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# HOPATCONG BOROUGH

## ACTIVITIES & INFORMATION CALENDAR



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# SEPTEMBER 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<u>Aug. 30<sup>th</sup></u> Elementary School Open House 10am-2 pm	<u>Aug. 31<sup>st</sup></u> Freshmen Open House 1-2 pm	<b>1</b> Teacher In-Service Day	<b>2</b> Teacher In-Service Day	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Labor Day	<b>6</b>  School Opens G. Tennis, Mo-Beard, H, 4 pm	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> G. Tennis, Morris Hills, H, 4 pm	<b>9</b> SAT Registration Deadline for October G. Soccer Butler, H, 4 pm B. Soccer A, 4 pm Football, Kinnelon, A, 7 pm	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> G. Tennis, Newton, A 4 pm TT Back to School Night Gr. 2 - 7:30 pm HHSPTSO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm	<b>13</b> TT Back to School Night Grade 3 - 7:30 pm B. Soccer, Hackettstown, H, 4 pm G. Soccer, A	<b>14</b> DA Back to School Night Gr. 4 - 7:30 pm G. Tennis, Walkkill Valley, H, 4 pm Cross Country, Kittatinny, Lenape 4 pm, Greystone	<b>15</b> DA Back to School Night Gr. 5-7:30 pm B Soccer, Lenape, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer A G. Tennis, Sussex Vo Tech, H 4 pm	<b>16</b> Football, Mountain Lks, H, 7 pm	<b>17</b> Sussex County Flu Clinic HS cafeteria B. Soccer, Newton, A, 10 am; G. Soccer H
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> HMX Back to School Night Pre-School Kindergarten 7:30 pm G. Soccer, Morris Tech, H, 4 pm G. Tennis, Lenape, H. 4 pm Work Session Meeting Ad. Bldg 7:30 pm	<b>20</b> HMX Back to School Night Gr. 1- 7:30 pm MS Fundraiser begins Booster Club Mtg. HS Rm. C-5, 7:30 pm Cross Country, Newton, Walkill, 4 pm, (Greystone)	<b>21</b> B. Soccer, Kittatinny, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer, A G. Tennis, Kittatinny, A, 4 pm	<b>22</b> MS Pictures Back to School Night HS 6:45 pm MSPTO Meeting, 7 pm Cafeteria	<b>23</b> MS Pictures (Make-up) B. Soccer, Dover, A, 4 pm G. Soccer, St. Elizabeth, H, 4 pm	<b>24</b> Football, Morris Catholic, A, 1 pm
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> HS Senior Pictures B. Soccer, Mt. Lakes, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer, A G. Tennis, Villa Walsh, A, 4 pm Reg. Board Meeting Ad Bldg. 7:30 pm	<b>27</b> HS Senior Pictures Back to School Night, MS 7 pm G. Soccer, Walkkill, H, 4 pm, B. Soccer, A Cross Country, Hackettstown, (Sussex Fairground) 4 pm	<b>28</b> HS Senior Pictures G. Tennis, Newton, H, 4 pm	<b>29</b> HS Senior Pictures	<b>30</b> HMX Fall Pictures HS Senior Pictures G. Soccer, Phillipsburg, 4 pm, A Football, Whippany Pk, H, 7 pm	HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School Ad-Administration

### GIRLS SOCCER

Fri. 9/9	Butler	H	4:00 pm
Tues. 9/13	Hackettstown	A	4:00 pm
Thurs. 9/15	Lenape Valley	A	4:00 pm
Sat. 9/17	Newton	H	10:00 am
Mon. 9/19	Morris Tech	H	4:00 pm
Wed. 9/21	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm
Fri. 9/23	St. Elizabeth	H	4:00 pm
Mon. 9/26	Mt. Lakes	A	4:00 pm
Tue. 9/27	Walkill Valley	H	4:00 pm
Fri. 9/30	Phillipsburg	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 10/3	Morristown Beard	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 10/5	Sussex Tech	H	4:00 pm
Thur. 10/13	Hackettstown	H	4:00 pm
Mon. 10/17	Lenape Valley	H	4:00 pm
Tues. 10/19	Newton	A	4:00 pm
Fri. 10/21	Boonton	A	4:00 pm
Tues. 10/25	Kittatinny	H	4:00 pm
Thurs. 10/27	Walkill Valley	A	3:45 pm

### CROSS COUNTRY

Wed. 9/14	Hopatcong, Kittatinny, Lenape Race 3 - Greystone	4:00 pm
Tues. 9/20	Hopatcong, Newton, Walkill Valley	4:00 pm
Tues. 9/27	Hopatcong, Hackettstown -Sussex Fairground	4:00 pm
Thurs. 10/20 Mon. 10/24 (Raindate)	Championship Race Greystone	3:15 pm

## Fall Athletic Programs



### GIRLS TENNIS

Tues. 9/6	Morristown Beard	H	4:00 pm
Thurs. 9/8	Morris Hills	H	4:00 pm
Mon. 9/12	Newton	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 9/14	Walkill Valley	H	4:00 pm
Thurs. 9/15	Sussex Vo Tech	H	4:00 pm
Mon. 9/19	Lenape Valley	H	4:00 pm
Wed. 9/21	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 9/26	Villa Walsh	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 9/28	Newton	H	4:00 pm
Mon. 10/3	Walkill Valley	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 10/5	Sussex Vo Tech	A	4:00 pm
Tues. 10/11	Lenape Valley	A	4:00 pm
Thurs. 10/13	Kittatinny	H	4:00 pm

### BOYS SOCCER



Fri. 9/9	Butler	A	4:00 pm
Tues. 9/13	Hackettstown	H	4:00 pm
Thurs. 9/15	Lenape Valley	H	4:00 pm
Sat. 9/17	Newton	A	10:00 am
Wed. 9/21	Kittatinny	H	4:00 pm
Fri. 9/23	Dover	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 9/26	Mt. Lakes	H	4:00 pm
Tue. 9/27	Walkill Valley	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 10/3	Morristown Beard	H	4:00 pm
Wed. 10/5	Sussex Tech	A	4:00 pm
Thur. 10/13	Hackettstown	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 10/17	Lenape Valley	A	4:00 pm
Tues. 10/19	Newton	H	4:00 pm
Fri. 10/21	Boonton	H	4:00 pm
Tues. 10/25	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm
Thurs. 10/27	Walkill Valley	H	4:00 pm

### FOOTBALL

Fri. 9/9	Kinnelon	A	7:00 pm
Fri. 9/16	Mountain Lakes	H	7:00 pm
Fri. 9/24	Morris Catholic	A	1:00 pm
Fri. 9/30	Whippany Pk	H	7:00 pm
Thurs. 10/6	Pequannock Twp	A	7:00 pm
Fri. 10/14	Kittatinny	H	7:00 pm
Fri. 10/21	Dover High School	A	7:00 pm
Fri. 10/28	Boonton	H	7:00 pm
Thurs. 11/03	Butler	A	6:00 pm

