

Community Life

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Superintendent's Corner

Chuck Hughes, Superintendent

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It will not be long before the first day of school is upon us, August 14, 2024. We will have some new faces on the administrative team for you to get to know.

Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services

Mrs. Kate Gregory has been promoted to Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services. Mrs. Gregory began her educational career teaching mathematics at Hartland High School. She had an interest in administration and was named to the Dean of Students position at Hartland High School. She was quickly promoted to Assistant Principal. She was named High School Principal in 2017. In 2023, she was promoted to Director of Student Services and now Assistant Superintendent. Mrs. Gregory grew up in Hartland and graduated from Hartland Schools before attending Western Michigan University.



Creekside Elementary Principal, Mrs. Misty Gunn

Mrs. Misty Gunn is the new Principal at Creekside Elementary. She is a graduate of Schoolcraft College, Western Michigan University, the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and Oakland University where she earned her Educational Specialist degree. Mrs. Gunn has many years of educational experience. She started her teaching career in Greensboro, North Carolina before being promoted to a Curriculum Facilitator position in High Point, NC. She found her way back home to Michigan where she was a lead teacher in Pontiac and Assistant Principal in the Redford Union School District. Most recently, she was the Grades 3-5 Principal at George Long Elementary School in Grass Lake, Michigan.



Board of Education Happenings



Back row, left to right: Greg Keller, Chris Costa and Glenn Gogoleski. Front row, left to right: Meghan Glabach, Kristin Coleman, Cindy Shaw and Michelle Blondeel.

Welcome to the 2024-25 school year. As a Board of Education, our role is to support the staff in providing a safe and enriching educational environment. Student success remains the primary focus of the district and Board of Education.

Special Education Millage in November:

On behalf of all Livingston County school districts, the Livingston Educational Service Agency (LESA) is asking voters to consider renewing the special education millage in November 2024. This millage is not a new tax but a renewal of the existing rate approved by voters in 2015. The funding from this millage will not stay with the agency; instead, it will be used directly to support and operate center-based programs for students with complex needs across Livingston County. HCS uses these funds to cover the cost of paraeducators and provide services such as unified sports, work readiness training, peer-to-peer programs, assistive technology, and behavioral support.

The impact of this millage renewal extends to all students in our community. By ensuring continued funding for special education programs used by more than 3,500 students, the millage fills the gap left by insufficient federal and state funding. Without this funding, HCS would have to draw from the general fund to cover mandated costs, reducing programs for all students. Renewing the millage maintains the overall funding for education in our community.

Hartland Consolidated Schools remains a Premier School District of Choice due to the efforts of everyone, including parents and community businesses that support our programs. We hope everyone has a successful year.

Transportation News:

The priority of transporting students to and from school every day has been extremely challenging over the past few years. The district has called on maintenance staff, mechanics, dispatchers and the Transportation Supervisor to run daily routes due to a shortage of bus drivers. This has created a situation where we were unable to provide transportation for field trips and after school activities on a regular basis and needed to pause routes periodically.

Over the summer, we have looked closely at ways to create a more efficient bussing service. Unfortunately, this means that the service provided in the past may change for some students. The changes may come in the form of less pick-up and drop-off bus stops in the subdivisions, and cul-de-sac bus stops being placed at the main road. When implemented, you may see busses going by the house and assume that they could be stopping closer to the assigned stop. Please keep in mind that TIME is the issue. In order to reduce the number of drivers and busses needed, we cannot continue to go down every street and stop as often. Again, the goal is to be more efficient which means driving less roads and having less stops. We understand that this is a change in what you may be used to. Together we will figure this out.

Hartland High School Dean of Students, Mr. Patrick Borg

Mr. Patrick Borg has been hired as the new Hartland High School Dean of Students. Mr. Borg has an extensive background in administrative leadership. He started his educational career as a special education teacher in the Huron Valley School District where he was promoted to the assistant principal role. He soon was appointed as a building principal before moving to the Brighton Area Schools as a Co-Principal at Scranton Middle School. Mr. Borg graduated from Eastern Michigan University and eventually earned his Educational Specialist degree from the University of Michigan – Dearborn.



We Need You! We have employment opportunities available for exceptional individuals as teachers, bus drivers, substitute teachers, substitute paraeducators, student nutrition food service providers, maintenance, community education positions, custodians and coaches. If you are interested, please contact 810-626-2106 to inquire or visit <http://www.hartlandschools.us/Departments/Human-Resources/Job-Openings/index.html>. If you know someone that might be interested, please forward them this information.

Communication Reminder:

Every year, I remind the community that Hartland Schools seeks to provide flexible opportunities for parents and teachers by providing options for communication. Parent/teacher meetings can always be scheduled when needed. To better understand how this can be accomplished, please plan to attend your child's Open House, Back-to-School Night, or Curriculum Night at the start of the new school year.

Teachers and administrators are committed to providing many opportunities for performance feedback and communication. Some ways this can be done include:

- Superintendent Weekly Update: Usually sent on Wednesday or found at <https://www.hartlandschools.us/Superintendent-Updates/index.html>
- Parent Connect access to grades, assignments, attendance, and food service information
- Online Report Cards and Progress Reports
- Open House, Back-to-School Night, Curriculum Night
- Attendance letters
- Building and classroom newsletters
- Staff email
- Phone call
- Parent/teacher meetings available upon request
- District, School, and Teacher websites

Teachers, counselors, and administrators should be contacted to set up meetings or discussions. We encourage you to do so if you have any questions or concerns about your child's education.


Editor’s Page

Thank you to Evelyn Gallegos for your generous donation to Community Life.

Your donation helps to offset the cost associated with publishing and mailing the Community Life newspaper. Your support is appreciated for the only paper dedicated to promoting news about the schools and the Hartland Area for the past 90 years.

For those residing outside the school district and do not have “School of Choice Students” attending HCS, the recommended subscription rate is \$35. Your name will be added to our additional mailing list. Reader donations are appreciated.

☐ Yes! I would like to help support *Community Life*.



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For credit card donations visit our website, www.hartlandcommunityed.com or call 810-626-2150. Thank You For Your Support.

2024–25 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
September 2024	Aug 16	August 27
October 2024	September 13	September 24
November 2024	October 18	October 29
December 2024	November 15	November 26
January 2025	December 6 (Brochure)	December 17
February 2025	January 17	January 28
March 2025	February 14	February 25
April 2025	March 7 (Brochure)	March 18
May 2025	April 18	April 29

You may also e-mail articles to the editor at: 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

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.

Community Life Advertising Rates

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. Advertisements paid in advance for the entire 10 issues will receive a 5% discount. See rates below.

2024-25 rates for advertising are as follows:

SIZE	BASE PRICE	FULL COLOR	SIZE
Full Page	\$470.00	+\$55.00	10” x 12”
1/2 Page	\$240.00	+\$35.00	10” x 6”
1/4 Page	\$130.00	+\$25.00	5” x 6”
1/8 Page	\$85.00	+\$15.00	5” x 3”
1/16 Page	\$55.00	+\$10.00	5” x 1.5”

ADVERTISEMENTS MUST BE PREPAID at the times they are submitted. We accept Visa, Mastercard, Discover, American Express, Check and Cash.

DEADLINES: Advertisements must be emailed to the editor and submitted by the designated monthly deadlines and must be prepaid.

PAYMENTS: Payments for advertising can me made in person, over the phone or by mail. We accept the credit cards listed above, checks or cash.

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Editor: Heather Calabrese

\$35 subscription rate per year for readers outside of Livingston County.

Reader donations appreciated.

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 and we will select one person to spotlight in each issue of Community Life.

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HCS 2024–25 School Board Meetings

All meetings take place in the Boardroom at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center, 9525 E. Highland Road, Howell, and begin at 6:30 PM unless otherwise indicated. Upon request to the Superintendent, the District shall make reasonable accommodation for a person with disabilities to be able to participate in this meeting.

Monday, August 19, 2024	Monday, February 17, 2025
Monday, September 16, 2024	Monday, March 17, 2025
Monday, October 21, 2024	Monday, April 21, 2025
Monday, November 18, 2024	Monday, May 12, 2025
Monday, December 16, 2024	Monday, June 16, 2025, Budget Hearing
Monday, January 13, 2025	

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
THROUGH
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**

What is Art Walk? It's an Art Festival and Competition in Hartland, Michigan. We like to say it's, "Art Prize, Hartland Size."

- Artwork located throughout Settlers Park and area businesses over a 2 week period, with a scavenger hunt and more!
- Art Walk Kickoff on September 21 at Settlers Park from Noon to 4:00 pm with art displays and activities, food trucks, and vendors.
- The festival concludes with the final prizes awarded by a panel of judges at the closing ceremony at 12 pm on Oct 5 at Settlers Park.

Visit our website at www.hartlandartwalk.com to learn more, become a sponsor, or apply!

