

# ✦ Knightly News ✦

Hollis Brookline Middle School

August 2005

## From the Administration



Many people are familiar with the term 'Christmas in July.'

At the Hollis Brookline Middle School construction site it has been 'Christmas' each and every day of the summer as we have watched the new construction reach closure and the renovation areas begin to unfold! We are genuinely pleased with the progress and know that you will be thoroughly impressed. At the writing of this Knightly News we anticipate the new construction to be ready for occupancy August 31 as well as all of the main building renovations with the exception of the south wing. As a result, we will continue to use some of the portables as well as two rooms only in the Farley Building.

**November** is the anticipated date for total *completion of the project*. We are preparing for business as usual with Open House evenings, sports try-outs and drama auditions, however we recognize that there will be interruptions to our routine occasionally. With continued patience and flexibility we begin the year seeing the 'light at the end of the tunnel' which is now a neon one!

We *recognize* Ted Karwoski and Steve Simons as *Co-Chairs of the HBMS Building Committee*. Their dedication and attention to detail is truly noteworthy! Many thanks are extended to the full committee. Many excellent decisions have been made along the way which have provided the most for the students of Hollis and Brookline.

Special thanks are extended to parents for their flexibility and patience with our confined traffic flow during the spring months of 05. We are very pleased to announce that the carpool lane and bus drop offs will be separate areas once again! Please make note, *busses* will enter on the drive to the *right of Farley*, proceed behind the portables then drop off and pick up on the new road in the *back of the building* which leads directly to Jeff Smith Lane. *Cars* will enter to the *left of Farley* and proceed to the *front of HBMS*. This traffic flow will eliminate the problematic scenario of busses and cars intersecting and merging.

During our November Recognition Assembly, the New England League of Middle Schools' Executive Director will be in attendance to present us with a *Spotlight School* banner. This assembly will kick off many tours and celebration for the completion of the renovation/expansion project. Stay tuned!

Again this year we would like to thank parents for their cooperation and understanding of the **team placement process**. Placement decisions are carefully made to ensure that all teams are equally balanced. At this point in our scheduling process, team changes cannot be honored.

Also, we have chosen to reprint in this mailing our **Dress Code**. Although there are no changes we felt it would be advantageous to review with your child prior to 'back to school' shopping.

Please welcome the following new and not so **new staff members**, to the Hollis Brookline Middle School:

Mrs. Karen Coutu, English Team Prescott  
Mrs. Debbie White, Case Manager Team Prescott  
Mrs. Gail Rasmussen, English Team Caesar

## Calendar Of Events

August 24th—New Student Orientation 9-11:00 a.m.  
August 31st—First Day of School—7th Grade ONLY  
September 1st—ALL STUDENTS  
Sports Tryouts (see article on page 2)  
September 5th—No School—Labor Day  
September 8th—Volunteer Orientation,  
9:00-10:00 a.m., HBMS  
September 13th—Open House—Grade 8—6:45 p.m.  
September 20th—Open House—Grade 7—6:45 p.m.  
September 21st—Fundraiser Kick-Off  
September 22nd—School Pictures  
September 23rd—PTSA Meeting 8:30, HBMS Conf. Room  
October 10th—No School—Columbus Day

Mrs. Teresa Rossetti, Math Team McClintock  
Mrs. Jean Cairney, Program Paraprofessional Team Caesar  
Mrs. Lori Cullinan, Paraprofessional Team Caesar  
Mrs. Nancy Fox, Case Manager Team 3 (maternity leave)  
Mr. Kevin Leonard, Life Skills Case Manager  
Mr. Scott Fields, Computer Technician  
Mr. Rich Raymond, Network Administrator

Mr. Dean Jahns will continue to assume responsibility for the *HBMS website* ([www.hbms.k12.nh.us](http://www.hbms.k12.nh.us)). The Knightly News is routinely posted as well as daily announcements your child receives, reminders of upcoming events, sports cancellations, homework by 4:00 pm each day, and much more. We hope you will access our site routinely. We welcome your feedback!