H = Home Game A= Away Game

# OCTOBER 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<b>1</b> SAT Testing
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> DA Fall Pictures  HEPTO Meeting, 7 pm HMX  B. Soccer, Mo Beard, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer A  G. Tennis Walkkill, A, 4 pm	<b>4</b> HSPA Math Gr. 12	<b>5</b> TT Fall Pictures HSPA Test LA Gr. 12  HS Underclass Pictures  G. Soccer, Sussex Vo-Tech, H, 4 pm, B Soccer, A, G. Tennis, A	<b>6</b> TT/DA 1 <sup>st</sup> Marking Period Progress Reports  HS Underclass Pictures  HSPA Test LA Gr. 12  Football, Pequannock Twp, A 7 pm	<b>7</b> HS, MS 1 <sup>st</sup> Marking Period Progress Reports – online  HS Underclass Pictures MS PTO Fundraiser Ends  SAT Registration Deadline Guidance Newsletter Online	<b>8</b> Yom Kipper
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>  Columbus Day Schools Closed Teacher In-Service Day	<b>11</b> Make-up HSPA Test Math Gr. 12  G. Tennis, Lenape, A, 4 pm	<b>12</b> HS Early Dismissal Parent afternoon-evening conferences  Make-up HSPA Test LA Gr. 12	<b>13</b> Make-up HSPA LA Gr. 12  HHSPTSO Charity Basketball Game HS 7 pm  G. Soccer, Hackettstown, H, 4 pm, B. Soccer, A  G. Tennis, Kittatinny, H 4 pm	<b>14</b> Football, Kittatinny, H, 7 pm	<b>15</b> PSAT HHS 8:00 am
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Board Work Session Meeting Ad Bldg. 7:30 pm</b>  HMX Book Fair G. Soccer, Lenape, H, 4 pm B. Soccer, A  HHSPTSO Mtg. HS Lib, 7 pm	<b>18</b> HMX Book Fair  Booster Club Mtg. HS Rm C-5, 7:30 pm	<b>19</b> HMX Book Fair  B. Soccer, Newton, H, 4 pm G. Soccer, A	<b>20</b> HMX Book Fair  MS PTO Meeting, Cafeteria, 7 pm  Cross Country, Championship Race, 3:15 pm (Greystone)	<b>21</b> HMX Book Fair  B. Soccer, Boonton, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer, A  Football, Dover, A, 7 pm  MS Welcome Back School Dance, 7 pm	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Cross Country, Championship Race, 3:15 pm (Greystone) (Raindate)	<b>25</b> G. Soccer, Kittatinny, H 3:45, B. Soccer, A	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> B. Soccer, Walkill, H, 4 pm, G. Soccer, A  <b>Regular Board Meeting, Ad. Bldg, 7:30 pm</b>	<b>28</b> Football, Boonton, H, 7 pm	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Halloween  HMX/TT Halloween Parades  Retake HS Senior Pictures		<b>HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School Ad-Administration</b>			

# Hopatcong High School

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# NOVEMBER 2011

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<b>1</b> Retake HS Senior Pictures	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> Football, Butler, A, 6 pm	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> SAT Testing
<b>6</b>  Daylight Savings Time Ends	<b>7</b> Books & Beyond Begins	<b>8</b> Election Day  SAT Registration Deadline	<b>9</b> HMX, TT, DA Report Cards HS Marking Period 1 Ends	<b>10</b> Schools Closed NJEA Convention	<b>11</b>  Veterans Day Schools Closed NJEA Convention	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Board Work Session Ad Bldg. 7:30 pm HHSPTO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm	<b>15</b> HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day HMX Evening Conferences	<b>16</b> MSPTO Book Fair MS Fundraiser Delivery HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day TT Evening Conferences TT Fall Picture Make-ups HS, MS, 1st Marking Period Report Cards Available Online	<b>17</b> HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day DA Evening Conferences MS Early Dismissal, Parent Conferences Afternoon/Evening MS Book Fair Mock College Panel HHS Auditorium 7 pm	<b>18</b> HMX Fall Pictures Make-up MSPTO Book Fair HHSPTSO Tricky Tray, Gym 6:30 pm	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> MS Early Dismissal, Parent Conferences Afternoon 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Thanksgiving Sing-A-Long – 1:30 pm Board Regular Meeting, Ad. Bldg 7:30 pm	<b>22</b> MS Early Dismissal, Parent Conferences Afternoon 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Thanksgiving Sing-A-Long – 1:30 pm Fall Sports Awards, 7 pm HS Auditorium	<b>23</b> All Schools – Early Dismissal	<b>24</b> Thanksgiving  Schools Closed	<b>25</b> Schools Closed	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Winter Sports Begin	<b>29</b> Holiday Boutique HMX	<b>30</b> Holiday Boutique HMX			HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School Ad-Administration

## BOYS BASKETBALL

Fri. 12/16	Butler	A	7:00 pm
<b>Tues. 12/20</b>	<b>Hackettstown</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Thurs. 12/22	Dover	A	5:30 pm
<b>Tues. 12/27</b>	<b>Holiday Tournament</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>5/6:30 pm</b>
<b>Thurs. 12/29</b>	<b>Holiday Tournament</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>5/6:30 pm</b>
<b>Tues. 1/3</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Thurs. 1/5	Newton	A	7:00 pm
Mon. 1/9	Jefferson	A	4:00 JV 5:30 V
<b>Wed. 1/12</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Fr. 1/13	Walkkill	A	7:00 pm
Fri. 1/20	Hackettstown	A	7:00 pm
<b>Mon. 1/23</b>	<b>Morristown Beard</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Wed. 1/25	Lenape	A	7:00 pm
<b>Fri. 1/27</b>	<b>HighPoint</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
<b>Tues. 1/31</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Wed. 2/1	Tri County Tournament	H/A	TBA
Sat. 2/4	Tri County Tournament	H/A	TBA
<b>Tues. 2/7</b>	<b>Sparta</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:15 pm JV 6:00 pm V</b>
Thurs. 2/9	Kittatinny Regional	A	7:00 pm
Sat. 2/11	Tri County Tournament	A	?
<b>Tues. 2/14</b>	<b>Walkkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Fri. 2/17	Boonton	A	7:00 pm
Sat. 2/18	Tri County Semi	A	TBA
Mon. 2/20	Montville	A	7:00 pm
<b>Thurs. 2/23</b>	<b>Mountain Lakes</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:15 pm JV 6:00 pm V</b>
Fri. 2/24	HWS Finals		TBA
<b>Sat. 2/25</b>	<b>Morris Catholic</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>11:15 pm JV 1:00 pm V</b>

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## WINTER ATHLETIC PROGRAMS

### WRESTLING

<b>Sat. 12/17</b>	<b>Hopatcong Invitational</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>9:30 am</b>
Wed. 12/21	Madison	A	7:00 am
Tues. 12/27	Lenape Tournament	A	9:00 am
<b>Wed. 1/4</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Thurs. 1/6	Morris Knolls	A	7:00 pm
Sat. 1/7	Patriot Duals	A	
Tues. 1/10	Hackettstown	H	7:00 pm
Thurs. 1/13	Newton	A	7:00 pm
Sat. 1/14	HWS Tournament	A	9:00 am
<b>Tues. 1/17</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Thurs 1/19	Lenape	A	7:00 pm
Sat/1/21	Boonton Quad Verona/Bogota	A	9:00 am
<b>Tues. 1/24</b>	<b>Walkkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Sat. 1/28	N. Warren, Voorhees, Bound Brook	A	TBD
<b>Wed. 2/1</b>	<b>Butler</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Sat 2/4	West Morris, Mt. Olive, Belvidere	A	TBD
<b>Wed. 2/8</b>	<b>Morris Knolls</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>7:00 pm</b>
Sat. 2/11	Quad Roxbury	A	TBD
<b>Fri. 2/17</b>	<b>Districts</b>	<b>H</b>	
<b>Sat. 2/18</b>	<b>Districts</b>	<b>H</b>	