Open to amateur and professional artists from Michigan and K-12 Hartland Consolidated Schools' students and classrooms: Deadlines are August 9 and 26, respectively!

HCS 2024–25 School Calendar

August 2024:

12: Staff Breakfast
13: District Professional Development
14: First day of school, full day
30: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff (Offices Open)

September 2024:

2: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Labor Day (District Closed)

October 2024

11: End of First Marking Period, K-12
18: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Fall Break (Offices Open)

November 2024:

27: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff (Offices Open)
28-29: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Thanksgiving Holiday (District Closed)

December 2024:

18: High School Exams, 1/2 day for HS only
19: High School Exams, 1/2 day for HS only
20: High School Exams, **1/2 day for all buildings** (full day for staff), **End of 1st Semester, K-12**
23-31: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Holiday Break (District Closed)

January 2025:

1-3: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Holiday Break (District Closed)
6: NO SCHOOL Students – Teacher Records Day
7: School Resumes
20: NO SCHOOL Students – MLK Holiday (Teacher PD)

February 2025:

10: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Winter Break (District Open)

March 2025:

14: End of 3rd Marking Period K-12
24-28: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Spring Break (District Open)

April 2025:

18: NO SCHOOL Students or Staff – Good Friday (District Closed)

May 2025:

21: High School Exams, 1/2 day for HS only
22: High School Exams, 1/2 day for HS only
23: Last day of School, 1/2 day for all students (full day for staff), **End of 2nd Semester, K-12**

HCS Mission, Vision, Guiding Principles, 3R's, and Goals

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 for learning for life.

Vision Statement:
Hartland Consolidated Schools: A community of learners shaping successful tomorrows.

Goals:
These are set annually to ensure that the district is regularly striving to get "better".

Guiding Principles (Belief Statements)

1. Create a solid foundation for school and beyond
2. Provide a strong core academic program
3. Develop the "whole child"
4. Provide opportunities to help students develop skills for the 21st century – problem solving, creativity, real world application
5. Ensure a positive, safe, accessible learning environment for all children
6. Strive to provide innovative programs and services for Hartland to remain a premier district of choice
7. Recognize the uniqueness of each individual within the context of the needs of the whole learning

Reason, Respect, and Responsibility (District Tenets and Meeting Norms) Hartland Consolidated Schools believes in...

Reason: ...the power of our mind to seek to understand and think logically. By developing reasoning skills, our students and staff are better able to think critically in both the academic and social environments in which they find themselves. We support a well-rounded educational experience.

Respect: ...respecting the abilities, qualities, achievements, differences and similarities of all, including ourselves. HCS provides the best possible educational experience for students by eliminating barriers in our policies, practices and procedures that may limit the opportunity for full participation in all that we offer. Hartland Schools strives to be a safe and welcoming place for all students. We will not accept discrimination or harassment in any form. We will not direct or compel students to personally confirm that a person or group is superior or inferior based on sex (including sexual orientation or transgender identity), disability, age, height, weight, English speaking status, race, class, ethnicity, religion, color, national origin or ancestry. We are **ALL** Hartland Eagles!

Responsibility: ...students, staff and parents taking responsibility for their own actions and behaviors. We expect that everyone extends that responsibility to working with individuals, groups, community members and others. This collective responsibility supports Hartland Schools' effort toward cultivating a positive culture where we learn and grow together. Engaging in rational discussions that promote community is important to the development of each person. Being responsible means demonstrating accountability for our own actions and representing our school district in a positive manner, without exception.

To the parents/guardians of children attending Hartland Consolidated Schools:

As a part of registering your child at Hartland for the 2024-25 school year, you need to acknowledge/affirm/designate information related to the following:

- **Accurate up-to-date emergency contact information for you.**
- **Concussion awareness.**
- **Health Alerts** including Consent for Disclosure of Immunization Information to Local and State Health Departments.
- **In-district field trip participation.**
- District Technology Information including the **District Acceptable Use Policy.**
- **Parent Release** relating to photographs or other electronic images of special events/happenings throughout the district that include your child's picture and/or name.
- Appropriate grade **Student Handbook** has been read and understood.
- **Directory Information** - see Board Policy 8330 and **FERPA Regulations.** (FERPA Regulations can be found on Page 15 of this issue.)

This information is in the Parent Portal on ParentConnect. If you have questions about your account, please email pc@hartlandschools.us. Please Include your legal first and last name and your enrolled children's names in the email.

Want to see your advertisement in Community Life? Email communitylife@hartlandschools.us or call 810.626.2150. See page 2 for our rates and ad sizes.

2023-2024 Top Ten Academic Seniors

Please note, students are listed in alphabetical order.

Student: Lizzie Armor

Parents: Tony and Lisa Armor

Activities and Awards: During her time at Hartland High School Lizzie was involved in numerous activities. She participated in various sports teams including soccer, golf, and basketball. She was a member of DECA, National Honor Society, and the Project Unified team, serving as treasurer her senior year. Lizzie is grateful for the constant support of her friends and family. She is proud and appreciative of her time at Hartland High School and all the memories she created. In the fall, Lizzie will attend the University of Michigan Ann Arbor to study Biomedical Engineering.



Student: Lilly Davidson

Parents: Nicole and Jeff Davidson

Activities and Awards: Throughout her four years at Hartland High School, Lilly was a member of various clubs like DECA, LINK, and the National Honor Society. Lilly was also a part of Student Council and Class Council, where she served as Class Council Vice President for two years. In addition, Lilly was a member of the Varsity Sideline Cheerleading team for all four years and the Varsity Competitive Cheerleading team for three years. Lilly is immensely grateful for the opportunities she was provided during her time at Hartland High School and wants to express gratitude to her parents, sisters, and best friends for their continuous support and influential advice. Next fall, Lilly will be attending the University of Southern California to study environmental engineering.

Student: Faith Martin

Parents: Holley and Paul Martin

Activities and Awards: Faith was a member of the Varsity Volleyball team as well as a member of the Hartland Optimist Club. Faith was an active volunteer in the community, volunteering at The Barn in Fenton on Thanksgiving, Gleaner's food drives, and helping to run Volleyball camps at Hartland High School. The challenging science courses that Hartland High School offered influenced Faith's decision to pursue a degree in nursing. Faith found that the encouragement and advice of her parents, coaches, and friends have been extremely influential during high school. Faith will be attending Grand Valley State University in the fall to study nursing.



Student: Holly McCracken

Parents: Jennifer and Clayton McCracken

Activities and Awards: Holly McCracken has been involved in many activities throughout her career at Hartland High School. Holly was Secretary of Hartland School's Junior Optimist Club and Lt. Governor of the State Junior Optimist Club board, in which she created, organized, and served at community events. She was also president of the Hartland High School's chapter of The National Honors Society, another club that dedicated time to serving Hartland Consolidated schools. While not volunteering, Holly enjoys working with her church's preschool ministry, teaching VBS, and playing the tuba in her school's Wind Symphony. In addition, she was Co-president of the HHS Science Olympiad team and, with the help of teachers and other students, created opportunities for students who enjoyed the sciences to learn about different topics and compete with other schools at various levels. Though Holly is attending the University of Missouri to study Finance and Chinese Language, she will remember what Hartland High School has taught and offered her to get where she is today. Holly would also like to thank her mom, dad, and three brothers for making her who she is now.



Student: Kate McIntyre

Parents: Lisa and David McIntyre

Activities and Awards: Kate has been a member of the Varsity Girls Softball team for the past four years. She was chosen as the female Scholar-Athlete of the Year which is awarded to an athlete who excels in their sport and in the classroom. She has been a KLAA Scholar-Athlete for the past four years, along with All-State academics. Kate was named captain of her team as a junior and as a senior. This opportunity to lead her team has been a rewarding experience that has allowed her to grow as a person and a leader. In addition, it has taught her how to handle conflicts, hold herself accountable, learn from mistakes, and constantly strive to improve herself and those around her. Kate is fortunate to have been given the opportunity to continue her softball career at Ave Maria University studying finance. She has been a part of DECA for two years and was a finalist at the state competition this year. This further proved her love for business and desire to choose that path in life. Kate has maintained a 4.0 unweighted grade point average for her high school career. She has been involved in the National Honors Society throughout middle school and high school, volunteering at various community events. She has also been a part of the Project Unified team where she demonstrates teamwork and support for the community. In addition, Kate also holds down a job working 15 hours a week, balancing her social life, school, and softball career. Kate has been fortunate to create meaningful and impactful relationships over the years with many of her teachers who she looks up to. She is also very grateful to have the unconditional support of her siblings and parents who have pushed her to be the best in every avenue of life. Kate is very lucky to be continuing her academics in Florida but will be missed by everyone back home.



2023-2024 Top Ten Academic Seniors

Please note, students are listed in alphabetical order.

