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Dear HCS Education Community:

Hartland Optimist Youth Appreciation Night: What a fantastic “bucket filling” evening last night. Thank you to everyone who nominated a young person for this award. Hartland is a special place with so many fantastic and motivated young people. Last night our EAGLES framework shined with Empathy, Achievement, Grit, Link, Empower, and Serve highlighting the descriptions of 87 of our finest students. All I can say is WOW! At the end of the ceremony, we all read the Optimist Creed. This creed sits my desk and I read it often as a focus to the work I do and how I attempt to structure my life. Please take a moment to read the Optimist Creed and reflect on how you can bring out the optimist within you.



The Optimist Creed

Promise Yourself-

- To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.
- To talk health, happiness, and prosperity to every person you meet.
- To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.
- To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.
- To think only of the best, to work only for the best and to expect only the best.
- To be just as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.
- To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.
- To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.
- To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.
- To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.

New AED's Installed: Outdoor Automated External Defibrillators (AED's) were installed at the Auxiliary Field and the Main High School field house.



Congratulations to all Hartland Archers!!!

Hartland Archers had another spectacular showing at the 2023 Michigan State tournament! All of our teams were competitive and did well. Highlights include:

Hartland High School = Rings Event: Varsity took 3rd Place Overall and JV took 12th Place Overall with Madison Armstrong 2nd.
3D Event: Varsity took 2nd Place Overall and JV took 9th Place Overall with Nadia Tyner 1st, Emma Shaw 5th and Wyatt Shaw 5th in their divisions.

Middle School = Rings Event: Team 1 took 1st Place Overall and Team 2 took 6th Place Overall with Addy Mach 3rd, Ceci Schmanski 5th, Asher Adams 3rd, Ryan Schultz 4th and Quinn Kruszka 5th in their divisions.
3D Event: Team 1 took 1st Place Overall and Team 2 took 5th Place Overall with Addy Mach 1st, Sydney Oddo and Ceci Schmanski tying for 2nd, Asher Adams 1st, Dalton Suchland 2nd, and Quinn Kruszka 4th in their divisions.

Elementary School = Rings Event: The team took 1st Place Overall with Nadia Harshbarger 1st and Addison Fellows 3rd.
3D Event: The team took 1st Place Overall with Addison Fellows 2nd, Elyse Mulka 5th and Gavin Howard 2nd in their divisions.

This was a terrific team and individual effort at all levels!! Now the archers prepare for Nationals in May!
Congratulations and way to go Hartland Eagles!

This Week's ParentGuidance.org Resource Information Released: This week, [www.ParentGuidance.org](https://parentguidance.org/courses/media-changing-mental-health/) released How Digital Media is Changing Our Children's Mental Health at <https://parentguidance.org/courses/media-changing-mental-health/>. If you are interested in learning and helping your child to manage the social media world, please take a look. This is offered as a parent choice resource through the county public school collaborative.

Public Service Announcement: Don't Be Afraid to Reach Out and OK2SAY are available for help when needed. Let's not forget that if we See Something, Hear Something, Say and Do Something. Our children, friends, family members, etc. deserve our attention to what is going on around us.



OK2SAY is an anonymous reporting site for those who are concerned about potential violence or people in crisis.

<https://www.michigan.gov/ok2say/> or 1-855-565-2729

ENJOY YOUR SPRING BREAK!

We will see everyone back at school on April 3, 2023.

Respectfully,

Chuck Hughes

“Stop being afraid of what could go wrong, and start being excited about what could go right.”

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