### BOWLING


<b>Thurs. 12/1</b>	<b>Jefferson</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
<b>Tues. 12/6</b>	<b>Vernon</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
Thurs. 12/8	Walkkill	A	4:00 PM
Tues. 12/13	Sparta	A	4:00 PM
Thurs. 12/15	Newton	A	4:00 PM
<b>Tues. 12/20</b>	<b>Sussex Vo Tech</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
<b>Tues. 1/3</b>	<b>High Point</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
Thurs. 1/5	Jefferson	A	4:00 PM
Tues. 1/10	Vernon	A	4:00 PM
<b>Thurs. 1/12</b>	<b>Walkkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
<b>Tues. 1/17</b>	<b>Sparta</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
<b>Thurs. 1/19</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>
Tues. 1/24	Sussex Vo Tech	A	4:00 PM
Thurs. 1/26	High Point	A	4:00 PM

All Matches are held at Sparta Lanes

## GIRLS BASKETBALL

<b>Fri. 12/16</b>	<b>Butler</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Wed. 12/20	Hackettstown	A	7:00 pm
Thurs. 12/22	Par Hills	A	5:30 pm
Tues. 1/3	Lenape	A	7:00 pm
<b>Thurs. 1/5</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Sat. 1/7	Sussex Tech	A	1:00 pm
<b>Mon. 1/9</b>	<b>Dover</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Wed. 1/11	Kittatinny	A	7:00 pm
<b>Fri. 1/13</b>	<b>Walkkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Thurs. 1/18	Morris Tech	A	4:00 pm
<b>Fri. 1/20</b>	<b>Hackettstown</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Mon. 1/23	Morristown Beard	A	7:00 pm
<b>Wed. 1/25</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Tues. 1/31	Newton	A	7:00 pm
<b>Wed. 2/1</b>	<b>HWS Tournament</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>TBD</b>
<b>Sat. 2/4</b>	<b>HWS Tournament</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>TBD</b>
Tues. 2/7	St. Elizabeth	A	4:00 pm
<b>Thurs. 2/9</b>	<b>Kittatinny Regional</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>6:00 pm</b>
Tues. 2/14	Walkkill	A	7:00 pm
Fri. 2/17	Boonton	A	5:00 pm
Mon. 2/20	Montville	A	5:00 pm
Fri. 2/24	HWS Finals		TBA

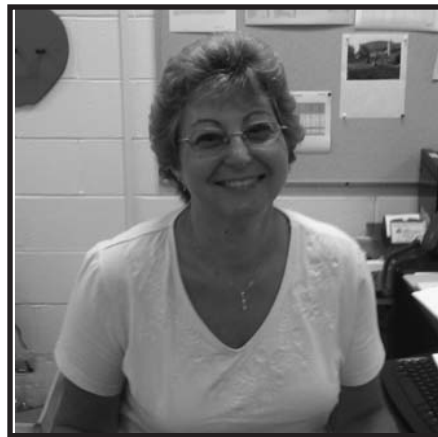
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<b>HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School</b>				<b>1</b> Holiday Boutique HMX  Drama Club Fall Play HS Aud. 7 pm  Bowling, Jefferson, H, 4 pm	<b>2</b>  Drama Club Fall Play HS Aud. 7 pm  SCCC Instant Decision Day	<b>3</b>  Drama Club Fall Play HS Aud. 7 pm  SAT Testing
<b>4</b>  Drama Club Fall Play HS Aud. 2 pm	<b>5</b>  SCCC Instant Decision Day (Snow Date)	<b>6</b>  Holiday Boutique TT  Bowling, Vernon, H, 4 pm	<b>7</b>  Holiday Boutique TT  Financial Aid Seminar, HS Cafeteria 7 pm	<b>8</b>  Holiday Boutique TT  Bowling, Wallkill, A, 4 pm	<b>9</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period MS, HS Progress Reports On-Line  Guidance Newsletter online	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>  HHSPTSO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm	<b>13</b>  Holiday Boutique DA  CCM Instant Decision Day  Bowling, Sparta, A 4 pm	<b>14</b>  Holiday Boutique DA  Financial Aid Seminar, HS Cafeteria 7 pm (Snowdate)	<b>15</b>  Holiday Boutique DA  Bowling, Newton, A, 4 pm  HS Holiday Concert, Aud. 7 pm	<b>16</b> HMX, TT, DA 2 <sup>nd</sup> MP Progress Reports  G. Basketball, Butler, H 6 pm, B. Basketball, A, 7 pm	<b>17</b>  Wrestling Hopatcong Invitational H, 9:30 am
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>  <b>Board Work/Regular Session, Ad Bldg 7:30 pm</b>	<b>20</b> Chanukah  B. Basketball, Hackettstown, H, 6 pm, G. Basketball, A, 7 pm  Bowling, Sussex Vo Tech, H, 4 pm	<b>21</b>  Wrestling, Madison, A, 7 pm	<b>22</b>  B. Basketball, Dover, A, 5:30 pm  G. Basketball, Par Hills, A. 5:30 pm	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>  Christmas Day 	<b>26</b>  Schools Closed	<b>27</b>  Wrestling, Lenape Tournament, A 9 am  Basketball, Holiday Tournament, H. 5 pm/6:30 pm	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>  Basketball, Christmas Tournament, H. 5 pm/6:30 pm	<b>30</b>  SAT Registration Deadline for January	<b>31</b>

# Hopaticong Middle School

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Mrs. Karen Carroll, Learning Consultant	770-8868