Student: Alexis Mosher

Parents: Tim and Karian Mosher

Activities and Awards: Alexis was an officer and the stage manager/set lead of the Hartland Drama Club. Outside of Drama Club, Alexis was a member of the Hartland Winterguard Team. Alexis also volunteers at Adopt-a-Pet in Fenton by working with the dogs in the shelter to help them find forever homes. Alexis’ parents have been the most influential in helping her succeed through constant encouragement. After high school, Alexis will be attending the University of Michigan - Ann Arbor to study Ecology, Evolution, and Biodiversity to find a way to fuel her passion for working with animals.



Student: Asher Smith

Parents: Ryan Smith and Lindsey Harr-Smith

Activities and Awards: Asher was an active member of multiple clubs throughout his high school career. He was President of Project Unified, Vice President of the National Honor Society, and a Link Legend with Link Crew. Asher led a research study through UCLA studying media and worked with the school to register high school students as voters. These achievements will lead him to the University of Michigan–Ann Arbor in the fall where he will study Data Science & Political Science. Asher would like to thank his supportive parents, amazing teachers, and witty friends he has had along the way.



Student: Ashlynn Mulka

Parents: Stacy and Mark Mulka

Activities and Awards: Ashlynn has been a member of Hartland High School’s Marching Band, Science Olympiad Program, Aerospace Team, Women in Technology Club, Archery Team, Drama Club, and Class Council, where she hopes she has been able to create lasting impacts on Hartland High School and the extracurriculars it provides. In addition, she also volunteers at Cromaine Library, where she has gained over 340 volunteer hours, and has been able to help plan and run a variety of programs. Next fall, Ashlynn will be attending the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor to study computer science. She would like to thank her family, friends, coaches, and teachers for supporting her throughout high school and allowing her to accomplish all that she has.

Student: Joey Wagner

Parents: Catherine and Joe Wagner

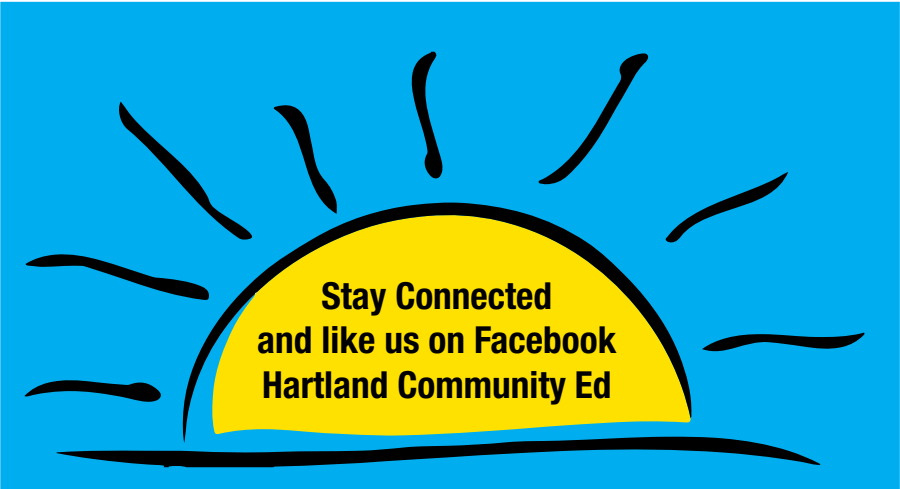
Activities and Awards: Joey was a member of Hartland High School’s Varsity Soccer team and Varsity Track team. During his time in Hartland, Joey loved to balance school and athletics, receiving the Scholar-Athlete of the Year twice, AP Scholar with Distinction, the MHSAA Team All-Academic Award, numerous other KLAA academic and athletic awards, and even held a leadership position in NHS. Outside of school, Joey works on the grounds crew at Dunham Hills Golf Course, plays club soccer through the Michigan Jaguars, and loves to read. Joey is grateful for the guidance and encouragement he received from his parents during his time in high school. Next fall, Joey will be attending Michigan State University’s Honors College to study computer science and conduct research through his Professorial Assistantship.



Student: Bryce Saxton

Parent: Robert and Katerina Saxton

Activities and Awards: Bryce was a captain of the Boys Varsity Swim and Dive team as well as an athlete on the JV Cross Country team. Over the course of his four years in high school, he earned six KLAA Student Athlete Awards as well as two high school Scholar Athletes awards. In the dual enrollment program, Bryce found his passion for the sciences when participating in lab procedures. In his free time, Bryce enjoys contributing to his community as a lifeguard at the Hartland Caroselli Aquatic Center. Bryce finds the encouragement and determination to work hard from his supportive parents, teachers, and coaches. Next fall, Bryce will be attending the University of Michigan Ann Arbor where he will be studying psychology at LSA.



High School News

James Fitzgerald, Principal

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Welcome back to Hartland High School!

The 2024-2025 school year registration is quickly approaching! Online student re-enrollment is required this year. Please ensure that your email address is updated in the Parent Portal, as detailed directions will be sent out to complete the online registration process. Online registration will be completed through the Parent Portal.

- Student schedules for grades 10-12 will be available online through their student portal on the morning of Thursday, August 1st. A parent/guardian must complete the re-enrollment process online for the schedule to be viewed.
- On Thursday, August 1st, grades 10-12 can walk their schedule during an open-house style registration. Students will have their school picture taken, pick up their parking pass and get their school ID card. Students can come in at their convenience between 8 AM and 11 AM and again from 12 PM and 3 PM.
- On Monday, August 5th, 9th grade students will have Freshman Orientation from 7:45 AM to 11 AM. Students will get their schedules, get a building tour, get their pictures taken, have

- their ID card printed, and have the chance to ask upperclassmen LINK Leaders questions about high school life. There is a Freshman Parent meeting from 8 AM to 9 AM.
- Make-up registration for all students will be held from 1PM to 3 PM on Monday, August 5th.
 - 11th and 12th grade students who would like to park on campus may register for a parking spot while completing the online registration. The link to register can be found on the high school website. The \$75 fee must be paid to receive a parking hang-tag at registration. This fee will be assigned in the account beginning July 30th. You can also pay and pick up the hang-tag from the main office any day after August 1st. In order for a student to receive their parking hang-tag, they cannot have any outstanding fines or fees.
 - Please check Parent Connect to make sure your student does not have a negative lunch account to start the year.

We are excited to welcome students back for the 2024-2025 school year on Wednesday, August 14th. We are looking forward to working together, building community and achieving goals. We want to remind all of our students that you have a safe place within Hartland High School, and emphasize the importance of leading with kindness.

The following are highlights from the end of the 2023-24 school year:



Many students participated in the annual Memorial Day Parade in Hartland this year.



The annual CAD Engineering and Design Boat Float was a huge (and fun!) success! All of the boats were designed and built by the engineering students.



Our May students selected for Student-of-the-Month are: Christian Sanchez, 9th grade (top left); Emma Burke, 10th grade (top right); Jasmine Creasey, 11th grade (bottom left) and Jaylen Nokovich, 12th grade (bottom right).



Several students attended our Junior/Senior Prom at Crystal Gardens. It was a memorable night for all.



Congratulations to the Hartland High Class of 2024! Graduation was held on May 31st at Eastern Michigan University. It was a great night celebrating with our students and families.

LEGACY High School & Hartland Virtual Academy

Nicole Conley, Principal

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Celebrating the success of our 2024 graduates!

The Legacy and HVA staff is so proud of your accomplishments. It was wonderful to watch you walk the stage at Eastern Michigan University. We know you are starting amazing journeys!



Legacy graduates Savannah Jarrett and Eddie McCarthy participate at the EMU graduation ceremony.



Did You Know?

HCS is the ONLY public school district, in Livingston County, that offers both a physical location, brick and mortar school, as well as an online academy within its alternative education umbrella. Both schools, LEGACY High School and Hartland Virtual Academy are part of the best fit learning options for students and part of Hartland's heritage of academic excellence!

LEGACY High School	Hartland Virtual Academy
Small class sizes	Michigan Virtual Instructors
MTSS Team Skill Building (Multi-tiered System of Supports)	HVA Mentor Teachers Connecting Weekly
Individualized Instruction	Computer Labs/Study Halls
Located in the HESSC Building	Located in the HESSC Building
Options for online, AP, dual enrollment and share time classes	Options for online, AP, dual enrollment and share time classes
Hartland Consolidated Schools Diploma	

If you would like to talk about either Legacy or HVA becoming a best fit learning option for your student, call the Alternative Education Office at 810.626.2172 to schedule an appointment.

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH
FEDERAL LAW NOTICE OF
NONDISCRIMINATION

The Hartland Consolidated School District complies with all Federal Laws, Michigan Laws, and regulations of the U.S. Department of Education. The Board of Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, sex (including sexual orientation or transgender identity), genetic information, disability, age, height, weight, marital status, military status, English speaking status, or any other legally protected category, in all general education, special education, career & technical education programs and activities (co-curricular and extra-curricular, including employment opportunities).

