

## **Title IX**

The Harpursville Central School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, creed, national origin, gender, sexual orientation or disability in the employment and educational opportunities it offers, including the vocational education opportunities available.

The district further gives notice that it does not discriminate on the basis of handicap in admission or access to its programs and activities, including vocational education programs.

Inquiries regarding these policies may be referred to any of the following Title IX coordinators:

Mrs. Cathy Dopko	693-8104
Mr. Joshua Quick	693-8115
Mr. Michael Rullo	693-8105

## Pesticide Notification

Dear Parent, Guardian, and School Staff:

New York State Education Law Section 409-H, effective July 1, 2001, requires all public and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year. The Harpursville School District is required to maintain a list of persons in parental relation, faculty, and staff who wish to receive 48-hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications. The following pesticide applications are not subject to prior notification requirements:

- a school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72-hours following an application;
- anti-microbial products;
- nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- nonvolatile insecticidal baits in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- silica gel and other nonvolatile ready-to-use pastes, foams, or gels in areas inaccessible to children;
- boric acid and disodium octaborate tetrahydrate;
- the application of EPA designated biopesticides;
- the application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFR152.25;
- the use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps, and hornets.

In the event of an emergency application necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48-hour prior notification list. If you would like to receive 48-hour prior notification of pesticide applications that are scheduled to occur in your school, please complete the form below and return it to David Johnson, Pesticide Representative, Harpursville Central School, PO Box 147, Harpursville, NY 13787. Please feel free to contact Mr. Johnson at 693-8121 or email [djohnson@hcs.stier.org](mailto:djohnson@hcs.stier.org) for further information on these requirements.

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<b>Harpursville School District</b>		
<b>Request for Pesticide Application Notification</b>		
School Building Name		
Name:		Address:
Day Phone:	Evening Phone:	E-Mail Address:

## **Emergency Closing, Delays, Cancellations**

In the event of an emergency closing, school delay or cancellation, please tune in to the following radio and T.V. stations for the latest updates:

Television Stations: NewsChannel 34      WBNG-TV 12      WICZ/Fox 40  
News 10 Now

Radio Stations:      WMRV-105.7-FM      WKGB-92.5-FM      WINR-680-AM  
                          WLTB-101.7-FM      WBBI-107.5-FM      WENE-1430-AM  
                          WNBF-1290-AM      WHWK-98.1-FM      WWYL-104.1-FM  
                          WAAL-99.1-FM      WYOS-1360-AM      WCDO-101-FM  
                          WMXW-103.3-FM

Press & Sun-Bulletin – online @ [Pressconnects.com](http://Pressconnects.com)

We will also continue to utilize the “All Call” system to contact parents, faculty & staff with important information such as delays, closings, school events, etc.



## **AHERA Notification**

The Harpursville Central School District has completed the inspection of its facilities to determine if asbestos is present and if any action is needed to avoid potential health hazards.

A management plan has been developed in compliance with the Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Alert (AHERA) to insure that the school district continues to provide and maintain a safe environment for students, employees and visitors. The plan includes:

- Training of maintenance staff to prevent disturbance of asbestos;
- Provisions for periodic re-inspection and surveillance, provisions for abatement activities performed by trained personnel.

Annually school districts are required to notify parents, teachers, and employee organizations of the availability of their management plans. A copy of the management plan is available for inspection at the Main Office of each school building as well as at the Business Office of the school district. Any questions regarding this matter may be directed to Dave Johnson, Director of Facilities, at 693-8121.