



# YOUNG VIKINGS

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## Y5/KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Registration is open for the Y5/Kdg. registration for the 2023-24 school year. Your child must be 5 by September 1, 2023.

**Please go to [www.hpsvikings.org](http://www.hpsvikings.org)  
Young Fives & Kindergarten Registration  
Under Spotlights/News**

Please take your time & fill out all forms. You will also need to upload necessary pieces of information including birth certificate, proof of residency, immunization records. More information is provided on the Final Forms site.

Once you've enrolled, call the office to schedule screening & orientation time slots for your child.

## Mother & Son Fun Event @ Sycamore

Friday, May 12 6:-8: p.m.

Boys can bring mom or other special female guest. Join us for indoor & outdoor (weather permitting) activities. Snacks & drinks available for purchase. Sponsored by H.O.P.E.

## FIELD DAY—Friday, May 26

The fun and games are here! Our students will once again go to the park in Burnips for a day of fresh air, fun & friendly competition.

Please be certain to dress your child appropriately for the weather & to apply sunscreen AT HOME.

Sack lunches are required as well.

**We Need Volunteers!** Forms went home with your youngest child. Return those & be certain you have a background check form on file.

Summer camps information went home with students. Don't forget to register them for boys basketball, volleyball, cheer camp, cheer tumbling, girls basketball, softball, soccer, youth football & youth track.

For questions, please reach out to Kelly Smith at [kellsmit@hpsvikings.org](mailto:kellsmit@hpsvikings.org) or Andrew Mains at [andrmain@hpsvikings.org](mailto:andrmain@hpsvikings.org).

## OFFICE CONTACTS:

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Email: [kelltals@hpsvikings.org](mailto:kelltals@hpsvikings.org)

## Tutoring:

If you're interested in summer tutoring for your child, we have two possibilities that we are aware of:

Lisa Gilder has availability on Tues. & Thurs. afternoons at Hopkins Community Church. [lisagild@hpsvikings.org](mailto:lisagild@hpsvikings.org)

Or this is a link to online tutoring by GVSU. Check this out as well: <https://www.gvsu.edu/k12connect/>

## Grillin' in the Grass Fundraiser Dinner

Wednesday, May 17 4:30-7:00 p.m.  
(prior to the high school choir concerts & art show)

Two menus for \$7 a person  
Hamburg meal or 2 Hot Dog meal

**MEMORIAL DAY**  
REMEMBER AND HONOR



## No School—Monday, May 29

## From Food Service:

Just a reminder that meal balances must be paid by the end of the school year. You may find your students' balance on the family portal or by reaching out to Rhonda Sapp at [rhonsapp@hpsvikings.org](mailto:rhonsapp@hpsvikings.org).

Thank you for your attention in this manner.

## No School for

Y5/Kdg. On

Fri., May 19

We are hosting Y5/Kdg.  
orientation that day



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# Half Days...

Our half days for the 2022-23 school year are:

\*Thursday, June 1  
\*Friday, June 2

**These are 11:10 dismissals.  
MAKE ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR YOUR CHILD(REN)  
THESE DAYS!!!**

**Next H.O.P.E. Meeting:**

Wednesday, May 31 6:30 p.m.

**Next popcorn day:**

**Friday, May 19**

**50 cents a bag**



School Messenger Notice:

If you are not receiving non-emergency notifications, you need to give consent to receive these. Please review the directions in this link:

<https://youtu.be/ZNIY1c5WLJc>

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mon., May 15 8:-2:15 1st grade GR Public Museum

Wed., May 17 8:15-2:15 4th grade Saugatuck

Fri., May 19 7:45-2:45 5th grade Starbase

Tues., May 23 8:30-2: 2nd grade Zoo & Museum trip

Fri., May 26 Field Day

Mon., May 29 Memorial Day No school

Tues., May 30 8:15-2:15 Y5/Kdg. Bowling/nature center

Thurs., June 1 10:00 5th Grade Celebration

Thurs., June 1 & Fri., June 2 11:10 dismissal & Done!



**Happy Mother's Day  
On Sunday, May 14  
We love our mom's,  
mommy's, mother's,  
grandmother's...**

**Who's feeling positive?**

**We all are!**

**Our next positive  
message day is Wednesday,  
May 17.**



**Attention Hopkins Families:**

Looking for Viking host families for exchange students arriving in August.

If you are interested in learning more, contact:  
Marc DeGroot [mdegroot@icesusa.org](mailto:mdegroot@icesusa.org)

## 2023 Hopkins Football Camp

When: June 17, 2023 from 5:-7:

Where: Hopkins High School practice field

Who: 3rd-8th graders interested in football

Price: \$20 per player

Run by Nolan & Trevor Smith as well as other college football players

Registration for next Fall/Spring will open on May 1st.

Registration fees for 5U-12U are \$120 (for registration completion by Aug. 1) & includes 6 weeks of games/practices in both Fall 23 AND Spring 24, a uniform & end of year medal & treats after spring season.

Registration website: [www.hopkinsaysso.com](http://www.hopkinsaysso.com)

**Perennial Plant Sale May 11-13**

Fri., May 12 10:-7:  
Sat., May 13 9:-2:  
Hopkins Downtown Park  
Hosted by FFA



**Only  
Three  
Weeks  
Left of  
School!!!!**



Chicken BBQ Sat., May 13  
4:-7: @ Hopkins High

Take Out Only  
\$14 per meal

Half a chicken, mashed  
potatoes, green bean  
casserole, cole slaw, roll &  
dessert