If a person believes that s/he has been discriminated/retaliated against or denied equal opportunity or access to the District's programs, activities or services, including employment, the person may contact the District's Compliance Officers located at 9525 Highland Road, Howell, Michigan, 48843:

Kate Gregory, Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services
810.626.2111 • kategregory@hartlandschools.us
Ms. Anna Kulas Rosenthal, Director of Human Resources
810.626.2129 • annakulasrosenthal@hartlandschools.us

- 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

Middle School News

Tony Howerton, Principal

810.626.2400
@orecreekmiddle

Welcome back to Hartland Middle School!

We hope you all had an amazing and relaxing summer! We are looking forward to a great new year of growth and learning with our students! Thank you to our community for continuing to support our schools. As you prepare for the new school year, here are a few dates and reminders:

Important Dates

July 29: HMS office reopens 8-4 daily
Aug 6 & 7: Registration & fall pictures
Aug 14: First day of school
Aug 20: Picture make-up day
Sept 1-4: Labor Day break
Sept 4: Parent Open House, 6 PM

Back to School Registration

Back to school registration forms can be accessed through the Parent Portal found on the school website. Please be sure all forms are complete before coming to the assigned registration session. If needed, parents may use school computers to complete the registration / re-enrollment process at the time of registration or anytime Monday through Friday from 8–4 PM starting July 31.

Last Names A through E on Tuesday, August 6 from 8–11 AM
Last Names F through L on Tuesday, August 6 from 12–3 PM
Last Names M through R on Wednesday, August 7 from 8–11 AM
Last Names S through Z on Wednesday, August 7 from 12–3 PM

During registration students will receive their schedules and locker combinations, get their pictures taken, and spend time walking the school.

Parent Communication

We will be sending weekly parent emails with news and updates. Information shared in the emails will also be available on the school website. Parents should check Parent Connect regularly to monitor their student’s academic progress. Please reach out to your student’s teacher or the administration if you have concerns or questions.

Parking Lot Safety

The morning “drop off” time before school and afternoon “pick up” time after school means that students who are being driven to and from school must negotiate a very busy parking lot. **PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY AND CAUTIOUSLY** and put the safety of our students ahead of time issues.

Middle School Athletics

Cross Country and Girls Volleyball seasons start at the beginning of the school year. Students planning on participating in any school sports team must have a current physical on file in the Middle School office in order to participate (this includes open gyms, tryouts and participation). Forms are available in the Middle School office and on our school website. There is a participation fee for interscholastic sports (\$100) and school sponsored clubs (\$40). If a student participates in multiple sports or clubs, the total fee for the entire school year is \$100. Please note that some teams do require additional “team” fees for their season.

A New Face At HMS

Welcome to Mrs. Deb Whitson, who is our new secretary in the HMS Office! Mrs. Whitson joins us from Lakes Elementary.



Congratulations to the 2023-24 HMS Heart & Pride Winners!



The HARTLAND PRIDE award was presented to Natalie Hollister & Nicholas Yegge, eighth grade students who exhibit outstanding citizenship, pride, and especially *scholarship*.



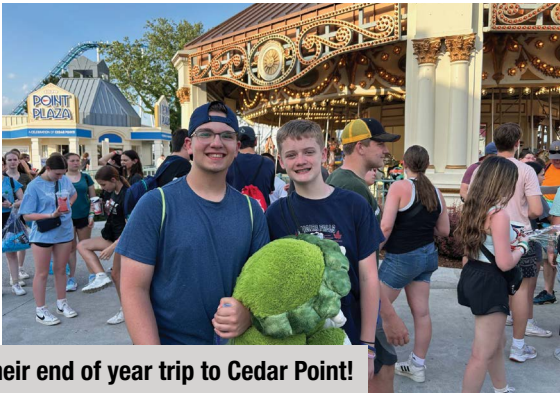
The HARTLAND HEART award was presented to Payton Rohrhoff and Addison Trammel, eighth grade students who exhibited outstanding citizenship and scholarship but especially *service to school and others*.



Over 140 seventh graders earned a 3.5 GPA or higher for the first three quarters at HMS and received a certificate and donut during the last week of school!



Eighth graders had a great time at their end of year trip to Cedar Point!



It was an amazing performance for Mrs. Letovsky’s final student performance at HMS. Great job students and we will miss you Mrs. Letovsky!



Annual Water Quality Report Pursuant to the Michigan Safe Drinking Water Act 1976 PA 399

The Annual Water Quality Reports for the Hartland Consolidated School District are available for review. These reports can be reviewed or a copy obtained at the district operations office, 9525 E. Highland Road, Howell MI 48843 or call 810-626-2185.

Farms Intermediate News

Cristal Briskey, Principal

810.626.2500
✉ @farmsschool

Tentative Dates

- July 29th: Farms office open (M–F, 8 AM–4 PM)
- Aug 8th: Walk-through day
 - 8:30–9:15 AM–New students to the district
 - 9:30–11:30 AM–5th grade walk-through
 - 11:30 AM–1:30 PM–6th grade walk-through
- Aug 14th: First day of school (8:45 AM–3:45 PM)
- Aug 27th: 5th grade curriculum night for parents, 6 PM
- Aug 28th: 6th grade curriculum night for parents, 6 PM
- Aug 30th & Sept 2nd: No school, Labor Day
- Sept 10th: School photos



Ms. Cheney, the Principal of the Farms Intermediate School for 17 years, retired at the end of the 23-24 school year. She worked in the Hartland Consolidated Schools for 30 years and took pride in the Farms Family. She prioritized building relationships with staff, students and members of the community! Ms. Cheney will be greatly missed and we wish her well in the next chapter!



Thank you to our PTO for an amazing Field Day and 2023-24 school year! Volunteer for our PTO! Our PTO sponsors fun and educational events for our school. Contact hartlandfarmspto@gmail.com. You can also visit our Facebook page - Farm PTO to stay current on happenings at Farms.

New Administration



Mrs. Cristal Briskey will be the new principal at Farms. She has worked in the district for 20 years and has been the assistant principal at Farms for the past 3 years.

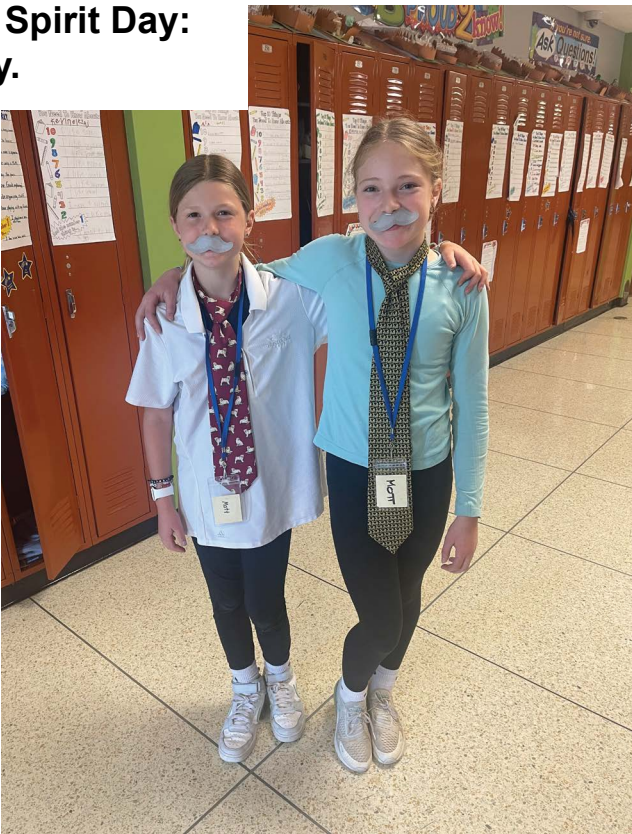


Mr. Tom Ureche will be the assistant principal. He has worked as an assistant principal at Hartland High School for the past 5 years.

Mrs. Briskey and Mr. Ureche hope everyone had a relaxing summer and are looking forward to an amazing 2024-25 school year!



Students and teachers had fun with Spirit Day: Teacher-Student Swap Day.



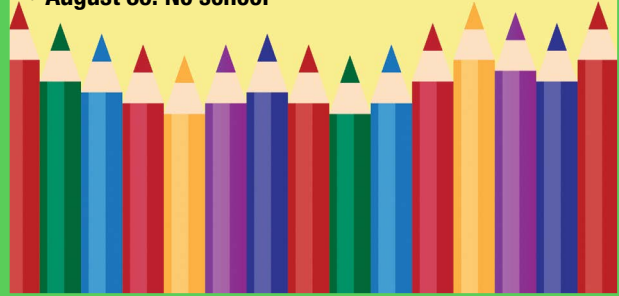
Creekside Elementary News

Misty Gunn, Principal

810.626.2600
@creeksideelem02

Important Dates

- August 1: JK/K screening and meet the teachers
- August 12: CES BBQ Open House from 4:30-6:30 PM
- August 14: First day of school
- August 27: Picture day
- August 30: No school



Field day was a great day for kids and teachers!

