

February 2, 2024

Dear Lakes Families,

Finally...a full week of school 😊

Lakes is looking for a lunch and recess aide for the remainder of the school year. This is a part time position (2.5 hours per day). See the job description here: [Lakes Lunch and Recess Parapro Posting](#) and reach out if you are interested. Please share this opportunity with others as well!

We have begun the Kindergarten Enrollment process for the 2024-2025 school year. The district is hosting a Kindergarten Orientation event tomorrow (Saturday, February 3) from 10am-12pm at the HESSC (the old high school on M-59). Details here:

### KINDERGARTEN ENROLLMENT 2024-25



A Kindergarten Orientation will be held on **Saturday, February 3, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.** at the Hartland Educational Support Service Center, 9525 Highland Road (former high school on M-59).

The orientation will provide parents an opportunity to hear from kindergarten teachers about a “typical” school day and the kindergarten curriculum. In addition, administrators will be on hand to talk about school safety, bus transportation, school attendance areas, student nutrition, Junior Kindergarten, and answer all questions. The Hartland Lions Club will be sponsoring a free vision screen (Project KIDSight) and a school bus will be on sight for your child to experience.

Parents may begin the online pre-enrollment process beginning **February 1<sup>st</sup>**. The following documents are required and may be uploaded as part of the online process:

- ✓ Birth certificate
- ✓ Immunization records with proof of DTP, Polio, MMR, Hepatitis B, Chicken Pox vaccines (or proof of having illness)
- ✓ vision screening
- ✓ dental assessment
- ✓ Proof of residency using one of the following: certificate of occupancy, purchase agreement, builder’s permit, rent receipt or agreement, mortgage statement/receipt, voter registration card, utility bill, driver’s license

Children are eligible to enroll in kindergarten if they will have their fifth (5<sup>th</sup>) birthday on or before September 1, 2024. A child who turns five after September 1<sup>st</sup> and before December 1, 2024 may enroll if parent/legal guardian signs a waiver that is supported by the school district (waiver is included in the online pre-enrollment documents).

A full-day Junior Kindergarten program **may** be offered. A minimum number of students are required for the program to be made available. Parents may need to provide transportation in order to participate. The age requirement for Junior Kindergarten is the same as the traditional Kindergarten program.

You may contact Scott VanEpps at 810-626-2111 or [scottvanepps@hartlandschools.us](mailto:scottvanepps@hartlandschools.us) for more information.

## Lakes Information and News:

### Encore Play Trip

Lakes students will be attending the upcoming Encore Play, Finding Nemo. 2nd and 4th grades will be attending on February 19. JK, K, 1st and 3rd grades will be attending on February 22. Permission slips will be coming home soon!

### LOC: February 8, 2024



### Upcoming Dates:

2/3 : Kindergarten Orientation at HESSC 10am-12pm

2/8: LOC Day, PTO mtg 6:30pm, Parent Guidance Session 6:30pm

2/9-2/12: Mid-Winter Break, No School

2/14: Student Count Day

2/15-2/23: Book Fair

### **PTO News:**

We are looking for volunteers to help organize classroom baskets for our Family Fun Fest raffle as well as someone to chair the 4th Grade Celebration Committee.

Please consider signing up here: [Lakes Volunteers](#)

Other District News and Community Events:

Parent Guidance Session: February 8

# LIVINGSTON COUNTY'S PARENT GUIDANCE MENTAL HEALTH SERIES



In an effort to proactively support students' overall well-being, Livingston County is partnering with ParentGuidance.org to deliver monthly webinars developed by licensed therapists. This series will be virtual, interactive, and is designed to help parents and caregivers support students. Registration, attendance and interactions are kept totally anonymous from other viewers.

**TIME: 6:30-7:30 pm**  
via Zoom or district locations

To Register Now...scan the QR code

- Brighton - High School STEAM Ctr
- Fowlerville - High School Media Ctr
- Hartland - High School Collaboration Ctr
- Howell - Freshman Campus Cafeteria
- Pinckney - High School Pirate Union

**NOV. 9 2023** "Your Child's Anxiety"

<https://cookcenter.info/Nov9Livingston>



**DEC. 14 2023** "School Avoidance"

*This session begins at 6:00 pm*

<https://cookcenter.info/Dec14Livingston>



**JAN. 11 2024** "Effects of Screen Time"

<https://cookcenter.info/Jan11Livingston>



**FEB. 8 2024** "Building Your Child's  
Confidence"

<https://cookcenter.info/Feb8Livingston>



**MARCH 14 2024** "Bullying - Stop the Cycle"

<https://cookcenter.info/March14Livingston>



**APRIL 11 2024** "ABCs of Substance Use &  
Vaping"

<https://cookcenter.info/April11Livingston>



For registration information, email: [contactus@livingstonesa.org](mailto:contactus@livingstonesa.org)



## **Hartland Area Youth Athletic Association (HAYAA) Baseball/Softball**

**Registration Begins 1/1/24 - 2/26/24**

Recreational League 4-16yr old

Plays April - June; Quadtown travels to surrounding towns.

Skill Evaluations and Coach Meetings are 3/10/24.

**REGISTRATION LINK:** <https://hayaa-baseball-softball.sportngin.com>

Registration for JR/SR divisions (plays May-July) starts in March.

## **Prelude Children's Theater Presents: Descendants**

January 26-February 4, 2024

There are 6 showtimes over the next two weeks. Over 70 children from Livingston County schools are in the cast! Please click the link below for info and tickets.

<https://www.onthestage.tickets/show/prelude-theater-group-hartland-community-education/64ca9f69751caa0e5476138f/>

## **Hartland Youth Lacrosse (HYL) Registration**

**Register now through March 1, 2024**

- Teams for boys and girls in grades 1-8.
- Winter training has begun and is included with registration.
- Spring Season is March-early June.
- **REGISTRATION LINK for Boys:** <https://www.hartlandyouthlax.com/boys-lacrosse>
- **REGISTRATION LINK for Girls:** <https://www.hartlandyouthlax.com/girls-lacrosse>

## **HAYAA Football Registration**

K-8 registration for **Spring 2024** HAYAA Flag Football is now open!

1-8: Registration for **Fall 2024** season of HAYAA Tackle Football opens 2/1!

**Click here to find out more and to register:** <https://hayaa-football.sportngin.com>

Have a fantastic weekend!

Melissa Frasier

Principal

Lakes Elementary