



Hollifield Station Elementary School

School Hours

9:10 a.m. Bell Rings

9:25 a.m. Late Bell - Instruction begins

3:55 p.m. Dismissal begins

Dear HSES Families,

Please enjoy this week's edition of the Hollifield Herald.

Important information included:

- Important dates
- Absence Reminders
- Food Reminders
- Kindergarten Registration
- PTA News - Updates
- Community News

Important Dates

February 19	Schools Closed - President's Day
March 1	PTA Sponsored Assembly - Justin Berk Faith in the Flakes
March 4 - 8	2024-2025 HCPSS Kindergarten registration week! (More information to come.)
March 13	School Closes 3 hrs. Early (12:55 dismissal)
March 25-April 1	Spring Break

Virtual Office [Link](#)

Related Arts Color Days Schedule for the Upcoming Week:

18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Presidents Day Schools and offices closed (State mandated holiday)	green	blue	red	orange	
				Adoption of FY25 Operating & Capital Budgets & FY26-30 Capital Improvement Program 4 pm BOE Meeting 4 & 7 pm		

HSES Absence Reminder

If your child(ren) is out sick or another excused circumstance, please remember to send an email to hsesabsence@hcpss.org to inform the school. This ensures that the absence is identified as an excused absence versus unexcused.

Outside Food Reminders

For any special events, the teachers will let families know if they need or are requesting food for the event. Please do not send in food unsolicited, as we are not able to send it home, especially home made items. We must follow the food policy guidelines. Thank you for your support.

Kindergarten Registration

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year begins March 4, 2024. Children must be 5 years old by September 1, 2024, in order to enroll in kindergarten.

Every eligible child must be enrolled in a kindergarten program this fall or have an approved waiver form. Please note, 2024-2025 kindergarten waivers will be posted by March 1.

Please see the link below for more details.

<https://www.hcpss.org/enroll/kindergarten/>

PTA News

THANK YOU!!! The PTA wishes to send out a HUGE thank you to all the teachers and parents who organized Belonging Night and helped to make it such a HUGE success!!! Thank you to all the kids and families who participated and shared, it was an incredible evening!!!

Thanks so much to the volunteers who signed up to help us bring Valentine's Day cheer to our kids last week! You made their day!

Seeking PTA Treasurer for next year! This is our current treasurer's last year at Hollifield Station, and we will need a new treasurer to start at the end of the school year. Our treasurer is an elected member of our board and is responsible for maintaining the PTA's budget, paying checks as needed and maintaining compliance with our State PTA guidance. If you are interested in the role, or have questions about it, please send an email to hses.pta.prez@gmail.com!

HSES Yearbook: Do you have any photos you'd like to share for the yearbook? Click this link to set up your account and start uploading!

<https://community.lifetouch.com/invite?code=HSES-YEARBOOK-24>

To help us better organize the photos, please remember to tag your photos!

Example tags- first day of school, Kindergarten , 1st grade, 2nd grade, etc., readathon; field trip (followed by grades); spirit week, etc. Thank you!

After School activities - input needed! Interested in bringing more after school activities to Hollifield Station? We need your input! Please complete this survey to have your voice heard!

<http://tinyurl.com/2ppzykmm>

Please help support our highschoolers! The Mt Hebron High School PTSA mulch sale fundraiser is currently underway. 100% of the net proceeds from the Mulch Sale support our After Prom program and related activities - which provides our students with SAFE, fun alcohol/chemical-free activities following the Prom. The sale runs through Mar 2nd [or until we run out!]. Community delivery day is Saturday March 16. You can order [here](#).

Delivery is FREE when you order 15 bags or more of brown (3 cu ft) or black (2 cu ft) mulch. You can pick up smaller orders at Mt. Hebron on the 16th between 8AM -1PM.

DON'T NEED MULCH? Consider making a [monetary donation](#) instead. It allows us to gift tickets to students who might otherwise not be able to attend.

We have sold over 2500 bags and need your support to meet our fundraising goal. PLEASE place your order NOW to support After-Prom!

Thank you!

Your parent volunteer MHHS Mulch Sale Committee

MulchSale@MtHebronPTSA.com

Want to help support your students and their teachers this year? Join the PTA! It's not too late! Let's help Hollifield Station have our most successful year yet! Membership requires you to join yearly, so please visit the site below even if you were signed up last year!

To join, please click on this link through memberhub:

<https://hollifieldstationpta.memberhub.com/store>

Don't forget to join the Hollifield Station Elementary PTA Facebook group for updates! Please complete all questions when you request to join the group to avoid delays.

Refresh your family wardrobe for 2024, and show your school spirit, while supporting the HSES PTA with Husky Spirit wear!

To purchase: <https://1stplace.sale/44479>

¿Quiere ayudar a apoyar a sus estudiantes y sus maestros este año? ¡Únase a la Asociación de Padres y Maestros! (conocida como PTA por sus siglas en inglés); Ayudemos a Hollifield Station a tener nuestro año más exitoso hasta ahora! Para unirse, haga clic en este enlace a través de memberhub: <https://hollifieldstationpta.memberhub.com/store>

¡Muestre su espíritu escolar mientras apoya a la PTA de HSES con ropa Husky Spirit! Para comprar: <https://1stplace.sale/44479>

Community News

The HCPSS [Community News and Programs](#) website makes it easy for families to find educational and recreational resources, events and after-school programs beyond the school day by non-profit organizations. Community organizations requesting their announcements be shared in school newsletters should visit community-programs.hcps.org for more information. Questions should

be directed to the Public Information Office at publicinfo@hcpss.org.