

SEPT 2017



Hadley Mothers' Club

Welcome Back!

Another great summer in the books...
Roughly **165** school days until next summer!

In meantime, we have a lot of great work and fun
to have **together!**

Please submit membership form and \$10 annual dues at
First meeting Sept 20 (last page of newsletter).

Meetings are held monthly at **630pm** in the **Staff Lounge**
at the **Hadley Elementary School** with **FREE childcare** provided
by **Hadley Girl Scouts Troop 11914**

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Important dates:

Sept 13: Website committee mtg
Sept 14: HES Open House table
Sept 20 First Meeting Potluck 6pm
Oct 5: Special Town Meeting table
Oct 12: Paint & Sip Event
Oct 18: HMC Meeting

Officers 2015-2017:

President: Denise Devine
Vice Pres.: Suzanne Waskiewicz
Treasurer: Jessica West
Secretary: Diane Kieras-Ciolkos
Directors: Barb Pliska
Jen Lapis
Peg Jekanowski
Diane Kieras-Ciolkos
Kelly Higgins
Jessica West
Suzanne Waskiewicz
Denise Devine
Program: Kris Moriarty
Kelly Higgins
Sunshine: Kris Moriarty
Peg Jekanowski
Membership: Melissa Aloisi
Newsletter: Melissa Aloisi
Grant Writing: Jen Lapis
Advertising: Jen Lapis
Webmaster: Barb Pliska
Fundraising: Kris Moriarty
Cathy West
Jen Lapis
Donna Berg
Barb Andersen
Nominating: Peg Jekanowski
Suzanne Waskiewicz
Kris Moriarty
Denise Devine
Scholarship: Cathy West
Kelly Higgins
Bert Szala
Melissa Aloisi

SAVE THESE DATES:

9/13: Website subcommittee: 7pm Barb Pliska's house
9/14: HES Open House: HMC Table
9/20: Welcome Back Potluck Meeting
6pm HES Café, bring a dish to share
10/5: Special Town Meeting: HMC Table
10/12: Membership Event: Paint & Sip @ Legion (\$10pp)
10/18, 11/15 Monthly Meetings (2nd Wed of each month)
12/13, 1/17, 2/28 @6:30pm HES Staff Lounge w/ Childcare
3/2, 4/25
11/14: Nominating Committee/ Voting for HMC officers
11/17 & 11/18: HMC Hadley Holiday Fair (HHF): setup Friday
4/2: HMC Candidates Night
4/28: HMC Recycling Day
5/3: Hadley Town Meeting: HMC Table

Letter from the President

Dear Members,

Welcome back to school.....hope your summer was great, relaxing! Please mark your calendar with our meeting dates and events listed in this newsletter.

Hadley Mothers' Club was honored in June by the Hadley Girl Scouts for support of scouting in Hadley.

The fundraising committee found out the Dankin will be the charity for 2017, "Share the Love" campaign by Steve Lewis. We agreed to send our newsletter monthly to the contact at Steve Lewis to keep her updated on our club to hopefully be considered in 2018.

Giving Grill in August, \$665 was raised. Thanks to all who worked that day!

Girl Scout troop 11914 will provide child care in 2017-18, thanks!

Anne McKenzie requested support for the Fields Development project going forward; CPA money will be requested for \$400K the project will be over \$511K. Many members had mixed feelings about the project; HA having trouble fielding MS, JV and varsity teams with number of athletes on the downward track. Members talked about possibly funding something tangible that we can put our name on it and many stated that we just gave for the new scoreboards in the gym.

HHF discussion about inviting P&R to have a table in the Cafe instead of not having Santa at HHF, P&R accepted the invitation.

Members want to look at different options for giving to the Goodwin Library project (all hinging on 11/14 ballot vote). Denise will bring information provided by Caryn Perley a Library Trustee to the 9/20 Potluck.

The membership committee announced October 12th the Paint and Sip event to be held at the Hadley Legion. We voted to charge each person \$10 to reserve their spot. We will offer non-members an option to use the \$10 towards their dues and members will have their membership paid. We will organize members to bring appetizers that evening. Thanks to Ellen and Abbey for doing this!!!!

Hopkins returned our donation to Girls State of \$375 they did not have a candidate to sponsor.

Web site subcommittee meeting will be at Barb Pliska's home on 9/13 at 7 pm.

Continued: from the President

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!

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~Denise

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MEMBERSHIP EVENT **OCT 12: PAINT & SIP**

WE ARE PLANNING A FUN EVENT AT THE HADLEY AMERICAN LEGION



**BRING YOUR INNER ARTIST AND LEAVE WITH A
COMPLETED PAINTING—PAINTED BY YOU!
PLUS ENJOY A COCKTAIL OR MOCKTAIL, OR TWO!**

**COST IS \$10 PER PERSON + CASH BAR
CAN BE APPLIED TOWARDS THIS YEAR DUES**

**CURRENT MEMBERS ASKED TO BRING AN APPETIZER
TO SHARE AND NEW FRIENDS—
PLEASE HELP US INCREASE OUR MEMBERSHIP!**



Did you know that we have a committee to deliver "Sunshine" to anyone in Hadley that has a new baby or loses a loved one ?



Members please let them know of any news so they can send cards, love, and support from our Group...Rain or Shine. Thanks, Kris & Peg kmori@admin.umass.edu or pegjek1@yahoo.com

The Subcommittees

Fundraising: suggest to general membership fundraisers with information on each i.e.: where, what, who.

Members: *Jen L., Kris, DDI, Barb A., Cathy W.*

Website: meet once a quarter to update web site with new information and archive past events.

Members: *Denise, Barb P., Cathy W., Bert, DDI*

HHF: meet once a month in June, July, and August more often as event nears. Planning all aspects of Fair; auction, vendors, food, raffles, entertainment.

Members: *Denise, Jen L., Kris, DDI, Kelly, Barb P., Peg, Jessica, and many others*

Scholarship: create guidelines for distribution of scholarships to bring to general membership for discussion, gather applications, interview candidates.

Members: *Bert, Kelly, Cathy, Melissa Aloisi*

Membership: Brain storm ideas for getting new members; bring any event ideas to general membership for approval.

Members: *Ellen and Abbey.*

Funding: meet 1/2 hour before regular meeting to review requests for funding to bring to general meeting with recommendations. **Members:** *Denise, Peg, Kris and Kelly.*



Hadley Holiday Fair Update

We need volunteers to sign up Online for a 'job' TODAY...

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e4caaad2fa5f58-hhfnov>



Starting Our New Year 2017-2018!

All members are required to fill out a membership form each year. Please complete ASAP and submit with annual dues of \$10.00 payable to: Hadley Mothers' Club

This form allows the Membership Committee to accurately keep records of members' emails, phone numbers and addresses, and to communicate with you. Thank you.

Please return Form & Money at a meeting, by mail, or via email:

HMC, PO Box 672, Hadley, MA 01035

hmothersclub@gmail.com

Name: _____ Preferred Phone: _____ Birthday (optional): _____ (mm/dd)

Address: _____ Email(s): _____ Anniversary (optional): _____ (mm/dd)

Child(ren) First Name:	Grade	Birthday	Childr(en) First Name:	Grade	Birthday
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