



# The Grape Vine

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**Congratulations to the HMS Class of 2010 on their graduation!  
All the best for success is wished to you in high school.**



**To all the students, faculty, staff and their families, the NHPTO hopes you all enjoy a fun-filled Summer! Be safe. See you in September!**

## Thank You

Thanks to everyone involved in the *squawBrook kids concert!* What a great night! The kids had a blast! A special thank you to the band, you guys are awesome! Thanks for doing what you do!

*Peggy Holbriiter*

## 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Ceremony

The 4<sup>th</sup> *grade move-up* ceremony held on June 17<sup>th</sup> was a great success for the students and teachers? The students' performance was wonderful! Thanks to the teachers, Mr. Shepard, Mrs. Caruso, Mrs. Coscia, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Tinari and Mrs. Robinson for their dedication to making the move-up ceremony a success that was enjoyed by everyone in attendance! Also, thank you to all who volunteered for the event, with special thanks to Kathy Spinnler, Toni-Marie Hals, Amy Hulsebos, Jo-Ann Gademan, Lin Stobe, Lynn Lalley, Laurie Riccardi, Karen Bourdin and the 4<sup>th</sup> grade parents who contributed food and drinks. The children celebrated a memorable day at Memorial school.

*Lynn Lalley*

## The Grape Vine

The North Haledon PTO's newsletter, *The Grape Vine*, is a great way to get the news out; specifically school and community news that pertains to our children.

The Grape Vine can be found online at [www.nhschools.net](http://www.nhschools.net) and can also be emailed to you upon receipt of a written request to the editor at [NHPTOnews@yahoo.com](mailto:NHPTOnews@yahoo.com).

Submissions MUST be in writing and sent via email to [NHPTOnews@yahoo.com](mailto:NHPTOnews@yahoo.com) by midnight each Tuesday for that week's edition OR you may submit hard copy articles to the Memorial School office before 11:00 a.m. each Tuesday. Content is at the discretion of the editor.



I look forward to receiving your news for the next issue of *The Grape Vine* which will come out in September (*the 9<sup>th</sup> or 16<sup>th</sup> depending on amount of content received*).

*Cindy Aukamp, Editor*

## Incoming Kindergarteners!



**Safety Town is August 23<sup>rd</sup>-27<sup>th</sup>**

Completed registration forms must be submitted to Memorial School by Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. If needed, forms are available at the school office or online with the Grape Vine.

## From the "Health Office"



Immunization Requirements:

### For Incoming 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Students:

1. Tdap: For pupils entering Grade 6 on or after 9/1/08 and born on or after 1/1/97. A child does not need a Tdap dose until FIVE years after the last DTP/DTaP or Td dose.
2. Meningococcal: For pupils entering Grade 6 on or after 9-1-08 and born on or after 1/1/97.

**\*\*Please note:** This applies to students when they turn 11 years of age.

According to Chapter 14 of the NJ State Sanitary Code (N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.1 to 8:57-4.19, "Immunization for Pupils in School"), all students must meet the immunization requirements as established by law. If documentation of these immunizations are not presented prior to the first day of school, your child will be excluded from school.

This is not our goal but these requirements are mandated.

### Reminder to Incoming 5<sup>th</sup> Grade:

Current Physical form must be completed for Grade 5. You may mail or have your child bring physical form to the HMS health office. Your cooperation regarding this matter is greatly appreciated!



Lori Romeo, RN, CSN  
High Mountain School

## NORTH HALEDON PTO



TOGETHER EVERYONE ACHIEVES MORE

# Student Achievement

## Principal's High Honor Roll – 4<sup>th</sup> Marking-Period 2009-2010

Caroline Ajami	Carly Englander Dana	Gabriela Juniewicz	Austin Philip
Kathryn Ajami	Englander	Peter Kelly	Olivia Polzer
Kevin Behnke	Olivia Fitzsimons	Patrick Kiel	Kayla Post
Sarah Bennett	Hope Foti	Amanda Lembo	Kevin Purcell
Boris Beric	Miranda Hasty	Elijah Mathew	Francesca Romaniello
Vedran Beric	David Havlin	Alexa Mazzocoli	Veronica Rosselli
Amy Bhatt	John Hoogerhyde	Ellen McAlevey	Michael Struck
Robert Blauvelt	Jonathan Hook	Daniel McElrone	Noelle Verhoog
Connor Bushoven	Rachel Hudspeth	Maia Merza	Emma Zelaya
Jerrick Cavagnaro	Kayla Huntington	Matthew Morgantini	Nancy Zhang
Mark Conforti	Kayla Itez	Aaron Noriega	Cassandra Zuccola
Cassandra Convertino	Ryan Johnson	Brian Pawlowski	

