SHS PARENT ASSOCIATION

SUMMER BULLETIN

June 26, 2013

Mark Your Calendars:

| 4 th of July Village Festivities |
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| School Board Meeting – agenda will be posted here |
| Alumni and Community Picnic |
| Volleyball event to honor Coach Gemignani |
| Fall Sports Meeting - for ALL fall athletes and their parents |
| SHS Registration |
| Freshman and New Student Orientation |
| First Day of School |
| SHS Open House (aka Parent Night) |
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A Note from the Editor

Please pardon this interruption in what I hope is a perfectly enjoyable summer break. There are a few housekeeping things that I thought warranted a summer bulletin. Expect another one as we get closer to registration, and who knows what may pop up between now and then. Also, keep your eyes alert for snail mail and/or email from the school, as official information should be arriving within the next weeks.

Debbie Eder SHS Parent Bulletin Editor

News & Announcements

Honor Roll – Spring 2013

Congratulations to the SHS Students who earned a place on the honor roll for the 2013 spring semester. <u>You may view the list here.</u>

Parents of 2013 Graduates

Please share with your graduate this letter from the SHS alumni association.

Alumni and Community Picnic and Other Festivities – July 13

The annual SHS all class reunion and community picnic will be held on July 13 this year. There are lots of great events planned including campus tours, swim meet, musical entertainment, bowling and a sock hop! The entire community is welcome – come join the fun!

- View the Schedule of Events Here
- <u>Registration Form</u> pre registration is not required, but is REALLY helpful, especially for lunch
- <u>Alumni Association Membership Form</u> the picnic and other events on July 13 are open to all alumni and community members, you need not be a member to join us, but we'd sure appreciate your support.

Community Input Session – SIS Principal Position

The time for the community input session for the SIS Principal position has been changed from 4:30 p.m. on June 26th to 6 p.m. on June 26th in room 122 at SIS. During the session, the candidates for the position will be presented to community members and parents, who will then have an opportunity to provide feedback.

District Blog

The most recent district blog entry addresses the current hiring process for open administrator positions.

Bill Haury Retirement

Congratulations to SHS Athletic Director and SIS Dean of Students, Bill Haury, as he is only days away from his retirement. He has assisted with guiding many of our children as they navigate the waters between childhood and adulthood. He will be missed. Read about some of the changes the SHS Athletic program has seen during his tenure in this <u>Shorewood NOW</u> <u>article</u>.

SHS Baseball

Read about the SHS Baseball team in Shorwood NOW.

Where are They Going? Where are They Going?

Did you miss the famous Ripples Map which lists where each member of the class of 2013 is headed? View it here!

SHS Spring Sports Awards

Congratulations to SHS spring athletes who were honored with awards at their team banquets this year. View the list here.

Do You Know Someone Who Should Be Added to this Email List?

- Current parents and parents of alumni should use this form
- Community Members and staff should <u>use this form</u>

Past Bulletins and Documents

To view past bulletins and related documents - visit the parent association website at www.shsparentassn.com.

Bulletin Submissions

Send your bulletin submissions to <u>news.shsparentassn@gmail.com</u> or to <u>Debbie@ederfamily.com</u>. Submissions are due by Monday evening for inclusion in that week's bulletin.

***********Reminders from Prior Weeks**********

*** UPDATE*** CHANGE IN TIME FOR REGISTRATION NEXT YEAR

Due to popular request, SHS will be including evening hours during August registration. This year's registration will be held: - August 8 - 3 pm to 7 pm (no morning hours, ignore earlier information for this date)

- August 9 - 8 am to noon (same as previously announced times)

Advanced Placement (AP) Exam Scores

New this year, AP will NOT be mailing home Score Reports. Any students who took Advanced Placement exams this spring should have already set up your account to receive their score reports ONLINE. All students will have their scores available on their account by July 8th, if you would like to view the Early Access Score schedule, you can go to this link. http://www.collegeboard.org/ap-scores.html?ep_ch=PR&ep_mid=10754947&ep_rid=65409107#view-scores.

SHS Drama Announces 2013-2014 Season

The 2013-2014 Drama Season will include "The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee" in the fall, "I Never Saw Another Butterfly" in the winter and "West Side Story" in the Spring. <u>Read a brief description of each show and to see performance dates and times.</u>

Athletic Physicals

All athletes must have a physical card on file before they may begin participation in sports. You may find <u>links to the forms</u> on the wiaa website.

