

Hart Middle School

Hart Headlines

March 19-
March 23, 2018

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This week:

March 19	Volleyball home vs. Smith 4 pm
March 21	Volleyball away vs. West 4 pm
March 21	March is Reading Spirit Day - We're all unique! Wear your most unique hat!
March 22	Wrestling home vs. Van Hoosen 4 pm
March 23	After-School Activity 2:20-4 pm
March 24	Wrestling home - Eagle Invitational
March 28	March is Reading Spirit Day - We're crazy For kindness, it's crazy hair day!

Coming soon:

Mar 30-Apr 6 NO SCHOOL - Spring Recess

Quick Links:

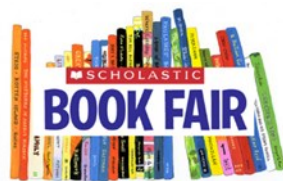
- TRACK information [here](#)
- Game Room Volunteer Sign-Up [here](#)
- Volunteer in the Media Center Sign-Up [here](#)

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AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITY ON MARCH 23RD. TICKETS (\$5) ON SALE MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY BEFORE SCHOOL ONLY. WE'LL HAVE A DJ, MOVIE, OPEN GYM AND INFLATABLE! 2:20-4:00. PIZZA AND POP AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE.



Scholastic Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who came and purchased books during our Scholastic Book Fair. If you were busy this past week or just want to keep shopping, you may order more books online through Monday, March 19th. Just follow this link: [Hart](#)

[Middle School Scholastic Book Fair](#). All orders ship to school for FREE and each purchase benefits our school. When books arrive, we will deliver them to your child's Hart Start teacher. **Thank you for your support!**

Exam For Credit

Students may apply to take an Exam for Credit for Rochester Community Schools high school level courses. In order to receive course credit the student must score a minimum of 77% on the exam. This year's spring testing will take place on **May 12th and May 19th by subject area** at Rochester High School. Information packets and application forms are available in the Counseling Office and on the District website, under Curriculum, then Testing. Or click [here](#).

Applications must be returned to the Counseling Office by April 13, 2018.

All Day Absence:
248-726-4510
Late Arrival / Early Dismissal:
(call ahead for early dismissal)
248-726-4507 or
248-726-4521

Principal
Allison Roberts
248-726-4500
aroberts@rochester.k12.mi.us

Founder's Day WINNERS

We would like to congratulate three outstanding individuals who were recently honored at the RCS District Founder's Day celebration. Thank you for your contributions to our school – we couldn't do it without you!

Carol Barletta, our wonderful crossing guard, gets our kids to and from Hart and Stoney Creek safely. No matter what the weather conditions are, she is always there and does an excellent job. We are in awe of her dedication to keep the kids safe.

Darla Werling has been a parent volunteer in many capacities. She coordinates and sets up “monthly munchies” at all staff meetings. She helps the office staff many times throughout the year in the book room. She is an amazing team player, so kind and generous of her time.

Lucas Blinkhorn, an outstanding student leader in our WEB program, always goes above and beyond in his role. He takes extra time researching, planning, and executing special activities for the 6th graders. He typically comes up with unique ideas that no other WEB Leader has tried.

2018-19 School Year

If you know your child will not be attending Hart Middle School for the 2018-19 school year, please contact Lavise Ritchie, Counseling Secretary, at lritchie@rochester.k12.mi.us or 248-726-4521. Thank you!

Game Room Needs Games!

The game room is looking for new or gently used games. Throughout the year the games begin to loose pieces and fall apart. Any donations are appreciated however suggestions of frequently played games are, Perfection, Guess Who, Connect 4, Mannical and Uno. Any game that can be played in 10-15 minutes is a great game room game. Thank you!

Students' Absences or Early Dismissals

Just a reminder - -

- If your child is going to be absent, please report the absence by calling the 24-hour attendance line at **248-726-4510** **any time prior to the absence.**
- If your child needs to be dismissed prior to the end of the school day, **please call ahead** to the attendance office at **248-726-4507** or **248-726-4521.**

Attention Rochester Hills Residents!

The city would like your input! This online survey, which takes about 10 minutes, asks residents to consider what's working, what needs work, and offer input on development, and natural features as well as housing and commercial needs. This is your chance to voice your concerns and give input! <http://surveymonkey.com/r/rochesterhills>

Residents can also share images that represent what's working and what needs work
<http://bit.ly/PictureThisRH>

HART TALENT SHOW

AUDITIONS: THURSDAY, MARCH 22 2:30 - DONE

REHEARSAL: TUESDAY, MARCH 27 2:30 - 4:30

PERFORMANCE: THURSDAY, MARCH 29 7:00

DO YOU HAVE A TALENT? WOULD YOU LIKE A CHANCE TO SHOW IT OFF? THE HART TALENT SHOW FEATURES TALENTED ACTS OF ALL TYPES; SINGERS, DANCERS, INSTRUMENTALISTS, PIANISTS, COMEDY, MAGIC ACTS.....


SIGN UP WITH MR. ZURKAN OR MS. BEVER TO TRY OUT!!!


March is Reading Month

As part of our March is Reading Month celebration, there are several activities and spirit days planned throughout the month.




Every Tuesday – Drop Everything and Read (DEAR) during Hart Start

Wednesday, March 14 – Peace, Love, & Kindness! It's 70 !

Wednesday, March 21 – We're all unique! Wear your most ur.  hat!

Thursday, March 22 – Paint kindness rocks in the media center during all lunches

Wednesday, March 28 – We're crazy for kindness! It's crazy  day!

Students – Don't forget to turn in your reading logs each Friday with a parent signature to get a raffle ticket to win cool prizes! Each week, two Language Arts classes will win a class prize for having the highest average of minutes read for the week.

Donations are appreciated.

Ideas include:

- iTunes, Barnes & Noble, Amazon, Emagine Theater or other gift cards
- Books/Journals
- Cool pens/pencils/erasers
- WONDER-themed apparel/items

If you wish to donate something, please deliver it to either the Media Center or the Main Office, and indicate that it's for March is Reading Month.

Any questions, please contact Kristi Trimboli at ktrimboli@rochester.k12.mi.us (248-726-4504)

Thank you for your support!

OK 2 SAY

Stop the Silence. Help End the Violence.



Report anything that threatens your safety or the safety of others.



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(855-565-2729)



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Available in the app
stores for iPhone &
Android devices.



On Thursday March 22, 2018, Hart will host two OK2SAY assemblies. One for 7th graders and one for 8th graders.

The program is spearheaded by Michigan Attorney General's office and the focus of the presentation is student safety featuring the Michigan Cyber Safety (CSI) and student safety hotline, OK2SAY. Other topics presented will include, being responsible for online behavior, making a positive change in their environment and leaving a positive digital footprint. The OK2SAY program will also discuss what types of incidents can/should be reported. Mrs. Cathy McCann is our featured guest speaker.