## Principal's Honor Roll – 4<sup>th</sup> Marking-Period 2009-2010

Dalida Abzagh	Catherine Dvorak	Danielle Kieffer	Jasmin Shaba
Nileema Ahmed	Austin Espie	Joseph Kieffer	Ardiana Shej
Thomas Alessandrello	Andrew Farrow	Aidan Lalley	Pauline Shomin
Ariana Alimi	Roseanna Fierro	Joseph Larkin	Olivia Siclari
Bianca Altadouka	Daniel Figueroa	Madeline Larkin	Michelle Silvestri
Jarod Alvarado	Alyssa Fitzsimmons	Eric Lee	Alexa Simone
Jay Anthony	Ryan Fitzsimmons	Rachel Lee	Stephanie Siok
Kevin Baeli	Ehtel Florencio	Madeleine Lembo	Max Skelly
Hallee Balevski	Noelle Florio	Jenete Lita	Steven Sole
Anthony Bernal	Joseph Fondacaro	Brandon Lopez	Benito Squillaro
Catherine Bernal	Jennifer Foti	Henrick Malpica	Michael Stanziale
Alondra Brancato	Joseph Foti	Kyle Markham	Nicholas Stanziale
Natash Brancato	Julia Foti	Michael Mazzola	Tyler Stevens
Nicholas Burk	Shane Furst	Erin McElrone	Valentina Suizzo
Salentina Burrafato	Gianna Fusaro	Jahnelle McNamara	Filis Sulejmani
Samanthal Calkins	Joseph Fusaro	Judimae McNamara	Hannah Tait
Joseph Carrozza	Madison Galluccio	Gabriel Mecionis	Skylar Tait
Amy Cha	Merilyn Garcia	Katelyn Missonellie	Frank Tandurella
Ashley Cha	Younis Ghie	Daniel Morreale	Joseph Tandurella
Matthew Cifelli	Jorge Grajales	Anthony Napolitano	Sarah Teschon
Jaclyn Conte	Alexa Gretkowski	Magdaleen Nasser	Austin Thompson
Cassandra Convertino	Rachel Gretkowski	Katelyn Nickles	Kierra Thompson
ToniAnn Convertino	Kelly Hasty	Peter Palamidis	Julianna Tolerico
Collee Costello	Tyler Hewitt	Evan Paradios	Kathleen Twomey
Liam Costello	Adrianna Hoogerhyde	Alyssa Pawlowski	Brittany Van Harken
Patrick Costello	Katalina Hwangbo	Nicole Pierce	Andrew Vander Wiel
Anthony DeBlasio	Nicholas Inturrisi	Zachary Polzer	Alana Vilca
Dana Del Pizzo	Timaf Ishak	Jack Purcell	Elizabeth Visbeen
Katelyn Diva	Stephanie John	Amanda Reiner	Christopher Wolfe
Sibel Doko	Michael Jordan	Justin Rozema	Leah Woods
Barry Dooley	Christine Josephs	Jessica Schottanes	Chaz Wozney
Patric Dooley	Michael Josephs	Jay Scully	Nicholas Zeitlinger
Amy Dorival	Brendan Khoyan	Jennifer Scully	Abbey Zollo



# Safety Town 2010

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Sponsored by the North Haledon PTO, Safety Town is a program for incoming Kindergarteners. The program is designed to introduce all types of safety precautions to school aged students and is held for all North Haledon children entering Kindergarten in September. The children will experience hands on activities and demonstrations of safety in and around the home. The program will be held from 9:30-12:00 noon at Memorial School from August 23<sup>rd</sup> – August 27<sup>th</sup>. There is a \$40.00 registration fee. This fee will provide every child various arts and crafts, a T-shirt designed by the children, a graduation party, and a Safety Town graduation certificate. Children should bring a small snack with them each day. *Please do not send in any foods that contain peanuts.*

Thank you,  
Stacey Hebenstreit, Coordinator/Teacher  
973-427-8993

To register, please complete and return the form, with payment, by June 30, 2010 to:

Safety Town  
c/o Stacey Hebenstreit  
201 SquawBrook Road, North Haledon, NJ 07508

*(Please make all checks payable to North Haledon PTO.)*

## **North Haledon Safety Town 2010 - REGISTRATION**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male/Female \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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We may need volunteers to help out for special events. Please indicate below if you are able to assist and when.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like to volunteer to help on the following day/days

\_\_\_\_\_ No, I cannot volunteer during Safety Town.

PLEASE INCLUDE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CHILD YOU WOULD CONSIDER IMPORTANT. USE THE BACK IF NECESSARY. If you would like your child to be grouped with a special friend, any allergies, etc.

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# High Mountain School's 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Class of 2011

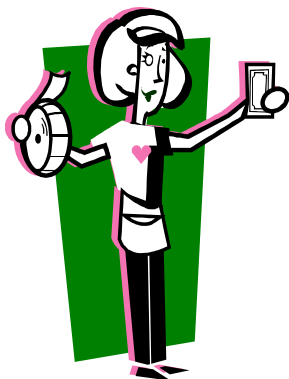
## Calling all parents & guardians of the current 7<sup>th</sup> grade!

8th Grade is a busy year and, ***believe it or not***, planning for **next year starts now!** We will need everyone's help to give our children a memorable last year at HMS.

*~ Please volunteer to help in whatever way you can ~*

### What goes on in 8<sup>th</sup> grade?

- Fundraising
- Class Rings
- Cap & Gown Photos
- Class Trip to Rocking Horse Ranch
- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Dance
- Graduation
- Graduation Breakfast



### Fundraising Committees:

- Kids Stuff Book Sale (*September*)
- 50/50 Raffle (*Throughout the year*)
- Gertrude Hawk Chocolates (*Spring*)
- Any other ideas we come up with!

### To volunteer please call:

Karen Jordan (973) 427-5868

Beth Johnson (973) 238-9033

Nancy McElrone (973) 427-9679

# NORTH HALEDON FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY



## Upcoming Programs and Activities in June

*Registration for the following programs and activities is underway.*



Registration for the **Make A Splash – Read** summer program will begin June 16<sup>th</sup>. Borough children, ages three and older, who read or are read to, are welcome to participate. Prizes will be awarded for every five books read. Special events for club members only will be held Wednesday afternoons, June 30<sup>th</sup> through August 4<sup>th</sup>. The summer reading program is sponsored annually by the Friends of the Library. Registration is free for children whose parents have a family membership with the Friends. The fee for non-members is \$5.00.



The **Readers Kaffeeklatsch** book club meets the third Wednesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. A few openings still remain. *A Reliable Wife* by Robert Goolrick will be discussed at the June 16<sup>th</sup> meeting.



The **Socrates Café** discussion group meets the fourth Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. The June meeting will be held on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. Socrates Café is sponsored by the Friends of the Library. Newcomers are always welcome!



**Summer computer workshops** for adults will be held on Thursdays during July and August at 1:30 and at 7:30 p.m. Workshops are free to members of Friends of the Library. The fee for non-members is \$20.00 per workshop. A complete schedule of classes will be available mid-June.

**Summer computer classes for adults** will be held on Thursday afternoons and evenings, beginning July 8<sup>th</sup>. Each one and one-half hour class will be offered at 1:30 p.m. and again at 7:30 p.m. Scheduled are: Introduction to Microsoft Word 2007 (July 8); Advanced Microsoft Word 2007 (July 15); Searching the On-Line Catalog (July 22); Navigating the Internet (July 29); Introduction to Digital Photography (Aug. 5); Advanced Digital Photography (Aug. 12); Creating a Digital Story (Aug. 19) and Researching Your Genealogy On-Line (Aug. 26).

Sponsored by the Friends of the Library, the workshops are free to members of Friends. The fee for non-members is \$20.00 per workshop. Registration for borough residents is now underway. Non-residents may register, space permitting, beginning June 24<sup>th</sup>.

For more information call 973-427-6213, ext. 4 or e-mail [serico@northhaledonlibrary.org](mailto:serico@northhaledonlibrary.org)  
Library hours are Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. year-round.

**- MANCHESTER JUNIOR FALCONS FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING -**

# *Come Play Football/Cheer for the Jr. Falcons!!!*

Registration for the 2010 Season will be held in the cafeteria at Manchester Regional High School on the following dates:



~~Thursday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.~~  
~~Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.~~  
~~Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.~~  
Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.



## **Cost for Registration is as follows:**

- \$160.00 (this includes membership & non-participation fees.)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> child: \$65.00
- 4<sup>th</sup> plus child: \$55.00

\$5.00 Membership fee covers both parents and /or legal guardian(s).

Each family will pay a mandatory Non-Participation Fee of \$30.00. This payment must be made with your registration and will be refunded only if you have fulfilled your obligation as a member by working the snack stand for at least one home game and all the players equipment is returned at the end of the season.

## **The following is required at time of registration:**

1. Child being registered must be kindergarten age up to 14 before December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current football season & still attending grammar school. (Certain weight restrictions apply for football players.)
2. Child being registered must be present.
3. Parent and/or legal guardian must be present.
4. Medical coverage information.
5. Full payment and completion of all forms (forms available at registration).
6. Copy of birth certificate for all football players.

Questions???? Please contact Graham MacDougall at 973/304-0234