#### SHALER AREA MIDDLE SCHOOL DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS Monday, March 18, 2019 Day 2

8<sup>th</sup> GRADE COURSE SELECTION SHEETS should be completed and returned to their SCIENCE TEACHERS no later than today Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>. For further info about courses, their descriptions, and requirements: <a href="http://www.sasd.k12.pa.us/CourseDescriptions1.aspx">http://www.sasd.k12.pa.us/CourseDescriptions1.aspx</a>

Please save your receipts from the McKnight Road Chick-fil-A and send them to school by April 17<sup>th</sup> to be entered in a raffle to win a Chick-fil-A gift Card! Please send the receipts to school in an envelope marked with your child's name and grade so we can enter them in the raffle.

As we're getting ready for another great season of Shaler Area Boys Volleyball, you can show your Titan Spirit by wearing your very own volleyball apparel! Ordering information may be found on the curvy counter in the main lobby.

Join Ms. Coleman Afterschool on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, National Happiness Day to #getyourhappyon at the Smiling Faces Club. We will learn stress management skills, relaxation and mindfulness exercises. This stress management club is for students who may be feeling overwhelmed, unhappy or stressed out. For students who would like to unwind with gentle yoga or would like to learn relaxation and mindfulness exercises to help get happier! The club will meet in the cardio room on Wednesday, March 20 from 2:55 – 4:00. Please sign up in Guidance and you will receive a little prize for attending on March 20<sup>th</sup>!

Join Youth Advocacy League Students on Thursday, March 21<sup>st</sup> during your tutorial periods for our Stand Together FOOD 4 THOUGHT event. We will be holding an interactive write & speak out about ending stigma for those who struggle with mental health conditions and substance abuse disorders---Come join us to talk while you doodle over snowflakes and eat snickerdoodles – Please join us in the library when it is your tutorial period for conversation with a peer, create a snowflake, write about an experience that has in some way been affected by mental health or substance abuse disorder – We will be having cookies to share - #stand together #getyourhappyon #firstdayofspring #snowflakesandsnickerdoodles.

Attention all spring sport teams, wear your team shirt on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup> and check the photo schedule in your homeroom.

# **MONDAY, MARCH 18, 2019**

The library will be available all day except for periods 2, 4, 7, and 9.

Spring Fling Dance tickets will be sold through next week during lunch. The dance will be held on Friday March 22<sup>nd</sup>. Go with your friends and get your boogie on! Tickets are \$5.

Strategy Game Club will meet today in Mr. Reagle's Room 340. See details and sign up using the Google Classroom code found on the posters throughout the school. Important information will be posted to the Google Classroom page, so make sure you enroll.

Boys' BLUE Volleyball has a home game against North Hills in SAMS Gym A at 3:30.

Boys' WHITE Volleyball has a home game against Latrobe in SAMS Gym A at 3:30.

### WEDNESDAY, March 20, 2019

The Smiling Faces Club will meet in the Cardio Room from 2:55 – 4:00 on Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. Please sign up in Guidance with Ms. Coleman.

### THURSDAY, March 21, 2019

## **FRIDAY, March 22, 2019**

Boys' BLUE Volleyball has a home game against Fox Chapel in SAMS Gym A at 3:30.

Boys' WHITE Volleyball has a home game against Elizabeth Forward in SAMS Gym A at 3:30.

MS BLUE Baseball has a home game against Elizabeth Forward at Shaler Ara Elementary Field at 3:45.

JR Track has an away meet against Seneca Valley. Students are dismissed at 2:20. Bus leaves at 2:30 from the Shopping Center Side.

SAMS will have the Spring Fling Dance from 7 to 9 pm in the Cafeteria. Tickets are \$5.00 and must be purchased in advance.

# SATURDAY, March 23, 2019

MS Boys' BLUE and WHITE Volleyball teams will participate in the Shaler Tournament in SAMS Gym A at 9:00 AM.

#### ATTENDANCE INFORMATION:

WORK PERMITS can be obtained by going to Shaler Area High School, 381 Wible Run Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15209. Please contact Mrs. Betty Wesolek at 412-492-1200 x 8-1501 if you have any questions.

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 your note 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.

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