# JANUARY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> <b>New Year's Day</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Schools Closed</b>	<b>3 School Reopens</b> Boys Basketball, Lenape, H, 6 pm G. Basketball, A, 7 pm  Bowling, High Point, H, 4 pm	<b>4</b> Wrestling, Kittatinny, H, 7 pm	<b>5</b> G. Basketball, Newton, H, 6 pm, B. Basketball, A, 7 pm  Bowling, Jefferson, A, 4 pm	<b>6</b> HS Twilight Ski Club Trip 2:45 pm  Wrestling, Morris Knolls, A, 7 pm	<b>7</b> Wrestling, Patriot Duals, A  G. Basketball, Sussex Tech, A, 1 pm
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> HEPTO Meeting, TT, 7 pm  HHSPTO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm  B. Basketball, A. Jefferson, 5:30 pm	<b>10</b> Bowling, Vernon, A, 4 pm  Wrestling, Hackettstown, A 7 pm	<b>11</b> B. Basketball, Kittatinny, H, 6 pm, G. Basketball, A, 7 pm	<b>12</b> Bowling, Wallkill H 4 pm	<b>13</b> HS Twilight Ski Club Trip 2:45 pm  G. Basketball, Wallkill, H, 6 pm, B. Basketball, A, 7 pm	<b>14</b> Wrestling, HWS Tournament, A 9 am
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> <b>Martin Luther King Day</b> <b>Schools Closed</b> <b>Teacher In-Service Day</b>  <b>Board Work Session</b> <b>Mtg. Ad Bldg. 7:30</b>	<b>17</b> Bowling, Sparta, H, 4 pm  Booster Club Meeting, Rm C-5-7:30 pm	<b>18</b> MS PTO Meeting, Cafeteria, 7 pm  G. Basketball, Morris Tech, A, 4 pm	<b>19</b> Wrestling, Lenape, A, 7 pm  Bowling, Newton, H, 4 pm  MSPTO Mtg. 7 pm Cafeteria	<b>20</b> HS Twilight Ski Club Trip 2:45 pm  B. Basketball, Hackettstown, H, 6 pm G. Basketball, A, 7 pm	<b>21</b> Wrestling Quad, Boonton, Verona, Bogota, A
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> TT Book Fair  B. Basketball, Mo-Beard H, 6 pm, G. Basketball, A, 7 pm  <b>Regular Board Mtg</b> <b>Ad Bldg. 7:30 pm</b>	<b>24</b> TT Book Fair HS 2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Ends  Bowling, Sussex Vo Tech, A 4 pm  Wrestling, Wallkill, H, 7 pm	<b>25</b> TT Book Fair  G. Basketball, Lenape, H, 6 pm, B. Basketball, A, 7 pm	<b>26</b> TT Book Fair  Bowling, High Point A, 4 pm	<b>27</b> HMX, TT, DA 2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Report Cards TT Book Fair HS Twilight Ski Club Trip 2:45 pm B. Basketball, High Point H, 6 pm	<b>28</b> SAT Testing  Wrestling, N. Warren, A, Voorhees, Bound Brook
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> MS, HS 2 <sup>nd</sup> Marking Period Report Cards On-Line  B. Basketball, Newton, H, 6 pm G. Basketball, A, 7 pm				<b>HMX-Hudson</b> <b>Maxim</b> <b>TT-Tulsa Trail</b> <b>DA-Durban Ave.</b> <b>MS-Middle School</b> <b>HS-High School</b> <b>Ad-Administration</b>


# **Durban Avenue School**

## **398-8805**

Mr. Brian J. Byrne, Principal	398-8805
Mrs. Annette Grieco, Secretary to the Principal	398-8805
Mrs. Pamela Cavello, School Nurse	770-8882
Attendance	770-8888
Mrs. Janet Autorino, Learning Consultant	770-8883
Mrs. Margaret Dubanowich, School Psychologist	770-8831
Dr. Donna Jean Lynott, Guidance Counselor	770-8966
Mrs. Christina Yates-Takacs, Social Worker	770-8828
Day Plus	398-7796



# FEBRUARY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<b>1</b> Basketball, Tri-County Tournament  Wrestling, Butler, H. 7 pm	<b>2</b>  Eighth Grade Orientation to HHS – Auditorium 7 pm	<b>3</b>  Twilight Ski Club Trip HS 2:45 pm	<b>4</b> Wrestling, West Morris, Mt. Olive, Belvidere, A  Basketball, Tri-County Tournament
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Valentine's Day   B. Basketball, Sparta, H. JV – 4:15, V - 6 pm  G. Basketball, St. Elizabeth, A, 4 pm	<b>8</b>  Wrestling, Morris Knolls, H, 7 pm	<b>9</b> Eighth Grade Orientation to HHS – Auditorium 7 pm (Snow Date)  G. Basketball, Kittatinny H, 6 pm, B Basketball, A, 7 pm  Wrestling Morris Knolls, H, 7 pm	<b>10</b> Books & Beyond ends  SAT Registration Deadline for March	<b>11</b> Wrestling Quads  B. Basketball, Tri-County Tournament 6 pm
<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>  HHSPTSO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm	<b>14</b>  B. Basketball, Wallkill, H 6 pm, G. Basketball, A	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17 Schools Closed Winter Recess</b>  G. Basketball, Boonton, A, 5 pm B. Basketball, A, 7 pm  Wrestling Districts H, 4 pm	<b>18</b>  B. Basketball Tri-County Semi-Finals, TBA  Wrestling Districts H 11 am
<b>19</b>	<b>20 Schools Closed Winter Recess</b>  G. Basketball, Montville, A, 5 pm, B. Basketball, 7 pm	<b>21</b> Booster Club Mtg. Rm. C-5 -7:30 pm	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>  B. Basketball, Mountain Lakes, H, JV-4:15 V- 6 pm	<b>24</b> MS, HS 3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Progress Reports Online  Guidance Newsletter online  Basketball Finals TBD	<b>25</b>  B. Basketball Morris Catholic, H JV 11:15 am V, 1:00 pm
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Kindergarten Registration Week  Board Work Session/Regular Meeting, 7:30 pm	<b>28</b> Kindergarten Registration Week	<b>29</b> Kindergarten Registration Week			<b>HMX-Hudson Maxim</b> <b>TT-Tulsa Trail</b> <b>DA-Durban Ave.</b> <b>MS-Middle School</b> <b>HS-High School</b> <b>Ad-Administration</b>


# Tulsa Trail School

## 398-8806

Dr. Joanne Mullane, Principal 398-8806  
Mrs. Maureen O'Hare, Secretary to the Principal 398-8806  
Mrs. Catherine Cokelet, School Nurse 770-8897  
Dr. Donna Jean Lynott, Guidance Counselor 770-8899  
Mrs. Lisa Schuffenhauer, Guidance Counselor 770-8899  
Attendance 398-4254  
Mrs. Janet Autorino, Learning Consultant 398-5974  
Mr. Gerald Andrewlavage, Learning Consultant 770-8827  
Mrs. Margaret Dubanowich, School Psychologist 398-8831  
Mrs. Stacy Montefusco, School Psychologist 770-8883  
Mrs. Christina Yates-Takacs, Social Worker 770-8824  
Day Plus 770-8756



# MARCH 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<div style="border: 1px solid green; padding: 5px;">                     HMX-Hudson                      Maxim                      TT-Tulsa Trail                      DA-Durban Ave.                      MS-Middle School                      HS-High School                      Ad-Administration                 </div>				<b>1</b> Kindergarten Evening Registration	<b>2</b> HMX, TT, DA 3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Progress Reports	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> HSPA Math Gr 11 S-Test Gr. 9-10	<b>7</b> HSPA LA Gr 11 S-Test Gr. 9-10	<b>8</b> HSPA LA Gr 11 S-Test Gr. 9-10	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> SAT Testing
<b>11</b>  Daylight Savings Begins	<b>12</b> HMX Pre-K & K Books & Beyond Ceremony, 7 pm  HHSPTSO Mtg. HS. Library 7 pm	<b>13</b> HMX 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Books & Beyond Ceremony, 7 pm  Make-up HSPA Math Testing Gr 11	<b>14</b> TT Grade 2 Books & Beyond Ceremony, 7 pm  Make-up HSPA LA Testing Gr 11	<b>15</b> TT Grade 3 Books & Beyond Ceremony, 7 pm  Make-up HSPA LA Testing Gr 11	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> <b>Board Work Session                      Meeting                      Ad. Bldg. 7:30 pm</b>	<b>20</b> Booster Club Mtg. HS Rm. C-5 – 7:30	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Winter Sports Awards HS Aud. 7 pm  MS PTO Meeting Cafeteria- 7 pm	<b>23</b> HMX/TT/DA Spring Pictures  HSPA Make-up LA Gr 11	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> <b>Board Regular Meeting                      Ad Bldg                      7:30 pm</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Senior Citizen Theater Party, 5:30 pm  Spring Musical HS Aud 7 pm	<b>30</b> HS Marking Period 3 Ends  Spring Musical HS Aud 7 pm	<b>31</b> Spring Musical HS Aud 7 pm 

