

Hawk's Eye

Weekly News from Hope Elementary School

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Upcoming Events for Your Calendar

Nov. 22	End of T1/ Buddy Activity
Nov. 25	Teacher workshop day – no school
Nov. 26	Teacher workshop day – no school

Nov. 27-29 Thanksgiving break

Dec. 3 Community Lunch Day (call school to reserve a spot)

Dec. 9 School Committee meeting (6PM)

Dec. 12 5-8 Winter Concert

Dec. 16-20 Winter Book Fair (8-3PM every day)

Dec. 19 K-4 Winter Concert
Dec. 20 Early Release (11:30AM)

Dec. 23 - Jan. I Winter vacation

"Gratitude turns what we have into enough."

- Aesop

Winter has arrived!

Please be sure to send your children to school with coats, hats, mittens/gloves & boots! We go outside all season for recess!



Lunch Visits

Just a reminder that parents/guardians are always welcome to have lunch with their child! Please give us a call if you plan to do so and let us know if you need a hot lunch by 9AM on that day. Just sign in at the office when you arrive and then enjoy lunch with your child!

Lunch Schedules:

K-2: 11:50AM-12:10PM 3-5: 12:10PM – 12:30PM 6-8: 12:30PM – 12:50PM

Substitutes Needed!



Looking for a part time job that is rewarding and offers the same schedule as your kid's? Give us a call (785-4081) for more information or to request an application!

Fall/Winter Book Fair - Volunteers Needed!

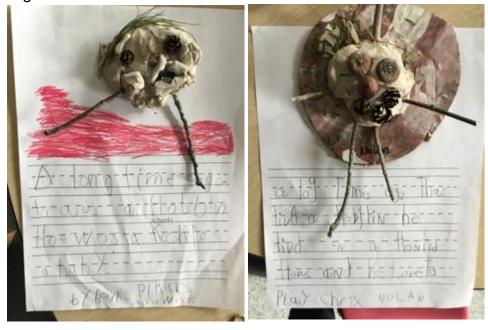


It's time to sign up for the Book Fair! As always, time slots are just GUIDELINES and are VERY FLEXIBLE. If you only have an hour to give, that's an hour we will take. If you are unable to volunteer for the entire time slot listed, just leave a comment noting the times you will be at the Fair. We need cashiers this year on the dates noted - primarily Concert Night (Thursday, December 19th) but we also need cashier support on Friday morning (December 20th). Register training takes about 20 minutes so please feel free to sign up for those slots even if you've never previously worked that job. We're always looking for ideas to make the fair more successful so please reach out to us and share your thoughts.

SIGN UP HERE: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4fafa923a0fb6-fallwinter

First Grade News

Last week the first graders discovered a little creature on a tree. He had hemlock ears, pinecone eyes and a lichen beard. We think it was a hobgoblin who came to visit (or play tricks on us). We read a story about hobgoblins and decide to make our own!



Middle School News

Students in 8th grade social studies are studying ancient Egypt. They prepared and presented interactive dramatizations about the social classes: government officials, priests, scribes, artisans, and peasants.



Toys for Tots!



Pre-K is heading up a collection for Toys for Tots. There will be a box at Pre-K and one in the lobby at HES. Please donate unwrapped new toys if you are able! Thank you!

Pen Pal Tea donations



HES is looking for donations of tea cups and saucers for our annual Pen Pal tea event that is held in the spring! If you have any items to donate please drop off in the office!

Thank you!!

CHRHS Ski Team Sale

Kids outgrown their ski equipment? Got some old ice skates kicking around the garage that you've been meaning to sell? Looking for some great deals to outfit the family for winter snow sports? If so, the annual Camden Hills Regional High School Ski Team Ski Sale at Camden Hills Regional High School this November 22_{nd}- 24th is the place for you. This is an excellent opportunity to make some money on snow sport equipment that is outgrown or no longer used. At the same time, you can get some great deals on used equipment such as skis (both Nordic and Alpine), boots, poles, snowboards, skates, helmets, skates, etc. Want to sell used equipment? Pre-register your equipment online at https://sites.google.com/site/chrhsskisale. Then, bring the items you want to sell to Camden Hills Regional High School on Friday, November 22nd from 3 PM until 8 PM. You set the price; the ski team keeps 25% and you get 75%. You can set a lower Sunday price for any items that do not sell on Saturday. On Sunday between noon and 1:30 pm, pick up a check for 75% of what was sold and take home any items that didn't sell. You can watch online what sells by going to the website (link above). If your items don't sell they must be picked up by 1:30pm on Sunday or they will be donated to an appropriate source. Want to buy used equipment? Come to Camden Hills Regional High School on Saturday, November 23rd from 9 am until 1 pm and Sunday, November 24th from 10 am until 1:00 pm for some terrific deals on used equipment. In addition to items brought in on Friday evening, Side Country Sports, Ragged Mountain Sports and Auclair Cycle and Ski will be selling new and used gear at rock bottom prices. The selection is better on Saturday; there are some super bargain prices on Sunday. The new Sunday prices will be available at the website after 4 pm Saturday. Your purchases support the CHRHS ski teams. The annual CHRHS Ski Team Ski Sale is the only one of its kind in the Mid-coast. You don't want to miss it! For more information, go to http://sites.google.com/site/chrhsskisale or call Richard at 542-7571.

