



EP Rock News

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EP Rock Families:

We are excited to see families this evening for the final night of conferences. While you are here at EP Rock, please stop by our Book Fair by the media center. The Book Fair will wrap up tomorrow during lunch recess times. Down the hallway from Door #1, we also have a large collection of student clothing looking for its home. Again, any items remaining by spring break will be donated to charity. Thank you!

Mr. Schmidt

School Happenings



Staff and students surprised Mr. Schmidt with some Valentine-inspired AI renderings of him!

Volunteer Opportunity

Junior Achievement in Hudson (with Junior Achievement North) positively impacts local students by providing valuable economic education and connecting schools with volunteer role models from the community. EP Rock has teachers who are still in need of volunteers to teach their JA Units (5-6 sessions). The lesson plans and all materials are provided by JA. Teachers in need are:

Andracek (K)

Lila (K)

Martini (K)

Ogren (1)

Calleja (2)

Gonzalez (2)

If you have availability to teach a unit this winter or spring, please contact your child's teacher or email dolsamber@hudsonraiders.org.

EP Rock Yearbooks Are On Sale!

Don't miss out on capturing this year's school memories! **EP Rock Elementary yearbooks** are now available to order, with optional upgrades like personalized covers, autograph inserts, and fun extras.



Order online at <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/>



Yearbook ID Code: 620201



Order deadline: April 10, 2026

Upcoming Community Ed Classes

Pink Axolotl Habitat - February 21st

- [One Skein Basket - February 23rd](#)
- [Organizing Your Legacy: Making Memories That Last - February 23rd](#)
- [Young Potters Studio - March 3, 10](#)
- [Chunky Knit Blanket - March 14](#)
- [Family, Friends, and Individuals Potters Studio - March 21](#)
- [Ving Tsun \(Wing Chun\) Kung Fu: Youth - March 24](#)
- [Tabletop Games - March 30](#)

- [10th Annual Daddy Daughter Dance - March 28](#)

Community Events/Activities

- [Phipps Center for the Arts - Teen Art Classes \(Teen Art Studio & Teen Theatre Improv\)](#)
- [Hudson Community Ski Club Registration](#)
- [Hudson PowerUp Open Gym](#)
- [Masters Of The Sky - Presented By: World Bird Sanctuary](#)
- [Hudson Boosters Softball Registration](#)
- [St. Croix County Free Well Water Nitrate Screening](#)
- [Spring Rec Soccer](#)
- [Girl Scouts](#)
- [Online Parent Safety Event - March 3](#)
- [Phipps Sideways Stories - February 20 - March 8](#)

Upcoming Events

February

- 23 Storybook Theatre Week
- 27 Early Release

March

- 5 Fourth Grade Kindness Retreat
- 16-20 Spring Break
- 27 Early Release

School Counselor

Be sure to check out Mrs. Curtis-Slaughter's parenting blog at <https://eprockschooler.blogspot.com/>

Parent Group News

[Conference Dinner Donations](#) 🍽️

During conference nights, our teachers spend long hours connecting with families — and we'd love to treat them to a catered dinner as a small thank-you for all they do.

You can help make this happen! Please consider making a donation to support this special meal.

Every contribution makes a difference and is greatly appreciated.

 [Click here to donate today!](#)

Thank you for supporting our amazing EP Rock staff!

[EP Rock Spirit Wear – Online Store Open for a Limited Time!](#)

Our EP Rock Spirit Wear online store is now open — but only through TOMORROW, **2/20!** Don't miss your chance to order.

Pricing:

- **Youth T-Shirts:** \$20
- **Youth Sweatshirts:** \$39
- **Adult T-Shirts (S–XXL):** \$20
- **Adult Sweatshirts (S–XXL):** \$43

Youth and adult sizes available (S–XXL).

 [Click here to shop our online store today!](#)

[Winter Scholastic Book Fair](#)

Our in-school Book Fair is wrapping up tomorrow, Friday, February 20th.

The GOOD NEWS is you can still bring home the bookjoy! Shop our online fair on our [EP Rock Scholastic Book Fair homepage](#) through Sunday, February 22nd, and EP Rock will earn 25% of every purchase. Parents can log-in/create their Scholastic account to search and shop for any books you may have missed at the in-school fair!

Thank you so much for visiting and supporting our EP Rock Winter 2026 Book Fair!

[Volunteer Opportunities](#)

Explore the opportunities below, including [Popcorn Friday](#)—perfect for first-time volunteers looking for an easy, fun way to get involved!

- **Join the Book Fair Volunteer Crew today!** Click here [EP Rock Winter 2026 Scholastic Book Fair - Volunteer Sign-Up!](#) to view the schedule and sign up for a volunteer shift (or two) today! All volunteers earn Scholastic dollars to spend at the Book Fair!
- [Click here](#) to help keep [Popcorn Fridays](#) popping at Rock!



[EP Rock Fun Run Sponsorship Opportunity](#) 🧥

We're excited to share an opportunity to support our students while also highlighting the amazing local businesses in our community!

We're seeking local business sponsors for our EP Rock Booster Fun Run T-Shirts.

For as little as **\$250**, a business can have its logo featured on the back of **450 t-shirts** worn by EP Rock students and teachers throughout the school year—providing great visibility and community exposure.

These shirts aren't just fun to wear—they're a special keepsake for each student, celebrating their hard work and serving as a lasting reminder of school spirit, pride, and unity.

If you own a business, work for one, or know a local business that may be interested in sponsoring, we'd love your help spreading the word!

👉 [Click here to view the sponsorship form for details and pricing](#)

✉️ **Questions? Contact us:** eprocpkg@gmail.com

Thank you for supporting EP Rock Elementary and helping us create meaningful memories and opportunities for our students. We truly appreciate our incredible community!

[Teacher & Staff Favorites](#) 🍎

Looking for the perfect way to celebrate your favorite teacher or staff member's birthday or show your appreciation for their amazing efforts? To help you out, we've compiled a list of their favorites that will brighten their day and make them feel extra special.

👉 [Click here for the 2025-2026 list!](#)

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For more information on all school events, fundraising, donating, or volunteer opportunities check out our website eprockpg.org or find us on Facebook.com/EPRockPG. Questions? Contact us at: eprockpg@gmail.com

Display all of our events on all of your devices by [subscribing](#) to the EP Rock Elementary School calendar!

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