



Everyone is
Different.
Everyone
Belongs.



Kindergarten Thespians!

Kindergarteners took the stage and brought a variety of well-known stories to life with a modern twist. Everyone was well rehearsed and oh so brave! Costumes and backdrops did not disappoint! Well done Kindergarteners in Ms. Marfione's, Ms. Doherty's, and Ms. Healy's Class.

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Hard to believe my first year as the Haggerty librarian is coming to an end. I am so lucky to be a part of a community which values its library.

All materials borrowed from Cambridge Public School libraries must be returned by **June 10th**. Please help your child look around at home for any Haggerty books.

If you have a bit of free time between now and the end of the year, I could use some help getting books back on the shelves. Just stop by and I'll give you a crash course in shelving.

Summer reading information from the public library will be sent home in June.



Cafeteria Corner

Good news for the Haggerty community...starting in the fall we will begin **composting** in our Cafeteria!

This new initiative will involve a training for staff in August, a school assembly in September to introduce it to the kids, and engaging some student and parent volunteers to be composting monitors for the first several weeks when the program gets underway. Students and parents - please think about volunteering to help get our composting program underway this fall!



In preparation for the fall, we are going to introduce students to the practice of "pouring out liquids" for the last month of the school year. On Wednesday, May 29th, Kristen von Hoffmann (Cambridge Public Schools Sustainability Officer) and Meryl Brott (from the Department of Public Works) will come to Haggerty from 11:00-12:30 and be at each lunch shift. They will take just a few minutes once the kids are eating lunch to explain and demonstrate this practice.

On another note, on May 30th our wonderful cook Carol will be preparing and serving Ethiopian chicken. You may notice on the monthly menu that stuffed shells is also listed on this date. Please make a note that only the Ethiopian chicken will be served on May 30th.





IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT TWO UPCOMING SPRING CONCERTS

** Haggerty Chorus will have **one additional rehearsal** the morning of **Wednesday, May 29 at 7:30 a.m.** in the gymnasium.

We're so looking forward to the upcoming concerts!

Fourth and fifth graders, along with Haggerty Chorus, will be performing on **Wednesday, May 29 at 6:30 p.m.** here in the Haggerty gym. After the concert, there will be a potluck dessert reception. Please bring something to share! Look forward to some stellar singing and incredible instrumentals!

Kindergarten, first, second, and third grade will be performing on **Friday, June 7 at 8:30 a.m.** in the Haggerty gym. We look forward to seeing you there!

If you have any questions about the concerts, please be in touch with Ms. Irvin-Kent at 617-349-6555 x111 or sirvinkent@cpsd.us. As always, thank you for supporting all our students in this culmination of their music learning!

ANY QUESTIONS? PLEASE CONTACT SHELLEY IRVIN-KENT AT SIRVINKENT@CPSD.US OR 617-349-6555 X111 (music room).

We look forward to seeing you there! ☺



Enrichment Committee Parent Coffee, Friday, May 31st at 8 AM

Do you know all those wonderful authors and artists your children come home talking about? Science mornings? Musical performances? Visiting civic leaders?

Join us for the Haggerty Enrichment Committee's first drive-by coffee*, and share your ideas of what has worked, and whom you would love to see come to the school. Share any personal contacts you may have as well!

At minimum, come say hello to our our fantastic librarian, Sarah Novogrodsky, peerless music teacher, Shelley Irvin-Kent, and departing arts and drama teacher nonpareil, Ashley Warlick -- as well as a host of other teachers and parents -- all of whom believe in the enriching power of the arts.

When? Friday, May 31 at 8am in the lobby/Conference Room.

Art's handmaidens (coffee and baked goods, anyway...) will be on hand in ample supply. Looking forward to seeing you then!

The Haggerty Enrichment Committee



A Special Visitor to the 5th Grade!

