

QUINCY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Your child has seen a demonstration of the following instruments at their school:

Flute Clarinet Saxophone Trumpet Trombone Euphonium Percussion/Bell Kit Horn*

We hope that you will discuss the possibility of playing one of these instruments in the school band this year! The QR Code or link below will bring you to the registration form. Feel free to contact your child's teacher via email with any questions. Instruments rented from K&C Music will be picked up at Quincy High School on Monday, September 26th from 6-8pm. Instruments should be ordered online by Friday, September 23rd at 3:00pm to ensure your instrument order is processed and ready for pick up.

School	Band Teacher	First Class	Band meets every
Atherton Hough	Judy Lai	October 6	Thursday
Beechwood Knoll	Caitlyn Schmidt	September 29	Thursday
Bernazzani	Joe Salvucci	September 30	Friday
Clifford Marshall	Lindsey Cook	September 28	Wednesday
Lincoln Hancock	Chuck Wilson	September 30	Friday
Merrymount	Judy Lai	October 4	Tuesday
Montclair	Caitlyn Schmidt	September 30	Friday
Parker	Joe Salvucci	September 28	Wednesday
Point Webster	Chuck Wilson	September 29	Day D
Snug Harbor	Judy Lai	October 5	Wednesday
South~West	Chuck Wilson	September 28	Day C
Squantum	Joe Salvucci	September 26	Monday
Wollaston	Caitlyn Schmidt	September 28	Wednesday

BAND SIGN-UP QR CODE

Kevin W. Mulvey, J. D., Superintendent



https://forms.gle/5AeHT67uCUexh1XF8

Teacher Email Contacts

Lindsey Cook LindseyCook@quincypublicschools.com

Judy Lai JudyLai@quincypublicschools.com

Joe Salvucci JosephSalvucci@quincypublicschool.com

Caitlyn Schmidt CaitlynSchmidt@quincypublicschools.com

Chuck Wilson CharlesWilson@quincypublicschools.com

*If your child chooses to play **horn**, they are required to take private lessons with a horn specialist outside of school. The fee for lessons will depend on the private teacher. Please see your band teacher for more information.

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Sincerely,

Joe Salvucci, Caitlyn Schmidt, Judy Lai, Chuck Wilson, Lindsey Cook

QPS Instrumental Music Teachers



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Quincy Public Schools Extended Educational Programs

JOHN ADAMS/ABIGIAL ADAMS ORCHESTRAS

The Quincy Public Schools will once again offer the John Adams and Abigail Adams Orchestra Program to string students with <u>at least one year of playing experience who are currently enrolled in continuing lessons</u>. Students with two or more years of experience may enroll in the orchestras without taking group lessons; instead private lessons are encouraged, but not required.

Both orchestras will start rehearsals on Monday, October 17, 2022 in the Quincy High School Band Room. Please visit <u>https://forms.gle/JLoURh4JxqfDUJU66</u> to register online and <u>https://unipaygold.unibank.com/transactioninfo.aspx?TID=26853</u> to pay the \$175 program fee (or use the QR Codes below). You must register online for lessons. If you cannot pay the lesson fee online, please bring payment to the rental night.

There will be a **String Instrument Rental Night** in the Cafeteria at Quincy High School on Tuesday, October 4th from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. For information about the K & C Music Company's instrument rental contract and fees, or to place an instrument rental online, please visit their website at: <u>https://www.kandcmusic.com/</u>

Returning students with at least one year of playing experience may join the **Abigail Adams Orchestra**. Rehearsals for the Abigail Adams Orchestra are scheduled on Mondays from 3:00 pm to 3:50 pm and all students in this orchestra should bring their *Essential Elements Book I* to rehearsals.

Membership in the **John Adams Orchestra** is by audition only. These rehearsals are held from 3:55 pm to 4:55 pm. Please contact your student's string teacher to find out more information about auditioning for this ensemble. Membership in the Abigail Adams Orchestras is a prerequisite to joining this group unless your student has the required experience necessary as demonstrated through an audition.

For further information about the evening orchestras or the after-school string lesson program please email Mr. Michael DeMarco, Facilitator of Extended Educational Music Programs, at <u>michaeldemarco@quincypublicschools.com</u>



Registration Form



Pay Online

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Quincy Public Schools All-City Middle School Chorus

Joanna Compitiello, Director

Enjoy a fun and collaborative musical environment with friends from across the city!

The year will end with a trip to Music in the Parks at Six Flags New England!

All middle school students welcome!

The Details: Tuesday afternoons 3:00-4:30 PM Quincy High School Choir Room Runs: October 4th, 2022 - June 6th, 2023 Contact: joannacompitiello@quincypublicschools.com Scan QR code for more info \$ to sign up:







Free Back To School COVID-19 Vaccinations



Every Thursday 5-7 p.m.

Manet Community Health Center

110 West Squantum Street, North Quincy

Appointments recommended. Walk-ins welcome if capacity allows.

Pfizer and Moderna vaccines (6 months+) and boosters available for all eligible ages. Parental consent required for anyone under 18.



