



Scarborough Public Schools

June 12, 2026

Last Newsletter until August



As the 2025-2026 school year draws to a close, this will be our final district newsletter. We'll be back in your inboxes this August with fresh updates and news. Until then, we hope you and your families enjoy a fantastic and memorable summer break!

[2026-2027 School Calendar](#)

Summer Food -SUN Bucks and SUN Meals Programs Return for the Summer of 2026

SUN Bucks, managed by the Maine DHHS Office of Family Independence (OFI), is designed to supplement families' grocery budgets over the summer when school is out of session by providing a one-time \$120 food benefit per school-aged child. That benefit may be used at authorized retailers, such as grocery stores and farmers' markets, to purchase healthy foods, including fruits, vegetables, meats, whole grains, dairy, and other protein sources. SUN Bucks occurs in addition to SUN Meals, and children may participate in both programs.

Most children eligible for SUN Bucks will be automatically enrolled based on participation in other public benefit programs. Families will automatically receive SUN Bucks if they have a child(s) who attends a school that serves National School Lunch Program meals and who participates in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), or MaineCare with a household income at or below 185% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), or who is identified by OFI or the Maine DHHS Office of Child and Family Services (OCFS) as foster, homeless, or migrant.

Most eligible households have already received a SUN Bucks eligibility notice from OFI and will receive benefits in the following ways:

- For SNAP-eligible households, benefits will be loaded onto the household's existing P-EBT card (also called the Pine Tree EBT card).
- For former P-EBT or SUN Bucks households not currently receiving SNAP, benefits will be added to the previously issued P-EBT card.
- For newly eligible households not currently receiving SNAP, a new P-EBT card with preloaded benefits will be mailed to the household.

Please note that families who no longer have their P-EBT card may request a replacement card through pinetreecard.com or by calling 800-477-7428.

Families who have not been notified of automatic enrollment by mid-June, but who believe their children may qualify based on the above criteria, may apply for SUN Bucks through [My Maine Connection](#) or by mail. Applications must be received by August 15, 2026, and benefits must be used within approximately four months of when they were issued.

A Sincere Thank You to Our Voters

We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to everyone who headed to the polls this past Tuesday, June 9th. By participating in the vote, you have fulfilled a vital civic duty and demonstrated your commitment to our community's future. Your voice matters, and we are grateful for your continued engagement and support.



Last Day of School for K-12 Students and Staff



The last day of school is Wednesday, June 17th. This will be a **half day** for students and a full day for staff. **Dismissal time on Wednesday, June 17th for students in grades K through 5 will be 11:45am and students in grades 6 - 12 will be 10:45am.**



PRE-K REGISTRATION

FALL 2026

 **ANNOUNCING HALF-DAY
OPENINGS AT BLUE POINT SCHOOL**

 **ELIGIBILITY:**
Must be a Scarborough
student who turns 4
by October 15, 2026.

 **EXPRESS
INTEREST NOW!**

 **SCAN OR VISIT TO EXPRESS INTEREST:**
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1g_p30fphZEFY_b1jYDlhJYh8OcRpuLwBRlbXjnS6xgU/edit

Half-Day Openings at Blue Point School Still Available

There are still limited half-day Pre-K openings at Blue Point School for the upcoming school year!

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for the Scarborough Public Schools Pre-K program, students must meet the following criteria:

- The child must be a resident of Scarborough.
- The child must turn four (4) years old on or before October 15, 2026.

Our Pre-K program is designed to foster early literacy and numeracy skills, social-emotional development, and a love for learning in a supportive and engaging environment. We believe in nurturing each child's unique potential and preparing them for a successful transition to kindergarten.

You can express your interest by:

- Click on the above flyer.
- Visiting the following

link: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSell18u9qEQBZ7U9cwyLOdbZhMOwjhOgJ6AxMU42X4n-sHOhA/viewform>

Our first round of screening for families who previously applied has been completed, and letters with next steps should be hitting families' email by the start of next week. Additional screening appts are being organized for early June for families who are expressing interest now.

Scarborough Public Schools: Kindergarten Registration (2026-2027 School Year)



Kindergarten Registration Now Open for 2026-2027

We are excited to welcome the newest members of our school community! So far, **205 children have been registered** for kindergarten the upcoming school year. Please spread the word to anyone you may know in Scarborough to register now so we can ensure we are ready to receive these students when school begins in late August.

