Shaler Area Middle School Daily Announcements Tuesday, March 5, 2024 Day 2

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**Congratulations to Team Gladiators students of the month**: Matt Taylor, Olivia Claycomb, Jada Hernandez, Evan Leombruno, and Brendan McKenna. These students were selected based on the theme of consistency. We notice their efforts and positive energy every day. Consistency is key!

A reminder that all students K-12 are invited **to submit a tee shirt design for World of Kindness 143 Day** - entries are due Friday, March 8. For more information see the attached flyer. All questions can be directed to Monica McElwain at <u>mcelwainm@shalerarea.org</u>

To celebrate the **Boys' Varsity Basketball** on making it to the State Finals, SAMS will be holding a Spirit Day on Friday. Students are asked to wear their Titan clothing.

# SPORTS

**MS Track and Field** will practice from 3 – 4:30. Remember if you are interested in joining the **Middle School Track and Field Team** sign-ups are open until 4:30 on Wednesday, Mach 6<sup>th</sup>. Please see Coach Webb in Room 168 if you have any questions. Remember to join the team you must view the Welcome Presentation in order to see the registration checklist on Google Classroom Code emj4byb.

**MS Boys' Volleyball** will have practice Tuesday through Friday this week from 3-5 pm. Have your ride pick you up promptly at 5 pm.

**MS Softball** will practice from 5 – 7 pm in SAMS Gym B.

**MS Baseball tryouts will be held today.** The schedule for tryouts can be found on the MS baseball Google Classroom page or listed below:

### Tuesday March 5 - 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

• 7th/8th grade players Last Names L-Z - MS Gym B

### Wednesday March 6 - 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

• 7th/8th grade players Last Names A-K - MS Gym B

### Thursday March 7 - 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

• 7th/8th grade players Last Names L-Z - MS Gym B

### Friday March 8 - 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

• All 7th/8th grade players - MS Gym B

Congratulations to **the Middle School Hockey Team** on clinching first place with a win over Freeport 6-1. Killian O'Rourke, Colby Colamarino, Brady Nickel, Nick DeFilippo, and Andrew Mainero each had one goal. Cayden Helwich, Sophia Aguglia, and Julian Lape each had 1 assist. Don Aguglia stopped 20 out of 21 shots. The Playoff Schedule will come out soon.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Make sure that you are earning your Blue tickets for March Madness. All tickets earned now until Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup> will go into a drawing for the following:

A spot on the SAMS SWPBIS March Madness bracket that will follow the Men's NCAA tournament, candy, candy bars, gift cards and a door dashed lunch.

That's not all! 100 tickets will also be selected to earn time to watch the Men's NCAA Tournament games LIVE in the Auditorium during school OR an alternative showing of a movie. Make sure you are seen being Safe, Respectful and Ready!

# **ATTENDANCE INFORMATION**

Students with early dismissals should report to homeroom and then bring their note to the Attendance Office where they will sign the Early Dismissal Sheet and obtain a blue pass for their dismissal. Parents may also email their child's excuse to Mrs. Galbraith at galbraithl@shalerarea.org If you lost your note, or left it on the kitchen table, ask your homeroom teacher to go to the Attendance Office and speak to Mrs. Galbraith. She will be glad to help you!

Students are reminded that they must provide a written excuse for all absences. Students should report to homeroom and then bring their excuse to the Attendance Office.