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Superintendent's Message

Janet Sifferman, Superintendent

Amazingly we are already two months into the new school year and gearing up for the holiday season. Where does the time go? As our fall sports season comes to a close, I would like to congratulate our athletes, their parents and coaches for their superlative efforts. I was able to attend several of the contests and everyone performed admirably and did an excellent job representing Hartland Schools. I know it is easy in these competitive times to lose sight of the "3 Rs" now emblazoned on the majority of our uniforms, but I believe our students generally do an excellent job of embracing "reason, respect and responsibility." In keeping, I believe, with the "3 Rs" as well as making a nice transition to the holiday season before us, I would like to share with everyone *The Ten Native American Commandments* I discovered while traveling through the UP. These are certainly ideals to which we should strive.



1. Treat the Earth and all that dwell thereon with respect.
2. Remain close to the Great Spirit.
3. Show great respect for your fellow beings.
4. Work together for the benefit of all mankind.
5. Give assistance and kindness wherever needed.
6. Do what you know to be right.
7. Look after the well-being of mind and body.
8. Dedicate a share of your efforts to the greater good.
9. Be truthful and honest at all times.
10. Take full responsibility for your actions.

Happy Thanksgiving!



Bonnie Wolf and Shryl Cone help set up the one room schoolhouse during Heritage Day.

Hartland Teachers Care

The Hartland teachers have been busy since the start of the school year. They sponsored a one room school house during Heritage Days and had a cookout for teachers on Homecoming during the month of September. The teachers donated their time to assist the Optimist Club raise money by serving customers at the local Big Boy restaurant during the month of October. The Farms Intermediate teachers had a Friendship Day in October where students and staff showed their friendship to each other especially people they didn't know very well.

The Hartland teachers believe in supporting the Hartland Community. During the month of September, individual buildings donated money for school supplies and during the month of October, they donated money to the Connection Teen Center.

The teachers want to thank the community for their continued support during this time of economic hardships. When we're all working together, the students have the support that they need to be successful.



Denmark Gymnasts visit Hartland Gymnastic Academy

The Hartland Gymnastics Academy welcomed a group of gymnasts from Denmark on Saturday, October 9. The Denmark group kicked off their Reunion Tour of the United States by performing and interacting with the gymnasts at HGA right here in Hartland. The Denmark students are alumni from the Vederso Boarding School in Vederso, Denmark. Their Director, Finn Tarpgaard, has family ties to Michigan. His cousin, Tedd Bradley, is the Director of Community Education in Pinckney and was instrumental in bringing these two groups of gymnasts together. The Denmark gymnasts will continue to perform across several cities in the United States before returning to Denmark. This was actually the second time that Hartland Gymnastics had the pleasure of welcoming this group to their gym. It proved once again to be a wonderful chance to interact and to learn!

Annual Turkey Dinner

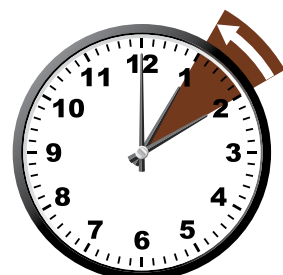
Since 1942 the Hartland United Methodist Church has been opening its doors for the Annual Turkey Dinner. With the beginning of the holiday season, the church is ready to once again serve a delicious homemade turkey dinner to the residents of the community.

The Turkey Dinner will be held on Saturday, November 6, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. The dinner will be served buffet style and will include: turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, coleslaw, bread, dessert and beverage. There is a ticket donation of \$10 for adults and \$5 children ages 6 to 11. Children under 5 are free.

Reservations are being taken for seating times from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. You can call Vivian at 810.629.6142 or the Church Office at 810.632.7476 to make your reservations. All profits will be given to various charities, local and world wide, that the United Methodist Women support.

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Sunday, November 7
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Editor's Page



Hartland Community Education
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ISSUE	DEADLINE	MAILED
December 2010	November 1	November 24, 2010
January 2011	December 6	December 29, 2010
February 2011	January 3	January 26, 2011
March 2011	February 7	February 23, 2011
April 2011	March 7	March 30, 2011
May 2011	April 5**	April 27, 2011
	**May Deadline is the TUESDAY during Spring Break	
June 2011	May 2	May 25, 2011

Thanks for the donations

We have received a total of **\$175.00** in donations for FY 10-11 to help offset the cost associated with publishing *Community Life*. Your support is appreciated for the only paper dedicated to promoting news about the schools and the Hartland Area for the past 76 years. **Thank you: Joanne & David Bellmard, Donna Bulloch, Hartland Cub Scout Pack 380, Chad & Valerie Hartwick.**

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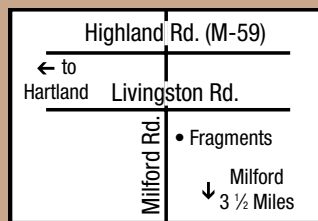
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Hartland 2010-11 School Calendar

November 2010	2	Professional Development - Parent-Teacher Planning – no students
	3	Elementary P/T Conferences following regular school day, 5-8 p.m.
	4	Farms P/T Conferences following regular school day, 5-8 p.m.
	5	End of first marking period – K-8
	9	Elementary P/T Conferences following regular school day, 5–8 p.m.
	10	Farms P/T Conferences following regular school day, 5-8 p.m.
	11	High School P/T Conferences following regular school day, 4-7 p.m.
	12	Parent/Teacher Conferences during school day - no students
	16	Middle School P/T Conferences following regular school day, 4-7 p.m.
	24-26	Thanksgiving Break - no school students or staff
December 2010	3	End of second marking period – High School
	23-31	Holiday Break, no school students or staff
January 2011	3	School Resumes
	17	Martin Luther King Day – no school students or staff
	25	High School Exams, 1/2 day
	26	High School Exams, 1/2 day
	27	High School Exams, 1/2 day
		End of marking period - K-12
	28	Teachers Records Day, no students
		End of 1st Semester



Hartland Community Education

Upcoming classes/programs November & December

Be sure to check our website www.hartlandcommunityed.com or give us a call to register for our upcoming classes at 810.626.2150.

Below are some of the programs coming up which can be found in more detail in this issue of Community Life.

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MORE classes are beginning in November and December. **GYMNASTICS:** New sessions of Intro through Team Gymnastics, **STUDENT:** Babysitter Training w CPR-Saturday 11/20 or 2 part December 13 & 15 after school, Princess Dance classes, **FITNESS & RECREATION:** Family Night Pickleball & Pizza on 11/12, Tennis lessons, Karate for Kids and family, Snowmobile Safety course, Boot Camp Fitness mini 4-week session (11/9-12/7), **ENRICHMENT:** Selling on eBay 11/4, Conquering your Paper piles (organization class) on 11/8, Right Brained People and Taxes on 11/9, **ART & LEISURE:** Rug Hooking 11/30-12/21, Exploring Fused Glass 3 wks 11/1-11/15, Experimental Painting 11/30, Songbird Painting 12/1, New Landscape Painting 11/3 Learn to Knit 11/16 Wire Wrapped Holiday Ornament 11/22, Fused glass plate or coasters 12/6 Twisting Wire 11/29, Sauces 101-3 wks 11/8-22, Knife Skills 11/2 or 12/6, **COMPUTER CLASSES:** Quicken 1/22-12/6, Access 11/23-12/7, Moviemaker (2 part) 11/10 & 17, Internet & Email (2 part) 12/1-8.

Watch for our WINTER 2011 Enrichment Brochure published INSIDE the December issue of Community Life and mailed out on November 24

Senior All Night Party 2011



Next meeting-November 9

Seniors Parents – Don't miss this last opportunity to be a part of your child's high school experience! Senior All Night Party is completely planned and run by the seniors' parents, so all levels of involvement are welcomed and needed. Whatever your skills and/or interests may be, there is something you can do to help. Upcoming SANP parent meetings are held at 7 pm on the second Tuesday of each month in Room 500 at the high school. The SANP is as fun and rewarding for parents who participate as it is for the kids who attend it the night of graduation.

