SHS PARENT ASSOCIATION BULLETIN

June 5, 2013

Calendar Items

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- June 7-8
 <u>Book Fair</u> Barnes & Noble SEED Fundraiser
 - June 7-13 Online Bookfair SEED Fundraiser
 - June 8 Men's Club Chicken BBQ
- June 11-13 <u>Final Exams</u>
 - June 11 School Board Meeting agenda will be posted here
 - June 19 Bill and Ann Haury Night

For Seniors

- June 8 <u>Senior Celebration</u>
- June 11 Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal 1:00-2:15
- June 13 Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal 1:30-3:15
- June 13 Graduation Tickets will be distributed after rehearsal
- June 13 <u>Graduation</u> Congratulations Seniors and Parents!

A Note from the Editor

Just like the first day of school, the last day of school brings a myriad of emotions for both students and parents. Some of us are ready for a change in routine, some have exciting plans, some look forward to the lazy days of summer, and for parents of seniors there are all the bittersweet emotions associated with graduation. For me the beginning of the year is full of promise and new beginnings, and the end of the year is a reminder that time is marching by. As our children grow both physically and emotionally, they often take two steps forward and one step back, but it's a general forward march. And while they grow and time marches on, we need to figure out how much to push, how much to reign them in, when to let them fail, when to jump in and assist and when to catch them. This parenting job is not for the faint of heart, but it is certainly rewarding – sometimes we have to look for the forest through the trees to find the rewards, but they are there. The end of the year is a good time to take stock and think about how our children have grown over the past year.

And while things are wrapping up, you can expect a bulletin next week with some final news, and then a few more bulletins over the summer as we prepare for the coming year.

Debbie Eder SHS Parent Bulletin Editor

P.S. Congratulations to the SHS Boys Track Team, who WON THE STATE MEET last weekend. This was a historic event for several reasons and included everything from a broken arm to school and state records. There is more information in the athletics section of this bulletin, but the "feel good story", in my opinion, comes from Shorewood NOW. You can read it here.

SHS News & Announcements

Bill Haury Day – June 7

At lunch, students and Shorewood High School staff members are invited to the SHS front lawn for a Grill Out to recognize Bill Haury– a celebration of our retiring athletic director. The food service group will be grilling "smash burgers," the booster club will be serving ice cream, and **Bohdan Nedilsky** will provide the music. It should be a great way to recognize the great work and support that **Bill Haury** has provided Shorewood High School! The event is primarily for students to honor Bill (their plans include dressing like him!), but is also open to the general community.

Barnes & Noble Book Fair to Benefit Shorewood SEED Foundation – June 7 & 8

Shop Barnes & Noble Bayshore Friday, June 7th and Saturday, June 8th and a portion of your purchase will go to Shorewood SEED Foundation. You will need to use our bookfair ID 11104932. <u>Please print out this information sheet</u>. If you can not make it to the store, you can **shop online at BN.com/bookfairs** from 6/7-13. Make sure to enter our ID 11104932 at checkout.

Shorewood Drama to Welcome Professional Actress

Shorewood Drama will welcome professional actress, and Milwaukee native, Rhea Olivacce-Shabazz to campus on Wednesday, June 5th. Olivacce-Shabazz is the lead actress in Skylight Theater's "PORGY AND BESS," and is back in town to perform the show.

During the meet and greet, which will take place during the school's lunch hour (approximately 11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.), Olivacce-Shabazz will speak to students about her experiences and career paths in vocal performance- educationally, theatrically and musically. The public is welcomed and encouraged to attend the session, which will take place in the Studio Theater in the SHS Performing Arts Building.

"This is a great opportunity for our students to learn about a professional career in the entertainment or music industry," Shorewood Drama Director Joe King said. "We are excited to welcome Rhea to SHS." <u>Please click here for more information about the event.</u>

The Ripples Map

For those that have been anxiously awaiting and asking - the electronic version of the Ripples Map, which shows the plans of each SHS senior after graduation, will be available next week.