Welcome to Our New Principal!



My name is Misty Gunn. I am the new principal of Creekside Elementary. I am a graduate of Schoolcraft College, Western Michigan University, University of NC- Greensboro and Oakland University. I have been a teacher, instructional coach, assistant principal and principal in a variety of districts between North Carolina and Michigan. I have already had the opportunity to get to know so many people and I love how welcoming every member of this community has been. I am excited to be part of the Hartland team and join the amazing staff, students and families of Creekside Elementary.

Our PTO Fun Run fundraiser was a huge success this year. Thank you to our parents and community for supporting our school!



Our students loved interacting with our High School Cadet teachers! We are grateful for these dedicated students who aspired to be part of the next generation of teachers.



We hosted our first ever Seniors Alumni visit and luncheon for all graduating Creekside alumni on the seniors last day. Teachers and alumni loved connecting and catching up!



Our Kindness Club collected over 370 pounds of cereal to support Gleaners Food Bank!



Our third grade students were excited to be able to return to Greenfield Village this year for their end of year field trip.



First grade parents loved visiting the classroom for the end of year slideshow presentation!

Lakes Elementary News

Melissa Frasier, Principal

810.626.2700
@lakeselementary

Important Dates

- August 6: Incoming Kindergarten Orientation
- August 12: Open House and school picture day
- August 14: First Day of School!

Welcome back to Lakes!

The 2024-2025 school year is right around the corner and we couldn't possibly be more excited! The Lakes staff is looking forward to a great year of working together, building community and achieving goals. Please ensure that your email address is updated in the Parent Portal as important information will be coming regarding the upcoming school year. Online student re-enrollment will be in place in the Parent Portal again this year and student placement letters will be e-mailed by August 9th. Students and parents are invited to attend our Open House on Monday, August 12th. Students will have the opportunity to visit their classroom and meet their teacher, as well as meet their essential teachers. We are looking forward to seeing you soon!

Meet our new teaching staff! We are thrilled to have these talented educators joining our Lakes team!



Welcome to Lakes from Farms, Richard Parker, STEM teacher



Welcome Laura Bosak, Kindergarten



Welcome Christina Miller, 3rd grade



Lakes Run Club ran the Memorial Day 5K. Way to go team!



Students enjoyed special guests and field trips at the end of the school year.



Kindness Club donated 27 adoption bags to the Livingston County Animal Shelter.



Students, parents and staff had a blast at Field Day in May.



Round Elementary News

Dotty Hottum, Principal

810.626.2800
@roundelementary

Important Dates

- Aug 12: Open House 5-7 PM
Student pictures in the gym
- Aug 14: First day of school
- Aug 30-Sept 2: No school

The Round Roundup

Welcome back! We are more excited than ever to begin the new school year! We sure have missed all of you and we can't wait to see our students. This year we plan to push forward with our vision to make Round the best it can be! We would like to wish our Round Students the best of luck as they move on to 5th grade at Farms this fall. We wish you well and we will miss you. Make us proud!

We would also like to send well wishes to our staff members that will not be returning to Round this year.

- Congratulations to our wonderful Speech and Language teacher, Mrs. Quinn, on her retirement. She will be greatly missed by staff, students and parents and we truly appreciate all her important contributions to our school.
- Congratulations also to Ms. Clay, who is taking a leave to pursue another employment opportunity. She truly has a gift and she will be missed.
- Please welcome Mrs. Rumble as our new JK teacher. Mrs. Rumble joins us from Village where she has taught for many years.
- Mrs. Ratke will be joining the 3rd grade team and Mrs. Mitchell will be joining the 1st grade team! We are excited and look forward to their contributions at their new grade levels.

Round Elementary School is a special place where our commitment to academic excellence, relationships and making our students great people is a priority. Welcome back Round School family. We have missed you all very much and we look forward to the wonderful year we will spend together!

Dotty Hottum, Principal

Mackinac Island never disappoints!



Field Day was Amazing!



Village Elementary News

Jason Reck, Principal

810.626.2850
@villageelem

Important Dates

- Aug 1: Kindergarten observations
- Aug 12: Village open house (4:30-6:30 PM)
- Aug 14: First day of school
- Aug 23: Picture day (make-up day, October 4)
- Aug 30: No school
- Sept 2: Labor Day, no school

We are excited to welcome our Village students back!



Congratulations to Wesley Flatt on winning the 4th grade t-shirt design.



Congratulations to Cecilia Gallant on her winning year-book cover design!



The Glow Dance was a success!



Fourth grade celebration field trip to Rollerama.

Great Field Day at Village!



Third grade celebration field trip to the Hartland pool.



Transportation

9525 E. Highland Rd., Howell, MI 48843, 810.626.2175

Welcome Back from Hartland Transportation!

The 2024/2025 school year is quickly approaching. We are looking forward to another great year! As always, we strive to make your child's bus ride a positive part of their educational experience. Here are a few important informational points for review:

- Your student must be waiting at the bus stop 5 minutes prior to the scheduled arrival of the bus. Once the alternating lights of the bus are deactivated, the bus driver cannot legally reactivate them and it is then the parent's responsibility to transport their student to school.
- Students and Parents should never try to catch the bus once the lights have been canceled. Please do not go to another bus stop without contacting the Transportation Office. The bus driver must be notified.
- If possible, your house number should be visible from the traveled roadway; mailbox numbers are acceptable and should be large enough and clearly visible on both sides.
- The expected behavior of the student rider is found in the Parent-Student Handbook. We encourage parents to review these responsibilities with their children to ensure their privilege of riding is not lost. The handbook can be found by going to the district website at www.hartlandschools.us, then clicking on Parents & Students, and then Handbooks.
- Postcards will be mailed home a week before school starts with your student's bus information. The computerized postcard will only list one stop address but **your student should wait on the same side of the road they reside on** until the bus is in place with red lights activated and the bus driver crosses them.
- **Students should never cross the road prior to the arrival of the bus.**

Bus Drivers Needed

- Apply today to be trained and licensed for the 2024/2025 school year.
- We prepare you to get your CDL license, while you earn.
- Hands on training to be road ready.
- High pass rate for our trainees.
- The work schedule gives you holidays, weekends, and summers off.
- We have great students in Hartland, and student management is much easier than you think.
- New drivers start at \$20.37 up to \$22.62.
- Sign on bonus to new drivers is \$2,000.
- Sign on bonus to fully certified drivers accepting a route is \$5,000.
- Sign on bonus to fully certified sub drivers is \$3000.
- Once you have a route you'll be eligible for annual bonuses, health benefits or cash in lieu, holiday pay, extra work and life insurance.



If you have any questions or concerns we would be happy to talk with you.
Please contact Hartland Transportation at 810.626.2175.

Community Council Updates

The Hartland Area Community Council would like to thank the Hartland community and the many volunteers that made this year's Memorial Day events a success! It takes a village to make all of the weekend's events possible. Want to get involved with the Council and support the community, including the 90th Memorial Day Commemoration in 2025? The HACC meets again on Monday, September 9th at 6:30 PM in room 33 at the HESSC (Old Hartland HS). Members of the community are always welcome to stop by and visit a meeting!

The Council is also accepting monetary donations to cover the cost of placing wreaths on all the veterans graves in Hartland for Christmas. Donations can sent via Venmo at @HACC1935, dropped off at the Hartland Township Hall c/o Larry Ciofu, or mailed in advance to Hartland Area Community Council, P.O. Box 113, Hartland, MI 48353.



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Notification of Rights Under FERPA

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) affords parents and students over 18 years of age (“eligible students”) certain rights with respect to the student's education records. They are:

- 1) The right to inspect and review the student's education records within 45 days of the day the District receives a request for access.
 - a. Parents or eligible students should submit to the school principal [or appropriate school official] a written request that identifies the record(s) they wish to inspect. The principal will make arrangements for access and notify the parent or eligible student of the time and place where the records may be inspected.
- 2) The right to request the amendment of the student's education records that the parent or eligible student believes are inaccurate or misleading.
 - a. Parents or eligible students may ask Hartland Consolidated School District to amend a record that they believe is inaccurate or misleading. They should write the school principal, clearly identify the part of the record they want changed, and specify why it is inaccurate or misleading.
 - b. If the District decides not to amend the record as requested by the parent or eligible student, the District will notify the parent or eligible student of the decision and advise them of their right to a hearing regarding the request for amendment. Additional information regarding the hearing procedures will be provided to the parent or eligible student when notified of the right to a hearing.
- 3) The right to consent to disclosures of personally identifiable information contained in the student's education records, except to the extent that FERPA authorizes disclosure without consent.
 - a. One exception which permits disclosure without consent is disclosure to school officials with legitimate educational interests. A school official is a person employed by the District as an administrator, supervisor, instructor, or support staff member (including health or medical staff and law enforcement unit personnel); a person serving on the School Board; a person or company with whom the District has contracted to perform a special task (such as an attorney, auditor, medical consultant, or therapist); or a parent or student serving on an official committee, such as a disciplinary or grievance committee, or assisting another school official in performing his or her tasks.

