



HARTLAND CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS

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District Summer Hours

Please note that the summer hours for Central Office and Hartland High School starting on June 15, 2026 will be 7:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. The offices will be closed on Friday. Beginning on August 3, 2026, all buildings will be open from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Bus Driver Recruitment

If you or someone you know is interested in driving a school bus next year, please see the information below. Whether you are a parent looking for summer and vacation time off, or retired and looking for a new adventure, driving a bus might be for you. The following dates are easy ways to learn more:

Saturdays, June 20th & June 27th from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm: School bus & recruiting table @ Hartland Farmers Market.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday, June 26th to 28th: Howell Balloon Fest recruitment table.

Reminder: Livingston County Health Department Immunization “waiver” Process

At the end of this Weekly Update, you will find a letter from the Livingston County Health Department regarding the immunization “waiver” / exemption process.

IMPORTANT: 7th Grade Immunization Requirements for Ore Creek Middle School

As we prepare for the 2026-2027 school year, we want to ensure your student’s transition into 7th grade is as smooth as possible. In accordance with Michigan State Law, all students entering the 7th grade must be up-to-date on their immunizations or have a certified waiver on file before the first day of school. **Please be advised: Students who do not meet these requirements by August 19, 2026 will be excluded from attending school until documentation is provided.**

Required Vaccinations for 7th Grade

In addition to all previously required childhood vaccines (Polio, MMR, Hepatitis B, and Varicella), 7th grade "entry" requires:

- Tdap: One dose of Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis vaccine (must be given at or after 11 years of age).
- Meningococcal (MCV4): One dose of Meningococcal conjugate vaccine (must be given at or after 11 years of age).

What you need to do:

1. Schedule an Appointment for vaccines with your family physician.
2. Waiver Process: If you have a non-medical objection to vaccines, Michigan law requires you to obtain a **certified non-medical waiver directly from the Livingston County Health Department.**
 - **Note:** Schedule your waiver education session online as soon as possible. Do not wait until August as appointments fill up quickly.
3. Submit Documentation: Provide the updated immunization record to the front office staff prior to the 1st day of school.

Our goal is to have every student in class on the first day. Thank you for your prompt attention to this health requirement and for helping us keep our school community safe.

Teaching Positions Available

Please share the following with anyone you know who may be looking for a position in HCS.

HARTLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL AT ORE CREEK

- Counselor / with additional certification

HARTLAND HIGH SCHOOL

- Special Education Teacher (with Math)

Transportation Forms

Forms for the 2026–2027 school year are now being accepted. Submit them as soon as possible to ensure transportation is in place for the first day of school. All transportation forms (Alternate Destination, Joint Custody, School of Choice) expire at the end of the 2025–2026 school year and must be resubmitted annually. Forms are available on the district website under transportation (<https://www.hartlandschools.us/Departments/Transportation/Forms/index.html>). Without new forms, default assignments apply. The deadline to request transportation other than the home address expired on June 15, 2026. Any requests that are submitted between now and the first day of school will not be processed until after the first two weeks of school, which will require parents to arrange alternative transportation.

Help Us If You Will Not Be Utilizing Bus Transportation

Please call 810-626-2175 if your child **will not** be utilizing bus transportation next year. The more we know the better we can be at routing. This is easy, just click on this link: <https://forms.gle/CzH6Sr7FLzPAQ24bA> Thank you!

Reminder, Summer Food Service If Needed

The Salvation Army will once again provide summer meals to students. Please see the flyers at the end of this weekly update.

Where Eagles Soar,



Chuck Hughes

“Leadership is about building people up, not tearing them down, and
Helping people become the best versions of themselves.”

Anonymous

Notice of Web Accessibility: In order to remain compliant with web accessibility when sharing this Weekly Update, any public service announcement shared with me must be forwarded with a link that I can include in the text for people to view information if they choose to do so.



Livingston County Health Department

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Personal and Preventive Health Services

P: (517) 546-9850

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Environmental Health Services

P: (517) 546-9858

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Updated Immunization Exemption ("Waiver") Process

May 29, 2026

School Administrators and Staff,

We are writing to share an important update to Livingston County Health Department's immunization exemption process (formerly known as "waivers").

New Fully Virtual Option

Families **no longer need to come in person** to complete an exemption. After they finish the required online education, they can complete the rest of the process virtually. These submissions are processed within 3–5 business days.

In-Person Appointments Still Available

Families who prefer to come in person can still make an appointment. This includes parents who want to opt out of the Michigan Care Improvement Registry (MCIR) and complete a paper exemption, or those who want to meet with a nurse before signing.

Submission Responsibilities

Parents/guardians are *not* responsible for submitting virtual exemptions to schools. These are available to schools through the MCIR system. Families should not be asked to upload or email proof of a virtual exemption. Paper exemptions completed in person must still be turned in by the parent/guardian directly to the school.

We encourage you to share this update with your school community so families are aware of the new virtual option. Families can complete their virtual immunization exemption at bit.ly/LCHDExemptions.

Thank you for your continued support of Livingston County students. If you have questions or need materials to share with parents, please contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lindsay Kalberer".

Lindsay K. Kalberer MSN, RN

Director of Personal and Preventive Health Services/ Deputy Health Officer



June 1st - August 6th

Locations weekly throughout Livingston County

Everyone Welcome

**Warm Meal or Sack Lunch, Meal Kit + Recipe,
Fresh Produce & Snack Bag**

<https://www.salvationarmyusa.org/mi/howell/lake-st-corps/>

503 Lake St., Howell, MI 48843 / 517.546.4750

While supplies last. Meal type may vary by location.

In Partnership With





THE SALVATION ARMY—SUMMER LUNCH BUNCH

LOCATION	DATES	TIME	INFORMATION
Howell Carnegie Library 314 W. Grand River Howell, MI 48843	Monday June 1st—August 3rd No Service June 29th	Lunch: 11:45 am - 12:15 pm	Enjoy a free family event outdoors at the library 11:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. More info— howelllibrary.org .
Brighton Village Mobile Home Park 7500 Grand River Ave. Brighton, MI 48114	Monday June 15th - August 3th No Service June 29th	Dinner: 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm	We'll be set up by the Mailboxes
Fowlerville Library 130 S. Grand River Fowlerville, MI 48836	Tuesday June 9th - August 4th No Service June 30th	Lunch: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	www.fowlervillelibrary.org
Howell Estates Mobile Home Park 515 Mason Rd. Howell, MI 48843	Wednesday June 10th - August 5th No Service July 1st	Dinner: 5:00 pm - 5:30 pm	We'll be set up near the mailboxes or by the playground parking lot.
Hartland Meadows Mobile Home Park 13634 W. Highland Rd. Hartland, MI 48353	Thursday June 11th - August 6th No Service July 2nd	Lunch: 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	We'll be set up by the Club House

LOCATION	DATES	TIME	INFORMATION
Fun In The Ville 230 N. Grand St. Fowlerville, MI 48836	June 13th	Activities: 10:00 - 3:00 pm	No Food Service Outreach & Interactive Games
Food Truck Fridays The Square Downtown Pinckney Pinckney, MI 48169	June 12th July 17th August 21st	Activities: 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm	No Food Service Outreach & Interactive Games



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