Plan on attending the upcoming meetings listed and join in the fun: **2010 dates** November 9, December 1, 2011 dates-January 11, February 8, March 8, April 12 and May 10.

Volunteer information-Janice Phillips at ardelp@charter.net or call 810.750.9525. More information visit: <http://minnie.hartlandschools.us/groups/seniorallnightparty2011/>.

We are currently collecting USED CELL PHONES. Donate your used cell phones and all proceeds go to SANP. Collect phones from friends, family, neighbors, and teachers. All personal data/information is professionally scrubbed (erased) from every phone. A box is located in the front office at HHS for phone drop off. For more information, contact fundraising chairperson Caryn Wachsmuth at cwachsmuth@hanover.com.

Delay of School Start Times due to inclement weather

1 HOUR DELAY

All students will ride the same bus with the same type of pick-up structure as under normal circumstances other than that bus will arrive at the regular pick-up stop approximately one hour later than usual. No structure changes will exist other than the time element. Under a one-hour delay, **A.M. junior kindergarten classes will be held.** There will be no vocational education classes.

2 HOUR DELAY

Under a two-hour delay, all students will be picked up as usual, except two hours later than on a regular schedule.

Under a two-hour delay, there will be NO A.M. JUNIOR KINDERGARTEN. There will be no vocational education classes.

The purpose of this alternative plan is to enable the flexibility of delaying school on some mornings due to fog and/or freezing rain. I am hoping that it will help assure that more instructional days can be held, while improving the safety factor for our staff and students.

Under a delay approach, all staff should report prior to the arrival of their students. Below you will find a chart outlining regular starting times and the starting times under a one and two hour delay situation. The chart also shows the time lunch schedules would begin. You will note that no alteration is being made regarding lunch. This will enable all personnel to function as usual.

	SCHOOL STARTING TIMES	ONE-HOUR DELAY	TWO-HOUR DELAY
HS	7:24 (lunch 10:30)	8:24 (lunch 10:30)	9:24 (lunch 10:30)
HM	7:40 (lunch 11:00)	8:40 (lunch 11:00)	9:40 (lunch 11:00)
FI	8:50 (lunch 12:00)	9:50 (lunch 12:00)	10:50 (lunch 12:00)
ELEM	8:55 (CS lunch – 11:05) (LE lunch – 11:10) (RE lunch – 11:30) (VE lunch – 11:10)	9:55 (CS lunch – 11:05) (LE lunch – 11:10) (RE lunch – 11:30) (VE lunch – 11:10)	10:55 (CS lunch – 11:05) (LE lunch – 11:10) (RE lunch – 11:30) (VE lunch – 11:10)

NO A.M. Junior kindergarten for two-hour delay





Principal's Corner

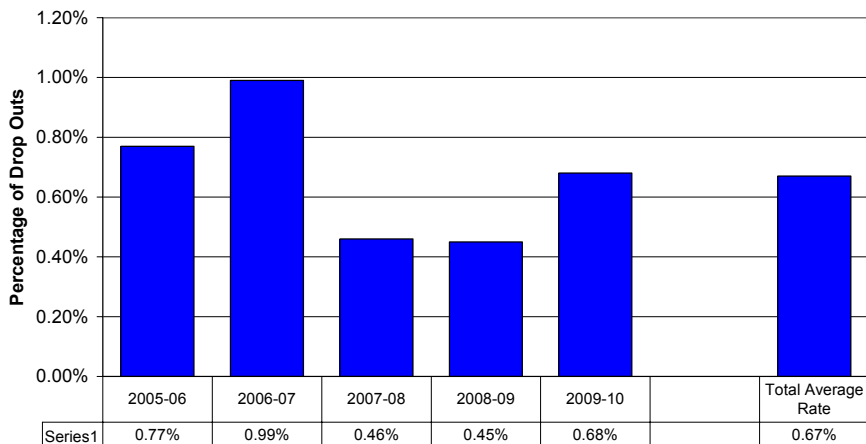
Chuck Hughes, Hartland High School Principal

It is with great pleasure that I report a wonderful start at Hartland High School. The students have settled in, the brisk weather is moving in, and we are anticipating the Holiday Season. Each year, I marvel at the support that our parents provide in our effort to educate students. The amazing thing is that this support goes well beyond the classroom and the awesome educational environment that I am sitting in right now as I write this article. The effort of parent volunteers who work tirelessly to help support athletic, music, and academic clubs is phenomenal. The willingness to reach out to support student volunteerism in collecting food for needy families, food for the animal shelters, money to support Muscular Dystrophy research, holiday support for our struggling families, dollars to be applied towards pay to play scholarships, etc... It is absolutely awesome when one views these efforts in their entirety. Thank you for helping our students learn the value of "reaching out" to help others.

Last month I shared a data chart showing how Hartland High School students fared on the spring 2010 Michigan Merit Exam. This month I would like to share with you our current co-hort drop out rate as determined by the ability of students to finish high school in four consecutive years. This drop out rate is used to assess the educational health of schools across the country. In sharing this data I would be remiss in not mentioning that our success is directly related to the success of our elementary and middle year schools as well as that of our Alternative High School (LEGACY). Without the support and willingness of these environments to make data driven decisions along the way HHS would not be as successful as we are in graduating students. As the admiral of the "flagship" of this school district I wish to thank the students, staff, Board of Education, administration and community for putting students first in everything we do. We are proud to say that when compared to other schools in the State of Michigan HHS is at the top of the class in the retention and graduation of students.

Hartland High School "Longitudinal For Drop Out Rates"

Note: Always 1 year behind



Eagle Scout Projects

Justin Pumford, David Sauders and fellow Scouters are pictured here working on Justin's Eagle Scout project - repairing an HHS dock that was damaged. The dock is often used by HHS students to collect samples in order to study our ecosystem. Thanks for all the hard work, Justin!



The 2010 HHS Homecoming was once again a great success! Congratulations to the sophomores for winning Spirit Week!

Yearbook Scholarship Fund

The Yearbook Scholarship Fund is administered by the Hartland High School yearbook staff. Yearbooks and senior portraits are an important memorabilia piece for high school students, especially for seniors. This fund is to help provide yearbooks and senior portraits for some Hartland High School seniors whose families are experiencing extreme financial hardship. Last year, this fund provided twenty yearbooks and forty senior portraits to students in need. Donations are very important and helpful to assist families in the Hartland community. To donate, please contact Mr. Wabel at kentwabel@hartlandschools.us.

Purchase an Ad: Help keep the cost of the yearbook from going up!

PDA: Parental Display of Affection Ads are a great way to feature your senior! Put a customized ad, highlighting your senior student, in the Hartland High School yearbook. Your choice of pictures, short messages and words of encouragement, can be included in the ad. Buy one for your senior student today! Contact the Hartland High School Yearbook staff at yearbook@hartlandschools.us or 810.626.2343. Information forms can be found at www.hartlandyearbook.us.

Past Yearbooks Available for Purchase

Hartland High School Yearbooks for the years 1990, 1994, 1995, 1996, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2009 and 2010 are being offered for \$15 each. Please contact the Hartland High School Yearbook staff at yearbook@hartlandschools.us or 810.626.2343.

Student Honors

Congratulations to HHS students Michaelyn Lux, Megan Hall, and Nathaniel Smith. Michaelyn earned the highest possible score on the ACT college admissions and placement exam - a 36. Megan and Nathaniel are Semifinalists in the 2011 National Merit Scholarship Competition. Nice job - HHS is proud of you!

Chocolate filled Advent Calendars for sale

German Club is selling chocolate filled Advent Calendars again this year for approximately \$3.00. Please contact German Teacher, Pam Iden, at 810.626.2337 or via email pamiden@hartlandschool.us if you would like to order calendars. They will be available in November.



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Students of the Month

Each month, a selection committee at Hartland Middle School selects one seventh and one eighth grade student to receive recognition as "Students of the Month." Nominated students must meet one or more of the following criteria in order to be selected.