Please read carefully the *Calendar of Events*. This fall will be extremely busy beginning with our Open Houses planned for September 13<sup>th</sup> (grade 8) and September 20<sup>th</sup> (grade 7). We hope that early notification will ensure your participation. You are an important member of our educational community. We value your feedback and involvement.

And lastly, please take this moment to sit and complete the enclosed *paperwork* for the *PTSA* and the *Emergency Form* for general use. Your time and attention to this task is greatly appreciated!

Enjoy the remaining summer days. We look forward to welcoming our new seventh grade students on Wednesday, August 31<sup>st</sup> for an orientation day and then the entire student body on September 1<sup>st</sup>.

Respectfully,

Patricia Lewis Goyette, Principal  
Kimberly Rizzo Saunders, Assistant Principal



# Food Service Information

Ms. Liz Murray is our Head Cook at Hollis Brookline Middle School. Mrs. Sheila O'Donnell is the Food Service Director for the Hollis Brookline Cooperative District.

made out to HBMS Hot Lunch and given directly to Ms. Murray, Food Service. As we begin the 2005-2006 school year, please be reminded that **students may not charge lunches.**

We are always looking for substitutes for the food service program. If interested, please contact Mrs. O'Donnell at 465-2269 ext. 245.

Lunch times are as follows:

- 11:37—12:05 (Grade 8)
- 12:25—12:53 (Grade 7)

Please make a note that lunches are priced at \$1.75. Checks should be



## Bus Safety



There are a number of expectations of students which should assure the safety of all persons while the school bus program is in operation. Please take a few moments to review the following with your child.

Students should:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) remain at a safe distance from roadways at bus pick-up points. If necessary to cross a road, always walk in front of the bus.</li> <li>2) remain quiet and orderly while riding the bus.</li> <li>3) remain in their seats until destinations are reached, keeping aisles clear for possible emergency exiting.</li> <li>4) keep hands and objects inside the windows at all times.</li> <li>5) HBMS students may choose seats within the first half of the bus.</li> <li>6) Students may not eat or drink on the bus.</li> <li>7) Alternate buses will only be allowed when maximum seating has not been reached. A note from home that is</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8) Students may not board nor get off their bus at the high school.</li> <li>9) Students must board buses at their home stop. A parent should accompany a student in all other cases.</li> <li>10) Students are required to arrive at their home stop five minutes prior to the scheduled pick up time.</li> </ol> <p>Failure to comply with the safety rules and regulations may lead to suspension of riding privileges.</p> <p>In advance, thank you for your attention to these expectations. Safety is our primary concern.</p> | <p>also signed by administration must be presented to the bus driver.</p> |
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## GIRLS VOLLEYBALL



Tryouts will begin on Thursday, September 1st from 2:30-4:15. All girls interested should bring knee pads, a water bottle, sneakers and a change of clothes to school. All students should be picked up behind the Middle School promptly at 4:15. Practices are every day from 2:30-4:15.



## Athletic Spotlight . . . Interscholastic Sports

**Field Hockey:** Tryouts will begin on Thursday, September 1st from 2:30-4:15. All girls interested should bring shin guards, a mouth guard, cleats, a water bottle and a change of clothes to school. All students should be picked up behind the Middle School promptly at 4:15. Practices are every day from 2:30-4:15.

**Girls Soccer:** Tryouts will begin on Thursday, September 1st from 2:30-4:15. All girls interested should bring shin guards, a mouth guard (optional), cleats, a water bottle and a change of clothes to school. All students should be picked up behind the Middle School promptly at 4:15. Practices are every day from 2:30-4:15.

**Boys Soccer:** Tryouts will begin on Thursday, September 1st from 2:30-4:15. All boys interested should bring shin guards, a mouth guard (optional), cleats, a water bottle and a change of clothes to school. All students should be picked up behind the Middle School promptly at 4:15. Practices are every day from 2:30-4:15.