Ms. Kaveney's father, Fred Cruickshank, visited with our 5th graders on Friday, May 24th, and told them the highlights of his 92 years! A true Cantabridgian, he was brought Cambridge at the age of 2 by his family from Scotland. He shared a 1934 photo of his 8th grade graduating class from the Houghton School on Putnam Street, now the Martin Luther King School. He joked that although he was in the front row because he was one of the smallest boys in the 8th grade, he grew a foot in high school and was center of the basketball team--providing hope to some of our slightly smaller fifth grade boys. He also recounted his time in the Coast Guard during WWII and answered many of our students questions about the war. The fifth graders asked great questions, ranging from how technology has changed over 90 years, to what it was like in the war, to what countries he has visited. It was a special treat for Ms. Kaveney to share her father with us right before Memorial Day. A personal way to learn about our veterans. One of our 5th graders thoughtfully thanked him for his service in the war.



3rd ANNUAL "Hacks fore Haggerty" GOLF TOURNAMENT on JUNE 7th

Includes 18-holes of golf at Fresh Pond Golf Course (w/ a golf-cart), dinner, raffle and fun afterwards!

Sign-in at 1:00 PM

Hello everyone, we are having our 3rd Annual Hacks Fore Haggerty Golf Fundraising Tournament on Friday, June 7th. I have included a website link including all the particulars, INCLUDING ONLINE REGISTRATION. Please register by Friday, May 31st (STILL ROOM FOR GOLFERS!).

We'd love to have golfers from both within the Haggerty community and from outside our community--so please feel free to pass along to your family and friends who are golfers. We are also looking for sponsors from local companies (information also on website). This particular event is being hosted by the PTO, but as always the proceeds will go to enrichments activities for our school funded by the Friends of Haggerty, Inc. 501(c) 3.

Here is the website: <https://sites.google.com/site/hackshaggerty/>

Question and concerns? Please email hacks4haggerty@gmail.com.

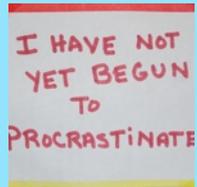


Thanks for your helping to make our 3rd foray into the world of golf tournaments a success!

Sincerely, Lissa Galluccio

Lissa Galluccio, Family Liaison
Parent of Nate (grade 3) and Louie (grade 5)
Send newsletter submissions to:
haggertynewsletter@gmail.com

Want to help produce this newsletter? Have any graphic skills, writing skills, or just want to help? Please let me know. It is a great way to be up on all the wonderful events and happenings at our school.



coming up @ Haggerty in June



Spring Concert
4th & 5th Grade &
Haggerty Chorus
May 29, 6:30 PM
Haggerty Gym



Enrichment Committee
Parent Coffee
Friday, May 31st
8:00 AM
Lobby/Conference Room



PTO/Arts Council
Tuesday, June 4th
8:00 to 9:00 AM

School Advisory Council
Thursday, June 6
7:45 to 8:30 AM
Conference Room



Spring Concert
Grades K - 3
Friday, June 7th
8:30 AM - Gym



Field Day
Monday, June 10th
(Raindate 11th)
All Day-Glacken Field
Need Parent Help!



Staff vs. 5th Grade
Basketball Game
Wednesday, June 12th
6:30 to 7:30 PM

Community Events

Saturday, June 1st - Cambridge River Festival
Memorial Drive between JFK and Weste, Cambridge
12 to 6:00 PM
Outdoor and FREE!!

rain
or
shine
bring
your own
picnic
free
& open
to all

**saturday
june 8th**
11 am - 3 pm

Don't miss the party!
Fresh Pond Day 2013

Lots of fun activities:

rockin' fun music
stilt walking
face painting
wildlife stories
story flags
climb aboard firetrucks
zen dog training
and much more!

Handwritten note:
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music by

Joshua Lee Loomis
Jennifer Greer
Fermata Town
Todd Marston
Herb's Heard
2nd Line...
Brass Band
Jess Tardy
Trail Mix
Folk Band

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