- The student must show continued success in all subjects
 - The student must exhibit good citizenship
 - The student must make a significant positive contribution to the school and others
 - The student must exhibit a positive attitude toward school, self, and others
- Congratulations to our September Students of the Month, Nolan Mince, eighth grade and Emma O'Hara, seventh grade, and our October Students of the Month, Nastaezja Rasasane, seventh grade, and Phoebe Carr, eighth grade.



Nolan Mince
eighth grade

Emma O'Hara
seventh grade

Nastaezja Rasasane
seventh grade

Phoebe Carr
eighth grade



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Kelsey Griffith, eighth grade,
shows her school spirit.



John Mattioli and Jarred Lange show off their
team jerseys.



Students in Ms. Smarch's science class learn during a hands-on laboratory
experiment.

Parent Connect

Parent Connect allows parents with Internet access to monitor their children's grades. If you had a password assigned last year, it remains the same. Contact Karen Wilson at pc@hartlandschools.us for assistance.

Fall Parent-Teacher Conferences

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for November 12 and 16 as follows:
Friday, November 12 from 7:40 to 10:30 a.m. and from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Tuesday, November 16 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Spring Conferences will be held at the end of March. Look for more details on the school website/the HMS newsletter.



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October All Stars

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 an All-Star Certificate and their names are announced during the morning announcements as well as in individual classrooms. **Congratulations to our October 2010 All-Stars.**



Students having fun at lunch.



Fun at the foosball table.



Haley Hodge, Morgan Fellows, Antonio Meo, Nate Harde, Nicholas DiNobile
Not pictured: Jessica Kalvaitis

Star Readers Program

Our Star Reader is a program designed to encourage students to read, read, read. The Farms teachers select two students each month from their homeroom classes who have exhibited good reading habits. These students are the ones you see reading whenever they have a few minutes to spare. All monthly winners receive a 50 cent gift certificate to our School Spirit Store. **Congratulations to our October Star Readers.**



Thanks To WalMart

Farms Intermediate would like to thank the HartlandWalMart store for nominating us for their Teacher Rewards Program. Ten of our lucky teachers received \$100 gift cards to WalMart to spend on classroom supplies. We feel very fortunate to have WalMart recognize our school with their kindness and generosity. Thanks, WalMart.

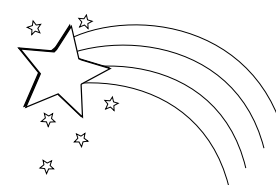
Helpful Information

Don't forget to visit the Farms website at www.hartlandschools.us (click on Farms) for our school newsletter, calendar, and much more helpful information.

PTO

Don't forget that our PTO meetings are the second Tuesday of every month at 4:00 p.m. in our Media Center. Please visit the link to PTO from our Farms website! Congratulations to our new PTO officers:

- President - Marcia Petersen
- Vice President - Frank Dziadosz and Renay MacLean
- Secretary - Tammy Ransdell
- Treasurer - Lisa McIntyre
- Publicity - Cindie DeWolf



Creekside Elementary



810.626.2600

Hartland student athletes came to read to Creekside students about teamwork and leadership on Thursday, September 23. We can't wait to have them come back again!



Hartland High School athletes who came to read to Creekside students



Ashley Farhat-Tomaszewski, Cheerleading Captain reading to Ms. Seiter's kindergarten students.



Jordan Martin, Football Captain read to Mrs. Reck's second grade classroom.



Football Captain, Youssef Darwich, reading to Miss Kramer's kindergarten class.

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Tracey Sahouri and Matt Gutteridge had a great time running along side the kids to keep them motivated.

Creekside Elementary celebrated their 4th annual Fun Run Fundraiser sponsored by PTO. Our Fun Run takes place on the Hartland Consolidated School's Athletic Complex and kicks off the beginning of the 2010-2011 school year! A special thank you to all the wonderful people that supported our quest to raise money for our students and their educational experiences.



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Lakes Students All Agree: "We Are Writers!"



Kindergarten Writers in Mrs. Langdon's and Mrs. Zielinski's classes are hard at work learning the writing process to get their wonderful ideas down on paper. As their teachers "conference" with them, they are learning to "Talk-Draw-Write" and also to conserve paper (we are a Green School) by using both sides. (Photo 1) Mrs. Zielinski conferences with Tommy Persons while Hunter Zajak listens in. (Photo 2) Mrs. Langdon is conferencing with Braden Mensack while Sam Kozle and Easton Storey look on.



Third Grade Writers are participating in a Writer's Workshop Mini-Lesson as Mrs. Smith guides them through the concept of "Show Don't Tell." Students partner up with a friend and use examples of their own writing to implement this important strategy, making their piece more interesting to the reader.

Mr. Foster introduces a mini-lesson to his Fourth Grade Writers where they will write about a small moment in their lives using many strategies of good writing, including seed ideas, strong leads, relevant details, zooming in and strong endings.

Congratulations to our October Citizens of the Month!



These students have displayed exceptional effort, achievement and/or citizenship in their classrooms and we are very proud of them!

Back row, left to right: Michael Harris, Emily Horst, Tess Klavon, Claire Sheffer

Front row, left to right: Sam Kastamo, Jace Gowell, Emma Binkiewicz, and Jacob Batten



Round Elementary News



810.626.2800

Round Elementary School is brimming with energy and excitement so far this school year. As we move through the fall season there have already been fun, exciting things happening at Round. Students are working hard at their school work and settling into their daily routines.

This month's highlight features our new Literacy Groups at Round. Each grade has a scheduled time during the day where small group and individual instruction takes place with the classroom. Specialty staff and support staff push into classrooms to provide intervention and enrichment for all our students. The pictures portray our 3rd grade Literacy Groups in action. Working together is an important theme here at Round on a daily basis.

Round Elementary School would like to thank all our staff, parents, students, and volunteers that make our school a special place to be. The positive relationships we have with each other make us a caring wonderful environment. Everyone have a great November.



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Mrs. Morrison's 2nd grade class is shown reading at Lake Morrison, during "Feel Good Friday." Each Friday our 2nd grade team celebrates reading by buddy reading with a nutritional snack.



School Board member, Tom Dumond came to Village. During his visit, he took Spike the hedgehog around to visit some of our students.



Cory Haskins is helping Michael Allen who brought in his rooster Cloudy, for show and tell.



Ms. Haaseth's junior kindergarten class celebrated Constitution Day by making patriotic hats.



To help kick off our reading program, Athletic Director Jason Reck and a few of his student athletes came to speak with our students about the importance of reading in sports. All the students took a pledge to read and received a Junior Eagle Reader pass, which allows them to get in to any Hartland home sporting event free of charge.

PTO

Please join us at the PTO meeting! Our next PTO Meeting will be November 3 at 7pm. in the school library. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to be an active part of the Village PTO. We need lots of helping hands to assist us in the numerous undertakings that the PTO sponsors throughout the year.

Village PTO New Website

<http://minnie.hartlandschools.us/groups/villageelementarypto/> or you can access the site through the Village Elementary home page by clicking on VES PTO.

Save the Date

Pancake Breakfast with Santa, Saturday, December 18 from 8am -12 noon. Breakfast served until 11am.

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LEGACY News

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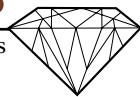
Recently the students of LEGACY were treated to an informational assembly put on by a former Hartland graduate, Mr. Chris Kish. Officer Kish is now a Detroit Firefighter and a Canine Police Officer. His partner, a black and red German Shepherd named Onyx, was very entertaining and demonstrated his skills for the student body.

Officer Kish has joined forces with other Canine officers around the state to form a new business called Michigan Canine Solutions. They perform search and rescue services on drug and missing person cases. They have also been doing assemblies for schools to demonstrate and perform for students across southeast Michigan.

The students at LEGACY were very interested and engaged in the presentation. Onyx is a beautiful dog and showed his prowess and finesse for the students. The assembly was an excellent intervention and positive step towards supporting our Zero Tolerance and Drug Free school zone policies.

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The infant room enjoyed the Fire Department visit in their new Bye-Bye Buggy.

Marlena and Taylor are the Chef for a Day during the "Cupcake Boss" activity.

