



**Hotchkiss K-8 School**  
**Weekly News Update**  
*“Opening doors for endless possibilities.”*  
August 28, 2020



**Principal’s Message**

Our first 5 day week has gone very well. I wanted to remind everyone of our school expectations. The purpose of having a set of well defined school-wide expectations is to provide a learning environment that is safe and promotes the effective instruction of the teachers and the effective learning of all students. When a school has a set of expectations that are school wide and supports classroom rules it helps students and staff create consistency throughout the school. They also support our school wide BARK expectations. This simple motto provides a basis for most situations that arise in a school setting. We thank you again for your support!

**B-BE RESPECTFUL   A-ALWAYS SAFE   R-RESPONSIBLE   K-KIND**

**P.A.W.S. Facebook Page**

Our parent group is named the Hotchkiss P.A.W.S. Squad (Parents Active With Schools). They have a Facebook page that is open to all parents, grandparents and guardians of our students. It is a place to receive school information about activities, fundraising and community events. We also broadcast our parent meetings on this page. It is a private page so you would need to click the invite button and join. We encourage you to join if you have not done so already. It’s a place to share good things and celebrate what’s happening at HK8. If you have any questions please let the school know.

**Counselor’s Information**

Mr. Keith Trumbull is our school counselor. This is his 2nd year at HK8 and we’re excited to have him back. His role as school counselor will be to work with all the students who attend HK8, elementary and middle school students. He will be setting up a comprehensive school counseling program that will help students develop the skills needed to be the future leaders of tomorrow. Attached to your email will be a letter from Mr. Trumbull.

**Sports Updates**

Our PAWS page on Facebook has been updated with sports news. There is 5th-6th grade volleyball information.

**Calendar**

<b>Monday, Sept. 7</b>	<b>NO SCHOOL- Labor Day</b>
<b>Tuesday, Sept. 15</b>	<b>School Picture Day</b>

Please remember our primary form of communication is our weekly Friday Newsletter through email, we are constantly putting up new information on our website under the community tab, please check it regularly. You may also access the newsletter through our website: [hk8.deltaschools.com](http://hk8.deltaschools.com) and please like us on Facebook, at [facebook.com/HotchkissK8](https://facebook.com/HotchkissK8). You are always welcome to call the school office (872-3325) for questions and information. Hard copies are available by request.