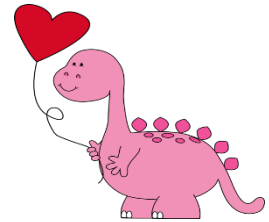




## **COMMUNITY NEWS**

**February 11, 2019**



### **Substitute Job Fair – RESCHEDULED - February 20**

The district is holding a Substitute Employee Job Fair on Wednesday, February 20, 2019 (10:00am-Noon or 5:00-7:00pm) at the Board of Education offices. For more information, [click here](#).

### **Hiring School Bus Drivers at Substitute Job Fair – February 20**

The district will be accepting applications for School Bus Drivers at the Job Fair on Wednesday, February 20, 2019 (10:00am-Noon or 5:00-7:00pm) at the Board of Education offices. For more information, [click here](#).

### **Falcons Football Strength & Skills Training – January/February**

Free grade based workouts offered by Falcons Coaches. The Edge Sports Center, 19 Royal Road, Flemington. Register today: <http://signup.com/go/FvKeMAe> For program information, [click here](#).

### **Girl Scout Troop First Aid Collection – January 15 – February 15**

Girl Scout Troop 80008 is asking for your help. They are working toward the Bronze Award (the highest honor for Junior Girl Scouts). They are collecting first aid supplies such as band-aids, gauze pads, first aid tape, antibacterial cream, etc. Collection boxes will be located in the lobbies of each Readington School. Please consider donating to this great cause.

### **The Preschool of WUMC – Registration Open**

The Preschool of Whitehouse United Methodist Church announces that registration for the 2019/2020 School Year is now open! The Preschool, a leading provider of early education in the community for 50 years, provides self-contained classes for children ages 2 ½ - 6 years. Information can be found on the school website, [preschoolwhitehouseumc.com](http://preschoolwhitehouseumc.com). Schedule an individualized school tour by contacting Chris Scheick, Director, at [preschool@whitehouseumc.org](mailto:preschool@whitehouseumc.org) or 908-534-6333.

### **Hunterdon Central Girls Basketball Diaper Drive – January 29 - February 19**

The Hunterdon Central Girls Basketball program is conducting a season-long diaper drive to benefit the Hunterdon County Diaper Bank. Diaper need affects one in 5 local families with young children, and incontinence strikes nearly the same percentage of our low-income senior citizens. The Lady Red Devils hope to ease the burden of diaper need in our community by collecting 8000 diapers - enough to serve one child from birth through potty training - this basketball season.

Donations of diapers (sizes 4,5 & 6 preferred), wipes, ointment, and adult incontinence products are being accepted at all home games. Remaining regular season home games are at 7 pm on January 29 (vs. Gil St. Bernard's), January 31 (vs. Hillsborough), February 12 (vs. North Hunterdon) and February 19 (Vs. Southern Regional). HCRHS will also make a donation of \$1 for every admission ticket sold to the January 31 game against Hillsborough to the Hunterdon County Diaper Bank. For more information, [click here](#).

Donations can also be made online at the link below or by emailing to arrange a pick-up to: [hcladyreddevilsbball@gmail.com](mailto:hcladyreddevilsbball@gmail.com)

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### **United Way of Hunterdon County's Free Income Tax Program**

United Way of Hunterdon County's free income tax program has IRS-certified volunteer tax preparers ready to assist you with your tax returns. During last year's tax season, these volunteers helped secure almost \$1.8 million in federal and state refunds. If you are interested in getting your taxes done for free, call 2-1-1, or 877-652-1148, Ext 27, and schedule a VITA appointment with UWHC today. VITA sites are located throughout Hunterdon County.

This IRS-certified service is available thanks to a unique partnership of United Way of Hunterdon County and the IRS. United Way of Hunterdon County is working to advance the common good by focusing on education, income, and health. These are the building blocks for a good life - a quality education that leads to a stable job, enough income to support a family through retirement, and good health. For more information, [click here](#). For more information in Spanish, [click here](#). Learn more at [www.uwhunterdon.org](http://www.uwhunterdon.org)

### **Franklin Township School District (Hunterdon County) – Presentations February 14 & March 5**

Franklin Township School District is hosting two wonderful parent presentations. All are welcome to attend. On Thursday, February 14, 2019, at 6:30pm the film Screenagers will be presented. For more information, [click here](#). On Tuesday, March 5, 2019, a presentation from the Prevention Center for Teen Suicide and is called “Raising Resilient Teens in Challenging Times.” For more information, [click here](#).

### **Third Annual World Language Night at Hunterdon Central – March 13, 2019**

The World Language Department at Hunterdon Central is holding its third annual World Language Night on March 13, 2019 from 6:00-8:30pm at the HC Commons. This event is to promote foreign languages by celebrating with games, music, and crafts for children and also recognizing HC students who have earned the Seal of Bi-Literacy. The activities will be catered to students in elementary and middle school. In addition, HC will share with attendees what to look for as students continue learning a language at the high school level.

### **Mark Cleere Charity Basketball Game – May 17, 2019**

Please save the date for our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Mark Cleere Charity Basketball Game! The game is scheduled for Friday, May 17, 2019, at 6:30pm in the Readington Middle School New Gym. More information to follow.

### **Wildlife Explorers Summer STEAM Program at Duke Farms – Weeks of July 15 & July 22**

Conserve Wildlife Foundation of New Jersey’s Wildlife Explorers Summer Program at Duke Farms is a fun and exciting STEAM Program for kids entering 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade, ages 8-13 to connect with and explore the outdoors. For program information, [click here](#).

### **Camp Invention Summer STEM Camp – August 5-9**

For children entering grades K-6. Camp location site: Holland Brook School (8:30-3:00). Sign-up early for Camp Invention, and save! For program information, [click here](#).

### **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Begins at the Preschool of Whitehouse United Methodist Church**

Alumni families and friends! The Preschool has been welcoming and nurturing hundreds of children in our community for 50 years! In celebration of this milestone, The Preschool Board of Directors has initiated a 50<sup>th</sup> Celebration Capital Campaign to renovate the entry area to welcome children and families during the next 50 years. Donors will be recognized in a permanent display and a dedication ceremony will take place in Fall 2019. Additional events are still in the planning stages and will be advertised in the future. Information can be accessed at [preschoolwhitehouseumc.com](http://preschoolwhitehouseumc.com), on a Facebook page “Alumni of Preschool of Whitehouse United Methodist Church”, or by contacting Chris Scheick Director, [preschool@whitehouseumc.org](mailto:preschool@whitehouseumc.org) or 908-534-6333. We look forward to celebrating with our alumni!

### **Hunterdon County Camp Guide – Summer**

For Hunterdon County YMCA Summer Camp program information, [click here](#).

### **Readington Recreation Programs**

For program information, [click here](#).

### **Hunterdon Art Museum Programs**

For program information, [click here](#).