**Boys and Girls Cross Country:** Practices will begin on Thursday, September 1st from 2:30-3:30. All students interested in distance running (meet courses are approximately 2 miles) should bring a water bottle, running shoes and a change of clothes to school.



Any student that does not make the above teams may join the cross country team at any time. All students should be picked up behind the Middle School promptly at 3:30. Practices are every day from 2:30-3:30.

## SPORTS REQUIREMENTS

No student will be able to tryout or practice without:

1. Up to date physical on file with the school nurse;
2. Completed and signed emergency form.

**GET INVOLVED!!!**

# Extracurricular Clubs, Activities and Athletics

<b>Year Round:</b>	<b>Fall:</b>	<b>Winter:</b>	<b>Spring:</b>
Art Club Mrs. Papadeas	Cross Country Mr. Johnston	Basketball– Girls	Baseball
	Field Hockey – Girls Mrs. Smith	Basketball – Boys Mr. Gray	Softball Mr. Dulac
Drama Club Mrs. Adams Mrs. Gruposso	Soccer– Boys Mr. Lyle	Mathcounts Mrs. Mezzocchi	Track & Field Mr. Lyle Mrs. Smith
Student Council	Soccer – Girls Mr. Gray	Ski Program Mrs. Desmarais	
Yearbook Staff	Volleyball—Girls Ms. Dunbar	Wrestling	

*show Your  
School Spirit*

## Fall Athletic Schedule

<b>Soccer – Boys</b> Game times are 3:30 Date Location	<b>Soccer – Girls</b> Game times are 3:30 Date Location	<b>Field Hockey–Girls</b> Game times are 3:30 Date Location	<b>Cross-Country</b> Game times are 3:30 Date Location	<b>Volleyball</b> Match times are 3:30 Date Location
9/12 AT Amherst 9/15 AT South Meadow School 9/19 Amherst 9/22 AT Hood 9/26 Pelham 9/29 AT Weare	9/12 Milford 9/15 South Meadow School 9/19 AT Amherst 9/21 AT Keene (4:00) 9/22 Hood 9/26 AT Pelham 9/29 Weare	9/13 Milford 9/15 Boynton 9/20 AT South Meadow School 9/27 AT Rundlett 9/29 Pelham	9/09 AT Amherst with Merrimack 9/13 St. Joe’s, Merrimack 9/16 South Meadow School 9/20 AT Hood 9/23 Villa Augustina, Milford 9/27 AT Windham 9/29 AT Pelham with Cawley	9/13 Windham 9/15 Mountain View 9/19 AT Milford 9/22 AT Fairgrounds 9/26 Nashua Catholic 9/29 AT Elm Street
10/03 West Running Brook 10/06 Milford 10/13 South Meadow School 10/17 AT Amherst	10/03 AT West Running Brook 10/06 AT Milford 10/13 AT South Meadow School 10/17 Amherst 10/19 Keene (4:00)	10/04 AT Sanborn 10/06 AT Milford 10/11 Derryfield 10/13 AT Boynton 10/18 South Meadow School	10/04 AT Hooksett with St. Joe’s 10/07 Nashua Catholic 10/11 AT South Meadow School 10/15 League Meet at Pelham (time to be announced) 10/22 State Meet at Londonderry (time to be announced)	10/03 Pennichuck 10/06 AT Windham 10/11 AT Timberlane 10/13 AT Mountain View 10/17 Milford
Playoffs: Week of 10/24	Playoffs: Week of 10/24	Playoffs: Week of 10/24		Playoffs: Week of 10/24

## ATHLETIC FEE

Parents and students are reminded that participation on an interscholastic team will require a \$15.00 fee with a family limit of \$60.00. All monies will support championship banners, coaches awards and replacement uniforms.

# FIRST DAY JITTERS



Please help with your child's first day jitters by reviewing with him/her the following information.