Fall is Here!

The leaves are changing and so is the Hartland Childcare Center

The Hartland Community Education Childcare Center is open for your childcare needs! Stop in the center for a tour and to meet our warm and friendly staff! The center is conveniently open from 6:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Childcare Center offers all of the following programs; Infant Care, Daycare, Before & After Care, Preschool and Summer Kamp. Childcare is available for children from 2 weeks old through 6th grade.

Our infant room staff will offer that warm, nurturing attention to the infants through 2-1/2 years old. It makes everyone smile to see the toddlers singing and dancing to the classroom music. Be sure to wave at the children, while they go on a walk in the brand new "Bye-Bye Buggy." The infant playground is especially geared towards the young toddlers. You'll receive a progress report to document all those exciting milestones.

The 2-1/2 to 3 year old classroom has daily fun with the very attentive staff. They will explore the alphabet, through crafts and projects. We see the excitement in the children's eyes when story time comes. The story teller provides the children with an interactive story. The 3-4 year olds are eager to learn! Our staff will offer activities such as painting, building blocks, and puzzles to encourage their interest in science, math and reading. The 4-5 year old classroom staff will provide activities and crafts that encourage the child's independence, self esteem, getting along with others and preparing them for Kindergarten. Our patient and caring staff is always there to encourage and cultivate your child's needs.

Once your child enters Kindergarten, we are here for your child's Before and After school care needs. We offer care at the Village location (10235 School Street location), as well as the Lakes Elementary School. On "No School" days, the Before and After children will be able to attend anytime, from open to close. On each "No School" day, the classrooms offer a "themed" activity, such as Movie day or Fall fun, and the option of a "Hot Lunch." We have a large gymnasium and outdoor playground for all of the children to enjoy.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call, 810.626.2780, or stop in the office. Linda Easton, the Center Director or Debbie Steger, the Office Manager, will be glad to assist you.

November Preschool News

Preschool is underway

Mrs. Potts', Mrs. Lubeski's and Mrs. DeRosier's three and four year old classes are all having a Turkey Celebration this month. We will be having Cookie and Conversations with our parents and discovering facts about Native Americans. We're excited to get our "school" pictures back just in time to show off at the holiday family gatherings.

We still have openings in a couple classes including our Friday enrichment class. Please feel free to join us now, don't miss out on the fun!

We will be taking registration for next school year (2011-2012 school year) beginning December 13. Reserve your spot for as little as \$50, as they go fast. Two and three day programs for both three and four year olds are available. For more information about our program, please call our Community Education Director, Michelle Otis at 810.626.2150.

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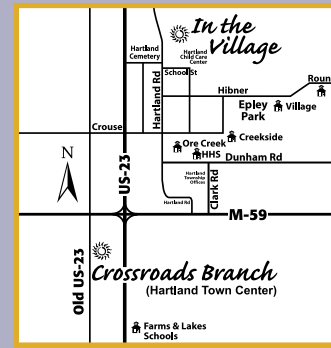


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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1 - SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20
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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6 AT 10:00 AM
HUNT SAFELY! – Join us before you head out for opening day. Hunting expert Timothy Pifher will give you a few reminder tips to keep you safe during deer hunting season. Everyone needs a refresher on safety from year to year. Brought to you by the Flint Chapter, Safari Club International. Registration required - Crossroads.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16 FROM 6:00 TO 9:00 PM
FUNDAMENTALS OF WRITING A BUSINESS PLAN – Nancy Johnson of Livingston County's MISBTDC will show you the steps needed to write a viable business plan to increase your chances of success. Registration required - Village.



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11 AT 2:00 PM
HOMESCHOOLING BOOK CLUB – Each month a different Newbery Award-winning book will be discussed. More information with a list of books for each month at our website under Youth Services. Registration required - Village.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12 AT 10:00 AM AND 2:00 PM
ONE-STROKE PAINTING FOR CHILDREN – Paint a snowman's face on a glass ornament with Donna Roskamp's help. The cost for this program is \$5 and is payable on that day. For grades 1st and up. Registration required - Village.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13 FROM 9:30 AM TO 3:30 PM
NATIONAL GAMING DAY – People around the country are playing games today, so come to Cromaine and play your favorites. Wii, card games and board games will all be on-hand for the fun! Drop-in - Village.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18 AT 7:00 PM
TAIL WAGGIN' TUTORS – Have your child read aloud to a trained therapy dog. No pressure, just the dog and the child. Each child will have 10 minutes to read to a dog. Registration required - Village.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19 AT 1:30 PM
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20 AT 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM AND 1:30 PM
GINGERBREAD HOUSES – A great family activity, make a gingerbread house together. The kit and all supplies are provided. There will be a \$5 charge per family payable that day. One kit per family. Registration is required - only a few spots left!

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4 AT 4:00 PM
TAB (TEEN ADVISORY BOARD) – Join TAB and help plan and carry out library programs, select books for the Teen section, work on projects, talk about books, music, and movies, and meet other teens. TAB meets the first Thursday of every month (October-May) from 4-5 pm. Snacks provided. Drop-in - Village.

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1. Lower cholesterol level. Being overweight is linked to high levels of LDL which is the “bad” cholesterol. This is the cholesterol that can lead to heart attack and stroke. Keep a journal to see what types of foods can be replaced with “healthy” foods that produce “good cholesterol” (prevents LDL from depositing on your artery walls). Just 10 lbs. can lower your cholesterol by 10%.

2. Lower blood pressure. BP measures the pressure on your artery walls, so if you have plaque buildup in your arteries, you are more prone to a heart attack because the walls become thick and stiff making the heart work harder. This causes the blood vessels in the kidneys to become damaged which can lead to kidney failure. Losing 10lbs lowers your blood pressure.

3. Reduced risk for dementia. Nearly half of Americans have too much visceral or abdominal fat (big bellies) that surrounds your internal organs. Visceral fat releases inflammation-causing chemicals in the body, which can cause memory loss and increases your chances of developing dementia. It can also lead to high blood pressure & high cholesterol and can put you at risk for a stroke. Some strokes (silent strokes) can occur without symptoms, but each time blood is cut off to the brain it results in dementia-prone brain tissue.

4. Reduced risk for sleep apnea. When you are overweight, extra tissue thickens around your windpipe wall, narrowing airway, especially when sleeping, and can cause a life-threatening condition called “sleep apnea”. When your oxygen level becomes too low, you brain shocks your body to wake up and you could be waking up several times a night...not getting the proper amount of sleep.

5. Reduced joint pain. Being overweight puts huge pressure on your joints. For each extra pound of excess weight on your body, you add 3X that amount of pressure to your knees. Ouch! This means by losing just 10# you are actually taking 30 lbs. off your knees. Over time, this wears away at our cartilage, leaving an area of arthritis. As you lose weight and reduce the pressure on your joints, your bones will build back up (10 lb. loss could reduce your chance of developing osteoarthritis by 50%).

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Unclutter Your Life

Andrew Mellen, professional organizer, will speak at the Senior Center on Friday, November 5 at 1:00 p.m. Mr. Mellen is the author of a new book entitled “Unstuff Your Life. The public is welcome, but you must call 810.626.2135 to make a reservation for this free program.

Arguably the most organized man in America, Mellen has created unique, lasting techniques for streamlining living, bringing order out of chaos to every situation. CEO of VirgoMan, a professional and personal organizing service, Mellen has helped corporations, small businesses and individuals tackle complicated work and life spaces, transforming them into functional spaces where simplicity and order replace clutter and confusion.

He's got organizational superpowers! He can bring order to your kitchen and demystify the reasons you're hanging on to things you don't need (and don't even like) in your closets, drawers, basement. He's here to help get your house and your sanity, back.

Think of this scenario: If your house were burning and your family, pets, and purse were already out of harm's way, what else would you want to save? Probably not the blender that only works on one speed, the china you inherited but never use, or the photo in which you're not exactly looking your best. Which begs the question: If those things aren't worth taking, why are they in your home in the first place?