Mark Your Calendars:

Aug 6	Fall Sports Meeting – for ALL Fall athletes and their parents
Aug 8 & 9	SHS Registration
Aug 13	Freshman and New Student Orientation
Sept 3	First Day of School
Sept 26	SHS Open House (aka Parent Night)

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 6 Football
- Aug 12 Boys Soccer
- Aug 13 Girls Swimming
- Aug 13 Girls Tennis
- Aug 19 Girls and Boys Cross Country
- Aug 19 Girls Volleyball
- Aug 26 Boys Volleyball

Daily Announcements

<u>Daily Announcements</u> are available on the SHS page of the district website. Some announcements to note this week:

- Seniors In order to receive graduation tickets, you must complete and submit your senior exit survey.
- Orchestra Rehearsal
- Sophomores get your class shirts now supplies are limited
- Informational Meeting regarding nex year's football team on Wednesday (6/5) after school
- Cheerleading Tryouts Monday (6/3)

- Softball Banquet rescheduled to June 10
- Professional Actress will be meeting with actors and singers during lunch on Wednesday (6/5)
- Gay-Straight Alliance, Stock Club, Photo Club, Habitat for Humanity, Cupcake Club, Science Club

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.

District & Community Announcements

District Website

Due to server difficulties, the District web address www.shorewoodschools.org has been down. However, the District website can still be accessed via <u>www.shorewood.k12.wi.us</u>.

Advanced Learning Announcement

Jennifer Cosgrove, the District Advanced Learning Coordinator, will be taking a child rearing leave of absence next year. Jennifer would like to assure parents that the program will be left in good hands while she is away. Please take a moment to read this letter from her.

Shorewood Shorts – District Video

View the newest District Video, which spotlights Bright Beginnings.

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.

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.

Athletic News & Highlights

BOYS TRACK TEAM WINS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. GIRLS ALSO PERFORM WELL.

Twelve Shorewood student athletes, four girls and eight boys, recently traveled to LaCrosse to compete in the WIAA State Championship Track meet.

During the meet, numerous Shorewood athletes earned top individual and team finishes, including: a third place the boys 4x800 meter relay team of Charles Stahl, Jack Mauer, John Traudt, and Jacob Goldberg; a sixth place finish by triplejumper Taylor Dennis; a fifth place finish in the mile run by Morgan Florsheim and a 13th place finish in the same event by her sister Haley. Both girls also placed in the 3,200 meter (2 mile) run, with Morgan finishing 5th, earning a personal best with a time of 10:55, and Haley placing 10th, also finishing a personal best with a time of 11:19; a third place finish by Charles Stahl in the 3,200 (2 mile) meter run; a second place finish by the boys 4x100 meter relay team, a sixth place finish by Alexis Farrington in the 400 meter race; a fourth place finish by Jacob Goldberg in the 800 meter run (Goldberg also set a **NEW SCHOOL RECORD TIME** with his 1:54.1 finish); Alexis Farrington placed 6th in the 200 meter dash while Justin Rabon placed third in the same race on the boys side; finally, the boys 4x400 meter relay team of Alec Grimmer, Taylor Dennis, Jacob Goldberg, and Justin Rabon placed first in the race, **SETTING A NEW DIVISION II STATE RECORD** while giving the boys **THE DIVISION II STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**, **THE FIRST IN SCHOOL HISTORY**!

Read all the details in ShorewoodNOW

Watch video of the 1600 meter relay team setting the new state record on <u>Shorewood Patch</u>. Watch the video of the 400 meter relay take second place on <u>Shorewood Patch</u>. Read about the exciting Sectional Meet that set the teams up for the State Meet in <u>Shorewood NOW</u>

Tim Perry – Tennis State Quarterfinalist

Congratulations to Tim Perry for a fine showing at the State Tennis Championship. Many coaches and officials said that his second round win against the third seeded player was the biggest upset of the tournament!

Congratulations, Kudos & Thank You's

SHS Student Earns 7th Place in National French Competition

Congratulations to Nathalie Bolduc who placed 2nd in Wisconsin and 7th in the country on the "American Association of Teachers of French' National French language contest "Grand Concours". Congratulations Nathalie!

SHS Junior to Compete on Broadway Stage this Summer!

Congratulations to Martha Hellermann. As a result of her award-winning performance in Spring Awakening, Martha was eligible to perform for a Jimmy Award. Martha won for Wisconsin Females and will compete this summer in New York on a Broadway Stage for prizes and scholarships. Break a leg Martha!

