

Hopkins Public Schools



Hopkins Middle School Newsletter

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"Committed to Quality Education for our Children's Future"

Parent/Teacher Conferences

*Wednesday, January 21
4-7:00pm*

Middle School Winter Sports

Practices begin Monday January 19th

Wrestling 3-4:30p.m. at the High School

7th Grade Girls Basketball - 3:30-5:00p.m.

8th Grade Girls Basketball - 5:00-6:30p.m.

at the Middle School. Sign up sheet in the office

Year Books

Order forms are available in the office The cost of the yearbook is \$20.00 before January 31st. After that date they will cost \$22.50 until the final order date of March 31st.

2015 Hopkins Variety Show

It's your chance to experience the 8th Annual Hopkins 2015 Community Variety Show!

**Performance are
January 16th at 7:00pm**

and

**January 17th at 3:00pm
in the M.S. Cafetorium.**

***General Admission Tickets
are just \$5**

**Family Package Special—
Five Tickets for \$20**

Tickets will be **Sold at the Door** on show nights.

Concessions will be available for purchase at each performance.

Come enjoy seeing a variety of Hopkins area students, families, and community members sing, dance, tell jokes, play instruments, and perform skits.

*Proceeds from this event benefit Hopkins Vocal Music Students in regards to future choir trips and student scholarships.



During 6th Grade lunch Tuesday, January 13 Brook Brenner donated 12" of her hair in honor of Kaelee Noble who lost her battle with cancer a year ago. Kara Noble, her twin sister was the one to cut it. Her hair will be donated to the HEMONC Clinic Helen Devos Children's Hospital for children who have lost their hair. Thank you Brooke!

Fly Tying Club

*Next meeting is January 14th
in Mr. Reszka's room*

*3-4 pm Every other Wednesday. \$15
one time cost*

The 7th grade students should be reading their January novel. We went to the library on Monday to choose new books. They may also check one out from their English classroom or bring a novel from home. Thank you in advance for encouraging your child to do a little bit of reading at home as well.

Lost & Found

We have many items that would like to go home plus two pairs of glasses. Please have your student check the lost & found table. Parents can also check the table at Parent/Teacher Conferences

Next Partners Meeting
Tuesday, February 3rd 7:00pm
Middle School

Save your pop tabs!

Michigan FFA State Service Project has a goal of collecting 2000 lbs. of pop tabs. Hopkins FFA Chapter is collecting them and you can help by saving your tabs and bringing them into the office. All proceeds benefit the Ronald McDonald House

Boxtops: Middle School collects box tops all year long. You can have your child drop them off in the office. This is a great way to earn money for our school! Thanks for your support

Help our school by

- *Turning in your old printer cartridges and old cell phones for recycling*
- *Saving your Campbell's Labels for Education (UPC codes) and turning them into the office.*
- *Saving your Box Tops for Education*
- *Scanning your Meijer Community Rewards card every time you shop—applications are available in the office.*
- *Scanning your Hardings eScrip Community card every time you shop. Cards are available in the HMS office.*
- *Saving your Dick's Market receipts*
- *Using your Target RED card*



NEXT STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING:

**THURSDAY
JANUARY 29, 2015
2:50-3:50**

ROOM 1102

Mrs. Aleman's Room

**** Bring a snack and come ready to WORK!****



BREAKFAST AND A MOVIE

Eating Breakfast in
January Could win you
4 Movie tickets!

(M-89 Cinema)

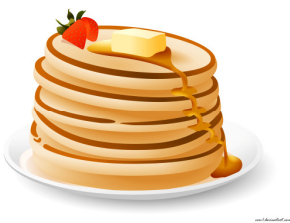
4 Winners Total

Other Prizes Include:

Free Snack

Free Beverage

Free Meal



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HMS Contact Information

ADMINISTRATION:

Ken Szczepanski, *Principal*
Scott Stockwell, *CQO 6/7*
Pat O'Dell, *CQO 8*
Crook, Todd, *Counselor*
Jocelyn Wright Newman *Counselor*
Jan Lodenstein, *Secretary*

EXT:

3509
3507
3112
3508
3510
3500

STAFF:

Aleman, Kathleen
Barry, Joseph
Brooke Brenner
Bub Brainard
Byville, Suzanne
Crook, Todd
Dommenick, Tim
Francis, Cody
Francomb, Christopher
Hazen, Rick
Irwin, Irwin
Johnston, Jennifer
Marckini Katelyn
Oaster, Jacob
Orme, Timothy
Pitsch, Judy
Quist, Carrie
Reszka, Richard
Rose, Lindsay
Rynsbarger, T.J.
Smith, Julie
Smith, Lesa
Snoeyink, Susan
Stein, Karen
VerMerris, Steve
Weible, Alexis

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Important Dates to Remember

Jan. 16	Variety Show 7:00pm Hopkins MS
Jan. 17	Variety Show 3:00pm Hopkins MS
Jan. 21	P/T Conferences 4-7:00pm
Feb. 3	Partners Meeting 7:00pm Hopkins MS
Feb. 20	Mid- Winter Break
Feb. 23	Data Day no school for students
Mar. 3	Partners Meeting 7:00pm Hopkins MS
Mar. 6	2nd Trimester ends
Apr. 3	Good Friday No School
Apr. 6-10	Spring Break
Apr. 14	Partners Meeting 7:00pm Hopkins MS
May 5	Partners Meeting 7:00pm Hopkins MS
Apr. 23	P/T Conferences 4:-7:00 pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

ATTENDANCE

Please call the Middle School office within 24 hours of your students absence. You may leave a message on our voicemail system day or night. When reporting illness, please inform Secretary of what type of symptoms your child is experiencing.

Fever, sore throat, ect. If your child is absent 2 days or more, you may request homework. If absent only 1 day, homework can be picked up from their Teacher the next day.

PHONE CALLS

Telephones in the office are to be used for illness and emergencies only. Thank you for your cooperation.

IMMUNIZATIONS

Please report all immunizations that your child has had so we can keep our school records up to date. All new students and all 6th graders must be completely up to date on all immunizations. Please contact the HMS office if you have any questions.

MEDICATION

ALL medications dispensed to the students must be supplied from home. The school does not provide any type of medication. All prescription medication must be provided in a pharmacy labeled bottle. Tylenol/Aspirin must be brought to the office in an unopened bottle. All students requiring any type of medication must have a medication form completed by their parents.

CHANGES in Phone Numbers, Home Address & E-Mail

Please inform the office any time there are changes in your address or phone numbers. We need to have this information so we can update our records.