- b. A school official has a legitimate educational interest if the official needs to review an education record in order to fulfill his or her professional responsibility.
 - c. Upon request, the District discloses education records without consent to officials of another school district in which a student seeks or intends to enroll. [NOTE: FERPA requires a school district to make a reasonable attempt to notify the student of the records request unless it states in its annual notification that it intends to forward records on request.]
- 4) The right to file a complaint with the U.S. Department of Education concerning alleged failures by the District to comply with the requirements of FERPA. The name and address of the Office that administers FERPA is: Family Policy Compliance Office; U.S. Department of Education; 600 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, DC 20202-4605

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 provides that the following “directory information” may be released upon request: student’s name, date of birth, phone number, address and/or email, parent name(s), school of attendance, school photographs or videos of students participating in school activities, events or programs, picture(s), video(s), publication of student picture(s), personally identifiable artwork, school activity group(s), participation in officially recognized activities and sports, height and weight if member of an athletic team, dates of attendance, date of graduation, awards received, honor rolls, scholarships, telephone numbers for inclusion in school of PTO directories.

In order to comply with this legislation, the district requests that parents, emancipated minors and those students 18 years of age and over, who do NOT wish release of this information, mail or personally submit an Opt-Out form to the building principal or Assistant Superintendent of Personnel and Student Services, Hartland Consolidated Schools, 9525 E Highland Road, Howell, MI 48843 by October 1st of the new school year. Opt-Out Forms are available in each school office and at Central Office upon request.

List of common uses for disclosing names, photographs and other “directory information:” School newsletter, teacher newsletter, PTO newsletter, school website, social media (Facebook, Twitter, and other mediums), video kiosk, bulletin boards, school yearbook, athletic programs, graduation program, playbill (drama production), student-of-the-month recognition, clubs and extra-curricular programs.

Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) Notification 2024

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires that each year, district workers and building occupants receive notification about asbestos activities such as response actions and inspections. The purpose of this correspondence is to meet those requirements and familiarize you with the asbestos related activities that have been conducted in Hartland Consolidated Schools during the last year.

Management Plans: In 1988, Hartland Consolidated Schools contracted with Trust Thermal Systems, to conduct inspections for asbestos containing material (ACM) within all district owned buildings. These Management Plans are available for review

in the administrative office of each building. A copy of each building management plan is also located in the Maintenance and Operations office.

Surveillance Activities: The AHERA regulation requires surveillance of the condition of ACM every six months and Reinspections every three years. The Three-Year Reinspection within each of our buildings was conducted in May of 2022. The next Reinspection will be conducted in May of 2025. The last periodic surveillance was conducted in December of 2023. All of these surveillance activities will be included as part of the building’s Management Plans.

Asbestos Abatement: During the past year there were minor abatement projects at various buildings in the district. All documentation regarding past and future asbestos abatement projects are available to be viewed at the Maintenance and Operations Office. For access please contact the designated person, Matt Marino, at (810) 626-2100. Air tests will be conducted throughout all phases of the future asbestos removal projects at each building. The air samples will be collected and analyzed in accordance with all regulatory agency requirements.

Pest Management Program: ADVISORY TO ALL PARENTS

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Hartland Consolidated Schools has adopted an Integrated Pest Management program. Inherent with this are the District’s efforts to reduce pesticide use as much as possible. While it may occasionally be necessary to apply a pesticide, these will only be used as a last resort. This program does not rely on routine pesticide applications to resolve problems. We use various techniques such as habitat alteration, sanitation, mechanical means, exclusion, etc. to prevent pests from becoming a problem.

You will receive advanced notice of the application of a pesticide, other than bait or gel formulations at your child’s school. This advance notice of the application will be given 48 hours before the application. The law requires us to do this notification by using two methods. The first method required by

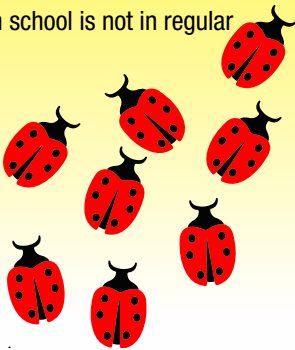
the law is the posting at the primary entrances to your child’s school. The entrances that will be posted are those entrances that have a sidewalk that leads directly to a parking lot. The second method we are going to use is posting on the district website. These postings can be found at the following address: www.hartlandschools.us/Departments/Facilities-Grounds/Notifications.

Parents are also entitled to receive this notice by first-class United States mail postmarked at least 3 days before the application. If you would like to be notified by mail please contact the Operations Department at (810) 626-2185. Please give the office your name, mailing address and what school your child attends. Please note that this is an annual notice. Requests to be placed on the U.S. Mail list only need to be made once per school year.

In an emergency (for example, bees nest), pesticides may be applied without prior notice, but you will be provided notice following any such application.

You may review our IPM program or pesticide application records for your child’s school by calling or e-mailing Matt Marino the District’s Director of Operations at (810) 626-2185 e-mail at mattmarino@hartlandschools.us. This number or e-mail may also be used when school is not in regular session.

Sincerely,
Matt Marino
Director of Operations



Hartland Early Learning Center

Jessica Pasienza, Director

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810.626.2780 or 810.626.2150

Happenings around the center:

It's been a fun filled summer for all ages! Our school age campers have enjoyed field trips to museums, parks, beaches, sciences centers & so much more! Days we weren't on a field trip we had obstacle courses, Lego contests, picnics & YMCA sports just to name a few. If your K-6th grader wants to join the fun next summer contact us this winter for registration information.

Let's not forget some of the fun that our childcare rooms have been having with activities like picnics at the park, water day fun, including visits from the fire truck, reptile animal show, puppet shows, ceramic day, story time at the library & invention day.

In addition to some well deserved rest, our preschool teachers have spent the summer taking professional development classes and collaborating on many fun and exciting activities for the new year! We are still offering both full and part time options for 4yr olds including the new GSRP program. 3yr old half days still have a few spots available. Contact us today for availability!



Interested in working in child care?
Inquire about our openings!



Contact Jessica Pasienza at 810.626.2780 or
jessicapasienza@hartlandschools.us

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Hartland Senior Activity Center

810.626.2135
9525 E. Highland Rd. Howell, MI 48843

Hi 50s and over! Get out of the house and come join the fun with your neighbors. Bring your friends or come make new ones! We provide a broad range of activities and conveniences for our local older adult population. We offer theatre productions, musical groups, fitness classes and sports teams in addition to card games, art classes and a great day & overnight travel program! Lunch is served daily from 11:30 AM–12:30 PM. Come join us!

810-626-2135 www.hartlandseniorcenter.org • Monday – Thursday 8 AM – 4 PM • Friday 8 AM– 3 PM

Annual Membership Dues (Jan-Dec):
\$25 per single member, \$40 per couple sharing a household. You don't have to be a Hartland resident to join!

Check out this sample of offerings at the Hartland Senior Activity Center!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Daily Activities	Daily Activities	Daily Activities	Daily Activities	Daily Activities
8:00am Billiards	8:45am World Dance	8:00am Billiards	8:30am Cardio Drumming	8:00am Billiards
8:45am Enhance Fitness	9:45am Sit n Fit w/ Justin	8:00am Woodcarvers	8:45am Line Dance w/ Allisson	8:30am Rockettes*
10:15am Zumba	10:00am Euchre	8:45am Enhance Fitness	9:45am Sit n Fit	8:45am Postural Stretch
10:15am Yoga	10:30am Line Dance	10:00am Games	10:00am Just Weights—Get Strong	10:00am Silver Sneakers Balance
12:00pm Tech Time	10:30am Ping Pong	10:00am Tai Chi	10:00am Nimble Needles	10:00am Free Fun Friday Euchre
12:00pm Cribbage	12:00pm Art w/ Kathy	10:00am Combined Chorus*	10:00am T.O.P.S.	11:15am Ping Pong
12:30pm Silver Ringers*	12:00pm Pinochle	11:00am Zumba	12:30pm Mah Jong	12:00pm Big Euchre
6:00pm Silver Strummers	12:00pm Big Euchre	12:00pm Duplicate Bridge		
	1:00pm Band*			

*Denotes seasonal programs. Schedule subject to change. Call 810-626-2135 for more details.

Trash to Treasure Sale



August 15th & 16th

Donations needed! No large furniture or clothing please.



