

Hampden Meadows Weekly Family Newsletter

Week ending February 17, 2023



Important Dates to Remember

February 6 - March 1 - Read-A-Fun Fundraiser Continues

February 6 - Survey Works Window Opens

February 28, 7:00 PM PTO meeting (Student Support Presentation)

A picture is worth a thousand words, here are a few for this photo



School Spirit, Fun Friday, Peace Out!

Thank you for sharing your children with us. We appreciate your support and engagement. With so many spring activities on the horizon, it is a wonderful time to get involved.

Maker Space Materials (Still) Needed

Our Maker Space is being used a lot and that is great news, but we need your help to keep it stocked. We are looking for any items that kids can use to create such as...

cardboard tubes, toothpicks, glue, tape, popsicle sticks, velcro, cardboard, markers, fabric, wallpaper and rug remnants. Thank you!



LAST CALL FOR SURVEY WORKS

I know that if you had to fill out a survey asking if we have a lot of surveys you would say YES. Nonetheless, please take a moment this weekend to fill out the annual **Survey Works** given by the state. This is your chance to tell the world what we do well at HMS and what we need to improve on. THANK YOU!

Here is the [Family Survey](#).



READ-A-FUN FUNDRAISER 2/6/23 - 3/1/23

We have read THOUSANDS of hours and collected THOUSANDS of dollars. Let's keep it going!

[Parent Letter](#)

[Parent Guide Presentation](#)

February 28, 2023

PTO Meeting 7:00 PM

HMS Library or Zoom

Followed by a presentation from our special education task force committee about school supports

You can find ALL our previous newsletters by clicking [HERE](#)



[Tough Tiger Slideshow](#) - Please watch and consider volunteering, we **NEED** you!

PTO Presentations

Here are the last two presentations shared at the PTO meeting

[Deeper Learning Presentation](#) and [RULER Presentation](#)

More videos can be found by visiting our website



After School Enrichment Clubs

Yes, we have been talking about this for a long time and we are really close to making this a reality. There are many behind the scene logistics that had to be figured out and we are almost there.

Worth Repeating

Cafeteria Manners and Expectations

This week we focused on cafeteria manners

Enter slowly and quietly.	Buy and eat your own food and snacks.	Practice good table manners.	Stay seated.
Clean up after yourself.	Raise your hand.	Recycle and compost.	Exit slowly and quietly.

CHECK OUT THE NEW PTO WEBSITE AND BECOME A PTO MEMBER BY CLICKING [HERE!](#)

If you need to contact me for any reason, do not reply to this newsletter, please email me at sangiulianog@barringtonschools.org





Registration

Online Registration for Little League Spring Baseball and Softball is OPEN now through February 28th for boys and girls age 4-16*!

Registration is also open for coaching and non-coaching volunteers.
Non-residents who attend a Barrington school or who do not have a Little League program in their community may also register!

Scholarships are available.

REGISTRATION FEES

\$120 for tee ball

\$150 for all other divisions of baseball and softball

DIVISIONS/AGES (League Age*)

<https://www.littleleague.org/play-little-league/determine-league-age/>

BASEBALL: Minors 7-10 | Majors 10-12 | Juniors 12-14 | Seniors 14-16

SOFTBALL: Minors 8-10 | Majors 11-12 | Seniors 13-16

Please visit <http://www.barringtonlittleleague.org> to register.

For more information contact: info-officer@barringtonlittleleague.org

EAST BAY LACROSSE REGISTRATION IS OPEN!



- ⌘ Please click the REGISTER NOW button at www.eastbaylax.org to register for this youth lacrosse program serving Grades K-8 in the East Bay area.
- ⌘ Registration CLOSES March 1st (or when divisions are full and some teams are just about full).
- ⌘ PRICING:
 - ⌘ Sharks (K & Older Pre-K): \$100
 - ⌘ Grades 1/2: \$195
 - ⌘ Grades 3/4, 5/6 & 7/8: \$270
 - ⌘ Sibling discounts are available this year - \$25 off for the second child and thereafter in the family to register.
 - ⌘ Scholarships are available upon request and application.