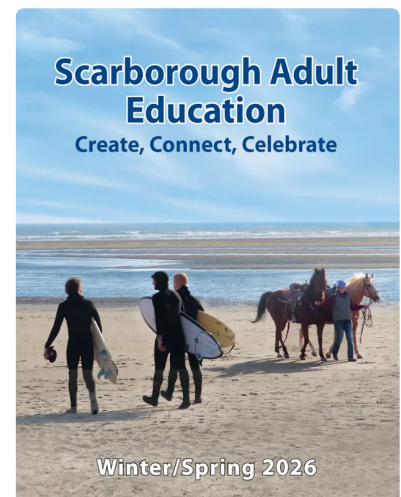
Eligibility: Kindergarten is open to any Scarborough child who will be five (5) years old on or before **October 15, 2026**.

How to Register: All families must complete the [New Student Enrollment Form](#) to begin the process.

For any other questions, please contact your school directly using the phone numbers listed above. We look forward to meeting you.

Scarborough Adult Education

WINTER & SPRING 2026 Registration is now available! Their general office hours are Monday, Tuesday, & Wednesday afternoons. Students may [register 24/7 online](#) or email adulthood@scarboroughschools.org for assistance!



2026 -2027 School Calendar



We are pleased to announce that the 2026-2027 school calendar has been officially approved by the School Board at last evening's Board Meeting. We encourage all families to review the calendar to note important dates, including holidays, and school breaks. You can find the link to the full calendar below.

[2026-2027 School Calendar](#)

Central Office Summer Hours

The Central Office remains open throughout the summer to serve our community. Our summer hours are Monday through Friday, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Please note that while Municipal Offices are closed on Fridays, the School Department remains accessible. On these days, visitors are asked to use the video intercom system located to the right of the main Route 1 front doors to request entry into the building. As always, if you have any questions, please contact the Central Office at 730-4100.



Community Events & Information



Please access this link to the [Community Bulletin Board](#) for information about great community events and fundraisers going on in Scarborough.

- Scoliosis Fundraiser - June 20, 2026
- Mr. Reagan's Summer Camps - July 2026
- Primary PTA Night at the SeaDogs - July 17, 2026
- Art Attack: June Clay Camp
- Cub Scout Flyer
- Girl Scouts of Maine Flyer
- 2025-2026 Scarborough Public Library Parent Letter
- Scarborough Education Foundation

Important Dates

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- June 17, 2026 - Last Day of School
- June 18, 2026 - School Board Workshop & Business Meeting

**Early release times:

Grades 6-12: 12:55pm

Grades K-5: 1:45pm



Scarborough Public Schools is HIRING!

Scarborough Public Schools is currently hiring. Interested candidates may visit the School District's Employment site for details and application instructions by using this link here:

<https://www.applitrack.com/scarborough/OnlineApp/default.aspx>

A hiring poster with a light beige background. At the top left, it says "We are Hiring!" in a simple font. Below that, "Join Our Team" is written in a large, bold, serif font. To the right of this text are two four-pointed starburst graphics. In the center, a dark brown rectangular box contains the heading "Open Positions:" followed by a bulleted list of job roles. At the bottom right, the text "APPLY NOW" is underlined in a bold, sans-serif font, with the website "www.scarboroughschools.org" below it. The poster is decorated with brown contour lines in the top right and bottom left corners.

We are Hiring!

Join Our Team

Open Positions:

- Adult Ed MLL/Academic Instructor
- Middle School Teacher
- Occupational Therapist (0.6)
- School Psychologist (0.8)
- K-2 Functional Life Skills Teacher
- Ed Tech I, II, III
- Oak Hill Players - Producer
- Oak Hill Players - Set Builder
- Multiple Coaching Position

APPLY NOW

www.scarboroughschools.org

What to do in Scarborough?



For upcoming [Scarborough Community](#) events, be sure to check out Scarborough Community Services website and follow them on Facebook.



Links to Our Schools



Blue Point



Eight Corners



Pleasant Hill



Wentworth School



Middle School



High School

Services & Information

[Spec. Services](#) | Chris Rohde, crohde@scarboroughschools.org

[Transportation](#) | Sarah Redmond, sredmond@scarboroughschools.org

[Food Services](#) | Peter Esposito, pesposito@scarboroughschools.org

[Athletics & Activities](#) | Mike LeGage, mlegage@scarboroughschools.org

[Curriculum](#) | Katie Vetro, kvetro@scarboroughschools.org

[Facilities](#) | Todd Jepson, tjepson@scarboroughschools.org

Tech Support

For technology assistance with SPS student laptops, please visit

<https://tickets.scarboroughschools.org> to open a ticket and someone from Technology will be in touch to assist you.



Scarborough Schools

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