



Hadley Mothers' Club

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Important dates:

Jan 18: Meeting: Hopkins Athletics
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 Feb 15: HMC Monthly Meeting
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 Apr 3: Candidates Night HA
 Apr 26: HMC Monthly Meeting
 Apr 29: Recycling Day HES
 May: Club Dinner

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Happy New Year!

Thank you for submitting dues. We have **26 active members** this 2016-2017 year! Thank you for stuffing Friendship boxes and coming out to our Holiday Party at Goten of Japan to celebrate our successes during 2016. Now we will be ramping up for Candidates Night, Recycling Day, and scholarship awards.

Hopkins Athletics

Please join us on January 18 at our monthly meeting and listen to Mr. Erik Sudnik talk about needs for the athletic programs at Hopkins.

Special Olympics

A FREE Special Olympics **basketball** game is coming up on **January 25 at Hopkins Academy from 6-9pm**. They had some great community support last year for these most wonderful players. The **Hopkins Academy Sports Boosters Club** is actively seeking raffle and concession donations such as gift certificates, prizes, concession items such water, Gatorade, small bags of flavored chips, push pops etc. All proceeds from go directly to Special Olympics. Last year they raised \$1500.00. But **the most important thing we can do** is have full stands and give these athletes the fan experience they deserve!!! Please let your Churches, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Sports groups all know they need people in the stands! Find them on Facebook or contact Carrie Ring 413-362-4494 or Scott Ring 870-540-9152.

January 18 we will discuss making a donation and handing out our infamous HMC red aprons to wear on 1/25 as we will sit together and support the game as "Hadley Mothers Club". **The most important thing we can do** is have full stands!!! So get your pom-poms out and join us at the game!

Letter from the President

Dear Members,

Happy New Year, welcome 2017!

Thank you to all who sold **Food Raffle tickets!!!** This was mostly all profit we got a grant from C&S of 4 turkeys and some chocolates. The winners of the turkeys were **Wendy (Kris' sister) and Heather Salvatore**. The grand prize with turkey and food basket won by our own **Jen Lapis!** The last turkey was donated to the food drive organized by the Most Holy Redeemer church. **Thanks Kris** for organizing. We took in \$270 that will be earmarked for the Friendship box community service program.

Our Holiday dinner was on Wednesday December 7th, DDI thanks for organizing. A great time had by all, we made it work around one cooking station.

Scholarship committee is still in need of one more member. The committee is Bert, Kelly and Cathy West.

January we will discuss fundraising. The fundraising subcommittee will bring blank forms if you did not express your opinion on what you like/don't like about our fundraisers. They have the results of the survey so far. Mr. Erik Sudnik will be at our **January 18** meeting talking about needs for the athletic programs at Hopkins.

Candidate's Night will be **April 3rd** at Hopkins hope you can help! **Recycling Day** will be held in April too on the **29th** at Hadley Elementary School; please mark on your calendars!

Alert: change your 2017 dates for HMC meetings!!!
January 18th, February 15th, March 15th, April 26th, May will be our dinner.

Please pass this on to anyone you know who works at UMass we are on the 'list' for contributions. Thank you! **K15205 is our COMEC code.**

If anyone asks about Hadley Mothers' Club be sure to send them to our great web site: www.hadleymothersclub.org!

~Denise

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Scholarship Subcommittee Needs you!



This subcommittee creates guidelines and criteria for qualification of scholarships to bring to general membership for discussion. This committee gathers applications, interviews candidates, and awards 2 winners from HA. We still **need 1 more member** for this important committee because existing policies need to be reviewed and presented to Membership for our March HMC Meeting. **Members so far:** *Bert Szala, Kelly Higgins, Cathy West*



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