

March 2023

Hadley Mothers' Club

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Important dates:

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Officers 2022-2024:

President: Denise Devine
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COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Community Outreach Committee

Community Outreach Committee
will be meeting to assemble
on Thursday March 9th at 6pm @ Jen Lapis house.

These bags will be dropped
off at the Senior Center for delivery on March 16th.

They contain lots of household
items this time. I hope they are
enjoying the items we
get for them and make their life easier because of it.





NEXT MEETING ON March 8th WEDNESDAY @ 6:30 AT THE LIBRARY. WILL BE PAINTING MASON JAR FOLLOWING OUR MEETING@ 7PM. WE WILL HAVE GIRLS SCOUTS THEIR TO WATCH THE KIDS WHILE MOTHER HAS SOME FUN





OUR MARCH MEETING IS GOING TO BE A



Ball



**Fellow Hadley Mom, Lillian Weir,
Will work with us on
Decorating Mason Jars and
Flower Arranging!!**



**March 8, 2023 at 6:30pm
Hadley Library - 50 Middle St**



Cost will be \$10 per Mason Jar



**Child care provided by
HA Key Club members**

Hadley Spring Clean Up Day-2023

8:30 am to 3 pm on Saturday, March 18, 2023

The Hadley Climate Change Committee invites you to join our third annual community clean up. We will meet at 8:30 on the west side of the Home Depot parking lot, next to North Maple Street, to pass out bags and gloves, or start your clean up in your neighborhood.

The Hadley Transfer Station is open from 7 am to 4 pm. **The transfer station will accept roadside trash from anyone who is registered to help with this event.** Please separate any recyclables.

→ Sign up to register at: <http://tinyurl.com/Springcleanupday2023>



*For safety's sake, stay off major roads, such as Route 9. **Wear bright clothes and gloves.***

Please send any photos of your clean-up work and estimates of what you picked up to

hadleyclimatechangecommittee@gmail.com

LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT

A big thank you to Greg's Goodies for the program featuring yummy cupcakes. Please check him out on Facebook, Greg's Goodies. He is also owner of Barn Out Back on Route 47, please support him. Check out our Facebook page for pictures! Thank you Donna (DDI) for organizing with Greg. Thanks Chris Pip for the cute flyer.

Chris Pip is working on a thank you for the Calendar Raffle, it may be ready for March meeting.

I am working on the Share the Love campaign again. I checked in with all the town and community organizations we had on the list last time. Pretty much each group said to keep the needs the same for this year's application. We hope to have feedback from SL on the application and if we need to add or delete any information for consideration.

We approved funds over a year ago to redo our website. We hope to have this done by May.

Mary Tudryn brought to light a program that she participates in her school district; backpacks for kids with supplies. There was discussion that it is hard to figure how many kids would need them and the distribution is a challenge too. Many parents do not feel comfortable going to the schools to pick up 'donated' items for their students. The suggestion was to work with the Hadley Library to have the backpacks available during their regular hours for pick up, in August. We will discuss more in the next few months. New member event is still being thought about. If anyone has ideas they can get to Abby, Diane West or Ellen or to the HMC gmail.

Cathy West asked to be replaced as treasurer starting the fall. She is willing to train the member. If anyone is interested please contact me or Suzanne.

Thank you!

Our meeting on March 8 th will have program with Hadley Mom Lilian Weir, she will be doing a project with us. We will decorate mason jars and arrange flowers in them. HMC will cover \$5 of each attendee (plus other expenses) but you will have to pay \$10. Hope to see you and a friend on 3/8, 6:30.

Candidate's Night is May 8 th in person at Hopkins Academy. Peg Jekanowski and Denise will be organizing this event. We need suggestions

for moderator, this person not a Hadley resident that does not mind to speak in public, diplomatic and friendly let me or Peg know.

If anyone asks about Hadley Mothers Club be sure to send them to our great

web site: www.hadleymothersclub.org!

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.

UMass Amherst Community Campaign . This is a University annual appeal to offer the opportunity to donate to your favorite charities or causes. It is an easy way to help those in need by utilizing the bi-weekly payroll deduction or a one-time check donation. Since 1991, the University faculty and staff have donated almost \$8 million dollars to local, state, national and international causes.

None of your donation stays on campus. Your money doesn't pay the salary of the campaign manager. The University doesn't benefit financially from the funds raised. 93% of all UMACC donations are sent to the nonprofit organizations. The 7% administrative fee goes to the Campaign Financial Administrator (United Way of Hampshire County), which collects and processes donations.