To make an appointment, call 617-376-3000 or schedule online at

www.manetchc.org/covid-19-vaccine





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MEMORANDUM

To: Quincy Public Schools Principals, Staff, and Parents/Guardians

Date: August 3, 2022

Re: Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA)

On October 22, 1986, an amendment to the Toxic Substance Control Act requiring schools to determine the presence of asbestos containing building materials in all school buildings was enacted. That amendment, called the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) required that all school buildings be visually inspected by accredited inspectors and that bulk samples of suspected materials are taken where the material was not assumed to be asbestos. It further required that management plans be created for each individual building and that the maintenance and custodial personnel receive training. This document is the Asbestos Management Plan which provides the means and the methods to effectively deal with asbestos containing building materials.

All phases of asbestos inspection and management planning are reported in this plan including: response action strategy, priorities, scheduling of abatement activities coordination of personnel and evaluation of results. The plan has an additional function as a reporting document to that State. At the local level, the plan is available for general review by school district.

Quincy Public Schools has completed the 2020 3rd year re-inspections and reports are available for review at the City of Quincy's Public Buildings Department office. Please feel free to call Daniel Bythrow in the Public Buildings Department (781-888-5138) if you have any questions regarding this memo.

Quincy Citywide Parents' Council (Quincy Citywide PTO)

<u>Virtual Meeting via Zoom:</u> Monday, September 19th, 7:00 p.m.

Meeting Topics

- Welcome and Citywide PTO updates
- The Superintendent's Leadership Team will join us to introduce the new EDI Director, Kim Connolly, and update us on their work and strategic plan for the district.
- This is also an opportunity to share your questions, thoughts, or ideas with the SLT team and their EDI work.

The link to join the meeting is:

Time: Sep 19, 2022 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83795159463

Find your local number: https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kggyElZi7

Email pto.citywide@gmail.com if you have trouble signing in.

We invite and encourage all QPS parents, guardians, teachers and interested community members to join us for this Zoom meeting.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT YOUR LIBRARY?



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REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 9AM! Register online, in person or by phone (617-327-1300 ext.4) for Dungeons & Dragons, Mother Goose, Chickadees Book Club or Storylab.

Registration is limited to Quincy residents.









To register online, visit our website at **thomascranelibrary.org/events- calendar** and click on this program's title on September 20.



Ex.P.L.O.R.E (Experiment Play Learn Observe Read Examine) GRADES 4-6 AT WOLLASTON LIBRARY

Join us for the Lunar Colony Challenge this month. Have you ever wondered what it takes to live in space? It's more than astronaut food and zero gravity!



AGES 4-8 AT WOLLASTON LIBRARY MONDAYS AT 3PM: 9/26, 10/3, 10/17 & 10/24

StoryLab is a combination storytime and science activity for children ages 4-8. We will use stories to introduce a science concept or topic, then explore that topic further with science demonstrations, activities, and experiments.

US ONLINE ANYTIME AT THOMASCRANELIBR

CHECK OUT OUR REGULAR STORYTIMES FOR YOUNGER CHILDREN ONLINE AT: THOMASCRANELIBRARY.ORG/ EVENTS-CALENDAR

BOOK CLUBS

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CHICKADEES BOOK CLUB GRADES 1 & 2 REGISTRATION REQUIRED MONDAYS AT 6:30PM 9/26, 10/3, 10/17 & 10/24

Using short stories and early readers as our texts we'll have fun with simple games and crafts while reinforcing key reading and discussions skills. Children must be able to read and write independently to join this group.

NIGHT OWL BOOK CLUB

Grades 3 & 4 MAIN LIBRARY: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8 AT 7PM

NORTH QUINCY: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 AT 7PM

Children in grades 3 & 4 are invited to join us to discuss a chapter book or graphic novel every month! For our first meeting we'll get together to discuss what kinds of books we want to read and how the program will work. Most importantly, we want to hear what you've been reading over summer!

SPAPHIC NOVELS ONLY! BOOK CLUB Grades 3-5 SEPTEMBER 14 AT 7PM

Do you love graphic novels? Then, this is the book club for you! Each month we will read a different graphic novel and discuss it. For September's meeting tell us about your favorite graphic novel you read over the summer, and pick up your discussion book for October.

Pebble

You have access to eBooks, audiobooks, movies, tv shows and online databases from home! Check out our 2 newest databases

at thomascranelibary.org/databases

WOLLASTON HILL NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION AND THE MONTCLAIR/WOLLASTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16TH PARTY STARTS AT 5:30 PM · MOVIE STARTS AT 7:15 PM SAFFORD PARK ON BEALE ST

STOP BY OUR FREE BUBBLE PARTY WITH MUSIC, GAMES AND LOTS OF BUBBLES RUNNING 5:30PM -6:30PM. GREAT FOR ALL AGES!

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FOLLOWED BY A MOVIE NIGHT STARTING AT 7:15PM - SHOWING OF "ENCANTO" WITH SNACKS PROVIDED.



SOUTH SHORE CHILDREN'S CHORUS

QUINCY | HANOVER | SHARON | BRIDGEWATER

SING WITH JOY!

