

Haverford Middle School

Family Meeting
February 24, 2023

Daily Schedule

Homeroom Students are admitted to the building at 7:30 AM, go directly to their locker, and then report to homeroom Students are required to be in homeroom at 7:50 AM for attendance Students should log onto CANVAS and their Email in homeroom before 7:50 AM Students should watch the Morning Meeting, which begins at 7:50 AM	7:50 - 8:00
1st Period	8:03 - 8:50
2nd Period	8:53-9:40
3rd Period	9:43-10:30
4th period (6th grade Lunch/Advisory)	10:33-11:20
5th Period (7th & 8th grade lunch/Advisory)	11:23-12:10
6th Period (7th & 8th grade lunch/Advisory)	12:13-1:00
7th Period (7th & 8th grade lunch/Advisory)	1:03-1:50
8th Period	1:53-2:40

HMS Attendance Procedures

- **Attendance link**
 - <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/departments/departments-of-pupil-services/attendance/safe-arrival>
- **SchoolPass tutorial videos**
 - SchoolPass app download & login steps: <https://player.vimeo.com/video/563262139>
- **Please use the link below to see detailed procedures for:**
 - Full day absences
 - Late arrivals
 - Early dismissals
 - Preplanned educational travel
- **Several common attendance scenarios are also provided on the link below**
- <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1BCBVx9scml7X5kyBgTJYQjvurulT0RunBM1ODXP1URY/edit?usp=sharing>

HMS Superstars!!!

- **Mike Huth**

- 8th grade science
- Haverford Chapter of the Science National Honor Society
- Recognized for the great impact on the development of our students and instilling a passion for science

- **Keri Scott**

- 6th grade English Language arts
- FMFCU Excellence in Teaching Award
- Recognized as 1 of 20 outstanding and dedicated teachers in our area

Student-Led Conferences

- Please sign up for a student-led conference using the link below. The link will be open until Friday, March 10th. After that time, you will need to reach out to your grade-level guidance counselor for assistance.
- Conferences will be held on:
 - Wed 3/15 from 12 pm - 2:30 pm
 - Thurs 3/16 from 12 pm - 2:30 pm and 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm
 - Fri. 3/17 from 12 pm - 2:30 pm
- <https://www.smores.com/raqk9-spring-conferences-2023?embed=1>

PHILOSOPHY

Student led conferences reflect the belief that students should be actively involved in their learning and assume responsibility for the learning process. Through student led conference, students become more motivated, reflective and evaluative. They also become more critical in their approach to learning.



Performance / Progress

- Friday 5-minute PowerSchool meeting
- Please refer to your child's latest report card, current grades, and goals from your previous student-led conference
- We started prepping for Spring Student-Led Conferences



Spread The Word



- **Annual day of awareness will be held on March 1, 2023.**
- **Theme for 2023 is *Going All In(clusive)***
 - Be a teammate.
 - Be a friend.
 - Welcome someone who has been left out. Sit next to someone alone at lunch.
 - Say hello to someone in the hallway.
 - There are so many ways to spread inclusion. Choose yours. Make a pledge and start today.
- ***Going all in(clusive)*** also means speaking up against the wrong and demeaning use of the R-word in conversations. It is part of an education effort that showcases that language informs attitudes and attitudes impact actions.
- We are asking all of the students and staff at HMS to take the pledge to show how they plan to “go all in” You can go to **spreadtheword.global/pledge** to make your pledge for inclusion.
- In addition we will have a banner hanging by the library for everyone to sign here to show how HMS is going all in for inclusion!

Read Across America Week

HMS Bookmark Contest

In Celebration of Read Across America Week

- ★ Design a bookmark to earn a Barnes & Noble gift certificate, bragging rights, and a mass printing of your bookmark to be distributed at the HMS Library.
- ★ To enter, select a bookmark template [here](#) and start designing.
- ★ Requirements:
 - **Select 1 bookmark template. Do not change the bookmark dimensions.**
- Be creative!**
- ★ Share your design to the librarian, Mrs. Signore at lsignore@haverfordsd.net by Friday, March 10th
- ★ Submissions will be numbered (names withheld), printed in color, and on display at the library throughout March. Students and staff will vote on best design.
- ★ Winner will be announced on Friday, March 24th.

- Special reading focus this week!
- Bookmark contest
- Friday – dress like your favorite character or author
- Prizes! Prizes!! Prizes!!!

6th Grade - Camp Canadensis



- **February 24th**

- **Permission slip due**

- **Payment due (full payment or 1st partial payment) \$150/\$50**

- **March 31st**

- 2nd Payment due \$50

- **April 28th**

- 3rd Payment due \$50

- **May 12th**

- Medical forms due

- **May 31st & June 1st**

- Camp Canadensis Overnight Trip!!!

Theater Program




- **The show ticket website**
 - <https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/70878>
- **Performances**
 - March 2nd @ 7:00 pm
 - March 3rd @ 7:00 pm
 - March 4th @ 2:00 pm
 - March 4th @ 7:00 pm

24 Competition




AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY!