When arriving on the first day all students will be directed to the area on the **side of the main building**, grade 7 North side and grade 8 South side. If it is raining, we will assemble in the gymnasium.

**ROCK lists will be posted** on the side wall for easy viewing. Teachers and students will congregate in the general areas of their lists. When signaled, **teachers will escort their group** into the building.

Our first day will include orientation time. Administration will be present during all lunches to answer student questions.

Should you have a specific question regarding our opening day, please feel free to call us at 465-2223.



**NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION**

**On Wednesday, August 24th at 9:00 a.m. we will hold an orientation for all new students (both 7th and 8th) who have registered this summer. Please join us!**

## ATTENTION FRENCH STUDENTS



French students will need a large supply of 3x5 index cards and a notebook for French to be put in your binder. Thanks!

## Bus Routes

Complete bus routes will be posted on the front doors of the Hollis Brookline Middle School, on Thursday, August 25th. Routes will also be publicized in all the local newspapers.



# MOST COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS

? - Does every student have a locker?

✓Yes, this year all students will have their own locker when the building project has been completed.

? - Do I need to call the office when my child is absent?

✓Yes please! We do follow up on all student absences with phone calls unless we have heard from you.

? - When should I write the school a note?

✓Please send a note, via your child, when he/she will be dismissed early or when requesting permission to ride a different bus.

? - Is there a specific spot to drop off my child in the morning?

✓Yes. Use the drive to the left of Farley and proceed to the front of the building for drop off. (Busses will use the drive to the right of Farley and travel behind the building for drop off.)

? - What time does school start?

✓Our day begins promptly at 7:15 a.m. and dismissal is at 2:15 p.m.

? - How will my child know which bus to take?

✓Bus routes will be posted on the front doors of HBMS on August 25th. They will also be published in the local newspapers.



## Hollis Brookline Middle School

### Expectations!

- Manage Yourself
- Cooperate with Others
- Respect Personal and Public Property
- Act in a Healthy and Legal Manner

## PTSA NEWS

Hi All! For those who do not know me my name is Trish MacDonald and I am proud to be serving my second year as the President of the HBMS PTSA for the 2005-2006 school year. Can you believe how fast the summer is flying by? The PTSA is gearing up for another exciting and busy school year!! Our renovations are going smoothly and we are all looking forward to seeing and utilizing the beautiful new spaces.

Within this newsletter you will find a **PTSA Membership Form**, the **Student Directory Information**, and a **Volunteer Sign up Sheet**. These forms are your passports to becoming involved with a very active PTSA. Last year we had over 200 members in the HBMS PTSA and that was our most successful membership campaign to date. We are hoping to see an even better year this year!!! We welcome parental involvement at HBMS in many different ways. You will find most, if not all, listed on the Volunteer Sign up Sheet. We conduct an annual magazine fundraiser which has helped to defray the cost of the many wonderful school programs offered at HBMS. In past years, the PTSA has helped with the cost of transportation to Washington, DC for the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade trip, helped the existing clubs and start new ones, contributed to grade level year end celebrations, helped with requests from teachers, and much more. The PTSA sponsors enrichment evenings for parents and students concentrating on topics that are current and relevant to our school community. Last year we shared in the wonderful programs that were being offered by the high school. We will continue to share our resources with the high school and them with us.

The Fall Magazine Drive continues to be our main fundraiser. Debi Davis and Erin Magee will be spear heading this again this year. These ladies did a wonderful job last year and we are so pleased to have them helping us again this year! The kick off date is **Wednesday, September 21st**. If any one is interested in giving these wonderful ladies a helping hand, please call Erin at 465-3233 or Debi at 465-2510. We will continue to participate in the Box Tops 4 Education. Girl Scout Troop 226 will be helping us with this worthwhile endeavor. Please collect those box tops and hand them in at the office.