There's no reason to be surrounded by things that don't work, that you don't need, or that you don't even like. As a professional organizer, Andrew helps his clients figure out what they should keep and what they should kiss goodbye; then figure out how to make what they have work for them. Call 810.626.2135 to make a reservation for this free program.

Resource Advocate

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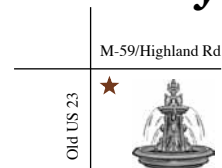
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Kitchen Safety During the Holiday Season

Fall has arrived, and as the holidays draw near, it is important for you and your customers to be aware of the increased risk of fires in the home.

Did you know there are more residential fires on Thanksgiving Day than any other day of the year? The National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) found that from 2002-2003, and average of 5,200 fires occurred on Thanksgiving Day, causing \$21 million in property damage.

Not surprisingly, the leading cause of these Thanksgiving fires was cooking accidents. Most of these fires were started on the stove or in the oven, and a leading factor proved to be residents leaving their food unattended while cooking. The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) reported that in 2005, fire departments responded to 146,000 home fires that involved cooking equipment, resulting in more than \$870 million in property damage. Read on for tips to help keep your family safe this season.

Stay in the kitchen when you are frying, grilling or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen, even for a short time, turn off the stove. Keep anything that can catch fire such as potholders, towels or curtains, away from your stovetop.

Have a "kid-free zone" of at least 3 feet around the stove and areas where hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

Always keep an oven mitt and lid nearby when you're cooking. If a small grease fire starts in a pan, put on an oven mitt and smother the flames by carefully sliding the lid over the pan. Turn off the burner.

Never use a wet oven mitt, as it presents a scald danger if the moisture in the mitt is heated.

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Martha in fact, was taking nine different medications as well as herbal supplements.

The addition of Valium to her existing list of prescribed drugs

sent her to the emergency room with respiratory distress. If she had gone to her own doctor, he would have found that a dosage adjustment of her current medications would have solved her anxiety.

Medication errors are common in the elderly. Many seniors take an average 6-8 different prescription as well as over the counter drugs. Many times the elderly will not go back to their doctor to have their dosage evaluated and changed if necessary. Family members should be aware, that elderly parents may tend to take the family's advice over going to their own doctor. Even though children want to help increase the health and stamina of their parents, they may be causing damage by misdirecting their loved ones.

Where a younger person can benefit

from herbal supplements like Ginkgo Biloba, Saw Palmetto and others, in older people, these herbals may cause adverse reactions with their prescription medications.

There are many things family members can do to help monitor medications for their elderly parents.

- Make a list of medicines prescribed and all supplements being taken
- Give this list to the doctor and pharmacist and have one on hand for emergencies Use the same Pharmacy to fill all prescriptions. Pharmacies keep a record of your prescribed drugs and will verify your doctor's instructions. They will also tell you if foods or over the counter supplements will interact with a prescription.

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- Have a family member be responsible to call or physically monitor the taking of medication
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 Phone 810.632.7476
 Pastor: Rev. Fred Finzer
 Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m.
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2500 Hartland Rd., Hartland, MI 48353
 Phone: 810.632.7263
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 Fenton, MI 48430
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12701 W. Highland Road (M-59) Hartland, MI 48353
 Church Phone: 248.887.8060
 Rev. Mary Duerksen, Interim Pastor
 Theresa Kull, Little Saints Preschool Director
 Preschool Phone: 810.746.0238
 Sunday Worship Services: 8:30 & 11 a.m.
 Christian Education for all ages: 9:45 a.m.
www.myallsaints.com



St. John Catholic

2099 N. Hacker Road, Howell, MI 48855
 Office Phone: 517.546.7200
 Pastor: Fr. Francis George
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 Sunday: 8:00, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m. (Main Church)
 Tuesday: 6:45 p.m.; Wed., Thurs., Fri., 9:00 a.m. (Little Church)
www.stjohnthebaptisthowell.catholicweb.com



The River Community

9525 Highland Road, Howell (just west of 23)
 Mailing address: P O Box 506, Highland MI 48357
 Meets at the Hartland Performing Arts Center,
 Lead Pastor: Terry Prisk; tprisk@therivercc.net
 Student Ministry: Ryan Gerten; rgerten@therivercc.net
 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
 Phone: 248.887.8977 www.therivercc.net

Tri County Christian

13020 Holtforth Rd., Fenton, MI 48430
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www.triccc.com



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5530 Runyan Lake Road, Hartland Twp.
 Pastor Rob Mohr 810.632.3417
heritagehills1@yahoo.com
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 Christian Study 9:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m.
www.heritagehillchurch.com



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Ore Creek Community

Hartland Middle School at Ore Creek
 3250 Hartland Rd.
 Office: 11460 Highland Rd., Hartland 48353
 810.632.7300
 Lead Pastor: Dave Classen; dclassen@orecreek.org
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 Worship Service: Sunday 10:00 a.m.
www.orecreek.org

Club & Organization News

HARTLAND AREA

Community Council

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Heritage Day

Even though the weather was a little damp, Hartland Heritage Day 2010 was very successful. Volunteers, some in period dress, presented many opportunities for attendees to learn about "Hartland's activities of yore." Thanks to all supporters for making the eighth annual Heritage Day a success.

Meeting Dates-November 1 and December 6

Hartland Area Community Council consists of a group of citizens working together to support community events such as Memorial Day activities, Heritage Day and the play equipment at Epley Park. We are always looking for citizens interested in serving and improving our community. See our new web site www.hartlandcommunitycouncil.org. Join us at our next meeting held at Ore Creek Middle School which begins at 7:00pm and usually ends after one hour.

Shopping for a unique holiday gift?

If you are shopping for a unique Holiday Gift, consider purchasing a memorial brick to support the purchase of additional play ground equipment at Epley Park. Hartland's young people have been enjoying equipment at Epley Park and additional improvements are in the works. Additional funding is needed to add equipment, mainly used by younger children. Now is the right time to honor friends and/or family for the holidays with the purchase of a Memorial Brick. See the web site www.hartlandcommunitycouncil.org for forms and instructions. Prices for new memorial bricks have been reduced to reflect today's difficult economic conditions. New bricks, that are purchased by February 22, 2011, will be installed before Memorial Day.

Black Sheep Weavers' Fiber Guild



Next meeting November 4-wet felting

Guild member Connie Hydell will give an overview of the process and the materials used along with a demonstration of wet felting at the November 4 meeting. Kits will be available to purchase. Those wishing to try their hand at wet felting will move into another classroom to make a felted piece.

Felting is actually an ancient craft that has become increasingly popular lately. Felting is the process of transforming wool into a dense cloth by bonding and shrinking the fibers together. Technically, there are three types of felting: wet felting, needle felting, and commercial felting. With wet felting, you can create a soft, dense cloth using fibers from sheep or alpacas. The process uses hot water, soap, agitation and cold water to shrink and bond the fibers together.

Our meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. for social time, a brief business meeting at 7p.m. followed by the program. We meet in Room 23 at the HESSC (former high school) on M-59 just a ½ mile west of the US 23 Interchange on the first Thursday of each month (except December) from September through May. We end our year with a potluck at a member's home in June.

If you are interested in weaving, spinning, knitting, dyeing, beading, crocheting, needle-felting, rug hooking, quilting, papermaking, basketry, raising alpacas and more, we are the group for you. Check out our website at www.blacksheepweavers.com or call our Hospitality Chairperson Cheri at 248.887.9759 or our Treasurer and Membership Chairperson Nadine at 810.626.2142.

HARTLAND AREA MAC USERS' GROUP

HāMUG

The Hartland Area Macintosh User Group (HAMUG) will meet Tuesday, November 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center. Anyone interested in learning more about the Macintosh computer is welcome to attend, regardless of your level of computer knowledge. Have questions or need information? Call Jim Sparks at 810.632.6630.



50th Annual Live Nativity

December 17 & 18

The 50th Annual presentation of the Live Nativity will take place in the outdoor Creche at Hardy. Each year the church offers friends in the community the opportunity to experience the story of the birth of Christ through re-enactment, music and narration. The 20 minute drama is repeated throughout the two-hour period. Intermission time for up-close contact with the live animals occurs between presentations.

