

3/17/24



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
- Repeated News
- Casey Cares PJ Drive
- PTA News - Updates
- Community News

Important Dates

March 19	7:00 p.m. PTA meeting (Information below)
March 19 - April 30	Casey Cares PJ Drive (Information below)
March 25-April 1	Spring Break
April 9	End of 3rd Marking Period
April 10	Schools Closed for Students - Professional Work Day
April 17	Report Cards Issued
May 3	Save the Date - Field Day
May 28th (Updated)	PTA Sponsored Assembly - Justin Berk Faith in the Flakes

Virtual Office [Link](#)

Related Arts Color Days Schedule for the Upcoming Week:

17	18	19	20	21	22	23
	yellow	green	blue	red	orange	
				BOE Meeting 4 pm		

Repeated News

After School Activities

Howard County Rec and Parks is excited to be offering a variety of programming for after school activities right at Hollifield Station!

Please use this link to register for spring classes: [Hollifield Station ES Registration Page](#).

Stay tuned for even more variety of programming in the Fall!

Casey Cares PJ Drive - March 17th Donations Begin

This week, we will be kicking off our Casey Cares Foundation Pajama Drive!!

From March 19 - April 30, our Hollifield Huskies will be collecting donations of **NEW** Pajamas for infants through young adult sizes. Casey Cares is a non-profit organization that enhances the lives of critically ill children and their families by providing opportunities for family fun and engagement outside of the doctor appointments and hospital stays.

Join in the fun and win prizes!

Individual Prizes

----PARTICIPATION PRIZE: Each student who donates a new pair of pajamas will receive a coupon good for a free Chick-fil-A® Kids Meal.

----SUPER STAR PJ COLLECTOR: Any individual that collects more than 40 new pairs of pajamas by hosting their own drive will receive a 20" Plush Chick-fil-A® Cow, and Chick-fil-A® Catering Tray Card good for a free small tray.

Team Prizes

-----TOP 3 FUNDRAISING SCHOOL HOMEROOMS: (Collecting over 40 new pairs of pajamas)

- Prize: Milk & Cookie Party and Small Plush Cows delivered to your school
- Homeroom Teacher will receive a coupon for a Small Chick-fil-A® Catering Tray.

----TOP FUNDRAISING GRADE LEVEL: (Collecting over 100 pairs of pajamas)

- Prize: 5 ct. Nuggets, Buddy's Fruit Apple Sauce & Cookie party for the entire class level!

LEARN MORE: www.caseycares.org

Field Day - May

Field Day is fast approaching, and the PE department is working on finalizing details. Part of this process is securing volunteers for the day. Field Day is on May 3rd this year with a rain date of May 10th. The PE department will be sending out a sign-up genius shortly after spring break, so if you would like to volunteer on this day, please save the date. Also, please be sure to complete the volunteer training in advance. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Murphy

(david_murphy@hcpss.org) or Miss Fulmer (judith_fulmer@hcpss.org).

PTA News

Please join us for our next Community PTA meeting which will be held **Tuesday, March 19 at 7pm on zoom!**

To join the zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6265445192?pwd=WRhZWhPZkiETU52aWh0QWJQRfgrdz09>

ALL are welcome! Hope to see you there!

EXCITING ADDITION FOR PTA MEETING: All three individuals running for Board of Education in District 1, where we live, are going to be joining our PTA meeting this coming Tuesday (3/19)! Parents will have an opportunity to briefly share what issues are most important to them and will have the opportunity to learn who each candidate is and what their priorities are.

Add it to your calendar now!

Meeting link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6265445192?pwd=dWRhZWhPZkiETU52aWh0QWJQRfgrdz09>

Join us for our **third annual trip to Camden Yards on Sunday, April 14th!** Tickets will be \$17 per seat, and for each ticket sold, the Orioles will be donating \$5 back to our PTA. This is also Kids Opening Day, so all kids age 14 and under will get a free O's hat. After the game, kids ages 4-14 can run around the bases. This is a collaborative fundraiser with the other schools in the Mt. Hebron cluster, so make sure to check off which school or schools your kids go to.

<https://hollifieldstationpta.memberhub.com/store/items/993847>

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 hse.pta.prez@gmail.com!

HSES Yearbook:

It's time to order your HSES yearbook! The cost is \$20. The deadline to order is April 21.

Link to order: <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com/Order>

The yearbook ID code is 15161824

Please don't delay! Yearbooks must be purchased by the deadline. Online orders only, no cash please.

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!

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>

Reunión de la PTA de la comunidad de HSES: ¡martes 19 de Marzo a las 7 pm!

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6265445192?pwd=WRhZWWhPZkiETU52aWh0QWJQRfgrdz09>

¿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>

Únase a nosotros en nuestro tercer viaje anual a Camden Yards el domingo 14 de abril! Los boletos costarán \$17 por asiento y por cada boleto vendido, los Orioles

donarán \$5 a nuestra PTA. Este también es el Día Inaugural para Niños, por lo que todos los niños menores de 14 años recibirán una gorra O's gratis. Después del partido, los niños de 4 a 14 años pueden correr por las bases. Esta es una recaudación de fondos colaborativa con las otras escuelas del grupo Mt. Hebron, así que asegúrese de marcar a qué escuela o escuelas asisten sus hijos.
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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.hcpss.org for more information. Questions should be directed to the Public Information Office at publicinfo@hcpss.org.