Rehearsals begin in September for singers in grades K-12 at our four convenient locations. No auditions are required or experience necessary, and tuition assistance is available for those who apply.



LEARN MORE www.southshorechildrenschorus.org

QUINCY Cub Scout Pack 6

Serving the Youth of Quincy for 83 Years!

Announces the Registration for the 2022-2023 Cub Scouting season. Enrollment is open for all girls & boys from Kindergarten to 5th Grade

Eric Dannerhoj, Cubmaster

cubmaster.pack6quincy@gmail.com (617) 657-3016

For more information please go to our website pack6quincy.com

Kindergarten is Free, 1st to 5th Grade Registration Fee is \$200.00

* Cost of 1 year of program is included which includes National Boy Scout registration fees, insurance, patches, book. Uniform to be purchased separately.

Meetings will be held at Houghs Neck Congregational Church

1st to 4th grade will meet weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30pm 5th Grade meets weekly on Monday nights from 6:30 – 7:30pm Kindergarten Program is once a month meeting on the 1st Monday. 6-7pm

This year the pack will be promoting Scouting in the outdoors. Here is a sample of the outdoor activities that are planned for this year:

- Bicycle Rodeo / bike safety
- Camping basics
- Map & Compass
- Cub Scout Outdoor Games
- Obstacle Course
- Hikes in the community
- Hiking the Blue Hills
- Visit Purgatory Chasm
- Scavenger Hunt
- Showmanship / Skits and Songs
- Challenge Trail
- Staged Rescues

- Fire Safety
- Giant marble game
- Silly Olympics
- Movie night in the park
- Community Service
- Outdoor code
- Rank Advancement
- Emergency Preparedness
- First Aid
- Outdoor skills
- Cooking
- And much more to be added....

Sc**OUT**ing is Outing!









REEL FUN FISHING DAY AT NUT ISLAND





10:00 AM

2:00 PM

NUT-ISLAND-FISHING-DAY.EVENTBRITE.COM

Come to the Nut Island pier for a day of fishing and fun! Learn how to fish, become a Junior Ranger, play games, and more!





FALL 1 ESOL COURSE

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REGISTER BELOW

QARI's team will follow up to assess your English level and confirm your spot



AUGUST 22ND - OCTOBER 14TH

Session Registration Opens on 8/2/2022

Level: Basic, Beginner, Intermediate, or Advanced Class time: Mornings (9–12:15pm) or Evenings (6–9:15pm)

What you will get from the course:

- Speaking, listening, reading and writing lessons with a focus on communication, preparation for college or the workplace.
- Virtual extra help sessions held twice a week for all students to review, get help, and ask questions.
- A login to our virtual curriculum

www.qariusa.org/class-registration 617-472-2200



English for Workforce Development

Registration is open!

QARI's Fall 1 Session of Workforce Development begins August 22nd and ends October 14th. Snap the QR code to enroll.



Join Our Troop!



Fun with friends. New adventures. Making a difference. You're ready to go and Girl Scouts is ready for you.

> A new Girl Scout troop is just getting started and you're invited to join.

Come learn more and try a sample meeting!

Monday, Sept 19, 2022 5:00-6:00 PM

Adams Shore Library 519 Sea Street, Quincy, MA 02170

Please RSVP at: bit.ly/QGSinterest

For girls in grades: K-12

Questions? Contact: GirlScoutsQuincy@gmail.com

Join today at gsema.org/join

Email customercare@gsema.org for assistance.

girl scouts of eastern massachusetts

BROCKTON CLUBHOUSE 233 WARREN AVENUE



JOINOUR AAUTRAVEL BASKETBALL PROGRAM!

GRADES 5-9 TRYOUT FEE WAIVED!

THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUTH TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP IN THEIR GROWTH AS STUDENT-ATHLETES & LEARN VALUABLE LIFE LESSONS WHILE BUILDING SKILLS!

TRYOUT DATES: SEPT. 12TH | 6:30 - 8:00 PM SEPT. 13TH | 6:30 - 8:00 PM SEPT. 17TH | 10:00 - 11:30 AM

FOR MORE INFORMATION/TO TRYOUT PLEASE CONTACT: DERRICK BARBER | ATHLETICS DIRECTOR DBARBER@BGCMETROSOUTH.ORG | 508-584-5209 X116

Harry Potter Extravaganza Halloween Event - Year 18







Please visit our web site for further information: https://sites.google.com/site/qcumc7/quincy-community-unitedmethodist-church-gcumc/harry-potter-extravaganza

October 29, 2022 When: Doors open at 1:00

Where:

Quincy Community United Methodist Church 40 Beale Street Wollaston, MA 02170

Cost: \$30 for family of 4; \$10 for each additional person if RSVP by 10/15/22

> \$35 for family of 4; \$15 for each additional person if RSVP after 10/15/22 Children 4 and under are free

RSVP: Reservations are required!

> Call/text 781-267-0892 or email

hogwartsparty@yahoo.com

Spaces are limited so call today! Don't wait! ALL CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT!