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HBMS Parent/Guardian Newsletter – November 20, 2022
RE: HBMS Newsletter 11/20/22

Greetings HBMS Parents/Guardians,

We would like to wish everyone a healthy, safe and happy Thanksgiving! Whether you are staying home or traveling, have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

Half Day Tuesday (11/22) & No School (11/23 – 11/25)

Just a friendly reminder that Thanksgiving Break starts on Tuesday with an early release at 11:55am. Students will have a Grab n' Go lunch available on Tuesday (11/22).

Student Council

Please support Student Council and our goal to establish a school store by buying a Raffle Ticket at Parent Conferences. You could be the winner of your choice of \$500 in home heating fuel (paid to your supplier) or \$500 in gas cards. Tickets are \$20 each and your chance of winning is 1 in 100 as only 100 tickets will be sold. Support the Hollis Brookline Middle School Student Council You can also buy tickets from Kerry Dod or Kristine Turcotte in the Guidance Office.

8th Grade Washington DC Trip Reminder

This is just a reminder that all Washington DC Trip payments are done through Educational Discovery Tour (<https://www.educationaldiscoverytours.com/>). We have over 180 students registered for the trip, so the total cost of the trip is officially dropped for all students attending to \$1095! We continue to receive donations for Washing DC Scholarships, so please reach out if your child is interested in attending. For more information about the 8th Grade Washington DC trip for April 2023 visit this DC Link.

HBMS December Dance for DC – 12/9

HBMS is putting on a Dance to raise funds for the 8th Grade Washington DC Trip. The funds raised will go towards more scholarships for students to be able to attend this memorable trip. The dance will be December 9th from 7 – 9pm.

HBMS Band and Chorus Winter Concert – 12/13 @ 6pm

The HBMS Band and Chorus Winter Concert is scheduled for December 13th starting at 6:00pm in the HBMS Gymnasium.

District Flyer Website

Here is a link to the district's [Flyer Website](#) where you can find more information about other events occurring in Hollis and Brookline.

Important Dates:

Early Release (11:55am) - November 22nd

Thanksgiving Recess (No School) – November 23 – November 25

HBMS December Dance – December 9th – 7:00 – 9:00pm

HBMS Band & Chorus Concert – December 13th at 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Parent Information Night #2 – December 14th – 6:00pm – 7:30pm

Winter Recess – December 23 – January 1st (In school on January 2nd)

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If you have questions regarding any of the information provided, please reach out to Principal Patrick West (patrick.west@sau41.org), Assistant Principal Allison Buschmann (allison.buschmann@sau41.org) or Special Ed Administrator Kathryn Ransom (kathryn.ransom@sau41.org). You may also reach out via phone at (603) 324-5997.

Thank you,

HBMS Administration