# Spring Athletic Programs

## SOFTBALL

Mon. 4/2	Butler	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 4/4	Hackettstown	A	4:00 pm
<b>Mon. 4/9</b>	<b>Millburn</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 JV&amp;V</b>
Wed. 4/11	Lenape	A	4:00 pm
<b>Fri. 4/13</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Wed. 4/18	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm
<b>Fri. 4/20</b>	<b>Wallkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Wed. 4/25</b>	<b>Hackettstown</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Fri. 4/27</b>	<b>Morristown-Beard</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Mon. 4/30</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Wed. 5/2	Newton	A	4:00 pm
<b>Wed. 5/9</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Fri. 5/11	Lenape Valley	A	4:00 pm

H = Home Game A = Away Game

## TRACK

<b>Wed. 4/4</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Tues. 4/10</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Wed. 4/18	Wallkill	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 4/23	Hackettstown	A	4:00 pm
Tues. 4/24	Sussex Tech	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 4/30	Vernon	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 5/2	Newton	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 5/14	HWS Track		
Sun. 5/27	Sectionals		
Mon 5/28			
Sun. 6/3	Groups		
Mon. 6/4			
Thurs. 6/7	MOC		

## BOYS TENNIS

Mon. 4/2	Chatham	A	4:00 pm
Mon. 4/9	Wallkill	A	2:00 pm
<b>Wed. 4/11</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Thurs. 4/12</b>	<b>Kinnelon</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Tues. 4/17	Lenape	A	3:00 pm
<b>Thurs. 4/19</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Wed. 4/25</b>	<b>Madison</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Thur. 4/26</b>	<b>Wallkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Tues. 5/1	Newton	A	4:00 pm
<b>Thur. 5/3</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Tues. 5/8	Morristown Beard	A	4:00 pm
Thurs. 5/10	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm

## BASEBALL

Mon. 4/2	Butler	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 4/4	Hackettstown	A	4:00 pm
Wed. 4/11	Lenape	A	4:00 pm
<b>Fri. 4/13</b>	<b>Newton</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Wed. 4/18	Kittatinny	A	4:00 pm
<b>Fri. 4/20</b>	<b>Wallkill</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Wed. 4/25</b>	<b>Hackettstown</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Fri. 4/27</b>	<b>Morristown-Beard</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
<b>Mon. 4/30</b>	<b>Lenape</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Wed. 5/2	Newton	A	4:00 pm
<b>Wed. 5/9</b>	<b>Kittatinny</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>4:00 pm</b>
Fri. 5/11	Lenape Valley	A	4:00 pm

# APRIL 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> Spring Musical HS Aud 2 pm	<b>2</b> Baseball, Softball, Butler, A, 4 pm  B. Tennis, Chatham A, 4 pm  HEPTO Meeting DA – 7 pm	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> MS, HS 3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Report Cards On-line  Baseball, Softball, Hackettstown, A, 4 pm  Track, Kittatinny, H, 4 pm`	<b>5</b> HMX, TT, DA 3 <sup>rd</sup> Marking Period Report Cards	<b>6</b> <b>Good Friday Schools Closed</b>  SAT Registration Deadline for May	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> Easter Sunday  	<b>9 Schools Closed Spring Recess</b>  Softball, Millburn, H, 4 pm  B. Tennis, Wallkill, A, 2 pm	<b>10</b>  Track, Lenape, H, 4:00 pm	<b>11</b>  Baseball, Softball, Lenape, A, 4 pm  B. Tennis Newton, H, 4 pm	<b>12</b>  B. Tennis, Kinnelon, H, 4 pm	<b>13</b>  Baseball, Softball, Newton, H, 4 pm	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>  HEPTO Meeting DA – 7 pm  HHSPTSO Mtg. HS Library 7 pm	<b>17 School Elections</b>  HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day HMX Evening  B. Tennis, Lenape, A, 3:00 pm  Booster Club Meeting HS Rm. C5- 7:30 pm	<b>18</b>  HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day TT Evening  Baseball, Softball, Kittatinny, A 4 pm  Track, Wallkill, A 4 pm	<b>19</b>  HMX, TT, DA Conferences ½ Day DA Evening  B. Tennis, Kittatinny, H 4 pm	<b>20</b>  Baseball, Softball, Wallkill, H, 4 pm	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>  Gr. 7-8 NJASK Testing MS Early Dismissal, Parent Afternoon Conferences  Track, Hackettstown, A, 4 pm	<b>24</b>  Gr. 7-8 NJASK Testing MS Early Dismissal, Parent Afternoon Conferences  Track, Sussex Tech, A 4 pm	<b>25</b>  MS Gr. 7-8 NJASK Testing MS Early Dismissal, Parent Afternoon Conferences  Baseball, Softball, Hackettstown, H, 4 pm  B. Tennis, Madison, H, 4 pm	<b>26</b>  Gr. 7-8 NJ ASK Testing MS Early Dismissal, Parent Afternoon Conferences  B. Tennis, Wallkill, A, 4 pm  Faculty Night Live, HS Aud. 7 pm	<b>27</b>  HMX Author Visit  Baseball, Softball, Morristown-Beard, H – 4 pm	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> MS Gr 5-6 NJASK Testing,MS Gr. 7,8 NJASK Make-up  Baseball, Softball, Lenape, H, 4 pm Track, Vernon, 4 pm A					HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School Ad-Administration



# Hudson Maxim School

## 398-8807

Mrs. Tracey Hensz, Principal	398-8807
Mrs. Ana Marrazzo, Secretary to the Principal	398-8807
Mrs. Nancy Pascarella, School Nurse	770-8892
Attendance	398-4256
Mrs. Lisa Schuffenhauer, Guidance Counselor	770-8845
Mr. Gerald Andrewlavage, Learning Consultant	770-8827
Mrs. Stacey Montefusco, Psychologist	770-8823
Mrs. Christina Yates-Takacs, Social Worker	770-8824
Day Plus	398-5240



