football team. Our daughter Bella attended HCS and graduated in 2018. Our son, Holden is a high school senior this year. We have stayed busy through the years watching our daughter play sports.

My memorable HCS moment would be Zooming this past spring and trying to teach while the pet shows were going on (students showing their pets)! The COVID-19 crisis has pushed me out of my comfort zone regarding the use of technology to enhance instruction. I am grateful for the things I have learned. This unusual

period has given me the opportunity to learn to live in the moment and do my best with the situation at hand. It is amazing what we can learn from one another if we just reach out and ask for help. Hartland took the lead in our area, going back to school this fall amidst the COVID-19 Crisis, doing what is best for our students! I am proud to be an employee of HCS.

I enjoy working with the teachers and administrators here at Farms! We are a group of people who continue to learn, grow and help one another when help is needed. Teaching is not an easy or simple career, however, the joy that we can experience when working with children is exceptional!

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## Editor's Page

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Advertisements are designed in a horizontal or vertical format. ANY article that promotes a fund raiser, event or registration to a sport and lists ticket prices, fees, dues and the sponsoring organization or group, are considered an advertisement and must be paid. See rates below.

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1/8 Page	\$ 60.00	+\$10.00	5" x 3"
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## 2020–21 Community Life Deadlines

Listed below are the Community Life deadlines for articles and advertisements for each month. Please check the schedule for dates. Community Life is typically mailed the last week of each month. **We do not publish in June and July.**

### Scheduled Deadlines and Mailing Dates

ISSUE	DEADLINE	MAILED
December 2020	November 16	November 25
<b>January 2021</b>	<b>December 14 (Brochure)</b>	<b>December 23</b>
February 2021	January 11	January 20
March 2021	February 15	February 24
<b>April 2021</b>	<b>March 8 (Brochure)</b>	<b>March 24</b>
May 2021	April 12	April 21

You may also e-mail articles to the editor at: [communitylife@hartlandschools.us](mailto:communitylife@hartlandschools.us). Please attach photos in a jpeg format. Please forward all news and advertising to: Editor, Community Life, Hartland Community Education, 9525 E. Highland Rd., Howell, MI 48843.

*If you have any questions or news submissions, please contact Heather Calabrese at [communitylife@hartlandschools.us](mailto:communitylife@hartlandschools.us)*

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**Editor: Heather Calabrese**

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**Mission Statement:** The Hartland Consolidated Schools, in cooperation with the community, will provide a positive environment for the development of productive and caring individuals of all ages. We are teaching learning for life.

**District Vision Statement for Hartland Consolidated Schools:** A community of learners sharing successful tomorrows.

## We are looking for alumni news!

Do you know of a Hartland graduate who is doing something special or outstanding? We know there are plenty of former students doing some amazing things and we want to hear about it. We are looking to highlight a Hartland High School graduate each month that we feel the community would love to hear about. Send nominations to editor Heather Calabrese at [communitylife@hartlandschools.us](mailto:communitylife@hartlandschools.us) and we will select one person to spotlight in each issue of Community Life.

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# Schools

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## Hartland Consolidated Schools 2020–21 School Calendar

<b>November</b>	25-27	No school students or staff— Thanksgiving break
<b>December</b>	15-17	High school exams, 1/2 day for HS only
	17	No school students—teacher records day <b>End of first semester, K-12</b>
	21-31	No school students or staff—holiday break
<b>January</b>	1	No school students or staff—holiday break
	4	School resumes
	18	No school students or staff—MLK Day
<b>February</b>	22	No school students— Teacher professional development day
<b>March</b>	12	<b>End of third marking period, K-12</b>
	29-31	No school students or staff—spring break
<b>April</b>	1–2	No school students or staff—spring break
<b>May</b>	19	<b>Last day of school for HS seniors</b>
	26-27	High school exams, 1/2 day for HS only
	28	<b>High school exams</b> <b>1/2 day for all buildings</b> <b>End of fourth marking period, K-12</b> <b>Last day of school</b>
<b>June</b>	2	High School Honor’s Night
	4	<b>High school graduation</b>

## School Board Meetings 2020–21 School Year

All meetings take place in the Boardroom at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center at 9525 E. Highland Road, Howell. Meetings begin at 6:30 PM unless otherwise indicated.

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Monday, November 9, 2020</b>  | <b>Monday, April 12, 2021</b> |
| <b>Monday, December 14, 2020</b> | <b>Monday, May 10, 2021</b>   |
| <b>Monday, January 11, 2021</b>  | <b>Monday, June 14, 2021</b>  |
| <b>Monday, February 8, 2021</b>  | <b>Monday, June 28, 2021</b>  |
| <b>Monday, March 8, 2021</b>     |                               |

## Friends of Cromaine Library

The fall colors have changed our world into a beautiful place to walk, drive or settle into a cozy chair by a window with a good book from Cromaine. Our lifestyle is changing too. We’re very aware of how our activities are still limited. Unfortunately, the Friends have been unable to sponsor many of their previous events, such as our fall book sale and our special pie sale. We want to thank Mackles for allowing a donation day to take place at their restaurant on September 22nd. It was a wonderful success, and of course, we definitely appreciate the folks who chose to dine at Mackles that day. The Mackles family is very generous, and a true asset to our Community.

We also want to thank our patrons for their used book donations. We are very proud that you seem to truly enjoy this section of our library. During November we plan to feature fiction, so please check us out. Life may be changing, but we can always find enjoyment in a good book.

Mary Lynn

*One of the most beautiful qualities of true friendship is to understand, and to be understood.*  
 —Seneca



### STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAW NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION

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**Mrs. Carol Hayes**  
 Director of Community Education  
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#### Applicable Legislation:

- Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964
- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

- Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) as amended
- State of Michigan Civil Rights Legislation
- Elliott-Larsen Civil Rights Act
- Persons with Disabilities Act 220 of 1976

#### Applicable Board Policies:

- 1422 & 1422.02
- 1623
- 2260 & 2260.01
- 1662
- 5517

## Congratulations 2020 National Merit Scholarship Semifinalist Jack Kruger!



Hartland High School Senior Jack Kruger has been named a National Merit Scholarship Semifinalist. Jack has been a member of several extracurricular activities, including DECA, German Club and wrestling. He enjoys watching professional sports and playing a variety of games on his computer. In the future, he plans to go to college and study computer science and statistics, with an intention of going into the field of statistical analysis after college.

