Hampden Meadows Weekly Family Newsletter

June 6, 2025

End of Year Dates

PTO 2025-2026

We are incredibly grateful to the Hampden Meadows PTO for all they do to support our school community—a special thank you to co-presidents Cat Lea and Lauren Berk for their dedication and leadership. As we look ahead, we hope to grow our team and invite others to get involved. If you're interested in learning more about how you can help, please take a moment to fill out the survey linked below. Completing the survey is not a commitment—just a way to receive more information. Thank you for your continued support!

PTO Survey 2025-2025



Fourth and Fifth Grade in SEL

In SEL, our fourth and fifth graders have been working on the "Rockin' HMS" Project that was funded by the Barrington Education Fund. Rockin HMS is an activity designed to promote kindness, joy, and positivity in our community. Students have been painting rocks with uplifting messages or fun, colorful images to brighten someone's day. Fourth graders will have the chance to hide their rocks along the trails around Hampden Meadows School, adding a little surprise kindness to the local area. Fifth graders are encouraged to spread their rocks throughout the greater Barrington community-whether in their neighborhoods, at the baseball field, or along their bike routes. This project helps students understand how small acts of kindness can have a big impact.



Looking for Summer Reading? Look No More!



□ 2025 Summer Reading
Grade 4-5 List

Give an HMS Shout Out Here

If you would like to give a "shout-out" to a student or staff member, simply fill out this quick form, and we may read it over the loudspeaker.

HMS Volunteers Needed

Can you help?



HMS BAND and CHORUS CONCERT, Wednesday, June 11th

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/HMSspringconcert

HMS FIELD DAY, Wednesday, JUNE 11th (RAIN DATE, JUNE 13th)

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/hmsfield

* Volunteers must have a BCI on file with the BPS Volunteer Office. How to Get a BCI

5th GRADE YARD SIGNS ARE HERE Directions:

- 5th grade students will bring home a BLANK yard sign today (Friday) or Monday for families to decorate
- The purpose is to celebrate their completion of 5th grade at HMS
- Be as creative as you want to be, but remember, they will be outside and will have to withstand the weather
- Signs should be made the long way left to right
- There will be designated areas in front of the building organized by class for you to place your signs beginning on FRIDAY, JUNE 13 -TUESDAY, JUNE 17. There will be a box of metal stakes available near the benches
- Your 5th grader can bring their completed sign to school, and we will put it out for them.
- We would like every child to have a sign, so if you are struggling to do one, please let the teacher know
- If you need a 2nd sign, please email me at Gino Sangiuliano, and we will make arrangements to get you another one

Worth Repeating...

Did you forget to order a yearbook? Don't worry, we've got you!

Yearbooks are here and the PTO has ordered extras for you. Just send in cash or a check (made out to Hampden Meadows PTO) to the main office and your copy will be reserved

Cost: \$35

Some End of the Year "To Dos"

- If your child will not be attending Barrington Public Schools next year, please notify the office
- Remind your children to check the lost and found, those items will be donated at the end of the year
- Check your homes for school property such as library books, math manipulatives, and computer chargers

QUESTIONS? WANT TO SIGN UP? EMAIL VIOLETORLA@ICLOUD.COM

LEARN SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

Artistic Swimming Class

Session 1: July 7- July 23

or

Session 2: July 28 - August 13

Mondays and Wednesdays 12pm-1:30pm

• Available for youth ages 7-12

Must already know how to swim**



Pods Swimming

111 Commercial Way

East Providence, RI 02914

\$30*

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About me:

- I am a rising senior in high school teaching this class for my mercy project
- I have been an artistic swimmer for 8 years

**need to be able to swim laps of

freestyle, breaststroke, and

backstroke as well as tread water

*A scholarship price of \$25 is avaliable if needed



HMS FIELD DAY/ EPCOTs The Magic of Movement

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Wednesday, June 11th (Rain Date: June 13th)

8:45-11:00 Grade 5

11:30- 1:45 Grade 4

CLICK HERE TO VOLUNTEER:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/hmsfield

COME AND JOIN THE FUN!