A large display of Nativity sets, some from other countries, can be viewed during refreshment and conversation time in the fellowship area. The Sanctuary adorned with Christmas decorations, is open for persons who may wish to spend time in prayer and meditation. Old friends, neighbors, and friends yet to be welcomed are invited to gather and set the tone for the 2010 holiday season.

Hartland Lions Club Seeking Members



Lions Clubs International consists of service minded men and women of all ages who are interested in improving their communities. Best known for fighting blindness, members also volunteer for a variety of community projects including caring for the environment, feeding the hungry and aiding seniors and the disabled.

The Hartland chapter meets at 6:30pm the third Thursday of the month. Come see what the Lions Clubs are all about. For more information and the location of the meetings call Ken Ridalls 810.588.3492 or Kurt Stromlund 810.923.4252

FLASH from the FRIENDS

"Friends" of the Cromaïne Library

The "Friends" were happy to welcome a nice group of folks to their quarterly meeting on September 21. Ceci Marlow, our library director, led a very enlightening discussion on the current status of the library. Penny Halstead topped the evening off with a wonderful selection of goodies. Thanks Ceci and Penny.

We want to encourage anyone who would like to help decorate our library for the Holidays, to meet on December 1 at 10 am in the lobby of Cromaïne in the Village. This event always puts us in a "Holiday Mood."

The Livingston Women's Club will again be placing their "Giving Tree Doves" in the library to benefit the needy in Livingston County. They ask for your help.

New members are always welcome. For information please ask at the circulation desk at Cromaïne in the village, or the Crossroads branch.

Friends outlast trends Modern Trivia



American Legion Post 415

Next meeting November 11

The next meeting of the American Legion Post 415 is scheduled for Thursday, November 11 at the Hartland Fire Hall in the training room located next to Spranger Fields on N. Hartland Road and across the street from Hartland Middle School. The meeting begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. New members are always welcome. Dues are \$32.00 and the forms are available at each meeting.

The 2010-11 schedule of meeting dates are the second Thursday of each month: December 9, January 13, February 10, March 10, April 14, May 12 & 26 and ending on June 9. Please come and join us. We are planning for the 2011 Memorial Day festivities, selling poppies (May 13 & 14, 2011), practicing funeral ceremony procedures for passing veterans and more.

If you have any questions or require more information contact our Commander Douglas Kuhn at 810.629.3818 or email deepdigger@yahoo.com.

Hartland Audubon Nature Club

Sand hill Cranes on November 9

Everyone loves a success story. The successful recovery of the sand hill crane from 27 pairs in the early 1940s to their present population of 24,000 is the story Tom Hodgson will bring to us at our next meeting on November 9. Mr. Hodgson, a retired naturalist and environmental educator as well as a published nature photographer, will describe the history, biology, and wonderful adaptive abilities of this oldest of the bird species. Join us at the Hartland Senior Center located in the Hartland Education Support Service Center on M 59 just west of US 23. Please note that we moved this meeting from the first to the second Tuesday of November because of the election. The meeting will begin at 7:15pm with a brief business discussion and the presentation will follow. Upcoming programs include a potluck dinner and "Nature Trivia" on December 7, and "Magee Marsh Spring Migration" on January 4. For more information, please contact Jami Bond at 810.632.5223.

Home and Garden Club

Next Meeting November 10

A designer from Grasshopper Gardens in Brighton will be giving a hands-on demonstration on making holiday containers for your front porch (\$25 fee) at the Hartland Home and Garden Club meeting on November 10 held at the Hartland Senior Center, beginning at 6:30pm. In addition there will be another hands-on demonstration on holiday wreaths (\$15 fee). Visitors welcomed. For your reservation, please call 248.887. 9431.

Hartland Rotary Club



The Hartland Rotary Club hosted a "Getting to Know Rotary" event at the Village Manor Retirement Center on October 27. Special guest, District 6380 Governor Janet McPeck shared the many ways Rotary Clubs support both local and international communities through various service projects. Guests learned more about Rotary International and the Hartland Rotary Club while enjoying great food and fellowship. Implementing the philosophy of "service before self," individuals acting together can truly make a difference. For more information on the Hartland Rotary Club please contact Beth Yarmak at 810.632.9000.

On Thursday morning, December 2, Hartland Rotary members will assist seniors with Holiday gift wrapping and addressing greeting cards at Village Manor Retirement Center. The sharing of Holiday spirit and meeting new friends was enjoyed by both seniors and Rotarians last year. Join us as we build upon a new tradition.

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Art & Entertainment

"The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe"

The Hartland High School Drama Club presents "The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe." Performances are November 5 and 6 at 7:30pm and November 7 at 2:30pm at the auditorium in the high school on Dunham Rd. Tickets are \$9 for students/seniors and \$11 for adults. One dollar from each ticket will be donated to Meals on Wheels and The Connection. Visit hartlanddramaclub.weebly.com to order tickets. Call 810.626.2285 with any questions.



Are You Ready to Swing?

Join us on November 12

The Hartland High School Jazz Bands invite all to attend the first Swing Dance of the school year on November 12 from 7:00-10:30 pm. The evening features performances by the Hartland High School Jazz Bands and the professional ensemble, the Ambassadors Big Band. The night begins with complimentary dance instruction and provides dancing and socializing for all ages. The dance is held in the commons at Hartland High School at 10635 Dunham Rd.

Ticket prices are: \$5 for students and seniors, \$10 for Adults and \$25 for an immediate family. Refreshments are included with admission. Call 810.626.2291 or email mikeletovsky@hartlandschools.us for additional information. Save the dates for our 2011 Swing Dances planned for February 18 and April 15.



Encore Youth Theater is Thankful

Encore would like to take a moment to say how thankful we are to belong to such a caring community. Our members and young actors are very fortunate to have the opportunity to be a part of this wonderful place we call home. We would like to thank all of you who came out for our Heritage Day Costume Sale. All of the money raised from this event supports our Encore Youth Theater Scholarship Fund; we and our upcoming 2011 Graduates thank you! We have much to be grateful for, and we are especially thankful for the relationships and friendships formed through Encore and for belonging to a community that reaches out to support one another.

A Christmas Carol-December 3 - 5

Congratulations to the following cast of A Christmas Carol: Victoria Behnke, Scott Bell, Bella D'Arcy, Jaclyn Ellis, Mollie Kiser, Jenna Koch, Lauren Kreeger, Olivia Lipon, Emily Lizzio, Kennedy Martin, Veronica Martin, Miya Mattucci, Jordan McKaig, Joshua McElyea, Kelli Neal, Maggie Ruby, McKenna Sabon, Bethany Schira, Trevor Schultz, Hannah Schultz, Zoe Shettler, Parker Thomas, Mitchell Walker, Bryce Watson, Rachel Weber and Emily Williams.



Come share in our Christmas spirit, and see Encore Youth Theater bring A Christmas Carol to life on December 3 and 4 at 7:30 p.m. and December 5 at 2:30 p.m. This Christmas classic is being directed by Donna Kert, assistant directed by Stephanie Kiser, and produced by Kris Weber. Reserved tickets go on sale November 1 at the main branch of the Cromaine Library or by calling Kris Weber at 810.632.5849.

For further information, visit our website: www.hartlandplayers.org

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Kettle Concert November 20 Dick Siegel and the Brandos

The Kettle is excited to present Dick Siegel and the Brandos in concert on Saturday November 20 at the Hartland Music Hall located at 3619 Hartland (Avon Rd). Dick has been delighting audiences in this country and Canada for more than two decades. Penning such songs as "Angelo's" and "What Would Brando Do?" Dick illuminates a world that is wildly humorous, mystical, poetic, and deeply moving. Opening for Dick is Hartland's own, Samantha Parks, an emerging musical talent. Doors open at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are available at Hartland Community Ed., Hartland Flowers, Milford Music, Milford Feed and at www.celtickettlecoffeehouse.org. Refreshments are available and children 11 and under are free, A portion of the proceeds will be donated to Gleaners of Livingston County. Hope to see you, it will be a great concert.