# MAY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>HMX-Hudson Maxim TT-Tulsa Trail DA-Durban Ave. MS-Middle School HS-High School Ad-Administration</b>		<b>1</b> Gr.5- 6 NJASK Testing Gr. 7-8 NJASK Make-up  B. Tennis, Newton, A, 4 pm  Academic Awards HS Aud. 6:30 pm	<b>2</b> Gr. 5-6 NJASK Testing Gr. 7-8 NJASK Make-up  Baseball, Softball, Newton, A, 4 pm  Track, Newton, A, 4 pm	<b>3</b> Gr. 5-6 NJASK Testing Gr. 7-8 NJASK Make-up  B. Tennis Lenape, H, 4 pm	<b>4</b> Gr. 7-8 NJASK Make-up	<b>5</b> SAT Testing
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Terra Nova Testing Gr. 1 -2 NJ ASK Testing Gr. 3-4 NJ ASK Make-up Gr. 5  AP Chemistry Exam 7:30 am AP Psychology Exam 11:30 am  Guidance Newsletter On-line  HS, MS Marking Period 4 Progress Reports online	<b>8</b> Terra Nova Testing Gr. 1 & 2 NJASK Testing Gr. 3-4  Gr. 5-6 NJASK Make-up  B. Tennis, Morristown Beard, A, 4 pm  SAT Registration Deadline for June	<b>9</b> Terra Nova Testing Gr. 1 & 2 NJ ASK Testing Gr. 3-4  Gr.5- 6 NJASK Make-up  AP Calculus Exam 7:30 am  Baseball, Softball, Kittatinny, H, 4 pm	<b>10</b> Terra Nova Testing Gr. 1 & 2 NJ ASK Testing Gr. 3-4 Gr. 5- 6 NJASK Make-up  B. Tennis, Kittatinny, A, 4 pm	<b>11</b> NJ Ask Testing Gr. 4  Gr. 5-6 NJASK Make-up  AP US History Exam 7:30 am  Baseball, Softball, Lenape, A, 4 pm	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b>  <b>Mother's Day</b> 	<b>14</b> NJASK Testing Make-up Gr.4  HMX Spring Concert 7:00 pm  HHSPTO Mtg. HS Lib. 7 pm  HWS Track	<b>15</b> NJ ASK Testing Make- up Gr. 4  NJ Biology Comp. Exam Day 1  HMX Spring Concert 7:00 pm	<b>16</b> NJ ASK Testing Make- up Gr. 4  NJ Biology Comp. Exam Day 2	<b>17</b> NJ ASK Testing Make-up Gr. 4  Make Up NJ Biology Comp Exam Day 1  HS Spring Concert, HS Auditorium, 7 pm	<b>18</b> Make Up NJ Biology Comp Exam Day 2  HMX, TT, DA 4 <sup>th</sup> Marking Period Progress Reports Online	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Incoming Parent Kindergarten Orientation 7:30 pm	<b>22</b> MS Spring Band/Chorus Concert, HS Aud. 7 pm  New Kindergarten Student Orientation	<b>23</b> New Kindergarten Student Orientation	<b>24</b> National Honor Society Inductions HS Aud. 7:30 pm	<b>25</b> Kindergarten Fun Day	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b>  Track Sectionals	<b>28</b> <b>Memorial Day</b>  <b>Schools Closed</b>  Track Sectionals	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>  HS Spring Sports Awards, HS Aud. 7 pm	<b>31</b>  DA Spring Concert HS Auditorium, 7 pm		



## Child Study

The Hopatcong Borough School District identifies children within the district who are in need of special education services. In addition, federal and state legislation mandates that services be provided to preschool, disabled children ages 3-5. Local school districts are required by state code to locate students who may be experiencing physical, sensory, emotional, communication, cognitive or social difficulties.

Upon identification to the district Child Study Team, and in consultation with the parents or guardians, a child may be evaluated by a multi-disciplinary team to determine eligibility. When a child is found eligible, the child will be classified and an appropriate educational program will be outlined and implemented.

The Disability Service Coordinator provides parents with information regarding the services that are available through State agencies for persons with disabilities. The coordinator also assists parents in accessing the appropriate State agency.

For further information or to refer a child, contact Hopatcong's Director of Special Services, Mrs. Tammy Miller at 973-770-8821.

## DISTRICT SPECIAL SERVICES 973-770-8822

Mrs. Tammy Miller, Director of Special Services	770-8822/8821
Mrs. Lynne Smith, Secretary	770-8822
Mrs. Mary Ann Wilcock, Secretary	770-8821

### *Psychologists*

Mrs. Margaret Dubanowich (TT/Durban)	770-8831
Mrs. Stacey Montefusco (HMX/Tulsa)	770-8823
Ms. Susan Walko (Middle School)	770-8826
Mrs. Jaclyn DiBrienza-Cikoric (High School)	770-8842

### *School Social Workers*

Mrs. Leticia Anthes (High School)	770-8825
Mrs. Carrie Youngs (High School)	770-8972
Mrs. Dawn Hersh (Middle School)	770-8880
Mrs. Christina Yates-Takacs (HMX/TT/Durban)	770-8828
Mrs. Susan Pallotta (High School)	770-8858

### *Learning Consultants*

Mr. Gerald Andrewlavage (HMX/TT)	770-8827
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## HOPATCONG MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Police, Fire & Ambulance	398-5000
Borough Hall/Board of Health	770-1200
Court Clerk/Tax Assessor	770-1200
Borough Garage	398-3611
Hopatcong Nutrition Center	398-9111
Senior Citizen Transportation	770-1200
Sussex County Library	770-1000
Sussex County Legal Aid	383-7400
Recreation Commission	770-2701
Post Office	398-1046

# JUNE 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>HMX-Hudson</b> <b>Maxim</b> <b>TT-Tulsa Trail</b> <b>DA-Durban Ave.</b> <b>MS-Middle School</b> <b>HS-High School</b> <b>Ad-Administration</b>				<b>1</b> HMX Field Day HS Junior/Senior Prom 	<b>2</b> SAT Testing
<b>3</b> Track Groups	<b>4</b> HMX Field Day (Rain Date) MS Gr. 6 Field Day HEPTO Meeting 7 pm HMX Senior Awards 7 pm HS Auditorium Track Groups	<b>5</b> DA Field Day	<b>6</b> DA Field Day (Rain Date) MS. Gr. 7 Field Day TT Concert 7 pm, HS Auditorium	<b>7</b> TT Field Day Track MDC Booster Club Awards Banquet 6:30 pm @ The Arlington	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> TT Field Day (Rain Date) MS Graduation (Tentative)	<b>12</b> Last Day of School Tentative HS Graduation (Tentative) HHS Marking Period 4 Ends, (Tentative)	<b>13</b> Teacher In-Service (Tentative)	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b> Father's Day 	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>

**SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE**  
**973-398-8800**

Dr. Charles Maranzano, Jr. 398-8801  
 Superintendent of Schools

Mrs. JoAnne Murray 770-8808  
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 Business Services

Mrs. Barbara Carlon 770-8812  
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Mrs. Mary Anne Roe 770-8815  
 District Transportation

Mrs. Mary Beth Galfo 770-8818  
 Duplication Services



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Mrs. Judy Mancuso 770-8829  
 Facilities Secretary/Publications

Maintenance Building 770-8841

Sussex County Regional  
 Transportation Co-operative 398-3583

Byram Bus 398-5500

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Mr. Jeffrey Hallenbeck, Director 770-8836  
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Mr. William Roca, Supervisor 770-8834

Mrs. Kathleen Slater, Secretary 770-8833

Mr. Kyle Bisignani, Lead Technologist 770-8914

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Technology Center Information 770-8914

Technology Center 770-8981

# JULY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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# AUGUST 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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## EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

The primary function of the educational program of the Hopatcong Borough Schools is to equip each child with the basic skills and positive attitudes necessary to become a contributing member of society and to build and nurture the desire for more knowledge through education and training.