## HCS Nutrition Department Jobs Available!

The Hartland Student Nutrition department is looking for team members! If you are looking for part-time employment that is only during school hours, this would be the position for you. Come join our team and help us feed hungry students so they are ready to learn.

**For more information, please see the job postings section of the Hartland Schools website or call our office at 810-626-2868.**

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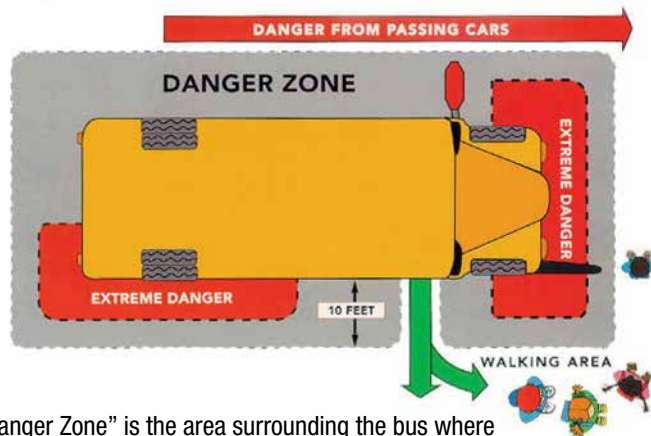
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### School Bus Safety

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- **STAY** on your own side of the road – 10 feet from the roadway, in a single row
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- When crossing the road, **CHECK** traffic both ways – then check again and walk 10 feet in front of the bus
- **NEVER** stop to pick-up anything on the ground

If you have questions or concerns, call Hartland Transportation at 810-626-2175.

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## Thank you from the HERO Teen Center!

The teens and the staff at the HERO Hartland Teen Center would like to thank the Van Heusen family for donating beautiful Foesball and ping pong tables. We would also like to thank Hartland Township for its generous on-going support along with the Hartland Community Chapel and Pastor Russ Greer for donating each month to help us provide food to the teens each day at no cost to them or their families. We also need to thank our neighbors at the Hartland Area Fire Department who help to maintain the building and come in weekly to provide extra sanitizing now that it is needed. Most of all, we want to thank Hartland teacher, Hero Board member, and Hero Teen Center founder Kay Fountain, who is a constant source of support and guidance.

Remember that the HERO Hartland Teen Center is a free, safe place for Hartland Middle School and High School students. We are open every school day after school until 6 PM. We provide free food, but donations are always welcome. Please make sure you and your teen complete an enrollment form so we have all emergency information in place. HERO Hartland Teen Center enrollment forms are available at the middle school office, at the Teen Center and on our Facebook page. We are off to a great start to the year, with everyone respecting our new Covid-19 safety measures and still enjoying the Teen Center.



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## High School News

Kate Gregory, Principal

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Hartland High School football is still going strong! The Varsity Eagles squad beat Plymouth 62-7 at home under the lights. It was a great performance by all! The JV and Freshman Eagles played Howell at home, both notching the win! The weather was wet and blustery, but both teams played very well! The varsity squad fell short versus Howell, but beat Northville at home on October 9th. Go Eagles!



HHS English teacher, Ms. Elaine Bell, and her Advanced Placement Composition students held a Socratic Circle in class. Students were asked to read and annotate three different articles with a common theme. Students then sat in a circle, and a student-leader chose a student to pose a question about one of the articles. Students commented and discussed the articles using evidence from the text. It was a great example of student-led learning!

Advanced Placement Comparative Government teacher, Ms. Barbara Gazda, helped Hartland High School celebrate National Constitution Day by working with the Hartland Township clerk to register 40 new voters! Students who met the eligibility rules were able to sign up to become a US voter by filling out the registration paperwork during all lunches.



Last spring, three Hartland High School students were awarded the National Center for Women in Information Technology's "Aspirations in Computing" award! Although two of the students have graduated, 11th grader, Camryn Ihrke received the award for Honorable Mention! Women in Technology Club advisors, Ms. Anne Hasseld and Ms. Jen Lhota, were on hand to present Camryn with her award. Congratulations to Camryn and all of the women involved in the club!



## College Action Plan: Check List

### Summer/Fall

- Narrow your list of colleges to between 5-10. Plan to visit as many of the colleges you plan to apply to if you haven't already.
- Create a master list or calendar that includes: SAT/ACT Test dates/deadlines, application deadlines for schools you are planning to apply to, and required financial aid application forms and their deadlines (aid applications may be due before college applications).
- Ask your counselor for a fee waiver if you think you may qualify for financial assistance.
- Take the SAT and/or ACT another time if you would like to try to improve your scores for admissions or scholarship consideration.
- Get a head start on completing as much required information as possible and write your college application essay and have a teacher or other adult proofread it.
- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) to apply for financial aid – available beginning on October 1st. You will need your most recent tax returns.
- Complete the CSS/Financial Aid PROFILE. PROFILE is an online application used by certain colleges and scholarship programs to determine eligibility for their aid dollars.
- Ask one or two teachers for recommendations if you need them. (Also ask your counselor if using the Common Application or if you have special circumstances.) Make sure to provide an outline or resume of your academic awards/accomplishments, extracurricular activities, etc.
- Complete and submit one or more college applications by Halloween.
- Create an account on [www.parchment.com](http://www.parchment.com) and request/send transcripts.

### Fall/Winter

- Keep track of the colleges you have applied to and the responses you receive.
- Send a copy of your 7th semester (1st semester of 12th grade) grades if the college is asking for it. Request to send your transcript through [www.parchment.com](http://www.parchment.com).
- Find out each college's actual cost. Use a Net Price Calculator (such as the one available on [www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org](http://www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org)'s website) to find out the potential for financial aid and the true out-of-pocket cost—or net price—for each college.
- Contact the Financial Aid Office or visit the Financial Aid Office website of the colleges in which you are applying to find out what type of aid is available and deadlines, for that particular college.
- Find and apply for scholarships. Make sure to check the HHS Scholarship Gazette that is updated monthly by the Counseling Department. Make sure to submit scholarship applications and/or essays by the deadlines.
- Find additional scholarships on scholarship websites. A suggested list is available on the HHS Counseling web page and on the Scholarship Gazette. Make sure to submit scholarship applications and/or essays by the deadlines.
- Sign up to take the AP exam if you are enrolled in an AP course. Talk with your AP teacher if you have questions regarding whether or not you should take the exam.

