

Dear Harwinton Consolidated Families,

Thank you for making our HCS Open House such a success! There really are no words to express how much we loved having families back in our school. Even seeing the giant line/group of everyone waiting to enter brought back such good feelings. Our Harwinton Consolidated School community shows up! It's one of the **many** things that I love about working here. The ice-cream social was a huge success thanks to our HCS PTO parents and student volunteers. Friendly reminder, HCS Picture Day is this Wednesday, 9/22. (See order information below.)

Bingo night drew a big crowd with the PTO holding ten games and providing prizes galore. The first prize pick was the security guard for the day and ended with a clean table as every prize was claimed. Thanks to all that attended and special thanks again to the PTO for hosting such a family fun event.

During the coming week, HCS will join hundreds of schools and youth organizations in the U.S. that are participating in Sandy Hook Promise's "Start with Hello" Week. This yearly event is designed to help children recognize social isolation and empathize with others. Specifically, we will be talking with students about starting with hello when they see someone alone. Harwinton Consolidated School's social worker, Anna Kallman, will be working with teachers to implement some simple lessons for our students on how to look out for one another.

Reminder: Parents, please remind students that toys and fidgets should remain at home unless they have been approved to come to school. We have seen an increase in the number of fidgets, matchbox cars, flinging stretchy ropes and trading cards being brought to school.

Have some free time? Region 10 is in need of substitute teachers! We have additional opening for paraeducators. You can apply on the Region 10 website, under 'District Information' and then 'Employment Opportunities.' Substitute teaching gives you a great deal of flexibility in your schedule!

Enjoy the rest of the weekend!

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We have some fun theme days planned for next week in alignment with *Start With Hello Week*:

Monday, September 20 – Hats off to kindness – Crazy Hat Day!

Tuesday, September 21 – Wear green for friendship!

Wednesday, September 22- Compliment Day! Give someone a compliment!

(School Picture Day)

Thursday, September 23 – Dress as a superhero and perform random acts of kindness!

Friday, September 24 – Crazy for kindness – Crazy Hair Day!

Start with Hello Week!

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Thursday: "Powered by Kindness!" --- Dress up as a superhero!

Friday: "Crazy for Kindness!" --- Crazy Hair Day!



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- **Wednesday, September 22** – HCS School Picture Day

Picture Day Ordering will be done online: <http://mylifetouch.com>,

HCS Picture Day ID; EVTG7H8Q6

- **Friday, October 8** – No school, teacher professional development
- **Monday, October 11** – No school, Columbus Day



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PICTURE DAY IS COMING



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Wednesday, September 22, 2021
Harwinton Consolidated School



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Helpful Hints:

If your child's normal dismissal plan at the end of the day is to take the bus home and you plan on picking them up instead, please send in a note with your child with the following information:

Teacher's Name:

Date:

Student's First AND Last Name:

First and Last Name of the Person picking up your child:

Time that you will be picking up your child:

A NOTE TO SCHOOL

To: _____

From: _____
(parent's signature)

Date: _____

Subject: _____
(student's name)

(Check Applicable)

is late due to _____

will be picked up by _____
at _____ AM/PM.

will be picked up at dismissal area at 3:35 by _____

is returning to school after an absence of _____
days due to illness.

(other) _____

COVID ATTENDANCE GUIDELINES

We appreciate everyone's adherence to the guidelines below. It is essential that students do not come to school if:

- They have had close contact (at least 15 minutes, within 6 feet) with a person that has tested positive for COVID-19 and are quarantining for the required number of days
- They, or a member of your household, has been tested for COVID-19 because of symptoms and/or potential exposure and you are awaiting results
- You screen them in the morning before school and they have any of the symptoms below:
 - fever of 100.4 or higher
 - chills
 - a new uncontrolled cough
 - difficulty breathing
 - a sudden loss of taste or smell

If your family has traveled, we recommend testing upon returning. Please be vigilant and check for any symptoms daily for 14 days after travel. Even mild symptoms can be the first sign of COVID. If the traveler, family member or student, develops any symptoms, keep all family members home from school until the traveler has been tested.

In all cases, we ask that you always err on the side of caution. If your child has any signs of illness, please keep them home and contact our school nurse, Kristen Sullivan, sullivank@region10ct.org or by phone at (860) 485-9029 ext. 12103

Thank you for all the clothing donations that were sent to the nurse! It is very much appreciated! At this time, we are all set on donations and will let you know if we need anything in the future.

Flyers:



BURLINGTON TAVERN DAY!

Presented by



Sunday, September 19, 2021

11AM - 4PM ON THE BURLINGTON GREEN

*featuring Burlington Historical Society
open house at the Elton Tavern*

- Food Court & Food Trucks
- Farmers Market
- Library Book Sale
- Kids Fun Zone
- Tavern Open House
- Car Show
- Live Music
- Community Groups
- Business Expo
- LSM Marching Band
- Art Show



HARWINTON FAIR



Harwinton Fairgrounds
Locust Road Off Route 4
1 Mile S.E. of Harwinton Center
www.harwintonfair.com



HARWINTON
FAIR 2021



4-9 pm 8 am-8 pm 8 am-5 pm
FRIDAY • SATURDAY • SUNDAY ~ OCTOBER 1, 2 & 3, 2021

This event is sponsored by the Harwinton Agricultural Society, a registered nonprofit organization. It is not sponsored or endorsed in any way by the Board of Education for Regional School District #10. The Harwinton Agricultural Society retains sole legal responsibility for the conduct and safety of this event.

CATCH the moment



A weekend is worth a thousand words, unless it leaves you speechless. Cub Scouts lets you adventure together, spend time as a family, and see your kid hold the biggest bass they've ever caught – even if it's the only bass they've ever caught.

Learn more at www.ctpack23.com



Pack 23 Sign-Up Event

Date: Saturday, September 18, 2021

Time: 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: Foote Road Recreation Complex
39 Foote Rd Burlington, CT 06013

This event is sponsored by Cub Scout Pack 23, a registered nonprofit organization. It is not sponsored or endorsed in any way by the Board of Education for Regional School District #10. Pack 23 retains sole legal responsibility for the conduct and safety of this event

TOWN OF BURLINGTON
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
860-673-6789 ext. 7

GYMNASTICS AND DANCE CLASSES

Gymnastics & Dance

For: Boys and Girls Ages 3 – 5 years

Time: 4:30 – 5:15 pm

Fee: \$95 per student



Gymnastics and Hip Hop Dance

For: Boys and Girls Ages 6 – 10 Years

Time: 5:15 – 6:15 pm

Fee: \$105 per student

Instructor: Miss Aly Fabiaschi, Dance Instructor

Dates: Tuesdays, September 14 – November 9, 2021

No classes: Tuesday, November 2

**Classes to be held in the Burlington Town Hall Auditorium
or Senior Center, depending on availability.**

Registration Deadline: September 13, 2021



Register at myburlingtonrec.com

All covid-19 protocols and modifications can be found on our website

