

## *June “Did you know?”*

### *Hartland High School*

*Did you know that the Girls' Varsity Soccer Team won the KLLA West Division Title? This caps off one of their most successful seasons to date! Congratulations, girls.*

### *LEGACY High School*

*The Class of 2014 has left the halls of Hartland in grand fashion with much success! In addition to winning multiple state titles in athletics, our students have earned many scholarships and awards:*

*The O'Brien Scholarship (\$500 for college) – Trevor Kurkowski and Elizabeth Salame*

*The Baker College Scholarship (\$8,000) – Trevor Kurkowski and Jessica Clark*

*Athlete of the Year Scholarship (\$100) – Trevor Kurkowski and Elizabeth Salame*

*Dale Carnegie Achievement Award – Joey Plemmons, Elizabeth Salame*

*Jo DelVero Community Services Award – Brianna Schaefer*

*Legacy Alternative High School is so thankful for the support of the Hartland administration, Board of Education and the community. A special shout-out to the entire Legacy/HVA team of teachers and staff for another incredibly successful school year!*

### *Hartland Middle School*

*Did you know that Hartland Middle School enrolled 76 new or “returning to Hartland” students this school year? Our counselor, Erica McLennan, and our entire faculty put in the needed extra time, effort and attention to make all of these new students feel welcome and part of the HMS family. It is a testament to the entire Hartland Schools' community that we continue to be the premier school of choice in the region.*

### *Farms Intermediate School*

*Did you know that Farms students read 19,750 books this year? Farms teachers have done an amazing job of promoting a true love for reading with our students. We are so proud of the hard work and dedication demonstrated by our teachers and their commitment to making sure our students receive a top-notch education. Our students are reading more than ever and we are very proud of their accomplishments!*

### *Creekside Elementary School*

*Did you know that Creekside Elementary School art students create projects using re-purposed and recycled materials throughout the school year? Second grade students learned about “found object” artwork and explored some works by Jean Tinguely. They then created their own sound sculptures. Third graders used recycled and re-purposed materials to create a swarm of “steam punk style” insects and arachnids. This amazing artwork is displayed in our art museum hall. Exemplary projects are purchased, framed, and become part of our permanent collection.*

### Lakes Elementary School

Did you know that Lakes' 1<sup>st</sup> grade students host a Mother's Day Spa in May? They spend the afternoon pampering their moms with spa services (manicures and pedicures, fancy hairdos, make-up touchups, shoulder and back massages, etc.), handmade gifts, refreshments, and reading. It is a special time for our 1<sup>st</sup> graders to celebrate their awesome moms!

### Round Elementary School

Did you know that the 4<sup>th</sup> grade at Round Elementary takes a trip to Mackinac Island each spring to study Michigan history and celebrate their time at Round? Students, staff and parents take the two-day trip on a chartered bus. They visit many historical places such as Hartwick Pines State Park to learn about Michigan's past logging history, Mill Creek Saw Mill, and Fort Michilimackinac to learn about how that area was settled. Once on the island, students learn about the history of Mackinac Island and eat lunch at the Grand Hotel. It is a highly educational trip but also a time for parents and staff to celebrate our students who are ready to move on to Farms.

### Village Elementary School

Did you know that, through the efforts of Mrs. Bittner, Mrs. Corcoran, our Village staff, and with support from our PTO and Sue Pearson, we are sending 70 reading bags full of books home with students to fight the dreaded "summer slide"? Additionally, Mrs. Reed noted that this summer loss occurs in math as well, so Mrs. Dinser secured math activities to include in the 70 reading bags to combat the "summer slide" in math too. Not only do the materials go home, but our teachers also call and check up on the children the first week of August to see if they are reading and doing their math.

### Community Education

Congratulations to Nadine Cloutier on her retirement from Hartland Consolidated Schools after more than 20 years with the district and 18 years serving as the Editor of *Community Life*. The May 2014 issue was her 194<sup>th</sup> and last issue to edit!

Besides her wonderful contributions to Community Education, many of you probably know Nadine from her efforts in co-authoring the Hartland history book "*Hartland - Weaving the Past with the Present*". Nadine's love for history and what it means to this awesome community was evident in her volunteerism and her contributions to Hartland. Nadine lives by the Hartland Area Project slogan, "Friendly Association for Wholehearted Service." Congratulations, Nadine, and thank you very much!

The responsibility for editing and publishing the *Community Life* newspaper has been assigned to Tatum Ryan. Tatum is a very active member of the Hartland community. Some of you may recognize her name from her work on the Hartland Patch web site. There is no doubt her creativity and enthusiasm will continue the fine tradition that has been passed on to her.