



July 22, 2022

# Haslett Public Schools

**Haslett Happenings** Around the District  
*from the desk of...Steven L. Cook* (Superintendent of Schools)



## August 2, 2022

On August 2, 2022, Haslett Schools will be asking voters to consider approving the continuation of a millage for a **Building and Site Sinking Fund**. The 10-year proposal will generate approximately \$9.0 million over the life of the millage. If approved, this millage will **NOT** raise taxes for residents of the Haslett School District.

**Every Vote Counts!**

## First Week of School

**August 24:** *Half Day (DK-12)*

**August 25:** *Half Day (DK-12)*

**August 26:** *Full Day (DK-12)*

## Upcoming Calendar Events

### July 25

Board of Education Meeting (7PM)

**Location Change: Middle School Library**

### August 8

Kindergarten Round-Up (at WECC)

(9AM-2PM - **new enrollees ONLY**)

### August 17

MS Registration/Pictures

(8-11 AM and 12-2 PM)

### August 18

HS Registration/Pictures

(12-4 PM)

### August 22

WECC Open House (**Grade 1 ONLY**)

(4:30-5:30 PM)

Murphy/Ralya Open Houses

(5-6 PM)

### August 29

MS New Student Orientation

(5-5:30 PM)

MS Open House

(5:30-6:30 PM)

Click [HERE](#) for additional calendar event dates.

## First Home Football Game at the **BIG HOUSE** in Ann Arbor

The Haslett Varsity Football Team has enthusiastically accepted an invitation to play their first home football game against DeWitt High School at the University of Michigan Football Stadium in Ann Arbor on **Thursday, August 25, 2022, at 3:30 PM**. This will be an awesome opportunity for our student athletes, band students, and our Haslett community. Additional details regarding ticket sales, spirit buses, and other arrangements for students, staff, and the community will be shared in the coming weeks. Due to the scheduling of this game, Haslett Public Schools will be adjusting the first week of the school calendar.

## First Week of School Calendar Changes

The first two days of school (Wednesday, August 24 and Thursday, August 25) will be half days of instruction for all students (DK-12). **Friday, August 26 will remain a full day of instruction for all students (DK-12)**. All other dates previously scheduled for the 2022-23 school year will remain the same. Click [HERE](#) for District Calendar dates.

Starting and release times for the **First Two Days of School** will be as follows:

Wilkshire Early Childhood Center	8:26 AM - 11:42 AM
Ralya/Murphy Elementary	8:15 AM - 11:31 AM
Haslett Middle School	7:40 AM - 10:47 AM
Haslett High School	7:45 AM - 10:55 AM

Kids Connection will also be available for elementary students before and after school on the first two half days of school (August 24 and August 25). Please contact Greg Daza (Child Care Director) at 517-339-2665 for additional information.

## New Playground Structures Added at Murphy and Ralya

This week, new playground structures were installed at both Murphy and Ralya Elementary Schools. These improvements are part of a three-year replacement plan to remove and replace old and outdated playground equipment at our elementary school buildings.

This replacement plan is also taking into consideration the accessibility needs of all students. We are currently collaborating with our playground vendors to incorporate additional pieces that will increase accessibility. These improvements will be added to Murphy and Ralya playgrounds during the next phase of implementation (Summer 2023).

This expenditure is made possible by funding obtained through our district's Building and Site Sinking Fund.



*Murphy Elementary School*



*Ralya Elementary School*