The elementary and middle school programs are dedicated to building upon the basic skills and knowledge of the transient child and providing the opportunity for an introductory experience into the vocational and recreational options available to the student.

The high school is dedicated, not only to helping students realize their full worth and potential by expanding their experience, knowledge and skills, but also to provide the guidance and direction to help them intelligently select the specialized training and knowledge needed in preparation for their roles as worthwhile contributors to adult society.

## VISITORS WELCOME

A parent or any other member of the community who wishes to visit the school for any purpose must report to the main office of the building immediately upon entry. A sign-in book shall be made available in each school office so that school visitors shall sign in upon arrival to the building and sign out upon departure. In all cases, the date and sign-in and sign-out times shall be noted. Visitor badges shall be prepared for all visitors to the building. Visitor badges shall contain the name of the individual and the day and date of the visit. Regular visitors and volunteers within the school shall be issued a laminated VIP name tag which shall be worn at all times while working or visiting in the building.

This policy is not, in any way, meant to discourage parent visitations for conferences or planned activities. We simply wish to provide a safe environment for students and reduce the number of interruptions to the teaching/learning process.

## SCHOOL HOURS FOR STUDENTS

High School	7:30 am to 2:00 pm
Middle School	7:29 am to 2:00 pm
Durban Avenue	7:45 am to 2:05 pm
Tulsa Trail	8:20 am to 2:45 pm
Hudson Maxim	8:45 am to 3:10 pm
Kindergarten Hours:	
Hudson Maxim	8:45 am to 11:25 am- AM Kindergarten 12:30 pm to 3:10 pm- PM Kindergarten
Preschool Hours:	9:15 am to 11:25 am (AM) 1:00 pm to 3:10 pm (PM)
Preschool Full Day:	9:15 am - 3:10 pm

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### ANNOUNCING EMERGENCY CLOSINGS OR SPECIAL EVENTS

Keeping you informed is a top priority for the Hopatcong School District. That's why we have adopted the **ALERTNOW** Notification service which allows us to send a telephone or e-mail message to you providing important information about school events or emergencies. We will use **ALERTNOW** to notify you of school cancellations, delays or early dismissals due to inclement weather, emergencies and other important events. In the event of an emergency at school, you can have peace of mind knowing that you will be informed immediately by phone. When receiving calls from **ALERTNOW** you need to know that: Caller ID will display the school's main number when a general announcement is delivered; **ALERT NOW** will leave a message on any answering machine or voicemail; and if an **ALERTNOW** message stops playing, press any key 1-9 and the message will replay from the beginning. The successful delivery of information is dependent upon accurate contact information for each student, so please make certain that we have your most current phone numbers and e-mail addresses. This information is pulled from PowerSchool, the district student management system. If this information changes during the year, please notify the school in writing. Please note that the home phone number, the work numbers and cell numbers will all be used in an emergency and all will be dialed simultaneously. Only the home phone numbers will be used for non-emergency calls.

School closing and/or early dismissal information may be also obtained from Hopatcong Schools website at: [www.hopatcongschools.org](http://www.hopatcongschools.org) or the following radio stations

#### AM STATIONS

WRNJ.....1510  
WSUS.....102.3  
WNNJ.....1360  
WVPO.....840

#### FM STATION

WSBG.....93.5  
WNNJ.....103.7  
WHCY.....106.3

Channel 2,4, 5, 7, & 12 News

## COMMUNITY USE OF FACILITIES

The school facilities/grounds are available for use by Hopatcong school district residents and organized groups after school hours. Facilities Usage Forms and policies can be printed by clicking on the "facilities" link at [www.hopatcongschools.org](http://www.hopatcongschools.org).

Persons/groups who wish to use a building and/or grounds facility should contact the following representative of each school for building availability: Hudson Maxim, Ana Marrazzo at 770-8907; Tulsa Trail, Maureen O'Hare at 770-8906; Durban Ave., Annette Grieco at 770-8905, Middle School, Mark Certo, 770-8869; High School, Ball Fields and Field Houses, Tom Vara at 770-8970. Completed forms, insurance certificate and fire permits should be returned to the appropriate building representative for processing. The Facilities Office shall review the forms to insure all required supporting documents are attached, and shall make a fee determination and the forms will be fully executed. Persons/groups will be charged a fee to cover costs of trash collection, consumables, etc. In addition, if an event is scheduled for times when custodians are not normally scheduled to work, additional charges will be assessed to cover custodial costs. Whenever a scheduling conflict arises over building use between a community group and school sponsored student activities, the school will take precedence in every case.

## HEALTH SERVICES

Full time nurses are provided at each of our district schools. While handling accidents and referring students with suspected health problems and/or conditions to physicians, they also perform other health services for students, such as:

1. Audio screening
2. Visual examinations
3. Measuring height and weight
4. Testing for tuberculosis
5. Scoliosis screening yearly

We ask parents to please assure that they complete an emergency communication card for each of their children so that we may be able to reach you should you not be available at home. Emergency card completion will be handled by your child's respective school.

## SCHOOL LUNCH

Each school provides a well balanced, nutritional lunch for all students. Since the state and federal governments provide partial reimbursements for this service, the food is offered at a reasonable price. Milk is provided for students who wish to bring a home-packed lunch.

At the start of each school year, the district will notify parents that free and reduced price lunches are available to those who qualify.

### LUNCH PRICES

High School	\$3.00
Middle School	\$2.75
Elementary School	\$2.50
Milk	\$ .60
Snacks	\$ .75

### TESTING PROGRAM

The Hopatcong Borough School District works continually to maintain a thorough testing program. A very comprehensive battery of tests, K-12, is given during the school year. These tests are evaluated yearly for their value to the district. The purpose of these tests - diagnostic, interest, aptitude and achievement is to provide information which assists in the evaluation, guidance and placement of each individual pupil. The results of all tests are available to parents upon request.

### GUIDANCE SERVICES

Guidance counselors are provided for all students, grades K through 12. These counselors are available to assist in identifying student problems before they become too serious, coordinate the school testing program, serve as liaison between parents and teachers, and assist students in planning and making decisions about their future.

### GIFTED/TALENTED PROGRAM

The Hopatcong Borough School District provides an Academically Advanced and Creative Thinking Program at grades 3-8 and an Independent Research and Study Program at grades 9-12. The elementary/middle school gifted program provides an open, intelligent atmosphere that will challenge the unique capabilities of the academically advanced and the creative thinking student. The high school gifted program provides an opportunity for students to pursue and explore a specific gift, talent or area of interest on an individual level. For more information about these programs, please contact the Curriculum Office at 973-770-8833.

## PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES

Perhaps the most effective means of relaying information and/or solving problems is through face-to-face conferences. Classroom teachers and administrators will be available during the day to schedule conferences with parents when the need arises. If you wish to have a conference with a teacher or administrator, please call to schedule an appointment. This will assure you that we will be able to provide the time necessary to answer your questions or work to solve your problem.