Our first fundraising event will again be the booth we share with HBHS PTSA at Hollis Old Home Days. We will be selling hot dogs, hamburgers, and beverages. The weather did not cooperate last year, but those who helped out shared some laughs anyway. It is a way to join in the fun, help, and get to meet people. Old Home Days is scheduled for Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Anyone interested in helping us flip burgers and serve up the grub should contact me (see below).

A couple of dates that you might want to put on your September calendar are **Thursday, September 8<sup>th</sup> for Volunteer Orientation and Friday September 23<sup>rd</sup> which will be our first PTSA meeting. Volunteer Orientation is from 9-10 a.m.**, location to be determined. Please come and learn the many ways that you can be a volunteer and help out the school. Although our PTSA meetings will generally be held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month, I encourage everyone to join us on **September 23<sup>rd</sup> in the HBMS conference room from 8:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.** All are welcome!! If you have any items for our agenda, please feel free to contact me.

Please come join us! This is your PTSA and you as the volunteers make the difference. It is the PTSA and their volunteer activities that have helped make HBMS one of the best Middle Schools in New Hampshire!!!

Trish MacDonald, PTSA President  
465-2898/trish\_macdonald@charter.net

### HBMS PTSA 2005-2006 Officers, Committee Chairs, and Others



**President:** Trish MacDonald 465-2898 trish\_macdonald@charter.net  
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**7th Grade:** Tami Campbell 465-3445

**8th Grade: Open**

**Student Directory:** Lynn Abt

Janet Vaughn 465-6595

#### Membership: Open

**Publicity:** Cynthia Andreola andreola3878@charter.net

**PTSA Website:** Iris Realmuto 465-2930 iris@freedom.mv.com

#### Fundraising:

**BoxTops4Ed:** Girl Scout Troop 226

**Magazine Drive:** Erin Magee 465-3233

Deb Davis 465-2510

**ShopNSave: Open**

**HBMS Principal:** Pat Goyette 465-2223 goyettep@sau41.k12.nh.us

**Asst. Principal:** Kimberly Rizzo Saunders 465-2223 rizzok@sau41.k12.nh.us

**Ex-Officio:** Lex Bundschuh 465-3142 UNOFAM@aol.com

## VOLUNTEERS APPRECIATED

Two years is a small slice of your child's development, yet early adolescence is such an important time. Join us during your student's seventh and eighth grade years! Participate in any way you are able. All involvement has positive affects.

An early orientation is planned for September 8th, at 9:00 a.m. at HBMS (place to be determined). We look forward to meeting you.



## APPEARANCE AND DRESS

The matter of dress and appearance is, for the most part, a matter of individual taste. Students must, however, respect the learning environment. Any appearance or dress which would cause a distraction from the learning process, infringe upon the rights of other students or dress that is unsafe will not be tolerated.

1. Dress and grooming should be clean.
2. Immodest clothing will not be tolerated.
3. Students may wear shorts however; they should be at least mid-thigh lengths.
4. Students may not go barefoot at any time.
5. Students must wear a shirt at all times inside and outside school buildings.
6. Abbreviated tops such as halters, tube or thin strapped tank tops are not permitted.
7. Shirts advertising illegal substances, violence or vulgarities should not be worn.
8. Students may not wear hats at any time (including bandanas and visors).



## WASHINGTON, DC March 21 — March 24, 2006

Attention Grade 8 students and parents! Our eighth grade Washington, DC trip has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 21 through Friday, March 24, 2005.

A parent information evening will be scheduled for late September with the first of three payments due the first full week of October 2005. Details will follow.



