

Haynes School Newsletter - September 20, 2016

A few reminders for families:

Please send all forms to the main office. We are still waiting for important forms for students from some families - emergency, health, dismissal, technology and photo permissions, etc.

Dismissal Changes - Please send a note with your child for any dismissal changes or call the front office before 12:00 Noon on the day of the dismissal. Emails are NOT effective because teachers do not see them when they are teaching.

Medication - Please do NOT send medication with students. They must be transported by an adult.

Mark your calendars for BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT, September 27th at 6:30 - 8:30 pm. We are looking forward to meeting you and sharing important grade level curriculums, school and classroom information with you!

The Deadline to Order Haynes Directories, Notepads and Magnets is Coming Soon!

Renew your access to the A to Z Directory app by purchasing the Directory Package. Place your order via the [HOP Webstore](#) or drop off a check (made payable to "HOP, Inc.") and order form in the school lobby.

Please also make sure you have verified your family's information. The deadline to order a Directory Package and to ensure your family information is correct is **Tuesday, September 27th**. Email any questions you may have to [Molly Logan](#).

We will distribute your directories, notepads and magnets via your oldest child's backpack as soon as they arrive.

Bakers Needed for Back to School Night

The HOP Hospitality Committee needs yummy treats for the parents at Back To School Night on **Tuesday, September 27th**. If you are interested in donating three dozen finger-friendly desserts, please sign up [here](#). Please plan to drop off your baked goods that afternoon between 3-5 p.m. in the front office. If you have any questions, please contact [Caryn Keegan](#).

Volunteers Needed for Back to School Night

We're looking for three volunteers to help with check-in for Back to School Night on **Tuesday, September 27th**. Please plan to arrive by 6 p.m. to help set up the check-in stations and greet parents/guardians until the first classroom session. If you have any questions, contact [Cristina Phaneuf](#).

Hayneswear is Back!

Hayneswear will be available to order on the HOP Webstore next week **September 26th through October 3rd**. There will be a variety of options, such as sweatshirts, t-shirts, hats, and more! The products will only be available to purchase during this short window of time. The items will be available to preview on the Haynes website later this week. Look for a flyer in your child's backpack this week with more details.

If you have any questions, feel free to email [Allison Evans](#).

HOP Webstore - One Stop Shopping For All Your Haynes Products

HOP is very excited to once again offer our [webstore](#)! Haynes products and event tickets will be available for purchase here with credit cards.

No need to wait for Back-To-School night to order your yearbooks, directories, notepads and car magnets. These items are available TODAY on the webstore! Enjoy the speed and convenience of this single source for all your Haynes products and start shopping!

Of course, we will still offer the option of paying with checks. You can download the paper forms from the [Forms and Publications](#) page of the HOP website.

Vote for School Improvement Council

Vote now to confirm the newest member of the Haynes School Improvement Council (SIC)! Our candidate, Amy Zidow, has submitted a [statement of interest](#) in support of her candidacy. The SIC is comprised of Principal Sharon MacDonald, two teacher representatives and three parent volunteers. The SIC works as an advisory board to the principal and it completes the School Improvement Plan.

Voting will be available online until Monday, October 3rd. Please contact [Mandy Sim](#) or [Dayna Buckley](#) with any questions.

Thank you to our candidate!

Save the Date for the Haynes Auction!

This year's Haynes Annual Auction will be on **Saturday, November 19th at 7:00 p.m.** at Wedgewood Pines Country Club in Stow. There will be many one of a kind items to bid on!!

All proceeds from the Haynes Annual Auction fund grade level festivals held in the spring. The kindergartners watch chicken eggs hatch in their classroom and celebrate by having a Chicken Festival with activities related to farms and chickens. The 1st graders study Japan and conclude their learning with a Japan Festival where they can see a traditional tea ceremony, learn origami, and roll their own sushi. The 2nd graders participate in a Mexico Festival where they practice their Spanish to buy items at a market place, drink hot cocoa and try to break open a piñata. The 3rd graders are transported to Colonial times at the Colonial Festival where they experience a musket demonstration, make Johnny cakes and get a chance to write with a quill.

