

MIDDLE SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thursday, February 27, 2020

Day 6

The Shaler Area High School Counseling Department will host an evening meeting regarding scheduling for next year for PARENTS/GUARDIANS of 8th grade students. The meeting will be held in the **Middle School auditorium** on Tuesday, March 3rd at 6:00PM. Please join us for an overview of the high school scheduling process.

Attention students: **The final orders for yearbooks must be submitted online by March 1st. There will be no sales in school, and you will not be able to order online after March 1st. Order through Jostens.com.**

Attention Parents and students: Any student who is assigned to in school suspension or out of school suspension as of Wednesday, February 26, 2020, will result in that student being ineligible to attend the 7th and 8th grade end-of-the year trips to Kiwanis and Waldameer Park.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2020

Members of Flag Football and the History Club should report to the Main Lobby for yearbook pictures after morning announcements.

HS STEAM EXPO DAY

The High School will hold its Steam Expo for 8th graders. Students will attend the Expo during their American Culture Classes. 8th grade cultures classes will leave from the cafeteria side of the building. Students should report directly to the library lobby area instead of their classrooms. Mr. Spell and Mr. Gray's 9th period Cultures classes will be going on the tour during 7th period so students should report to the lobby instead of going to 7th period.

Japanese students interested in going to the University of Pittsburgh to observe the Japanese speech contest and culture expo next Friday should return their permission slip and money to Mr. Baleno by the end of the day on Monday.

The Smiling Faces club will meet today in Room 250 from 2:50 – 4:00.

Girls' Lacrosse will have practice today from 8 – 9 in Gym B.

There will be conditioning for fast pitch softball today in Gym B from 5:15 – 7:00 pm.

Attention cast & crew of Aladdin: there will be a donut party tomorrow, February 28 in Room 173 starting at 7:15 am. Please bring your script to return and enjoy a breakfast treat!

The LAST Skiing/Snowboarding Club Trip will be tomorrow February 28th, after school. Please see Mr. Herrle or Mr. Reagle to sign-up and pay if interested. If enough people do not sign up by today, the trip will be cancelled and not rescheduled.

Bring in your canned food! An innovations group is doing a food drive next week March 2-6. The winning homeroom class will get a donut party from Dunkin' Donuts. See the list of food wanted on the boxes at the end of your hallway and place your food donations in the bin with your homeroom number on it.

Coach Sorce will be holding tryouts for the girls' fast pitch team the week of March 2nd through March 5th. Girls interested in trying out must have a completed physical form turned in to the High School Athletic Office.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2020

Members of the Japanese Club should report to the Main Lobby for yearbook pictures after morning announcements.

Fiddle Club will be held from 3 to 4 pm on Friday.

The LAST Skiing/Snowboarding Club Trip will be Friday, after school. Please see Mr. Herrle or Mr. Reagle to sign-up.

PTO INFORMATION:

Need something quick and delicious for lunch or dinner? Before or after an activity? Come support SAMS PTO and their functions to help our kids and school activities! Subway, Mt. Royal Shopping Plaza, 1708 Mt. Royal Boulevard or the Millvale Location at 124 Grant Avenue. From 11:00 am – 10:00 PM on the following dates:

Saturday and Sunday – March 7 – 8, 2020

HEALTH SERVICES

Cold and Flu season is upon us! Students who are feeling ill are reminded to ask their teacher for a Health Room Pass to come to the Health Office. Please review page 23 in the Middle School Handbook where it states, "Under no circumstances are students to make their own decision to leave school because they feel ill. Students should not call, text, or e-mail their parents to pick them up from school if they feel ill. In addition, students should not remain in the restroom if they feel ill; they must report to the Health Office. All students must be assessed at the Health Office before determining if they should be sent home."

WORK PERMITS

Can be obtained by going to Shaler Area High School, 381 Wible Run Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15209. Please contact Mrs. Betty Wesolek, wesolekb@sasd.k12.pa.us or 412-492-1200 x8-1501.

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 green pass for their dismissal. Lost your note, or left it on the kitchen table, ask your homeroom teacher to go to the Attendance Office and speak to Mrs. Buzzelli. She will be glad to help you!

STUDENTS: 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.