Holidays from Hartland



Holidays from Hartland will take the stage on December 8 & 9 at 1:00 p.m. and December 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hartland Performing Art Auditorium. This will be a family friendly show that will delight and inspire our audience. Tickets are \$10.00 and available from the Hartland Senior Center or at the door. Over 75 well-seasoned performers will dance, sing and act their way into your hearts.

Livingston County Woodcraft Guild Open Workshops at Ore Creek Middle School

Come in and take advantage of the well equipped wood shop located at the Ore Creek Middle School on N Hartland Rd. Get help from experienced woodworkers every Tuesday evening from 7:00-9:00 p.m. mid September through June 1. Don Batten and John Goniea will be available to help you design and build any project you or your wife wants or as special holiday gift. Any questions call Don Batten 248.887.4502

Hartland Area Woodcarvers Guild Seeking new members

The Hartland Area Carver's Guild is open to anyone who wants to learn to carve or improve their carving skills. Our members are diverse and are united by an interest in creating unique and beautiful objects from wood. We are members of the Michigan Woodcarvers Association and we participate in various carving shows and seminars around the state and country.

Dues are \$10.00 per year. A portion of the dues is used to subscribe to the national wood carver magazine "Chip Chats" so that all members will have access to the information contained in this magazine. The club also has vests and patches.

The Guild meets every Wednesday from 8am- 3pm in the Art Room (#49) located in the Hartland Senior Center on M-59. We are looking for new members and we are open to any ideas to create a more vibrant club. Thanks to all members who worked so hard to support our group. For more information about the Guild contact President Chuck Smith at 248.760.2689 or Show Chairman Larry Eichler at 810.240.5475. Be sure to check out the showcase located in the front lobby. We have some tremendously talented carvers!

Boy Scout Troop 381

The Scouts of Troop 381 had a busy summer! We kicked-off this past summer with seventeen scouts enjoying a week of summer camp at Camp Tapico near Kalkaska, Michigan. Three of our scouts were able to attend the National Jamboree celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Boy Scouting in July. Seven scouts backpacked across Isle Royale in July. One of our scouts earned his Eagle rank, another completed his Eagle service project, and another is working on his project this month. Our chartered organization, the Knights of Columbus at St. Augustine Church in Deerfield Township, helped us serve a spaghetti dinner to raise funds for next summer's high-adventure trip, canoeing Boundary Waters. In September, we held our fall Court of Honor during which scouts were awarded nearly fifty merit badges for work completed over the summer. Six scouts traveled to Michigan's thumb to canoe the Black River in September. And eighteen scouts attended Great Sauk Trail Council's 100th Anniversary Camporee at Milan Dragway in Milan, Michigan. Two of our Scoutmasters lead new leader training in October. Our Troop Chaplain is undergoing his Woodbadge training. The Scouts have loaded our schedule this year with fun and adventure. Interested in learning more? Check out our website at: <http://troop381.synthasite.com>.



WEBELOS Camp-out 2010

The Scoutmasters of Troops 380, 381, 383 and 385, in an effort to encourage all WEBELOS Scouts to continue into Boy Scouting, have scheduled a WEBELOS Campout. This is an overnight event focused on providing the WEBELOS and their parents an opportunity to participate in a Scouting Campout.

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| Dates: | November 19, 20 and 21 |
| Location: | Kensington Metropark – Group Camp Area |
| Meals: | Boy Scout troops will provide all meals |
| Equipment: | Boy Scout Troops will provide Tents and Camping Equipment
WEBELOS and Parents will need a Sleeping Bag and Pad |
| Demonstrations: | Cooking-Troop 381; Fire Building-Troop 380;
First Aid-Troop 385;
Tent Pitching; Troop 383 |

RSVP to: Ron Trosin at 810.623.8842 or email ronald.trosin@onstar.com

Information needed: Pack #, number of Webelos attending and number of adults attending.

Cub Scout Pack #380 News

Scouting Year 2010 is off to a great start for the Cub Scouts of Pack #380. Our annual Round up was held at Round Elementary School during the open house.

At our October Pack meeting we welcomed our new scouts and their families. All the boys had fun earning physical fitness awards with challenging test of skill. Also, in early October our scouts were very excited to board the USS Silversides in Muskegon for our Submarine Sleepover.

Our scouts are out in full force selling popcorn as their main fundraiser during October. Much appreciation is extended to Wal-Mart in Hartland for allowing our boys to show and sell the awesome scout popcorn. If you didn't get your popcorn yet, you can still place an order. Contact our Cubmaster for details or any of our pack 380 scouts.

October ended with our annual Haunted House. Whether it was running one of the many games or helping with the concessions or scaring those that dared to enter the Haunted House, our scouts had a great time!! Thanks to all the adults in the pack who helped make it a great success.

Scouting is all about incorporating learning with fun events. Any boy, grade 1-5, is invited to join our pack for lots of fun while learning some valuable life skills, Contact Tom McMullen, Cubmaster, 248.739.1769, for more information.

Boy Scout Troop 380 Collection Dates

The following are the dates for Troop 380 Paper, "Returnable" Can and Bottle Drive.



November 6

December 4, January 1,

February 5, March 5, April 2, May 7, June 4



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Equestrian Team Wins Regional Title

The Hartland Equestrian Team finished up their District Meets with two District Championship Titles. It was the A Division's 11th consecutive win, but the C Division made Hartland history by bringing home their first District trophy. At Regionals, it was a tough battle against not only the other District Champions, but also the cold, windy and rainy outdoor elements. In the end, the A Division Team brought home a fifth consecutive Regional Title and the C Division Team brought home their first Reserve Regional Title. Both teams advanced to the State Finals on October 14-17 at Midland County Fairgrounds.

A huge congratulation goes out to all of the parents and riders who have demonstrated that team work and dedication really do pay off. Go Hartland!

A Division Riders: Tessa Brown, Emma Csatari, Abbey French, Kendra Hull, Jake Meyers, Caci Pippin, Natalie Sulkowski, Shelby Stubbs, Taylor Sturtevant, Danielle Tester, Dan Tyson, Sarah Wallace, Skylar Welti, Chelsea Wojciechowski, and Kate Zadorozny.

C Division Riders: Lauren Duggan, Sarah Laferty, Hannah Oldford, Natalie Schenck and Rachel Zaddock. Head Coach: Ron French Assistant Coaches: Kreig Cutter, Barb Sturtevant and Sheri Wojciechowski. Check out www.HartlandEquestrian-Team.com.

Winter Sports Sale - December 11

Winter Sports Sale on Saturday, December 11 from 10am to 3pm at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center (former high school) located on M-59 west of US-23. There is a 20 % service fee on each item sold. Equipment drop off time is 6-9pm on Friday, December 10. Skis or snowboards sharpened and waxed for \$15. Clothing apparel and gloves will also be available. The sale is sponsored by the Hartland High School Ski Team with the proceeds from this activity being used to buy Ski Team Equipment.

Indoor Soccer

Games begin January 16 – February 20, 2011

Indoor soccer for boys and girls in preschool – 2nd grade. When it's cold outside and the snow starts to fly, let the kids come inside to play soccer. Games are played on Sundays between the hours of noon and 7:00pm at Ore Creek Middle School. Teams are coached by parent volunteers. If interested in coaching, please let us know when you register. The first Sunday will be a ½ hour practice then a ½ hour scrimmage; the last 5 weeks will be games. Pre-kickers will do a ½ hour of drills each week, and then a ½ hour of games. Pre-kickers should bring their own ball. Shin guards are required. Must have a minimum of 4 teams per age group (32 players) Register early!



ISPW	Preschool -Pre-kickers – 3 & 4 year olds
ISKW	Kindergarten Indoor Soccer (U5 & U6 from fall)
IS12W	1st & 2nd Grade Indoor Soccer
Sundays	January 16-February 20, 2011
Ore Creek Gym	games played between 12noon and 7:00pm
Fee	\$65.00 includes t-shirt

Call Hartland Community Ed 810.626.2150 - On Line At www.hartlandcommunityed.com - Stop in to the Community Ed Office At 9525 Highland Rd.

