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PRINT NEWSLETTER

Pre-Excused Student Absence Form Howard Husky Website

2017-18 At-A-Glance Calendar!!!!

NO SCHOOL THIS FRIDAY!!

HOWARD
HUSKY
APRIL
EVENT CALENDAR







APRIL MENU

Pay for lunch here!

Lunch/Recess Schedule

Food Services Update – We want to hear from you! Now available on our

webpage is a Customer Feedback form. We encourage

SAVE THE DATES:

Tuesday, April 18th & Tuesday, May 9th Visit Sweet Mimi'z (2490 Lineville Rd)

Eniov a great treat and help

students, staff, and parents to provide insight on how we can improve your experience in the school cafeteria. Positive feedback is encouraged as well! The link for the feedback form is here and can also be found by visiting our Food Services webpage.

http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/foodservices

your school at the same time!!

Please check our HPSA Website for updates and information. We also encourage you to like and follow the HPSA Facebook page.

All officer positions will be open for voting for the upcoming year. We will vote in person at the May meeting. Please email co-secretaries Kelly Runke or Tonya Liethen with your interest in a specific position so they can add your name to the ballot.

SHOPAROO

Finally, hassle free fund raising.

Download the free Shoparoo app.

Snap pictures of your receipts, every receipt counts!

Earn cash for our school, Shoparoo makes a donation for every receipt you submit.

Share with your friends. There is strength in numbers- the more supporters we have, the more we earn! So far we passed the \$50 reward mark!

Whether you measure success in money or fun, the HPSA Pajama Jam was a roaring success. Thank you to our caring community, fantastic families, and supportive staff for all pitching in to make this year's event memorable.

Email HowardHPSA@gmail.com with any questions you may have.

Cassandra Hill - HPSA President

Kari Trzinski - HPSA Vice President/Treasurer

Tonya Liethen - HPSA Co-Secretary Kelly Runke - HPSA Co-Secretary

Howard Parent School Association Like us on Facebook! (@HowardPSA)

Peruse our new HPSA Website for updates and information following our monthly meetings:

http://howardpsa.weebly.com

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL:

Good Afternoon Parent/Guardians,

Our staff at Howard is already planning for next year! We will start developing class lists for the 2017-2018 school year in April. Creating class lists is a time consuming task for staff as they consider the following variables:

- Matching learning styles and strengths of students with teaching styles of teachers.
- Distributing children who see special teachers in a manner that will facilitate scheduling

of their special classes.

· Separating children who have demonstrated personality conflicts that interfere with

learning.

Equalizing class size.

<u>Summer School Registration Process</u>

As we prepare for the 2017 summer school registration we have an important change to help speed up the process of registering on April 11th. Based on your feedback we are pleased to offer the ability to create your account in advance of the April 11th registration date. We are confident this will save time on the 11th and we look forward to a streamlined registration process.

NEW THIS YEAR FOR SUMMER SCHOOL: Accounts must be created before selecting classes and now this can happen <u>anytime beginning March 31st</u>. You are able to add multiple students to the account prior to registration opening by clicking "Create Account" in the toolbar or "Create a New Account" at the following link

Balancing the ratio of boys and girls.

We feel the above factors are very important in creating successful classroom environments. We also know that as a parent/guardian you have unique insight into your child. Therefore, the attached "Student Placement Consideration Form" can be completed if you would like to provide information that may be helpful in your child's classroom assignment for next year. Our team of teachers, counselor and principal will consider the factors listed but will use their professional judgement for the final placements. A parent request will only be considered if the reason clearly shows a negative impact on their child's learning if the request were not granted. Parent requests and "Student Placement Consideration Forms" must be submitted to me in writing no later than April 15th. Our desire is to place each student in the best environment for their learning and strengths. We have a very talented and dedicated staff at Howard, and we look forward to working with your child next year.

Due to uneven growth and other unforeseen factors that can occur within our school district, the room/teacher your child will be assigned to will not be available to you until late summer. In past years, we have had to add teaching staff during summer months to accommodate large numbers of new students enrolling at Howard during June, July and August.

Your Partner In Your Child's Education

Kristin Ashley, Principal

CESA 7 Head Start is looking for eligible families who want a preschool or 4K experience for their child. This is specifically for families who meet income guidelines and have children age 3 or 4

b y September 1, 2017. Call the Head Start Program Office at (920) 430-1153 to apply or for more information.

https://reg.abcsignup.com/view/view_month.aspx? as=4&wp=1126&aid=HSSD. (*NOTE: this link is different from the printed booklet link*)

Additional Information: we revamped the summer school booklet this year and inadvertently left out information about when the A, B and C sessions run.