**H.M.S.
24
COMPETITION**

WHEN: TUESDAY, MARCH 14TH AFTER SCHOOL
WHAT: A 24 TOURNAMENT
WHO: ALL H.M.S. STUDENTS
WHERE: THE H.M.S. LIBRARY
HOW: SCAN THE QR CODE
DEADLINE TO SIGN UP
IS MARCH 10TH



Career Day

- 8th grade
- May 19th / 8:00 – 11:00 AM
- Polling students for career interests
- We will reach out to our school community for volunteers



PIAA Sports

- **HMS website >ATHLETICS dropdown**
 - <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/home-middle-school/athletics/athletics-home>
- **Required athletic forms for fall sports**
 - <https://www.familyid.com/organizations/haverford-middle-school-athletics>
- **Stephanie Viola, Athletic Director**
 - sviola@haverfordsd.net



Spring Sports Information

- **SPRING SPORT ATHLETE MEETING**

Wednesday, March 1, 2023

HMS Auditorium @ 2:45 PM

- **Spring Sports offered:**

- 7th and 8th Grade Baseball
- 7th and 8th Grade Softball
- 7th and 8th Grade Boys Lacrosse
- 7th and 8th Grade Girls Lacrosse
- 7th and 8th Grade Boys Track & Field
- 7th and 8th Grade Girls Track & Field
- 7th and 8th Grade Boys Tennis

- **Tryouts tentatively begin the week of March 20th**

- **Family ID must be completed to attend tryouts.**

- [Click here to complete Family ID.](#)



Afterschool Clubs & Activities

- **Afterschool Clubs & Activities Leaders**
 - Patty Lazer - plazer@haverfordsd.net
 - Jason Langin - jlangin@haverfordsd.net
- **HMS website > ACIVITIES drop down**
 - <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/home-middle-school/activities/clubs-clone>





Yearbook Sale



- <https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?tab=rm#search/sprenkle/FMfcgzGrcPMwpDQCfjnmsKPrKwVqfnGh?projector=1&messagePartId=0.1>
- The 2022-23 Yearbook is on sale now for \$28.00 (plus tax) until April 1st. There will be a price increase after April 1st.
 - <https://jostensyearbooks.com/?REF=A07212530>
- If you have any question, please email csprengle@haverfordsd.net

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2022-2023 Haverford Middle School Yearbook Order your Yearbook and Personal Ad!

Dear Parents & Guardians,

Order Your Student's Yearbook at www.jostens.com

[Haverford Middle School Yearbook 2022-2023](http://www.jostens.com)

- \$28 before the price goes up April 1st!
- Order your personal ad in the yearbook 8th graders only! Ad Sales end on February 9th!
- Keep your Jostens Receipt if you have already ordered. You do not need to order again! Yearbook advisor has a record of your order.



PLACE AN ORDER ONLINE: www.jostens.com

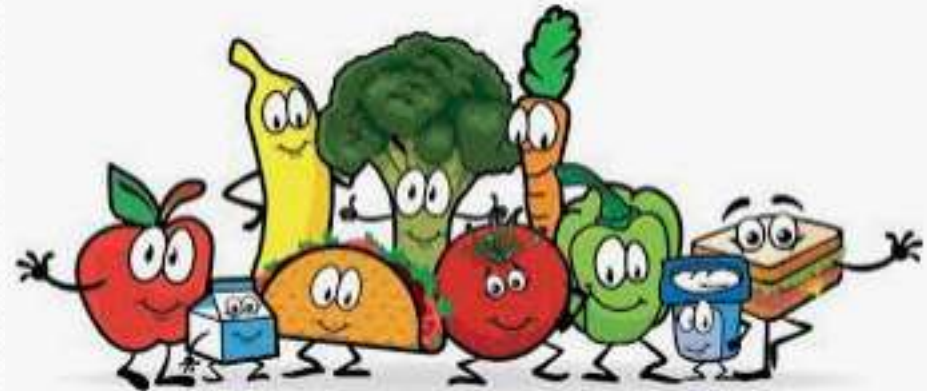
Search for Haverford and select Haverford Middle School.

Thanks for ordering your yearbook!

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Food Services

- <https://www.haverford.k12.pa.us/departments/food-services>
- **Search menu items**
 - <https://haverford.nutrislice.com/>
- **Feedback Fridays in the cafeteria**



Bring Hope Home Fundraiser

- <https://bringinghopehome.org/>
- Physical Education & Health staff will share all there is to know about our BHH event
- Coin banks in homerooms
- BHH event
 - 8th grade – Wednesday, March 15th
 - 7th grade – Thursday, March 16th
 - 6th grade – Friday, March 17th
- Bring on the AMAZINGNESS!!!



February & March Dates

- **February 20th** **Holiday - Schools and offices closed**
- **March 3rd** **42nd Annual Evening of Jazz**
- **March 14th** **24 Competition**
- **March 15th – 17th** **BHH Olympics / Student-Led Conferences - 10:50 AM dismissal**
- **March 28th** **Choral Night at HHS @ 7:00 PM**
- **March 29th** **Evening of Jazz at HHS @ 6:30 PM**

End of Year Dates

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| • Potter Cup | May 23rd |
| • Camp Canadensis | May 31st & June 1st |
| • Rising 6th grade Unity Day | June 5th |
| • 8th Grade Honors Night | June 7th |
| • HHS Graduation | June 8th |
| • 8th Grade Dance | June 9th |
| • Team Awards & Yearbooks | Week of June 12th |
| • 8th Grade Clap Out | June 15th |

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Philly Sox, Gloves and Love

- **Donate new gloves and socks**
 - Providing warmth to the unhoused community
 - Online \$\$\$ donations:
danieljorens.org
- **Bring to main office donation box**



Paws & Affection



- <https://www.pawsandaffection.org/>
- Empowering children with amazing dogs
- Support training service dogs
- Donate dog toys and canned dog food
- Bring donations to the main office

Kids Against Hunger

- ***Kids Against Hunger* helps feed people in our community**
- **Donate**
 - Peanut butter
 - Jelly
 - Mac & Cheese
- **Bring donations to the main office**



Donate to help feed families in our community!

- Mac and cheese
- PB and Jelly

Bring donations to main office donation box



H-PRIDE Friday

**Read Across
America
Day!**



Thank you!