Hurricanes Swim Club

Spartan Pentathlon

Hartland Hurricanes Swim Club placed extremely well in the Spartan Pentathlon, the first big meet of the USA Swim season in Michigan. Each swimmer must swim races in all competitive strokes including butterfly, backstroke, breaststroke, freestyle, and then swim them all in an individual medley. The meet is a serious test of overall excellence and conditioning.

Six swimmers placed in the top 22 including 1st place Madison Mince, age 9 girls; 3rd place Aaron Thielen, age 8 boys; 12th Amanda Thielen, 12 girls; 13th James Strandbergh, 16 boys; 17th Matt Polkowski, 15 boys; 22nd Audrey Regan, 12 girls.

Congratulations to Hartland's swimmers!



Hartland Hurricanes

at the Michigan Long Course State Meet

The Hartland Hurricanes blew down the pool at the Long Course State Meet. Our swimmers qualified in 27 events. This is a record for the Hurricanes. Every year the team gets stronger with more of these kids making it their primary sport.

Our top finisher was Joshua Nickerson a student at Ore Creek Middle School who qualified in 9 events and swam in 5. Josh earned All State honors in the 400 freestyle by earning an 8th place. He was also State Honorable Mention in the 200 Breaststroke, and 200 Freestyle. Josh finished in the top 20 in all the events he swam, earning an 18th place in the 200 Backstroke and 20th place in the 100 Freestyle.



Madison Mince and Alec Greene were the next Hurricanes to cause a storm. 9 year old Madison was 16th in the 100 butterfly and 22nd in 50 Butterfly and Ore Creek Middle School Student Alec Greene was 15th in the 50 backstroke earning both swimmers All State Honorable Mention. Hartland High School swimmer James Strandberg was our senior swimmer competing in the 200 breaststroke and finishing 36th. The season looks great for 2011 with these swimmers and many more returning for the season. If you would like to ride the wave of success and are interested in joining the Hurricane Swim Team please, visit our website at www.hartlandschools.us for all the information on the team.

Pre-School Swim at Hartland Pool

Splash & Play is Open Swim time just for little ones and their caregivers. The cost is \$5.25 for an adult and 1 child, \$1.25 for each additional child, and is scheduled Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday from 10:30-11:25am

All the water toys are turned on except the big slide. This is a quieter time for young children to play on the kiddie slide, bubblers, water cannons, dump bucket, and current channel. Splash & Play is timed to wear kids out just before lunch and naps! Please be aware that young children must be accompanied by an adult in the water. If you have questions see www.hartlandschools.us, then follow the links to the aquatic center, or call 810.626.2279.

Winter Swim Lessons

Registration begins November 13

Lessons are available Saturday mornings, Tuesday evenings, and Thursdays during the day. The schedule can be viewed online at hartlandcommunityed.com. For further information log onto www.hartlandschools.us, and follow the link to the aquatic center or call 810.626.2279.



Thanksgiving Open Swim Schedule

Wednesday	Nov 24	12:30-2:00pm		
Thursday	Nov 25	Closed Thanksgiving		
Friday	Nov 26	12:30-2:00pm		7:30-9:00pm
Saturday	Nov 27	12:30-2:00pm	2:30-4:00pm	7:30-9:00pm
Sunday	Nov 28		2:30-4:00pm	
Residents \$4.50 / Non-residents \$5.50 / children under 3 free				

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2011 SEASON: IMPORTANT DATES

Dates and times are subject to change —www.hayaasports.com

Event	Date / Time	Location
Registration (On-line)	11/15/10 through 1/31/11	www.hayaasports.com/baseball
New Player Walk-in Registration – uni-forms samples will be available	1/22/11 9AM – Noon	Farms Intermediate School
Late Registration (\$25 late fee assessed)	1/31/11 through 2/14/10	www.hayaasports.com/baseball
Evaluations (Boys 9 – 10 Minor)	2/13/11 3PM - 5PM	Farms Intermediate School
Evaluations (Boys 11 - 12 Quadtown)	2/13/11 1PM - 3PM	Farms Intermediate School
Evaluations (Boys 13 - 14 Quadtown)	2/13/11 1PM - 3PM	Farms Intermediate School
Coaches Meeting & Equipment Pick Up	3/6/11 TBD	HESCC (old HHS)
Player team notification	3/7/11 - 3/14/11	Coaches will call players
Practices (weather permitting)	3/28/11	Coaches will inform players
Games (includes Playoffs)	5/2/11 - 6/30/11	Coaches will inform players
Pictures	5/6/11 - 5/7/11	Eply Park Times TBD
Memorial Day Parade	5/30/11	More details to follow

VOLUNTEERS AND SPONSORS NEEDED FOR 2011 SEASON

Contact Presidents Mark & Nu Ehgotz 810.991.4449 or nehgotz@yahoo.com

No school? Come play at Hartland Gymnastics!

Scheduled dates: November 2 and 12



On no school days Hartland Gymnastics will have open gym scheduled from 1:30-3 pm. Cost is \$8. Our open gym is open to the public. Ages 5 and under need to be accompanied by an adult. A waiver and release form is mandatory and can be found at www.hartlandgymnastics.com or www.hartlandcommunityed.com or a parent can sign one at the door.

Our gym has a state of the art design with safety in mind. It includes trampoline, tumble trak, moon walk, zip line, Jacob's ladder, bars, vault, spring floor, balance beams, foam cube pit, rope climb and cargo net. Hartland Gymnastics also offers open gym every Friday from 7:30-9pm at \$8 per child. No pre-registration for Friday open gym required.

Come play with us at Hartland Gymnastics! FUN, FUN, FUN! For more information call 810.626.2170. Scheduled dates: November 2 and 12.

Parents Night Out



This is a great opportunity for parents and kids! All kids ages 5 and up! \$15 per child (\$3 discount per additional sibling) We offer supervised open gym with fun and games. At 9pm we provide a snack after which we will have a G/PG movie. Open Gym begins at 7:30 pm and pick up is at 11 pm. This is a great way to get that Christmas Shopping done!

No need to be a part of Hartland Gymnastics (Waiver and Release required- sign it at the door or go to www.hartlandgymnastics.com to print yours and bring it with you.)

Friday, November 19 7:30-11pm
Friday, December 10 7:30-11pm

Seeking Recreational Coaches and/or Enrichment Instructors

Do you have a skill or talent you would love to share with kids? Have an idea for a class? Contact the Community Ed office at 810.626.2150 Or call our Enrichment Coordinator Nadine Cloutier at 810.626.2142



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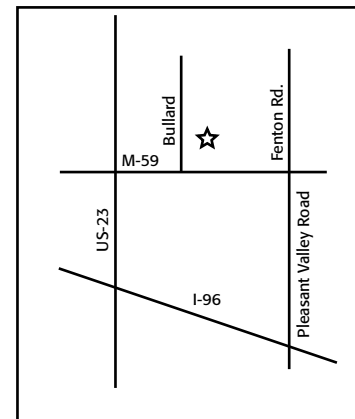
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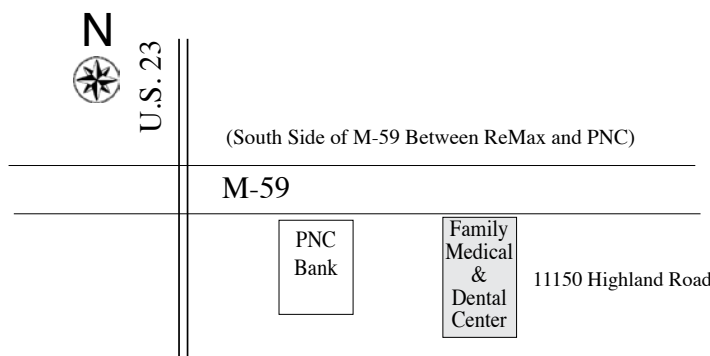
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