- A session = 8:00 9:30 am
- B session = 9:30 11:00 am
- C session = 11:00 am 12:30 pm

More information about summer school and the registration process is available at

http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/copy-of-bp-ia-parents. If you have questions about summer school please contact us at 920-662-7816 or abcsumm@hssd.k12.wi.us

***Families that live outside of the district attendance area and want their child to attend Howard-Suamico Schools can apply for Open Enrollment. Open Enrollment applications are available from February 6 – April 28, 2017. For application and additional information, visit the Howard-Suamico Open Enrollment webpage at http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/open-enrollment or contact the Registration Office at registration@hssd.k12.wi.us or call 920-662-8860.

New Year-Round Update Process for Parents to Update Family Information Online



- Parent/Guardian will log into the PowerSchool Parent Portal.
- Once in the portal, choose the appropriate student (changes will need to be done for each child listed in the account).
- Select InfoSnap Year Round Update on the left side under navigation. (This will take a couple seconds to populate the information that is currently in PowerSchool.)
- Once the student information is populated, the parent/guardian is free to change the appropriate information such as primary mailing name, contact #, address, mother/father/guardian information, and emergency contact information.



To access handouts/flyers for area community events click here. The HSSD Community Page includes a Google Calendar list highlighting community events for families in the villages of Howard & Suamico i.e. scouting, festivals, parades, etc. Visit the Howard - Suamico School District Website for school events i.e. Holiday Concerts, Plays, Musicals, Athletic and Art events using our FREE Mobile App is available for the iPhone, iPad, and Android

<u>Open registration for the 2017 Howard Suamico Flag Football league (HSFFL)</u> opened on April 01, 2017 and closes August 1st. Browse to <u>hsysa.org</u> to register. Leagues are available from age 3 up to age 14. Any questions please email the following <u>hsflagfootball@gmail.com</u>.

Join the Bay Port Tennis Club

Saturday, Session 1 - April 22 (10 am - 12 pm) Join the Bay Port Tennis Club

Wednesdays: May 3, 17, 24 (3:45 - 5:15 pm) - Bay Port Tennis Courts Register at

www.bayporttennis.weebly.com.

Saturday, April 22 (9 a.m.) - 2Myles4Autism 4th Annual Run/Walk Event at Meadowbrook Elementary.

Howard-Suamico School District students are working together to plan and organize the 6th Annual 2Myles4Autism. Registration fees are \$8 per person or \$30 per household. All proceeds support students with autism in the District. Registration can be completed online at:

http://2myles4autism.weebly.com/registration.html

The Bay Port Greenhouse is excited to introduce our "Potting Partner" program. We can take all the hard work out of planting your spring flowers. Bay Port Plant Partner Program & Bay Port Potting Partner Information Sheet\

Pirate Fastpitch Tournament Team Information Pirate

Fastpitch Tournament Team Information is a non-profit organization providing youth athletes the opportunity to participate in competitive tournament team softball. The program is in addition to the summer HSYSA league. Please visit our website,

https://sites.google.com/site/piratefastpitch2014/home for more information regarding registration and our program.

HSSD Robotics Summer Camps

August 7-10, 2017

Registration – April 18 @ 8am – online in Summer School web page http://www.hssd.k12.wi.us/copy-of-bp-ia-parents Course fee is \$100 per class

Lego Robotics Mania (students Entering Grades 4&5

Morning - 9:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Afternoon - 1-4 p.m.

Location: Forest Glen Elementary-Instructor is Brenda Rank, Gifted/Talented Teacher

HSSD EV3 Robot Rangers

For Girls and Boys entering Grades 6-8

Morning - 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Location: Bay View Middle School, Room 173 - Instructor is Kurt Prien, Engineering Technology Teacher

HSSD VEX IQ Robotics

For Girls and Boys entering Grades 6-9

Afternoon - 12:45 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Location: Bay View Middle School, Room 173 – Instructor is Kurt Prien, Engineering Technology Teacher

**Students also registered for EV3 Lego Robotics in the morning can bring a lunch and stay through.

Save the Date!

We would like to invite you to our 9th Annual Taste of the Villages and Auction benefiting the Howard-Suamico School District Giving Tree Pantry! This year our event will be held on Thursday, April 20, 2017, from 6-9:00pm at 1951 West/Rock Garden in Green Bay. More information at this link Taste of the Villages Auction.

We are also ready for you to reserve your table and purchase tickets. Early Bird prices are: Table of 10 is \$450 and individual tickets are \$35 before April 1, 2017. Reserve/purchase here: http://howardsuamic470.corecommerce.com/The-Giving-Tree-and-

Auction Please consider joining us on April 20 so you can enjoy "A Taste of the Villages" while helping children in our community! Thank you for your consideration of this worthy cause. Please be sure to check our webpage at: The Giving Tree Taste of the Villages Auction.

Attached you will find the 2016-2017 HSSD Tutor List.

The link is an updated list and also on our district website. HSSD Website Link