SHS Senior Earns Volleyball Scholarship

Congratulations to Brendan Morris, SHS Varsity Volleyball player, who will be attending St Ambrose University this fall with a volleyball scholarship.

Do you know students, staff, school clubs, etc. who deserve recognition?

Please let us know if you know of an SHS student or staff member or school group who deserves recognition – whether your own child, a friend, neighbor, teacher, coach, mentor, co-worker, etc. We are thrilled to use this space to share student and staff achievements, but we can only do so when someone tells us about them! Send your submissions to <u>news.shsparentassn@gmail.com</u>.

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

Final Exams – June 11-13

<u>Click here</u> to view the spring 2013 final exam schedule.

SHS Awards Night

Congratulations to all honorees at last week's SHS Awards Night. View the list of awards and recipients here.

Bill and Ann Haury Night – June 19

The Shorewood Booster Club invites all community members to join them for Bill and Ann Haury Night at Kapco Park (on the Concordia University Campus in Mequon), the home of the Lakeshore Chinooks for a 6:35 pm game on June 19. <u>Please see this flyer</u> for more information and to rsvp. Please join us for an evening of baseball, and more importantly to recognize Bill and Ann for all they have done for Shorewood Athletics.

Mr. Stranke to Leave SIS and Shorewood School District

Anthony Stranke will be leaving the Shorewood Schools at the end of this year. We know that many of you and your children had positive experiences with Mr. Stranke during his tenure here. He will certainly be missed. If you'd like to send him a farewell note, please send it to him at SIS. Read more about his future plans on <u>Shorewood Patch</u>.

Notice of Alumni Fraud

Attention all Shorewood High School alumni: It has come to our attention recently that many of you are likely being asked for money by an organization posing as the Shorewood High School Alumni Association. We would like to address this issue immediately. Do not confuse "alumniclass.com" with the nonprofit volunteer Shorewood High School Alumni Association located in Shorewood, Wisconsin. Do not "support" their "Alumni site." It is not a donation to the Shorewood effort. It is a for profit company that goes after every school in the country, copies their logos, and charges individuals membership fees- tricking thousands of people out of funds that would otherwise go to support public schools. If you are interested in donating to, or joining, the actual Shorewood Alumni Association, please visit the group's website.

SHS Boys Basketball Fundraiser @ Yo Mama – June 13

Please help support the Shorewood High School Boys Basketball program by enjoying some frozen yogurt at Yo Mama in Shorewood on Thursday, June 13. We will receive a portion of all sales on this day. Be sure to mention you are there in support of Shorewood boys' basketball. Yo Mama is open until 10 pm. Stop over for some Frozen Yogurt before attending high school graduation! Thanks for all your support.

Recreation Department – Summer Programs

Registration for Summer Recreation Department programs is now in progress. Some programs that are of interest to high school students include Volleyball Camp and Jr. Tennis Club. <u>Click here to read about these and other featured programs</u>, To view all programs, please visit the Recreation Department website at <u>http://www.shorewoodschools.org/page.cfm?p=97</u>

2013-2014 School Registration

SHS Registration will take place on August 8 and 9, both days from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm. Look for additional information this summer.

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.

Seniors - Graduation, Celebration, Deadlines and More

A special bulletin for was sent on Monday, May 6 which included information regarding

- Graduation Logistics & Preparation
- Graduation Tickets
- Senior Celebration RSVP Deadline is May 20
- Grad Grams Send personal messages to members of the class of 2013 Order Deadline is May 20
- Photo Submissions for Senior Slide Show Deadline is May 13

You may view that bulletin, which includes appropriate links on the SHS Parent Association Website.

"Buy-a-Bar" of Music Fundraiser

The Shorewood Band Parent Association has hired composer, Michael Sweeney, to compose a piece for our students, grades 4th -12th which will be performed at our 2014 Band-o-Rama!

Please—We need your help!

Be a part of music in the making! Quarter notes for \$10 each Half notes for \$20 each Entire bar (4 notes in a bar) \$35 each

Fundraising progress will be "charted" and on display at all upcoming band concerts, where we will also be happy to collect contributions! Purchase your notes now in 3 easy ways:

Attend a Spring Band Concert

- Visit <u>Shorewoodbands.org</u> to buy online
- Drop off cash or check (payable to SBPA) to your school office, in the box labeled "Buy-A-Bar" of Music Fundraiser

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.