HOPE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENT COUNCIL FOOD DRIVE

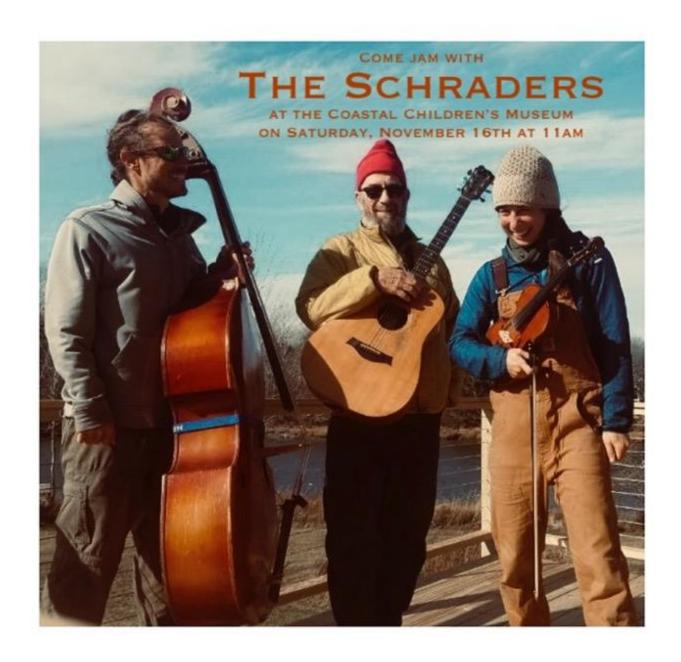
Please donate non-perishable food items to benefit our food insecure neighbors and families in Hope. Food items will be collected in classrooms and donated to The Come Spring Food Pantry in Union. Come Spring Food Pantry supports food insecure community members in Hope, South Hope, Appleton, and Union.



Items needed: pasta, rice, canned fruits and vegetables, soup, granola bars, crackers, cereal, and spaghetti sauce.

Thanksgiving and Christmas items such as boxed stuffing mix, gravy, cranberry sauce and pickles are also appreciated.

Classroom collection dates: Friday, November 8th Friday, November 15th Tuesday, November 19th





New Member Sign Up & Information Meeting. Join us to learn more.

November 20th | 6:00 pm

Hope Elementary School

34 Highfield Rd, Hope

TOGETHER WITH YOUR GIRL, YOU WILL:

- Sample a fun activity from one of our newest Girl Scout badges
- Receive a FREE patch for participating
- Team up with other members of your community to form new or join existing troops
- Complete your registration and become a Girl Scout!

Discover the Girl Scout Difference:

Girl Scouts offers the best leadership development experience for girls in the world—one that is designed with, by, and for girls.

Girl Scouts unleashes the G.I.R.L. (Go-getter, Innovator, Risk-taker, Leader)™ in every girl, preparing her for a lifetime of leadership.

Our Girl Scout Leadership Experience is a oneof-a kind leadership development program for girls, with proven results. It is based on time-tested methods and research-backed programming that help girls take the lead—in their own lives and in the world.

The inclusive, all-girl environment of a Girl Scout troop creates a safe space where girls can try new things, develop a range of skills, take on leadership roles, and just be themselves.

Our Program

Everything a Girl Scout does centers around STEM, the outdoors, development of life skills, and entrepreneurship, and is designed to meet her where she is now and to grow along with her.



STEM: Computer science, engineering, robotics, and more.

Life Skills: Civic engagement, healthy living, global citizenship, and communication skills.

Outdoors: Adventure and skill building, including camping experiences for all age levels, from the backyard to the backcountry.

Entrepreneurship: The Girl Scout Cookie Program - the largest girl-led business in the

world - teaches goal setting, decision making, money management, business ethics, and people skills.

Are you ready to take the lead like a Girl Scout right now? Register today at girlscoutsofmaine.org

This is not a school sponsored event





THANKSGIVING CHESS !!

Lincolnville School Art Room Saturday 11/23 Tournament 1-4 PM Camp: Monday Tuesday, 11/25 11/26; 9/noon, noon/3

Join us over break! This is for children who can play a full game of chess! Learn thinking and problem solving skills that help in school and in sports! Chess wires your child's brain for math, science and creative thinking by teaching concentration, logic and calculation. Problem solving skills are the basis of all learning and are key to success in school and the workplace!



Tournament: Blitz rules, play as many games as time allows. Divisions: K/1, 2/3, 4/5 & 6/8. Trophies for all, the more you win the bigger the trophy. \$20.

Camp: 9 AM – 3 PM: I'm flexible: 3 hours \$25, all day or two mornings or two afternoons \$40. Two full days \$70. Learn bughouse (team chess) & play in the camp championship for trophies (everyone wins one, some are bigger than others)! Wear sneakers and bring a lunch, drink and snack! Reserve your spot! Space is limited. Scholarships are available: Contact me! Parents are welcome anytime! Be a helper and get one free student. First come, first served. Register via email, pay when you arrive. Full refunds at any time for any reason. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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