### Winter/Spring

- If you are wait listed, contact the admissions office to let them know you are still interested and ask how you can strengthen your application.
- Continue applying for scholarships. Review financial aid award offers to figure out which package works best for you. Pay attention to deadlines.
- Make a pros/cons list of the colleges you have been accepted to in order to choose the college that is the best fit for you.
- Visit your final college before accepting, if possible. You should receive acceptance letters and financial aid offers no later than mid-late April if you submitted your applications by the recommended deadlines.
- Inform each college of your acceptance or rejection of their offer and/or financial aid by May 1st.
- Notify your counselor of your final decision and send in your deposit to the college you have decided to attend.
- Apply for housing and submit the deposit if living on campus.
- Sign up for orientation to become an official student and find out the next steps.
- Register for classes. Send a copy of your final high school transcript to your college through [www.parchment.com](http://www.parchment.com).
- Contact the college if you have any questions!

## HACC Seeking Donations for Holiday Wreaths

Hartland Area Community Council is seeking donations for Christmas wreaths on the military grave sites in Hartland Cemetery. There are 155 military grave sites, and wreaths are also needed for the entry gates at the other township cemeteries, at \$10 per wreath. A banner will be placed at the Cemetery with the names of all contributors.

Please send donations to:

Hartland Area Community Council • PO Box 113, Hartland, MI 48353

*Adapted from "College Planning: 12th Grade," CollegeBoard & "Family Action Plan: 12th Grade," CollegeBoard*

# Middle School News

Lawrence Pumford, Principal

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Congratulations to Sid Cheney and Sehee Kim for being selected as students of the month! Both displayed the highest levels of academic excellence and service to others.



Mr. French enjoys getting "in the trenches" for a science lab with his 8th grade students!



Is it Tacky Tourist Day, or Dress for Success? HMS students always look forward to Spirit Week.



The Hartland Middle School volleyball and cross country teams were back in action this fall.



## Make your financial future a priority.



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# Farms Intermediate News

Mikki Cheney, Principal

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## Congratulations to Our Students of the Month

Each month at Farms Intermediate School, we acknowledge students who have been nominated by their teachers for outstanding academic performance, as well as, for displaying exemplary Reason, Respect, and Responsibility. Students are presented with a Student of the Month certificate and their names are announced school-wide. Congratulations to our Students of the Month!!



**Back Row:** Onnalise Bellanti, Samantha Manko, Helen Wiitanen, Penny McKenna. **2nd Row:** Payton Rohroff, Rita Cichosz, Sam Hammond, Brendan Bertan, Cameron Boisvert. **Front Row:** Kaia Brynoff, Annalyse Pace, Marina Staron, Tyler Sienkiewicz, Judah Moody. **Not Pictured:** Audrey Fraser, Hunter Richardson.

## Math and Reading Stars

The Farms teachers select two students each month from their homeroom classes who have exhibited good reading or math habits. These students are the ones you see reading whenever they have a few minutes to spare, or they are putting forth exceptional effort in their math classes. Congratulations to our Star Readers and Math students!



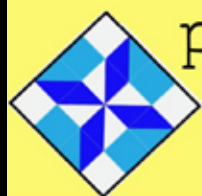
**Back Row:** Nathaniel Erridge, Abigale DaSilva. **3rd Row:** Katheline Ashley, Katelynn Leedle, William Wagner, Carly Gentry, Valeri Daavetilla. **2nd Row:** Chase Jablonski, Jacob Caton, Lillian Krzeminski, Hailey Laney, Gage Harvester. **Front Row:** Tyler Decheim, Lucille Egenolf, Sophia Kurtz, Dalton Suchland. **Not Pictured:** Lillian Byrd, Grace Farrell.



**Back Row:** Mackenzie Haverstick, Niko Hanus, Sterling Gregory, Charlotte Wagner. **3rd Row:** Nicholas Honeycutt, Logan Morrish, Erickson Wakeman, Carter Bulloch. **2nd Row:** Zachary Tennis, Grant Sturos, Dylan Nizol, Alysah Hatfield, Wyatt Tucker. **Front Row:** Natalie Hollister, Colton Lucente, Layla Wick, Paige Reck. **Not Pictured:** Trinity Olszewski.



Students have been working on their Presidential Fitness Testing in their physical education class.



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Mrs. D'Arcy and her students had a lot of fun on Crazy Hair Day!

# Creekside Elementary News


Stephanie Way, Principal

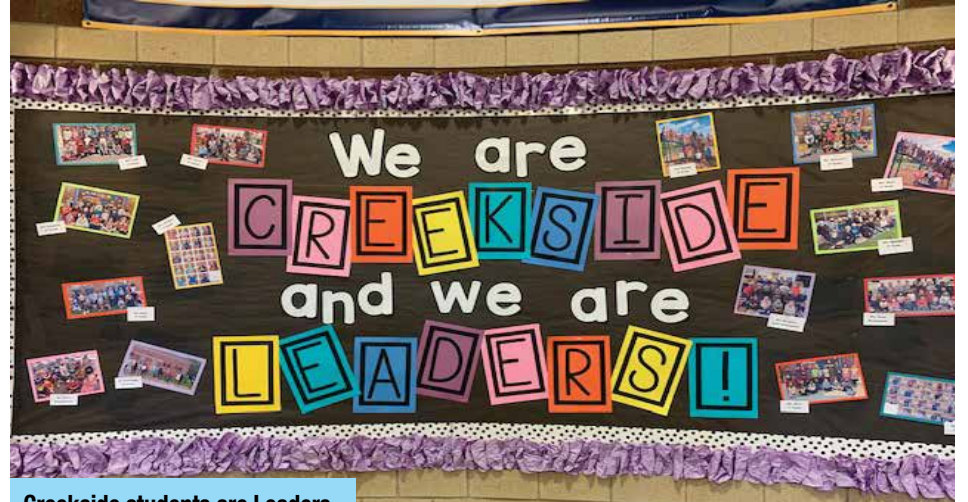
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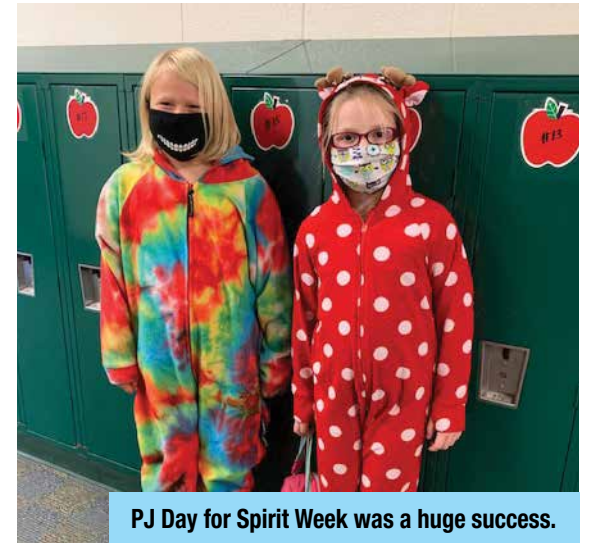
## Important Dates

