

HARTLAND CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS

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Dear HCS Community:

Reminder: 2024 Youth Appreciation Nominations Now Being Accepted

The 2023-24 Youth Appreciation Nomination Form is now available at https://bit.ly/YouthAppreciation2024. Areas to consider when selecting your nominee may include: outstanding community service, good judgement and choices, perseverance and overcoming hardships, support and encouragement of others, loyalty or teamwork, and special achievement beyond grades. Please consider nominating at least one outstanding young person for this honor. Nominations are due by 3:00 p.m. on February 16, 2024.

Note: you may nominate up to (2) individuals.

Reminder: Kindergarten Enrollment Coming Soon

Please be aware that enrollment for the 2024-25 school year opens on February 1, 2024. Enrolling prior to February 1, 2024 may place your child in the current school year, 2023-24, which you do not want.

New Spotlight Videos

Check out the latest Hartland High School Spotlight Videos

Hartland High School Spotlight: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1gMBcbK6ZME
Senior Hartland Wrestling Captains: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9y_jReRJe30

SOUP Opportunity

Need funding for a group, organization, or community project? Apply to present for a micro grant from Hartland SOUP at Winterfest on February 10, 2024 at 1:30 p.m.! Winning proposal will receive \$500.00 plus the money collected at the door. A second \$500.00 grant will be divided between the other proposals—everyone wins some funding! Submit a proposal before January 30, 2024 at bit.ly/SOUPproposalWinterfest24. If selected, present your idea over a soup lunch, and if selected by other SOUP diners, walk away with funding. A \$5.00 donation for a soup lunch and a vote on a worthy project or organization in Hartland! Held at All Saints Lutheran Church, 12701 Highland Rd, Hartland, MI 48353. RSVP to attend at bit.ly/WinterfestSOUP2024. Follow us on Facebook @HartlandSOUP to get the most updated information.



Heritage Field-12439 Highland Rd, Hartland, MI 48353

Reminder "What is Bullying"

Earlier in the year I shared information regarding the differences between rude behavior, mean behavior and bullying. None of these actions are appropriate and meeting the standards of reason, respect and responsibility.

<u>Bullying</u>: The intent to do harm, create a power imbalance, or repeated acts of threatening or aggressive behavior is the definition of bullying. Students who continue to intentionally hurt others without regret or remorse are engaging in bullying behavior, which is never acceptable and falls under the districts bullying/harassment policies.

Mean: Mean behavior is done to hurt someone, physically or emotionally. Usually, this type of behavior is associated with anger and is often a regrettable event by the person engaging in this.

<u>Rude</u>: This behavior is not necessarily intendent to hurt. Actions like showing off, cutting in line, talking over someone, refusing to share, etc. are rude in nature. These actions are often spontaneous and thoughtless.

I ask that parents review these definitions and impress upon your children that none of these actions are acceptable in any way.

Respectfully,

Chuck Hughes

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"When you least expect it, something great will come along. Something better than you ever planned for.

Be patient. Be smart. Stay focused."

-Unknown

2024 Livingston Mobile Distribution Sites



Howell

Howell Recreation, 1661 N. Latson Rd. 1st Thursday of each month 1pm-2pm

Hartland Senior Center, 9525 E. Highland Rd. 3rd Wednesday of each month 10am-11am

HPS Board of Education Building/Highlander Way Middle School, 411 N. Highlander Way 3rd Thursday of each month 4pm-5pm

Fowlerville

Fowlerville High School, 700 N. Grand Ave. 2nd Thursday of each month 4pm-6pm

Pinckney

Pinckney Community High School, 10255 Dexter-Pinckney Rd. 2nd Wednesday of each month 4:30pm-6pm

All dates are subject to change

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