Grade 5 Send Off Schedule for Families to Attend - June 18, 2025

8:20 - 8:50 am	Mr. Whittaker/ Mrs. Mitchell		
9:10 -9:40 am	Mr. Tibbetts/ Mr. Cassarino		
10:00-10:30 am	Mrs. Heaney/ Ms. Burke		
10:50 - 11:20 pm	Mrs. Toman / Mrs. Carreiro		
11:40 -12:10 pm	Ms. Reynolds / Ms. StAngelo		

You can find ALL our previous newsletters by clicking **HERE**

CONTACT US

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★Ms. Baptista- School Social Worker

Phone:(401)-217-9482 Email: baptistam@barringtonschools.org

→Officer Saccoccio- Barrington SRO

Phone: Barrington Police Ext 816 or 401-524-7921 Email: sro@barringtonschools.org

IMPORTANT LINKS:

2024-2025 School Calendar

Please call or email the office staff at

<u>HMSattendance@barringtonschools.org</u> to alert us of an early dismissal, changes in dismissal, or an absence.

Always include the child's full name and the classroom teacher's name.

JUNE 2025 Breakfast Menu JUNE 2025 Lunch Menu





EVEN MORE IMPORTANT INFORMATION BELOW

HMS Fourth and Fifth Grade Choruses End of Year Schedule

Full Chorus Rehearsals in Chorus room

Wednesday, June 4, 2025 Fifth grade: 12:00 - 1:00 PM Fourth grade: 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Spring Concert (for families)

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 at 3:45 PM *Rain Date: Thursday, June 12, 2025 at 3:45 PM

Please bring an extra snack/drink and report to the Cafeteria at dismissal.

Attire: Blue HMS Polo Shirts, khaki/light colored bottoms. It may be warm, please plan accordingly.

*Students also in 5th grade band will warm up with Chorus in the cafeteria, then report to the band room.

In-School Performance (for students and teachers)

Monday, June 16, 2025 (9 AM) Attire: Regular school clothes.

If you are unable to attend any of these performances for any reason, please email

Ms. Ducharme: ducharmej@barringtonschools.org



Click **HERE** to order your STAR.

Our S.T.A.R (Staff Teacher Appreciation Recognition) certificate is the end-of-year gift, the gift that gives back to our schools! Let's recognize our teachers, administrators and staff for being the STARS that they are! Your donations will help fund innovative, educational grants for our six Barrington Schools throughout the school year. Make a tax-deductible donation to Barrington Education Foundation, and we will send each of your honorees a beautiful S.T.A.R. certificate (minimum \$10 per certificate). Orders are due by Monday, June 16th for timely delivery before the summer break. BEF champions extraordinary educational opportunities in the Barrington public schools (est. 1992)



Volunteers Needed HMS Chorus and Band End-of-Year Concert on June 11th

Parent volunteers will supervise students prior to the performance: during snack, warm up, and set up

Wednesday, June 11th, 2:15-3:45

Once the performance begins, parent volunteers are free to enjoy the concert.

Rain date for this performance is Thursday, June 12, same time.

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MATH-MINDSET SUMMER CAMP



FUN



BPS is offering a summer program for current 4th through 8th graders. The engaging program consists of number talks, guided problem-based lessons around priority grade-level standards, and motivational activities. It aims to help correct students' misconceptions while building confidence in mathematics, conceptual understanding, and a mathematical growth mindset.

When: Jun 23, 2025

to Jul 17, 2025

Mon-Thurs 8:30-10:30 am

Where: Barrington Middle School Who: Current 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th,

8th grade students



TO REGISTER FILL OUT GOOGLE FORM



HAMPDEN MEADOWS MUSIC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS OUR



END OF YEAR CONCERT

June 11, 2025 at 3:45 PM

*rain date: June 12 at 3:45 PM

ORDER OF PERFORMANCES:

4th Grade Chorus | 5th Grade Band | 5th Grade Chorus

LOCATION:

In front of Hampden Meadows School Bring your own lawn chairs and blankets!