Anyone in need of food is welcome to stop by the Gleaner Food Mobile Wednesday, August 2nd at 10 AM and pick up pantry items plus fresh produce and meat.

Calling All Seniors!

We have a mobile Secretary of State office coming to the HSAC. Call the center to schedule an appointment to renew your license or handicap placard plus other services.



Birthday Party Potluck!

Join us for a yummy potluck and chair volleyball. If it's your birthday this month, you don't need to bring a dish to pass. Everyone else, please bring a shareable food item.



Group Walking at Settlers Park

Join us every Wednesday at 9 AM at Settlers Park for a walk. (Weather permitting.)



Looking for something to do this fall? Check out the Hartland Community Ed catalog. A wide variety of classes are offered. From sports to art, kids to adults, we've got you covered! Check us out at www.hartlandcommunityed.com!



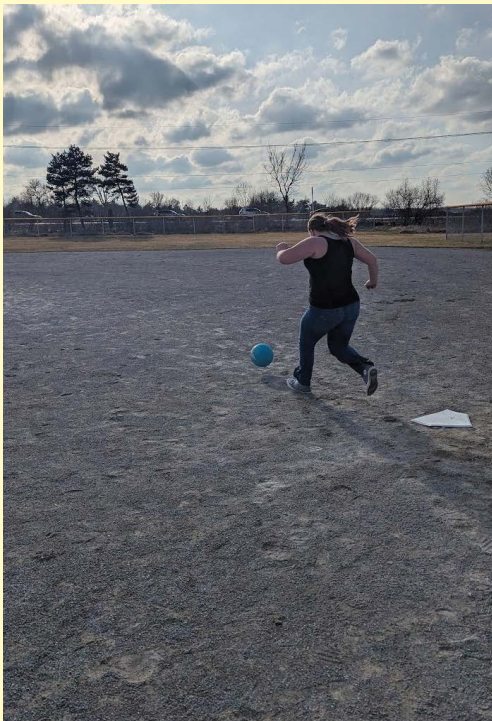
Teen Center News

The HERO Hartland Teen Center is excited to open it's doors on August 14th for the first day of school. The center will be open every school day from 2 PM until 6 PM and Fridays from 1 PM until 6 PM. The Teen Center will again offer services FREE of cost this year, thanks to generous donations from the community. Please reach out with monetary or tangible donations, through our Facebook page, or give the center a call at (810) 991-0050. Giving is even easier this year with venmo—see our QR code below!

Young people enrolled in the Hartland School District, grades 7-12, are invited to visit during open hours, and are asked to sign in on arrival, and sign out when they leave. Only one sign in and out is allowed per day. Snacks are served daily.

In order to attend the Teen Center, all that is necessary is a permission slip, complete with emergency contact information. Permission slips will be available at middle school orientation, or at the center itself. It is very important that the staff has a way to contact parents and guardians in case of an emergency. For returning students, the staff will need a new 2024/2025 permission slip.

The dedicated staff at HERO Hartland Teen Center works hard to create a clean and comfortable space for young people to discover their strengths and talents, find their voice, and become confident young adults. They offer crafts, games, projects, and the opportunity to experiment with musical instruments. Most importantly, the center offers teens a way to connect and make lasting friendships. Stop by for a tour!



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- Lifeguard
- Swim instructor
- Pool office

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Hartland Happenings

BACK FOR ITS 2ND YEAR- HARTLAND ART WALK

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Have you heard the news? After a successful first year, hARTland Art Walk will be back this fall with a full two weeks of fun kicking off on September 21st at Settlers Park.

hARTland Art Walk is an annual community event that celebrates the beauty of art and the talent of local artists. The event includes a walking tour of different art installations, exhibitions and activities, and a competition to support local artists.

Visitors will have the opportunity to enjoy beautiful art throughout the community over the course of two weeks this fall.

Would you like to showcase your artwork and have a chance to win the grand prize? We are now accepting artist applications for all ages! Visit www.hartlandliving.com/art-walk for full details.

Find more information online at www.hartlandliving.com/art-walk



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Fall Swim Lessons

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Birthday Parties

Pirates and Mermaids
September 21st



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FRIDAY & SATURDAY 10 AM - 5 PM
SUNDAY CLOSED

LIBRARY CLOSING DATES

Saturday, August 31 through
Monday, September 2 for
Labor Day Weekend.

When Cromaine is
closed, Wi-Fi in the
parking lot and virtual
library services on our
website are all available.

PROGRAM KEY

- D DROP-IN**
No registration necessary
- R REGISTER**
Register online or by phone

R WE'RE GOING ON A BEAR HUNT
Thursday, August 1 @ 10:30 am
Youth
Join us for a reading of We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen with crafts and activities.

R RECIPE CLUB AND POTLUCK
Friday, August 2 @ 1:00 pm
Adult
Bring a favorite normal-sized dish to pass and a copy of the recipe. You'll try new dishes and walk away with some great recipes.

R AFTER HOURS PARTY
Friday, August 2
Tween @ 5:30 pm
Teen @ 7:30 pm
Celebrate the end of Cromaine's Summer Reading Challenge with a special after-hours event.

R WRITER'S WORKSHOP: USING HUMOR IN EVERYTHING WE WRITE
Wednesday, August 7 @ 6:00 pm
Adult
Television writer, comedian, and speechwriter Mike Larsen will lead a workshop on using humor in everything we write. Mike will show how joke forms are a basic building block of story structure and how mastering the form is a useful tool in any writer's arsenal.

D BOOK CLUBS @ CROMAINE
Adult
Non-Fiction: Thursday, August 8 @ 6:30 pm
Mystery: Tuesday, August 13 @ 6:30 pm
Fiction: Thursday, August 22 @ 6:30 pm
Join us for lively book discussions each month!

R SMOKEY THE BEAR'S 80TH BIRTHDAY PARTY
Friday, August 9 @ 2:00 pm
Youth
Join us as we celebrate Smokey the Bear's 80th birthday with activities and crafts.

R D&D BASICS SERIES: SO YOU WANNA BE A DUNGEON MASTER?
Thursday, August 15 @ 3:30 pm
Teen
A series of teen programs for Dungeons and Dragons newbies looking to learn how the game is played. Bring something to take notes with, and core rulebooks, if you have them.

Scan the QR code to visit our online calendar for a full listing of our events and programs!

R FRENCH MACARONS 101 WITH KEEGAN RODGERS
Tuesday, August 27 @ 6:30 pm
Adult
Join Keegan Rodgers, owner of The Lakehouse Bakery in Chelsea, for a demonstration and presentation on how to make these delicious treats, complete with samples!

R ADVENTURES IN GENEALOGY: SEEKING DEAD PEOPLE THROUGH CEMETERY RESEARCH
Wednesday, August 28 @ 6:30 pm
Adult
Genealogist Katherine Willson presents tips and techniques for accessing burial records, cemetery stone photos, obituaries, death certificates, and more.

Autumn Knight's Faire
Hartland's Cromaine Library

AUTUMN KNIGHT'S FAIRE
Saturday, September 14
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Hear ye, hear ye! Your presence is requested for a day of frivolity featuring games, crafts, demonstrations, and merriment for the whole family. Wear your most dazzling Renaissance attire.

DON'T MISS THIS NEXT MONTH!

Places of Worship



Our Savior Evangelical Lutheran, LC-MS

13667 Highland Road (M-59)
Hartland, MI 48353
Phone: 248.887.4300
Rev. Christopher I. Thoma, Pastor
Rev. Dr. Michael Scheer, School Headmaster
Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 AM
Sunday School/Bible Study: 11:00 AM
www.oursaviorhartland.org



Hartland United Methodist

10300 Maple Rd. Hartland, MI 48353
At the corner of "Hibner" & Washington
Phone 810.632.7476
Pastor: Chuck Williams
Sunday Worship: 10:00 AM
secretary@hartlandumc.org
www.hartlandumc.org



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 • 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.fbhartland.org



Tyrone Community Presbyterian

9141 Hartland Rd.,
Fenton, MI 48430
Phone: 810.750.0350
Sunday Worship: 10:00 AM
Fellowship: 11:15 AM



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: 10 AM
Sunday School (Sept. through June): 10 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
Sunday Worship Service: 11:00 AM
www.hartlandcommunitychapel.org



Floodgate Renewal Fellowship

1535 North Old US 23, Howell, MI 48843
Phone: 810.227.2005
Pastors Bill & Clara Bolin
Sunday Worship: 10 AM
Family Night on Wednesday: 7 PM
www.FloodGateRenewal.org



Grumlaw Church

8457 E. Highland Rd. (M59)
Howell, MI 48843
Phone 810.510.0298
Web: grumlaw.com
Sunday Service
9 and 10:30 AM
Lead Pastor: Shea 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