These festivals are a part of the curriculum enrichment made possible from the money raised at the Haynes Auction. Please support our children's enrichment by joining us for this year's auction!

2016 Auction Co-Chairs: [Tracey Garozzo](#), [Jen Hunt](#), [Nalini Luthra](#), [Rachel Mandina](#), [Ojas Tamhane](#)
SERF Board Openings

SERF (Sudbury Education Resource Fund) is a local non-profit organization that funds grants for innovation in education submitted by teachers and administrators with the SPS and LSRHS schools systems. Our board is a high energy, creative, committed group with a passion for providing our educators with the financial resources to implement imaginative educational ideas for our students. In the past year we have awarded grant monies totaling over \$100,000 impacting students across the K-12 spectrum.

Interested in helping out? In addition to the role responsibilities outlined below, board members are asked to attend one meeting per month, usually the first Monday evening of the month, which typically lasts 2-3 hours. Board meetings typically include the discussion and review of the month's mini-grant proposals, as well as planning for our other programs such as ACE Awards, the College Fair, and more. We are looking to fill the following board openings as soon as possible:

Secretary

The SERF Secretary attends all board meetings and takes meeting notes during the meeting. Notes are fairly detailed and include discussion outlines, vote outcomes, and future work scope. These notes are then compiled into minutes and are disseminated to all board members prior to the next meeting. This role generally takes 1-2 hours per month on top of attendance at the board meeting.

Webmaster

The SERF webmaster is responsible for maintaining our website (serfsudbury.org) and updating content (to be generated by committee chairs). We are currently in the process of redesigning our website so the Webmaster will be working with an outside web designer and other board members to determine style, content area, setup, etc. as well as assist with the transfer of information between websites and web host. We anticipate that this process will be completed within the next two months. Outside of the website redesign process, this role generally takes 4-5 hours per month. However, February and March are our busy time with preparations for our College Fair and this role may take 9-10 hours per month. In addition to the sense of satisfaction in helping equip our teachers to meet current and future needs, it's a lot of fun and a great group to spend time with. Please contact [Laura Howrey](#) for more information.

Order Your Haynes Yearbook Today!

Class pictures, candid, teacher and staff photos, all the big school events, and school portraits of every student will be included in the yearbook to create a beautiful, full-color book of school memories. It's not just for 5th graders! Students of all ages get excited when they see themselves in the yearbook. Order [ONLINE](#) at the HOP Webstore or click [here](#) for a paper form. Questions? Contact [Kelly Pacific](#). Have some cute first day of school pictures? We would love any high resolution (non-iPhone) images you'd like to share!! Just email to [CariAnne Kreml](#).

Food Pantry – September Success!!!

Wow, Haynes! Last week was our first food pantry collection of the year and we collected **1254 items!** That's a record for the first month of the school year! Our monthly goal is to reach at least 1000 items and we beat it by over 250 the first month. Congratulations and huge thanks for everyone's contributions. What a fantastic way to start the year! Start collecting for October so we can have another great month. More information to be sent closer to the date regarding the theme of the month and items needed the most. THANK YOU, HAYNES!!!

Shopping Rewards Programs

One of the easiest ways to support Haynes is through the shopping you're already doing! If you shop online or at supermarkets, our school can earn money at no cost to you. Click [here](#) for more details!

<u>Upcoming Events</u>	<u>Community News</u>
9/27 - Back to School Night	Goodnow Library Children's Programs and Events
9/28 - Early Release (ILAP)	Sudbury Youth Basketball: Registration Now Open
9/29 - Dan Cripps Visit (Grade 2)	LS Boosters Ski and Sports Sale
10/3 - No School (Rosh Hashanah)	5K Constitution Road Race & Kids Fun Run
10/10 - No School (Columbus Day)	Sudbury Girl Scout Info Session
10/12 - No School (Yom Kippur)	