SHS Boys Volleyball to Host Event Honoring Coach – July 18

Current and former members of the Shorewood High School boys volleyball team will have the opportunity to come together to honor Kevin Gemignani's 17 years of leadership and dedication to the SHS boys volleyball program as part of an event on July 18th. The event, which will feature volleyball in the SHS arena, will take place from 6-9 p.m. While all participants must be current or former SHS boys volleyball players, members of the public are invited to come and watch the action. (Admission is free.) Individuals must pre-register to take part in the event. <u>Please click here for more information, including registration forms.</u>

SEED Awards Over \$87,000 to District Schools

The Shorewood SEED Foundation has recently awarded over \$87,000 in grants to district schools. To see a list of funded projects, <u>click here</u>.

Global Action Through Engagement (GATE)

A Summer Program for High School Students, JULY 17-20, 2013

Do you want to have an impact on your community and the world? Concerned with social justice and social change? Have you always wondered how you can make a difference? Ready to experience what college life is like?

Global Action Through Engagement (GATE) is the place for you. Join high school peers in becoming youth leaders in your community. GATE introduces global issues through interactive simulations, small group learning activities, discussions with speakers and university students, and local service learning projects. Students will develop strong leadership skills in problem-solving and conflict-resolution. The program will also build 21stcentury skills in cross-cultural communication, critical thinking, digital and media literacy, and how to be competitive in a global marketplace.

In 2013, GATE will focus on the global theme of human security with an emphasis on the impacts of conflict and violence on individuals, families and communities. Students will also explore the way violence and insecurity relate to other global challenges, including poverty, food, health, and the environment. <u>To learn more and to apply, click here</u>. For more information, please contact Dina Wolf at<u>wolfd@uwm.edu</u>

Fall Athletes

All fall athletes must have a physical card on file before they may begin participation in fall sports. You may find <u>links to the</u> forms on the wiaa website.

Physicals performed before April 1 of any year are good for the remainder of that school year and the following school year. Physicals performed after April 1 of any year are good for the remainder of that school year and the following 2 school years. Each athlete must submit an athletic physical card each year – either a physical card or an alternate year physical card. (Alternate year cards are acceptable if the prior year card is still valid.)

Fall Sports Start Dates

- Aug 6FootballAug 12Boys SoccerAug 13Girls SwimmingAug 13Girls TennisAug 19Girls and Boys Cross CountryAug 19Girls Volleyball
- Aug 26 Boys Volleyball

New District Blog

The Shorewood School District recently launched a community blog. You may access it at http://www.shorewood.k12.wi.us/page.cfm?p=3323.

Parent Booster Clubs – Athletic, Music, etc.

Parent Booster Clubs that would like to have a table at Registration in August in order to provide information and/or solicit memberships should contact Carol McWade in the SHS office.

Village Trustee Applications

There is currently a vacancy on the Village Board. The Village Board is selecting the new trustee through the appointment process. The term for this vacancy lasts through April 2014. Village residents interested in applying for the vacant trustee position can pick up a application, <u>here</u> or at Village Hall, 3930 N. Murray Ave. The application deadline is **Wednesday**,

July 10, 2013. Interviews will be held on Wednesday, July 24, 2013 beginning at 5:15 p.m. with back-up a date of Monday, July 22, 2013. Those interested in applying, please send your resume and application to: Guy Johnson, Village President, c/o Village Manager's Office, 3930 N. Murray Avenue, Shorewood WI 53211.Click on the <u>link</u>,for the application. Please direct any questions to Chris Swartz, Village Manager, at 414.847.2701.

2013-2014 School Calendar Finalized

The 2013-2014 District Calendar (major dates) has been approved by the school board. To view the calendar, click here.

School Board Meeting Recaps

You may view recaps of school board meetings here.

Travel Release Form

Parents of athletes – please remember that student athletes are expected to ride the bus back to school with the team after each away game/meet. Each time that you will be transporting your child on your own, you will need to complete a <u>travel</u> release form. (Some parents like to keep a copy in their cars – in case they forget to have one with them.)

Raise Money for SEED while You Shop Online

- Use <u>GoodSearch.com</u> when doing your online shopping and a money will be donated to the Shorewood SEED Foundation each time you search!
- Use <u>GoodShop.com</u> when you do your online shopping and a percentage of each purchase will go to the Shorewood SEED Foundation
- To get started, register and select Shorewood SEED Foundation as your charity of choice
- View the flyer here.