Benchmark Church

5530 Runyan Lake Road,
Fenton, MI 48430
Pastor Tony L. Chick 810.632.3417
Benchmarkchurch@gmail.com
8:30 AM Prayer Group
9 AM. Sunday School
10 AM Fellowship Time
10:30 AM Worship Service
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



Revive Global Methodist Church—Hardy Campus

6510 E. Highland Road, Howell, MI 48843
Phone: 517.546.1122
Rev. Brian Johnson, Pastor
Worship: Sundays at 10 AM
Bible Study: Tuesdays at 7 PM
www.revivegm.church



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



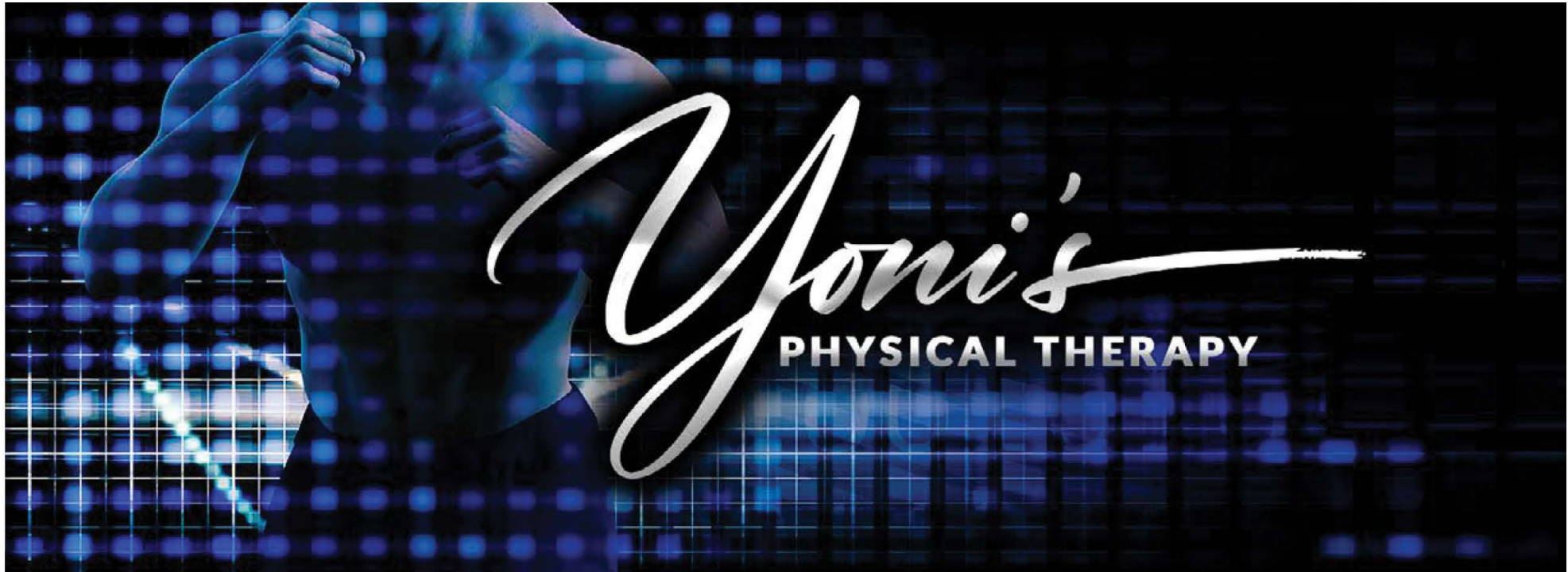
Ore Creek Community

3375 Fenton Rd., Hartland, MI 48353
Phone: 248.887.1133
Lead Pastor: Dave Classen; dclassen@orecreek.org
Associate Pastor: Gabe Sturley; gsturley@orecreek.org
Sunday Service: 10 AM
www.orecreek.org



Shepherd of the Lakes, Linden MI

WELS—Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod
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Phone: 810.208.0949
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Armed Forces Recruiting

Important Notice to Parents: Armed Forces

Recruiter Access to Students and Student Recruiting Information

- The “No Child Left Behind Act of 2001” passed certain new requirements with respect to Armed Forces Recruiter Access to Students and Student Recruiting Information:
- Duty to Provide Information to Military Recruiters. Unless the parent otherwise requests, the District must provide upon request by military recruiters access to high school student’s names, addresses and telephone listings.
 - Consent. Either the high school student or the parent of the student may request that the student’s name, address and telephone listing not be released without prior parental consent. Schools are required to notify parents of this option to make a request and shall comply with the request. This is the required notification and the Opt-Out Form is below.
 - Access to Students. Each district shall provide military recruiters the same access to high school students as is provided generally to higher education institutions, community colleges, and prospective employers.

DENIAL OF ACCESS TO MILITARY RECRUITERS OPT-OUT FORM

To: Principal, Hartland High School, 10635 Dunham Rd. Hartland, MI 48353
To: Principal, LEGACY/HVA, 9525 E. Highland Road, Howell, MI 48843

I object to the release of the name, address, or telephone number of _____
[print name of student] to military recruiters during this school year. I understand that once this form has been signed by either the student or the parent, only a parent may change it. I also understand that if I want to change it, the parents must notify the principal in writing that the form is no longer in effect and that student information may be released.

Signature of student or parent

Name of signing student or parent (please print)

Date



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Aug 7th, 11:30 AM–1 PM: Hartland Business Builders networking and referral at Hartland Chamber office.

Aug 12th: Hartland Chamber Annual Golf Outing at Ironwood Golf Course.

Aug 13th, 12–1:30 PM: Hartland Chamber Lunch Bunch networking over lunch at Wings Etc.

Aug 15th, 8–9:30 AM: Livingston County Chamber Alliance Morning Meet and Greet at Beauchamp Water Treatment Solutions in Howell.

Aug 21st, 11:30 AM–1 PM: Hartland Business Builders networking and referral at Hartland Chamber office.

Aug 27th, 4:30–6:30 PM: Chamber After Dark after hours networking at Hartland Brewing.



Congratulations to our 2024 Scholarship Winners!
Brooke Zapfe and Bryce Saxton



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM


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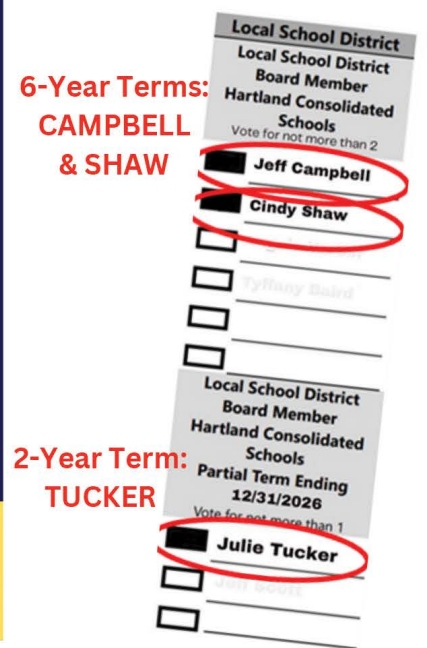
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FOR HARTLAND SCHOOL BOARD

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Jeff **CAMPBELL**

Jeff Campbell is a life-long Hartland resident and a HHS graduate. Campbell has served as a police officer in Wixom and is currently a Special Agent for the Drug Enforcement Administration. He and his wife of 14 years have three daughters attending Hartland schools. Campbell is active in the community through volunteerism with 4-H, as a coach for HAYAA and HUFC, and at his children's schools (leading Village Elementary's Proud Dads program and serving on the PTO). Campbell also collaborated with district administration to engage with 2024 HHS seniors regarding drug use, abuse, and prevention.

Campbell would be honored to be elected to the Hartland Board of Education and will serve the district with honesty and integrity.



Cindy **SHAW**

Cindy Shaw and her family have lived in the Hartland area since 2005. She is the proud mom of two HHS graduates. Shaw has been an active volunteer and PTO/PAC board member in the schools since her sons were at Lakes Elementary and all the way through her sons' high school careers. Shaw has expanded her volunteerism to include community organizations such as the Hartland Optimist Club and Partners in Progress (as a member of the hARTland Art Walk Committee), and has continued as an advocate for the HHS Student Food Pantry even after her sons have both graduated high school.

As a current member of Hartland's Board of Education, Shaw looks forward to continuing to serve the students and families of Hartland.



Julie **TUCKER**

Julie Tucker is a successful independent business owner and the mother of three daughters in the school district. Tucker has long been a volunteer in the schools, since her oldest child attended Lakes Elementary. Tucker also volunteers as a volleyball coach for Farms students and has established a scholarship opportunity for one Hartland senior every year. Her dedication also extends outside the schools. With persistence and tenacity over two years, Tucker led the charge to reinstate the Hartland Homecoming Parade last fall, and has already begun planning for this year's parade. She also developed a community 5k run as a fundraiser for the Hartland girls basketball team.

If elected, Tucker will respectfully and proudly represent HCS.



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