- November 10th: PTO meeting–virtual at 6:30 PM
- November 24th: Tye Dye Tuesday
- November 25th-27th: Thanksgiving break





Creekside students are Leaders



PJ Day for Spirit Week was a huge success.



Ms. Rocca's class uses puppets to tell stories.

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Fall is in the air at Creekside with some awesome projects and bulletin boards.

## All Saints Lutheran Church Cookie Walk Canceled

All Saints Lutheran Church annual Cookie Walk has been canceled this year due to the COVID pandemic. We want to thank the community for your past support and look forward to seeing all of you next year!



# Lakes Elementary News

Tony Howerton, Principal

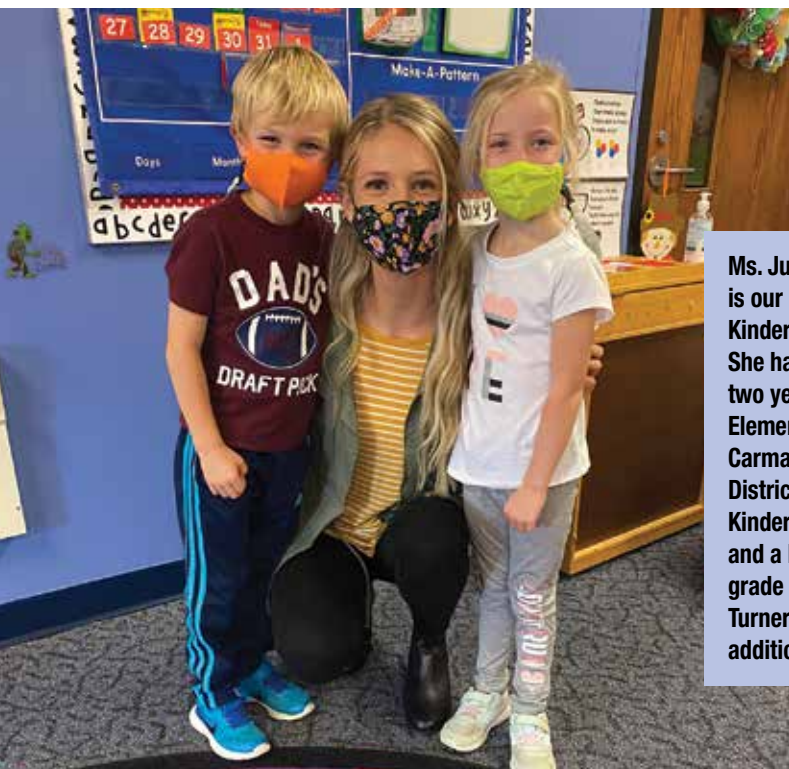
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@lakeselementary

1st graders in Ms. Van Cura's class work on their scientific observations as they use sundials they created in class.



Our peer to peer groups and Kindness Club are up and running at Lakes!



Ms. Justine Turner is our new Junior Kindergarten teacher! She has spent the past two years at Rankin Elementary in the Carman-Ainsworth District teaching a Kindergarten classroom and a Kindergarten/1st grade classroom. Ms. Turner has been a great addition to our staff!



Mrs. Brittany Fetner is our new 4th grade teacher at Lakes! She spent two years teaching 3rd and 4th grade at Charyl Stockwell Academy and then two years at Spencer Elementary in Brighton for their elementary magnet program before taking time off to raise her family. Mrs. Fetner has been a great fit with our 4th grade team!

## Hartland Area Chamber of Commerce Upcoming Events and Opportunities

- November 4, 11:30 AM–1 PM:** Hartland Business Builders Networking and Referral Group at Ironwood Gold Course.
- November 5, 4:30–6:30 PM:** Fire & Flannel–General Membership Meeting at the Detroit Polo Club.
- November 16, 3:30 PM:** MEDICARE 101 and 2021 Changes to Medicare & OEP, Free Webinar. Please register.
- November 18, 11:30 AM–1 PM:** Hartland Business Builders Networking and Referral at Edward Jones, Maureen Elliott.
- November 20, 7:30–9 AM:** Socially Distance Meet & Greet–Tri-County Times at BIGGBY Coffee in Hartland.



Some of the volunteers at our recent golf outing that was held Oct. 1 at Dunham Hills Golf Club.

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# Round Elementary News

Dotty Hottum, Principal

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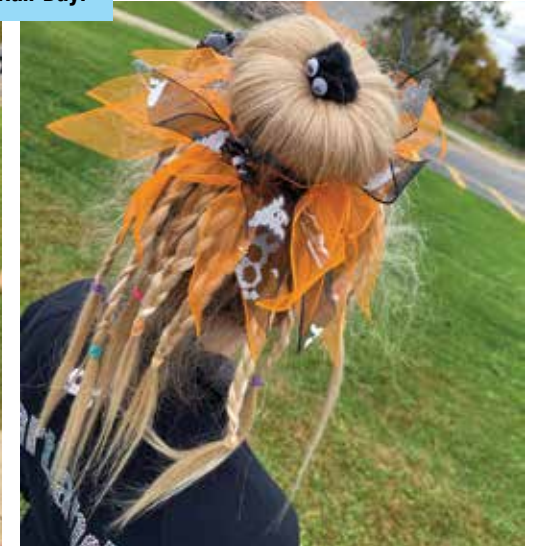
## The Round Roundup

The school year is off to an amazing start! We had our annual Fall Fun Run with a lot of prizes. We would like to thank our awesome PTO for all their time and support with the Fun Run. The staff and students had a wonderful time!