## ROCK TESTAMONIALS

On the last day of school grade 7 students were surveyed for facts, feelings and questions regarding their year in ROCK. Over 75% of the students answered, "Yes, ROCK has helped me." Direct quotes follow:

- "It's helped with organization. If we never cleaned lockers, I'd always be late for class."
- "Helped me meet new people on a different team."
- "I was able to talk about real events and have time to read."
- "It gave me an opportunity to relax and get organized."
- "It helps me get ready for the day. I wouldn't like going to another class first. ROCK makes me aware of what's happening on the news. It helps my reading skills."
- "ROCK has given me a chance to ask questions, get used to things, organize and plan for the day. It gives me a chance to get collected in the morning."
- "ROCK has helped me everyday to figure out my schedule."

## EMERGENCY FORMS

Dear Parents and Students,

In order to facilitate a smooth entrance to school this year, we are requesting that an *emergency form* and a *current physical* be on file prior to the start of school year. All 7<sup>th</sup> grade students are required to have a current physical on file in the Health Office. (Please note, we have no standard physical form. Whatever your doctor provides you with is acceptable.) **Pupil Data/Emergency Forms** need to have current information annually. We are enclosing an emergency form to be completed and returned to HBMS before the start of the school year.

**Students who plan to try out for a fall sport will have met the initial contract requirements, once the above described paperwork has been completed and returned. School tryouts for fall sports are scheduled to begin September 1, 2005.**

If you have any questions, please call the HBMS office at 465-2223.

Sincerely,

Patricia Goyette, Principal  
Deirdre Adams, Nurse  
Gayle Bottcher, Athletic Director



August 2004

Dear Families,

The Hollis Brookline Middle School PTSA (Parent, Teacher and Student Association) invites you to become a member and make a difference in the educational experience of your student. Please take a moment to complete the PTSA Membership form on this page.

Our PTSA's mission is to provide that important link between school and home. Students perform better when parents are actively involved in their learning experience. I encourage you to join the PTSA. It is with the help of committed parents that the staff, teachers, and administration of HBMS can give our students the best Middle School education and experience possible. Your membership in the PTSA gives you a voice and a vote. The cost of the annual membership is \$5.00. This is an individual membership and students are encouraged to join along with their parents. To join, please send payment with this form to the HBMS office in an envelope marked "PTSA Membership." **Please make checks payable to HBMS PTSA.**

**Thanks for Supporting our PTSA**

PTSA Membership 2004-2005

Name of Student(s)\_\_\_ Grade Level

Name of Member

Name of Member

Address\_\_\_

Town Zip Code

Telephone Number \_\_e-mail

Amount Enclosed \$

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**Student Directory Information**  
HBMS 2004-2005

The Hollis Brookline Middle School Student Directory is being offered to Hollis Brookline Middle School families for \$5.00. This phone and address directory is an invaluable resource. Every student's name, telephone number, mailing address and parents'/guardians' names will automatically be included in the 2004-2005 HBMS Student Directory.

**If you do not want the above information in the directory listings**, please indicate this on the form below. *Unless otherwise notified, we will assume that you would like your student's grade level, telephone number, mailing address, and parents'/guardians' names included in the Student Directory.*

Please return the forms below by **September 17** to the HBMS office, in an envelope marked "Student Directory." **Make checks payable to "HBMS PTSA."**

Trish MacDonald, 465-2895 (trish\_macdonald@charter.net)  
HBMS PTSA President

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**2004-2005 HOLLIS BROOKLINE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENT DIRECTORY**

I do not want my student included in the HBMS Directory

Parent's Signature

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I would like to order  copies of the HBMS Directory \$5.00 per copy.

Amount Enclosed \$

Student's Last Name    Student's First Name (As want printed in directory)

Mother's Name    Father's Name

Address    Town    Zip Code

Phone Number    Additional Phone Number (Optional)

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Other comments or instructions regarding directory listing:

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# HOLLIS BROOKLINE MIDDLE SCHOOL PTSA

## Volunteer Sign Up

2004-2005

**Your HBMS PTSA wants to include you in as many activities as possible.** Your involvement helps the HBMS staff offer our students excellent programs and enhances teacher/parent relations.

Please fill out this form and return it to the HBMS Office via your student.

