

Hunters Glen September News



Hello HGE Families!

We are replacing our monthly newsletter with this monthly update with important info and links that you need for this month! We will also be putting this information on our school website under the “News” category. We hope that this format is more accessible, succinct, and easier to read and find important information.

[Link to Hunters Glen Calendar](#) - this link takes you to the HGE Calendar on our school website that has all of our events and clubs for the month of September.

[Link to HGE Co-Curricular List](#) - In an effort to help families and students decide what clubs to participate in, we have made a list of all student clubs and the dates we anticipate offering them. Please note that this list will update as more clubs are approved. Please click on the heading of this section above to access the list.

[Link to PTO Website](#)

Please check out our PTO website for information on meeting dates, contact information, and fundraising opportunities. Did you know that **all fundraisers on the website cost our families nothing!** We collect Longmont Dairy MilkCaps and benefit from any Box Tops scanned! Additionally, if you purchase from American Furniture Warehouse and tell them you are from Hunters Glen, we receive a percentage of your sale! You can also link your King Soopers Card to HGE and we receive a percentage of your sales! Check out the PTO website with directions on how to sign up or contribute using these NO COST fundraisers!

Our wonderful PTO is once again partnering with Boosterthon to sponsor our Fun Run! **This is the one large fundraiser that our PTO asks for direct support.** Students will watch a video in class on September 20th to kick off this fundraiser! More information will be coming home soon. Students can receive prizes and the school can receive additional funds even if you just register and are unable to donate. Please register your child when the information comes home and please donate to our wonderful PTO if you are able to!

Last school year, the funds from this fundraiser allowed our PTO to:

- Purchase Soccer Goals and Trees for our Playground
- Helped reduce Field Trip Costs

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- Purchased and supplied books for our Birthday Book Vending Machine
- Supported teachers with additional resources for the classroom!

School Attendance Information

As a reminder, up to 5 absences will be excused with a parent call-in and do not require further documentation. Once a student reaches 5 parent called-in absences, further absences will require doctor's documentation. Without documentation the 6th and all further absences will be marked as unexcused. The following is an excerpt from Adams 12 Attendance Policy:

6.10 Parents may excuse up to five (5) absences per semester without documentation. Absences beyond five (5) will be considered unexcused unless proper documentation is provided.

Vacations

The following is required in order to excuse vacation absences:

1. Parents must submit prior verification ([Adams 12 Vacation Notification Form](#))
2. Students must have a 95% or higher attendance rate over the last two grading periods
3. Students must be in good academic standing

All other absences will either count towards the 5 parent call-in absences or be marked as unexcused if a student has already been granted their 5 excused absences. The following is an excerpt from Adams 12 Attendance Policy:

6.6 Vacations or non-emergency activities should be scheduled for days or times when students are not in school. Reasonable requests for absences to be excused due to vacation or for other non-emergency reasons will be approved if the student has a 95% or higher attendance rate over the prior two (2) grading periods, and if the student is otherwise meeting academic performance expectations as determined by school administration.