Thank you to all of the Round School families that contribute every day to the success of our students. We are proud of the accomplishments our staff and students have made this year. We appreciate your support and commitment to education. Round Elementary wishes the entire Hartland Community a great month and a Happy Thanksgiving!



Mrs. Vincent's class celebrated Crazy Hair Day!



## Important Dates

- November 4th: PTO meeting via Zoom, 7 PM.
- November 19th: Picture Retakes.
- November 24th–29th: Thanksgiving break. No school for staff or students.

Fourth graders share "The Most Important Thing" about their classmates.



Mrs. Rogers enjoys the new playground equipment!



Spirit Week included Crazy Sock Day.



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# Village Elementary News

Angelina Kreger, Principal

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## Classroom Snapshot: First Grade

Our first graders are doing amazing things in both reading and writing. Our first-grade friends are learning what avid readers do and how to write 3-page stories about one of their favorite times. It is amazing seeing how much these young minds have grown in a few short weeks.

Hearing them ask questions of non-fiction texts, watching how they break words on the run, and seeing their writing grow is wonderful. Please encourage your reader to tell you about what their favorite character did in the story or what they chose to write about today.



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### “Be Like Bill” Fundraiser

The Village staff came together to organize a fundraiser for the Be Like Bill Foundation. This foundation provides one scholarship to a Hartland High School student each year. The foundation was started in memoriam of former Village Principal, William Cain by his teachers in Montana. This year, the Village staff sold face masks with Cash (the Village therapy dog) in a tie that Mr. Cain would have worn. We want to thank the Hartland Community for their support. We were able to raise \$621.02 for the foundation. It was an amazing way to kick off our Village kindness week that we are affectionately calling “Be Like Bill Week.”

### Village Wins Hartland SOUP Grant

We are so grateful to the Hartland SOUP for supporting our social-emotional learning initiative here at Village. We received a grant of \$400.50 which we will use to purchase additional classroom texts related to social-emotional learning, as well as resources for our classroom calm spots. These are locations in each classroom where students can go to take a break, cognitively reset, and then return to active learning.



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# LEGACY High School & Hartland Virtual Academy

Nicole Conley, Principal

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## LEGACY News

### HVA: How do I know the “BEST FIT” for my learner?

#### Q Is there really a difference between LEGACY and HVA?

A: YES! All alternative education programs are not the same in that they target, help and align to different learning styles. In fact, the only element that links all alternative education programs is that usually the program has a central focus every other aspect is built from. For example, language immersion schools are alternative education programs with a core centered around a second language. STEM or STEAM schools are alternative education programs with a core centered around Science, Technology, Engineering and Math. Cyber Schools, like HVA, are alternative education programs with a core centered around a virtual learning.

#### Q. How do I know the best placement for my child?

A: There are many factors to consider when choosing a placement, and no one indicator will determine for certain.

Traditional School	LEGACY High School	HVA
Mix of self starter and need for teacher redirection. Needs social interaction and does not mind large group/classes. Either is organized naturally or responds to teacher's redirection of planning. Prefers to work mostly in school time with some homework.	Needs teacher start or redirection for lessons. Needs social interaction and prefers small classroom and more one-on-one with teachers. Teachers provided support of organization helps to model and develop organization skills. Prefers to work all in school time with teacher's help.	Self-starter and independent worker. Does not need daily social interaction and prefers independent learning time. Is organized and goal oriented. Prefers control of time, place and pace.

#### Q. It's COVID, so my student will just have to adapt, but is there anything I could do to make online easier?

A: Yes! The health of you and your student is always one of our top focuses, but believing that your student can “just adapt” may prove difficult without help. Remember while most students have 8-12 years of practice learning in face-to-face settings, most will spend less than 8-12 hours in training before they are expected to succeed in the virtual classroom. Not to mention that in traditional classrooms there are teachers bending lessons to ensure the many ways students learn—audio, visually or tactical kinesthetically are all included. While all methods are possible through virtual learning, the computer lends itself to some methods more than others.

## Hartland SOUP News!

Hartland SOUP continues to make history. For the first time in Hartland SOUP history, we had a 4-way tie at the September 24 event held on Cromaine Library's South Lawn! Each presenter received 13 votes each, so the crowd got a second vote that night, do we split the prize 4 ways? The answer was a resounding yes! Thanks to a starting \$1000 grant from the Hartland Foundation, \$300 brought in at the door, and our anonymous matching donor, each presenter received \$400 for their organization. The four groups are Clara's Hope, Hartland Optimist Club's Adopt A Family, Hartland Senior Center's Recycled Rockettes, and Village Elementary's Social Emotional Learning Program. Once again, the Hartland community is making a difference with \$5, a willingness to listen and a vote!

As of now, we don't have our next event date scheduled, but follow us on Facebook at @HartlandSOUP for updates. Keep sharing, keep talking, and keep encouraging entrepreneurs, scouts, community organizations, or anyone interested to become involved. Email SOUP at hartlandsoup@gmail.com with questions or to volunteer.



**September Student of the Month Ryan Johnson** is an amazing new addition to Hartland Virtual Academy. He is a junior who embodies the HCS E.A.G.L.E.S ideology of “grit.” He is naturally academically engaged but pairs this with perseverance. No matter the task, Ryan makes a concerted effort to master his studies and connect with his HVA teachers. He has the initiative and self motivation that it takes, not only to be a dynamic online learner, but also in the uncharted waters of innovative success. Every HVA educator has noticed his “dedication and commitment to his learning.”



**September Student of the Month Chad Haubenstricker** is a LEGACY senior whose growth mindset and leadership has caught the attention of his educators. Over the course of the past few years, he has undergone a transformation from quiet observer to active role model for the underclassmen. His polite and inclusive demeanor is highlighted by his teacher's compliments that “I know that if he gives me his word he will always follow through” and “Chad makes everyone in the group smile.” Chad's post secondary plans are to obtain a certification in the trades and pursue a career accordingly.



**Enrichment:** The LEGACY class that does it all! It has time for career and college planning, social emotional learning, counseling, resume building, vision boards and homework help. And Enrichment also includes time for the teachers turned mentors to check online learning progress, and time to check-in with student life. Not to mention Enrichment class gives the opportunity for monthly reward times where the student body enjoys connecting activities like our August and September softball game and tennis match. The just-for-fun games are an hour chalked full of good music, simple prizes and dozens of smiles that grow the family connection that LEGACY is famous for!

