



THE VILLAGER



WE CARE!

Reminder: No school for students on Friday, October 7th.

October 6, 2011

VILLAGE ELEMENTARY'S ANNUAL FUND RUN SPIKE'S HEDGEHOG HUSTLE



October 21st, 2011



The Hedgehog Hustle is Village PTO's **MAIN FUNDRAISER** for the year. Instead of a catalogue fundraiser selling junk food and trinkets that no one really needs, students will be asking friends and family to sponsor them as they run in the Hedgehog Hustle. The PTO is raising money in a healthy way for the 2011-12 school year. 100% of the funds collected will be used to support many great activities and educational enhancements for the classrooms at Village. Your donation is tax deductible. Remember any amount helps!

To make your online donations or for more information, visit the PTO website by clicking on the link below.

<http://minnie.hartlandschools.us/groups/villagepto/>

LET MR. CAIN WAIT ON YOU & ENTER A CHANCE TO WIN BREAKFAST WITH HIM AT HARTLAND'S BIG BOY



You are invited to attend a "Celebrity Server Night" at Hartland Big Boy Restaurant on Tuesday, October 18th, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. **Principals, Teachers, and Staff** will wait on tables with smiles and enthusiasm for this community fundraiser. All tips given to the servers and 10% of the evening's sales from Big Boy Restaurant will be donated to the Hartland Optimist Club. The Optimist Club is known as "A Friend of Youth" and sponsor many activities and programs involving children in the community, as well as their annual "Adopt a Family" at Christmas.

So bring your children, family and friends to this fun event where their principals, teachers, and Hartland Schools' staff will be the servers. Don't forget to enter the drawing to win "Breakfast with Mr. Cain".

CLEANING OUT YOUR CLOSET?

The HEA Coat Drive and the Hartland Affiliates Hat, Mitten, and Gloves drive for OLSHA will run from October 3rd- October 28th.

Donations for adults and children should be gently used **CLEAN** coats.

Drop box is located at Village in between the front doors.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- *Oct 7- PD day No School Students*
- *Oct 10 - School Board Meeting 6:30pm*
- *Oct 11-21st- MEAP Testing 3rd & 4th grades*
- *Oct 17- Hedgehog Hustle Pledge Sheets Due*
- *Oct 21- Hedgehog Hustle Fund Run*
- *Oct 31- Halloween: (Check with your child's teacher regarding classroom activities)*

SAFETY REMINDERS

- Only school buses are permitted in front of the building during school hours.
- Enter the building through the doors closest to the office. If you are picking your child up after school, you may enter at the east side of the building. These doors will be unlocked at 3:40pm.
- Sign in at the office when visiting or volunteering at the school.
- Please pick up a visitor badge from the office and display that badge when volunteering or visiting.

TELEPHONE: 810 626 2850FAX: 810 626 2851ABSENCE LINE: 810 626 2855

Village Media Center

Book checkout has begun! I'd like to take a moment to remind you of some general library policies and to offer a few suggestions. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me (before or after school is best) at (810)626-2865 or email me at ErinDennis@hartlandschools.us

Thanks and happy reading!
Mrs. Dennis
Village Media Specialist

Circulation Policy

Students in Junior Kindergarten, Kindergarten, and 1st grade are permitted to check out one book at a time. Students in grades 2-4 check out two books at a time. It is my policy that all students who can check out must check out at least one grade level appropriate book at each library visit. If a student has an overdue book, checkout is not allowed until the book is returned or paid for.

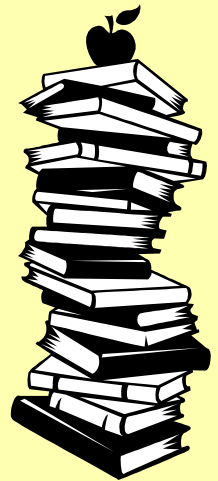
Due Dates

Library books are checked out for two library periods (8 days). After that time if a student is not finished, he or she should bring the book to Media to have it renewed. Students in Kindergarten and 1st grade must return their books for each Media visit in order to be able to check out a new one. **Library books are always due on the day before Media.** If a student forgets a book, he or she may turn it in on the morning of Media.

Replacement Costs

Books have accidents. The students are aware that any time something happens to a book, they need to come and tell me as soon as possible. Whenever possible, I will do my best to repair any damaged book. If this is not possible, the student will be assessed a fine: \$18 for hardcover books and \$7 for paperback books (this includes \$2 for processing). If a lost book is later found (during the same school year), I will refund the cost paid, minus the processing fee of \$2.

Please help your child to limit the chances of accidents happening by: keeping library books out of reach of pets and babies, not allowing books to be taken outside, keeping books away from food and liquids, and always keeping library books in the same place to keep them from getting lost.



Remember – reading to and with your children is the best thing you can do to help them grow and learn. Have a wonderful year!

Village Art Room

Notes from the Art Room...

**Ms. Eichhorn would like to thank you for all the wonderful donations to the art room. She is set with all items but would really appreciate if you could send in old washcloths and towels. We have run out of storage so please do not drop off any other items at this time.*

**Art to Remember will be coming home with your students soon. This is a great way to preserve your child's artwork and makes great gifts for the holidays. Please check your child's Friday Folder for more information.*

**Stop by Cromaine and check out the artwork on display through the month of October from Mrs. Redford and Ms. Peifer's classes.*