### PROBLEM SOLVING PROCEDURE

During the school year, problems may arise which may affect you and/or your child. If such a problem does arise, please make every effort to have it solved or to find out the correct information by using the following procedures:

FIRST - contact the teacher or guidance counselor who might have firsthand knowledge of the situation.

SECOND - if you are not satisfied with the results of the first step, bring the problem to the attention of the building principal or vice principal.

THIRD - if no solution is reached at step two, contact the superintendent.

FOURTH - should no solution be reached through step three, your final action should be the presentation of your problem to the School Board at a monthly meeting.

### REPORTING STUDENT PROGRESS

The evaluation of student progress and achievement is an important part of the educational process. The results of all evaluations are formally reported to parents every 45 days or 4 times annually with the use of report cards. In order to make these reports more meaningful, parent/teacher conferences are encouraged. Report cards and progress reports for elementary students are sent home with the students in an envelope. The envelope must be returned. Parents are urged to contact their child's teacher to schedule additional conferences, should questions or problems arise at other times during the year. High school and middle school computerized report cards and progress reports will be mailed or sent home to parents. Notification to parents will be provided accordingly.

### DAY PLUS PROGRAM

To assist working parents in minimizing the amount of time children are at home by themselves, the District offers a self-supporting child care program for children in grades K-5. For more information regarding the Day Plus Program and fee schedule, please go to [www.hopatcongschools.org/dayplus](http://www.hopatcongschools.org/dayplus) or call Mrs. JoAnne Murray at 973-770-8808 or Mrs. Kathy Schwab at 973-770-8810.

## KINDERGARTEN ADMISSION POLICY

The entrance age for kindergarten students in the Hopatcong Schools shall be five (5) years or more on or before October 1st. The entrance age for first grade students in our school district shall be six (6) years or more on or before October 1st.

### REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS

All children entering school for the first time are required by New Jersey Law to have the following:

#### A. Proof of Immunizations:

1. A minimum of four D.P.T. shots. One dose must have been administered on or after the fourth birthday.
2. A minimum of three doses of oral polio vaccine or enhanced IPV. One dose must have been administered on or after the fourth birthday.
3. Two doses of Measles containing vaccine (such as MMR), administered on or after the first birthday. Vaccine doses are to be separated by at least one month.
4. Three doses of Hepatitis B vaccine.
5. Varicella (chicken pox) vaccine prior to Kindergarten or documentation of having chicken pox.

B. Proof of a kindergarten physical examination within the last six months with a licensed physician's signature is required. The only exception to the law is:

1. A certified religious objection; or
2. Substantiated medical objection from a physician. If a child is not adequately immunized, he/she cannot be admitted to school.

### SCHOOL INSURANCE

The District will no longer provide insurance coverage for students. Parents wishing to purchase 24 hour coverage for their child with the exclusion of football, may obtain an application from the school office.

## SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance is expected of all our students. Since excessive absence from school may result in failure in school subjects, every effort should be made to maintain the best possible attendance record. Personal illness, religious holidays, death in the immediate family, quarantine and extreme emergencies are the only acceptable reasons for absence.

**Whenever a student is absent from school, parents should phone the attendance office at their child's school before 8:00 am on the day of the absence. Students must bring a written note from their parents the day they return. This note should include the student's full name, date(s) of the absence, reason, and parent's signature. When a doctor requires that your child remain home from school, please obtain a doctor's note. The above notes must be submitted to the attendance officer.**

This attendance procedure is in accordance with State Law (NJAC6A:16-7.8, NJSA-18A:38-25 et. Seq), State Department of Education recommendations, and Board of

1. Attendance will be taken/recorded on a daily basis and all subsequent parent/student contacts will be recorded accordingly.
2. Parents of absent students will be called if no confirming notice (phone call) has been received.
3. Parents will receive written notification of a possible attendance problem.
4. A formal "Five Day Notice" requiring the student to attend school within the next five days may be sent home as a result of continued absences.
5. When applicable, a meeting will be scheduled between the school (Administration, Guidance, etc.) and the parent. **Note: This intervention may involve the Child Study Team, Division of Youth and Family Services, and/or Probation Department, etc.**
6. Continued failure to improve negative attendance patterns will result in the formal filing of charges in Municipal Court by the attendance officer.

**NOTE: Upon returning from an absence, it is the student's responsibility to see their teachers to obtain the work missed. Parents may request homework for students who are absent; however, time must be allotted to allow the attendance office to gather the materials. Students are not permitted to leave the school grounds during the day. However, if necessary, parents may come into the office and sign their child out. Truancy may result in suspension.**

## HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

If your child becomes ill or disabled and must remain at home for a long period of time, a homebound instructor may be sent to your home to teach him or her with a parent/guardian present. In order to qualify for homebound instruction, a letter from a physician describing the type and expected length of illness or disability is required. The service is available free to students in order to allow their education to continue without interruption. The requests should be made to the building principal. The request is then submitted to the superintendent and Board of Education for approval.

## AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

It is the policy of the Hopatcong Board of Education that no person, on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, age, sex or handicap, shall be subjected to discrimination, harassment or be excluded from or denied benefits of any activity, program or service for which the Board has responsibility. Persons needing assistance regarding Affirmative Action & Title IX, should contact Mrs. Theresa Sierchio, Business Administrator. For Section 504, contact Mrs. Tammy Miller, Director of Special Services.

## SPECTATOR POLICY

In order to insure the health and safety of everyone concerned, the Hopatcong Borough School District has adopted and will

1. No alcoholic beverages are permitted.
2. Smoking is not permitted on school grounds.
3. No food or drinks are allow in the gymnasium.
4. Spectators are asked to refrain from the use of foul and abusive language.
5. The throwing of objects onto the playing arena is strictly prohibited.
6. Visiting students will sit in an area designated by the home school, unless accompanied by an adult.
7. Home students will sit in an area designated by the home school, unless accompanied by an adult.
8. Spectators are asked to cooperate by entering and leaving the gymnasium only during periods when play is stopped at a basketball game.

## BUS DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES

School bus safety is of utmost concern to all school officials. In addition to providing safe, well-maintained buses operated by competent drivers, we must also maintain orderly bus riders. Disruptive students on a school bus can and do cause a very serious safety hazard. In order to protect all students, we will be consistent in enforcing a rather strict policy on discipline.

Bus misconduct, depending upon the nature of the incident, may result in a verbal reprimand, detention or suspension of bus riding privileges. Notification to parents depends on the nature of the incident. Parents will be responsible for providing transportation to and from school should their child be suspended from the bus.

Please remember our purpose in enforcing this policy is to protect the large majority of well behaved students transported by school bus.

## DELAYED BUSES

District personnel often receive complaints from parents regarding buses that are late, early, or that do not show up at all. There are times when buses will break down on the road. When this does occur, we often do not receive the information until parents begin calling. Unfortunately, you will not be able to get immediate information when a bus is delayed because of mechanical problems on the road. We must apologize for your inconvenience. Please telephone your child's school should his/her bus be exceptionally late in arriving.