## Congratulations!



Susan Silver is retiring after over 50 years of serving students in Livingston County in and out of the classroom in a grant program through Michigan Works. She spent 30 years in Fowlerville Schools, two years with LESA, two years with MSU, and Hartland's Legacy High School was lucky enough to have her these last 17 years. Thank you Sue for your years of caring and serving so many students. Stay young at heart, kind in spirit, and enjoy retirement living!

# Hartland Consolidated Schools Preschool

Jessica Pasienza, Director

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www.hartlandcommunityed.com

## Welcome to Hartland Preschool!

Our preschool program focuses on getting our students ready for kindergarten through social-emotional experiences, introduction to academics, strengthening fine motor skills, and learning how to navigate a classroom environment. Our teachers take pride in working in conjunction with Hartland Schools to be sure that our learning focus prepares our students for a Hartland kindergarten experience. We are continually working to improve our program and offerings to best fit the needs of our students and families.



**We still have limited openings for the 2020-21 school year. Call the Child Care Center at 810.626.2780 to register!**

**For the 2021-2022 school year, the following programs will be offered. Keep your eye out for more details to come in the next brochure!**

**3 year olds:**

Monday/Wednesday: 9–11:30 AM (M-59 location)  
Tuesday/Thursday: 9–11:30 AM (M-59 location)  
Friday option: 9–11:30 AM (M-59 location only)  
Monday–Thursday: 9–11:30 AM (Child Care Center location only)

**4 year olds:**

Monday/Wednesday: 12–3 PM (M-59 location only)  
Tuesday/Thursday: 12–3 PM (M-59 location only)  
Optional Friday: 12–3 PM (M-59 location only)  
Monday/Wednesday: 9:15 AM–1:15 PM (Child Care Center location only)  
Tuesday/Thursday: 9:15 AM–1:15 PM (Child Care Center location only)  
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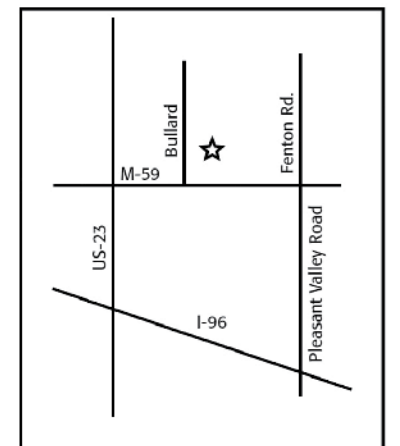
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# Childcare Center

Jessica Pasienza and Jessie Terberg, Directors

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## Childcare Center

Limited Childcare Center spots available. Please call today!

### Updates from the Childcare Center

We are having so much fun in our classrooms! The Critter room is loving Fall! They made their own bright and colorful fall leaves, with all of their favorite colors. They also practiced their counting and scissors skills with a 5 Little Pumpkins activity. Our Wiggle Worm room is in full fall theme! They are practicing their colors and working on their Zoo Phonics letter G, Gordo Gorilla. Our Darling Ducks are enjoying the cool weather and the walks around downtown. They have also been doing a lot of dancing and singing!

While some rooms are full, we do have openings in our 2.5-5 year old classrooms. We would love to have you and your child join us at the Hartland Child Care Center. We are located at 10235 School Street in downtown Hartland. Give us a call at 810.626.2780.

We can also be reached via email at [childcarecenter@hartland-schools.us](mailto:childcarecenter@hartland-schools.us).

### We offer before and after care. Call to register!

We offer before and after care for children who attend the Round, Village, Creekside, Lakes Elementary and Farms Intermediate School. The children who attend the Lakes or Farms may enroll at the School Street center, or take advantage of the school-age program at the Lakes Elementary School. The School Street Center is open from 6 AM-6 PM. Lakes is open from 6:30 AM-6 PM. Both programs offer gym activities, arts and crafts and outside play. When you are signed up for the Before and After School Care, you also have the option of attending on the "No School" days or Snow days! Our center is almost always open!



### Our rates:

**Infants: \$50/day, \$250/week** (2-day minimum). **Day Care: \$42/day, \$210/week** (2-day a week minimum). **Before and after school care is \$10 per session for full time enrollment** (5 days a week). **Part time enrollment is \$15 a session** (2-3 days a week). The minimum enrollment is 2 sessions a week for a charge of \$30 for the week. If your school aged child attends on a non-school day or a snow day, the cost is \$45 per day.

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# Hartland Senior Activity Center

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## Welcome to the Senior Center!

Hi 50s and over! When allowed, get out of the house and come join the fun with your neighbors. Bring your friends or make new ones. We are not a 'typical' senior center. With over 1,400 members, there are always new classes and activities being organized. Check out a sample of our weekly activities below! **Please note, due to Covid-19, all events and dates are subject to change. We are also adding more programs as allowed. Please check out our website or call the center for updates on schedule changes.**

**Annual Membership Dues (Jan-Dec): \$20 per single member, \$30 per couple sharing a household. You don't have to be a Hartland resident to join!**

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## Wreaths Across America

Sponsored wreaths are placed on grave markers at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly each December. For each wreath purchased using our ID, **MI0035P**, the senior center receives \$5. Wreath order forms are available at the senior center but wreaths may also be sponsored online at [www.WreathsAcrossAmerica.org](http://www.WreathsAcrossAmerica.org). Deadline to purchase a wreath is November 25, 2020.

### Crafts with Lil!

**Wednesday, Nov. 11:** We will be making rubber stamped flour sack towels. Registration Deadline is Monday, November 9th. Cost is \$6 for two towels. Additional towels available for purchase.



### Bunco

**Thursday, Nov. 19:** Social Dice game involving 100% luck and no skill. Very simple to learn and fun to play! Limit of 8 players and Minimum of 8 players. You must register by Monday, November 16th, 12:30-2 PM. \$5.

### Gleaners Produce & Pantry Day

**Tuesday, Nov. 10:** Items will vary each month—we don't know what we'll get until that day. Stop by to pick up fresh produce and pantry items. Everyone is welcome to stop by and see if they qualify based on our program and income guidelines. 10 AM-12 PM. FREE.

### Bingo

**Monday, Nov. 12 & Wednesday, Nov 25:** Two chances to B-I-N-G-O this month! Cost is \$2 and space is limited. Call the office to sign up.

