



Hadley Mothers' Club

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JANUARY 15th Meeting ! 6:30 PM

HOPKINS ACADEMY 350th

Our speaker at our next meeting will be Joe Pelis from the Hopkins Academy 350 committee!

Be sure to attend to hear what events will be coming up and how Mothers' Club can help!

Hopkins 350th Distinguished Alumni Awards

The Mothers' Club has been asked to handle refreshments on Sunday January 26th at the Hopkins 350 event. We will need bakers and need people to man the tables from 2-5 PM. Can you sign up to help ??

Pssst- there may be a member or two from Mothers' Club that will be recognized !

Distinguished Alumni Awards Recognition Day:
January 26, 2014

Certificates for Distinguished Alumni will be presented to the chosen candidates at the Recognition Day which is scheduled for January 26, 2014 at Hopkins Academy cafetorium.

A proclamation will be presented from the Governor. Also during these procedures, the prizes for the North Hadley Sugar Shack essay contest will be awarded.



****To Diane Kieras- Ciolkos for overseeing the Hillside Pizza Fundraiser !**

****To everyone who helped out at the Fire Department's Christmas Tree Festival !**

HADLEY MOTHERS' CLUB 70TH ANNIVERSARY

THE HADLEY MOTHERS' CLUB WILL BE CELEBRATING 70 YEARS!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR IDEAS OF HOW TO ACKNOWLEDGE THIS MILESTONE AND WE ARE ALSO LOOKING FOR IDEAS OF HOW TO INCLUDE PAST MEMBERS....

THINK ABOUT IT AND LET US KNOW AT THE NEXT MEETING

Free Childcare provided at every meeting by Barb Pliska's Girl Scout Troop #40033."



UPCOMING MEETING DATES

(All meetings at Hadley Elementary School)

Feb 26th 6:30 Topic to be determined

Mar 19th 6:30 Topic to be determined

Apr 16th 6:30 Topic to be determined

May Spring Banquet- date & time TBD

OTHER EVENTS TO PLAN FOR!

~Candidate's Night- March 31st

~Helping Hearts for Hadley Schools- April 6th

~RECYCLING DAY- Apr 26th

~Town Meeting Refreshments – May 1st



Letter from the President

Welcome 2014?! Well it is winter but really below zero one day then 40 degrees; Mother Nature can not make up her mind.

The Friendship Box community project supplied, gathered, delivered over 80 boxes to Hadley kids/teens. Thanks to Kris Moriarty who called, emailed and picked up items and boxes from folks who donated. We want to focus more on Teen boy/girl boxes, so when you are out stowing items for November keep that in mind. This year because of confidentiality laws the schools agreed to send a letter out to each family asking them to get their information back to a contact person to be put on the list. A letter was included with each box this year explaining that and hopefully the families that need help will still get it.

Thanks to everyone who supported the Hadley Fire Department in December at the Christmas Tree Festival, thanks for all the members who came. The HFD wants to team up with HMC with this event. I will contact them to get information on what "team up" means to them and relay this information to the club.

Thank you to Diane and Cathy for heading up the Hillside Pizza and dough fundraiser, always delicious.

Our first meeting of 2014 is on January 15th, Joe Pelis from the 350th committee will speak to our group about the events for the year. Our meeting will start at 6:30, speaker 7:15.

The first of many events for 2014 will start with refreshments provided by HMC for the Hopkins Academy 350th event on 1/26. This event will be treats and refreshments from 2-5 pm.

Our February meeting will be on the 26th; after vacation. We will have the Goodwin Library Trustees come and speak to us about the renovations that are happening at the library. Meeting starts at 6:30, program 7:15.

Our meetings are open to everyone; we try to provide interesting programs monthly to enrich parents in Hadley. Remember that **free** on site child care is available from the 6th grade girl scouts. So ask the person next to you at a game or a social event to come to a meeting, there could be a gift for you too!

~Denise Devine