Parent's (Volunteer's) Name(s)

Student's Name(s) \_\_\_\_ Grade(s)

Address

Town Zip Code

Telephone \_\_ E-mail

(Best time to call a.m./p.m./anytime)

### PTSA Committees

- Enrichment     Nominating  
(Develop evening enrichment programs)     Newsletter Distribution
- Fund Raising    (monthly—help fold, stuff envelopes)  
(Help with fall magazine drive)     Publicity
- Historian    (Contact local papers with press releases)
- Hospitality     Staff Appreciation
- Membership

### School/PTSA Volunteer Opportunities

- 6th Grade Transition     Generations (November)
- Baking    (Parent/Student Workshop Day-
- Band Fundraising    December-Grade 8; March-Grade 7)
- Cafeteria Aide     Library Aide
- Chaperone School dance    (Weekly or every 2 weeks commitment)
- Computer Lab     Nurse's Office  
(Supervise, no computer experience necessary)     Reflections
- Drama     Ski Program  
\_\_\_ Costumes    (Monday nights for 6 weeks)
- \_\_\_ Technical Support     Student Assistance
- \_\_\_ Cast Party    \_\_\_ Organizational Support
- \_\_\_ Rehearsal Dinner    \_\_\_ One on One Tutorial
- Front Office Support     Video Taping from Home  
(answering phone, taking messages)

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Seventh Grade Volunteer Opportunities Eighth Grade Volunteer Opportunities

- \_ Team 1 Volunteer Coordinator \_ Team 3 Volunteer Coordinator
- \_ Team 1 Volunteer \_ Team 3 Volunteer
- \_ Team 2 Volunteer Coordinator \_ Team 4 Volunteer Coordinator
- \_ Team 2 Volunteer \_ Team 4 Volunteer
- \_ Team 6 Volunteer Coordinator \_ 8th Grade End of Year Celebration
- \_ Team 6 Volunteer \_ 8th Grade Science Fair (May)
- \_ 7th Grade Dissection Unit \_ 8th Grade CPR Certification (March)
- \_ 7th Grade End of Year Celebration \_ 8th Grade Band Concert
- \_ 7th Grade Chorus Concert \_ 8th Grade Chorus Concert
- \_ 7th Grade Band Concert \_ 8th Grade Field Trips
- \_ 7th Grade Victorian Tea (December) \_ 8th Grade Boulder Morty
- \_ 7th Grade Field Trips

Are there other talents you are willing to share? We value your expertise.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Trish MacDonald (465-2898, [trish\\_macdonald@charter.net](mailto:trish_macdonald@charter.net) - PTSA President or Donna Cormier (465-2726) -Volunteer Coordinator. Or see our web site: [www.hbms.k12.nh.us](http://www.hbms.k12.nh.us), for further description of volunteer opportunities.

**Thank you for being involved in our school.**

# S.O.S

## "Save Our Subscriptions"

*Dear Parents and Friends of Hollis Brookline Middle School:*

*This Fall we will again be conducting our annual magazine drive. We have used this program for a number of years as a Fundraiser because it offers you an opportunity to purchase your magazine subscriptions through our school at a competitive price. Our school earns forty cents of every dollar you spend which is used to help finance such programs as field trips and special assemblies.*

*The success of the program depends upon your participation. Please remember to avoid the temptation of renewing your subscriptions through the mail. As you know the publishers get very aggressive over the summer months attempting to have you renew directly from them rather than through the school. You can determine when your subscription actually runs out by looking at the date on your mailing label which is attached to the cover of the Magazine. When you renew through the publisher our community loses money. Renewal orders through the school will simply extend your current subscription, regardless of its expiration date.*

*In order to run a successful drive we do offer the students incentives. Some students become very motivated by these incentives and some are not. We hope that all students will participate; however, please feel free to limit or encourage your student from participation as it meets the needs and priorities of your family.*

*Thank you for your support!*

*We are looking forward to your participation.*