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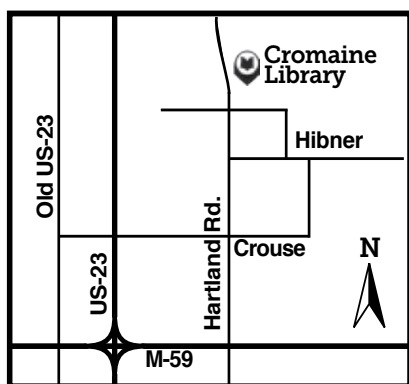
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### TWEEN CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE

Sunday, November 1 through Monday, November 30

To celebrate National Novel Writing Month, tweens are invited to participate in Cromaine's first ever Choose Your Own Adventure story writing challenge! Beginning November 1st, we challenge you to write your own creative story based on the prompt provided. Entries are due by November 30th, and a random participant will be chosen to win a prize! A collaborative story with everyone's contributions will be made available on Cromaine's social media in December.

Haven't heard of NaNoWriMo? Check out the Young Writers Program for more information and check out the Cromaine Connector blog for writing tips and tricks!

### FAIRY TALE WRITING & DRAWING CONTEST

Sunday, November 1 through Monday, November 30

Have you ever wanted to create your own fairytale? Now is your chance! Write your own fairytale short story, rewrite the ending to your favorite fairy tale OR draw a picture of your own fairy tale character. Submit it to youthandteen@cromaine.org to have your name entered to win a prize! Entries due by Saturday, November 25 at 5:00 pm and will be showcased on Cromaine's Facebook page. Stories must be 2,000 words or less. For ages 3 through 18.

### VIRTUAL EVENT - LARRY MARTIN'S WWII: IN THEIR OWN WORDS

Wednesday, November 4 @ 6:30 pm

Join us for Larry Martin's WWII: In Their Own Words live virtual event. Here he shares his interviews with individual WWII veterans to foster an appreciation for the hardships endured by all veterans of war. This event held live via Zoom. **Please register with valid email to receive the event access link prior to the start of the program.**

### TIDY WITH KATE VIRTUAL PROGRAM

Thursday, November 5 @ 7:00 pm

Join certified KonMari consultant Kate Sood virtually as she explains why organizing is important, simplifies the method found in Marie Kondo's **The Life-Changing Magic of Tidying Up**, and provides tips for organizing. You need a t-shirt, paper, and pen to take notes and practice methods taught. **Please register with valid email to receive the event access link prior to the start of the program.**

### TAKE-HOME KITS

Cromaine continues to offer a variety of take-home kits for children, tweens, teens and adults! These kits range from crafts to book clubs, and there's always something new. Check out the online calendar at WWW.CROMAINE.ORG for more details and pickup dates.

### ONLINE RESOURCES @ WWW.CROMAINE.ORG

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### LOOKING FOR SOMETHING NEW TO READ?

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Deaconess, Sara Bielby, School Principal  
Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 AM  
Sunday School/Bible Study: 11:00 AM  
[www.oursaviorhartland.org](http://www.oursaviorhartland.org)



### Hartland United Methodist

10300 Maple Rd. Hartland, MI 48353  
At the corner of "Hibner" & Washington  
Phone 810.632.7476  
Pastor: Chuck William  
Sunday Worship: 10:00 AM  
[secretary@hartlandumc.org](mailto:secretary@hartlandumc.org)  
[www.hartlandumc.org](http://www.hartlandumc.org)  
Children Sunday School 10:20 AM, Adult Sunday School 11:15 AM



### St. John Catholic

2099 N. Hacker Road, Howell, MI 48855  
Phone: 517.546.7200  
Pastor: Fr. Francis George  
Mass Schedule: Saturday 5 PM  
Sunday: 8:30 AM and 11:00 AM (Main Church)  
Tuesday: 6:45 PM, Wed., Thurs.,  
Fri., 9:00 AM (Little Church)  
[www.stjohnhowell.com](http://www.stjohnhowell.com) • [facebook.com/stjohnhowell](https://www.facebook.com/stjohnhowell)



### Fellowship Bible

2500 Hartland Rd.  
Hartland, MI 48353  
Phone: 810.632.7263  
Sr. Pastor: Howard Wideman  
Sunday School: 10 AM  
Worship 11:00 AM  
Wednesday Bible study 7 PM  
[www.fhartland.org](http://www.fhartland.org)



### Tyrone Community Presbyterian

9141 Hartland Rd.,  
Fenton, MI 48430  
Phone: 810.750.0350  
Pastor: Linda Living-Hawley  
Sunday Worship: 10:00 AM  
Sunday School: 10:15 AM  
Fellowship: 11:15 AM  
Bible Study: Wednesdays 6:30 PM  
[www.tyronecommunitypresbyterianchurch.com](http://www.tyronecommunitypresbyterianchurch.com)



### All Saints Lutheran, ELCA

12701 W. Highland Road (M-59)  
Hartland, MI 48353  
Phone: 248.887.8060  
Pastor Denise Russell  
Heather Brady, Director  
Little Saints Preschool  
Preschool Phone: 810.746.0238  
Sunday Worship: 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM  
Sunday School (Sept. through June):  
10:30 AM (Pre-K through 5th grade)



### Hartland Community Chapel

PO Box 652 Hartland, MI 48353  
Services held at the Hartland Music Hall  
3619 Avon St  
Phone: 248.660.4366  
Pastor Russ Greer  
Worship Service: Wednesday 6:30 PM  
Sunday: 10 AM Bible Study and  
Community Outreach  
[www.hartlandcommunitychapel.org](http://www.hartlandcommunitychapel.org)



### Flood Gate Renewal Fellowship

1623 Old US 23, Brighton, MI 48114  
Phone: 810.227.2005  
Pastors Bill & Clara Bolin  
Sunday Worship: 10 AM  
Family Night on Wednesday: 7 PM  
[www.FloodGateRenewal.org](http://www.FloodGateRenewal.org)



### Venture Church

8457 E. Highland Rd. (M59)  
Howell, MI 48843  
Phone 810.991.1116  
Web: [VentureOn59.com](http://VentureOn59.com)  
Sunday Experiences  
9:30 am and 11 AM  
Lead Pastor Terry Prisk



### Tri County Christian

13020 Holtforth Rd., Fenton, MI 48430  
Phone: 810.714.1139  
Pastor: Randy Greene  
Sunday School: 9 AM  
Sunday Worship: 10 AM  
Various weekly Bible studies  
[www.tricccc.com](http://www.tricccc.com)



### Benchmark Church

5530 Runyan Lake Road,  
Fenton, MI 48430  
Pastor Tony L. Chick 810.632.3417  
[Benchmarkchurch@gmail.com](mailto:Benchmarkchurch@gmail.com)  
8:30 AM Prayer Group  
9 AM. Sunday School  
10 AM Fellowship Time  
10:30 AM Worship Service  
[www.benchmarkchurch.com](http://www.benchmarkchurch.com)

### St Augustine Catholic Church

6481 Faussett Road  
Howell, MI 48855  
Phone: 517.546.9807  
Pastor: Fr Gregg A  
Pleiness  
Mass Schedule:  
Sat: 5 PM Sun: 8 AM  
and 10:30 AM  
Wed-Fri: 8:30 AM  
[www.staugustinehowell.com](http://www.staugustinehowell.com)



### Hardy United Methodist

6510 E. Highland Road, Howell, MI 48843  
Phone: 517.546.1122  
Rev. John Schneider, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 10:00 AM  
Sunday School 10:00 AM  
Bible Study Sunday  
[www.hardychurch.org](http://www.hardychurch.org)



### Victory Baptist

P.O. BOX 523  
3642 Washington St., Hartland, MI 48353  
Phone: 810.632.6337  
Pastor Ryan Guenther  
Services: Sunday 10, 11 AM and 6 PM  
Wednesday 7 PM  
[www.vbchartland.org](http://www.vbchartland.org)



### Ore Creek Community

3375 Fenton Rd., Hartland, MI 48353  
Phone: 248.887.1133  
Lead Pastor: Dave Classen; [dclassen@orecreek.org](mailto:dclassen@orecreek.org)  
Youth Pastor: Daniel Holman; [daniel@orecreek.org](mailto:daniel@orecreek.org)  
Sunday Service: 10 AM  
Youth Group: Wednesday 7 PM  
[www.orecreek.org](http://www.orecreek.org)

## Can You Find Your Child in this Checklist?

- ☑ Rita, age 11, used to be confident...ready to take on the world. But after starting middle school, she seems like a different person—hesitant and unsure of herself.
- ☑ Ryan's mom, Becky, worries because Ryan is so easily wounded. Things said to him by the other kids at school hurt his feelings so easily. Ryan's hypersensitivity is a constant source of stress for Becky.
- ☑ The peace of the household is frequently disturbed. Everything is a battle: getting ready for school; dinner time; homework; even things that used to be enjoyable family activities are now potential battles. Screaming matches occur on a regular basis.
- ☑ Paula is so concerned about being popular. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, worry that this will make her an easy target for negative peer pressure.
- ☑ Tyler, age 4, does great when he gets it right the first time when learning something new. When he doesn't get it on the first try, though, he becomes totally frustrated and says "I'll never be able to do it!"
- ☑ Mr. and Mrs. Hall are frustrated at the level of disrespect demonstrated by their children. The kids never used to talk like this before! The Halls think, "If I had talked like that when I was a kid, I would have gotten clobbered!"
- ☑ Suzanne is constantly down on herself, often saying, "I'm not as pretty as Elizabeth," or "I'll never be popular like Marta".
- ☑ Scott used to be a nice, kind child. Lately, though, he has become increasingly aggressive. His parents, Vern and Becky, are concerned. They've already had two calls from the school about Scott's bullying of younger children.
- ☑ The teachers say that Charlie can't focus in school, and might need to be medicated. Nicole and Bryan, his parents, hate that idea. They feel that Charlie just needs to learn listening and focus skills. They are frustrated. How can they build the skills Charlie really needs?

If you've "found" your child on the checklist (and most people do!), read on. You just might find the big BREAKTHROUGH you've been seeking for your child!



Dear Fellow Parents,

You're probably thinking "come on...how can punching and kicking improve my child's self confidence, focus and self control?" Well, I'm here to tell you, in many more ways than you can begin to imagine.

I am Sam Larioza, a resident of Fowlerville and father of two wonderful kids. I've spent much of my life teaching and mentoring young people. I've worked with thousands of kids (just like yours!) over the last 25 years.

So, back to the question "How can karate do all this?"

Look at it this way. Your child's first and biggest challenge comes not from "fighting for his rights on the street", or "beating up the neighborhood bully." It comes, instead, from battling more sinister forces. Your child's own fears and self doubts! "I'm not as smart as John." "I'm just not good at math." "I wish I was as (strong, pretty, popular) as Sally." "Why does Jim keep picking on me?"

Well here is the secret: Karate is less about your child learning to fight others, and more about fighting...himself. His innermost fears and self doubts. Conquer them, and your child unleashes within himself a powerful, unstoppable force. A force that gives him the strength to kick down the doors of his own self doubts, a force that opens your child to the exalting power of values and the ability to reach his full potential.

For more information go to [www.ohanakarate.com](http://www.ohanakarate.com) or just give me a call at (517) 586-1001.

***Yours for Rock Solid Kids,  
Sensei Sam Larioza***

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## Fall Swim Lessons

Registration for the second session of Fall Swim Lessons begins Thursday, November 5, 2020.

Spaces are limited.

To register for classes or for more information please visit:

[www.hartlandcommunityed.com](http://www.hartlandcommunityed.com)



## Welcome Back to Hartland Aquatic Center!

We are excited to welcome everyone back to the Hartland Aquatic Center.

We are following the governor's executive order of 25% capacity. Due to this limited capacity order, it is necessary to pre-register. Please pre-register thru Sign-Up Genius. Check out our website for links, updates and information.

Masks are required except while in the pool. The family changing rooms are available. Locker rooms are closed at this time.



# Hartland Happenings

## HARTLAND TOWNSHIP FIRE MILLAGE

### What you need to know to make an informed decision!



#### How do Hartland firefighters serve our community?

- Provide All-Hazards Emergency Response (fires, trauma, Haz Mat, EMS, technical resources, and more).
- Community smoke alarm and carbon monoxide education and installation.
- Advance fire safety education message in schools and throughout community.
- And much more!

#### What is the new millage?

- An increase from 1.81 (current mill amount) to 2.06 to cover cost of inflation plus increased number of emergency calls due to community growth.
- For an average home, increase equates to about \$2.50 per month.
- New millage will not go into effect until 2021.

Millage covers **ALL** costs of fire department services to residents.



