



Sharon Middle High School

WEEKLY HAPPENINGS

October 16–20, 2023

ACADEMIC ANNOUNCEMENTS

TUTORING IS AVAILABLE FOR ANY STUDENT IN NEED OF EXTRA HELP. TUTORING IS OFFERED BEFORE SCHOOL FROM 7:00-8:00 AM AND AFTER SCHOOL FROM 3:00-4:00 PM WITH A CERTIFIED TEACHER FROM EACH CORE CONTENT AREA. TUTORING IS OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS IN GRADES 7-12. STUDENT ATHLETES AND CLUB MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND TUTORING. FOR THOSE STUDENTS IN ATHLETICS OR CLUBS - ELIGIBILITY IS RUN EVERY FRIDAY AT 10:00 AM. STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO CHECK WITH THEIR COACH OR CLUB ADVISOR FOR THEIR UPDATED ELIGIBILITY.

THE TUTORING SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER IS POSTED ON THE SHARON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT WEBSITE (WWW.SHARONSD.ORG) AND IS AVAILABLE ON THE LAST PAGE OF WEEKLY HAPPENINGS. CLICK ON SCHOOLS AND CHOOSE SHARON HIGH SCHOOL OR SHARON MIDDLE SCHOOL. CLICK ON THE ORANGE TAB THAT SAYS "M/HS TUTORING SCHEDULE."

If you are coming in for am tutoring, please report to the main entrance on the Case Avenue side of the building. The teacher responsible for tutoring will open the doors. If you arrive after 7:05 am, you will not be able to get in until 7:20 am.

Wednesday After-School Detention

If your child is assigned a Wednesday After-School Detention, he/she must arrive with work. Students will not be permitted to go through the building to access their lockers during Wednesday After-School Detention. If students do not arrive with work, they will be sent home. Wednesday After-School Detention dates are posted on both the high school and middle school websites and on the front doors of the building. Detention runs from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Students must be on time.

Upcoming Wednesday After-School Detentions:
October 25



Chess Club Meetings

Tuesday, October 17
AND

Thursday, October 19
from 3:05 PM-4:30 PM
in the Library



Mercer County Orchestra
will be hosted
by Sharon Middle High School
on Thursday, October 19, 2023



Concert starts at 7:00 PM
in the auditorium.

Free and open to the public!

French Club
will be doing yoga
on Thursday, October 19, 2023
from 3:15 PM-3:45 PM

All are welcome!

**Mats will be
provided**





If you are at least 15 years old, a good swimmer, want to make money, AND possibly save a life, then lifeguarding class is for you! If you are interested in signing up for the lifeguarding class, it is offered during period 1 in the second semester. If this works for you, or if you just want more information, please see or email Mrs. Pratt at nickol_pratt@sharonsd.org



**Upcoming
Tiger Tuesdays:
November 14**

Sharon First
United Methodist Church's
Samaritan's Closet
is open on the 1st and 3rd
Thursday of each month
from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

The Sharon City School District
is excited to offer
the After School Snack & Dinner Program
at no cost to all SCSD students.

The After School Snack & Dinner Program will be
available at each school building at the following
times on Monday-Thursday*:

Snack: 3:10 PM-3:25 PM Dinner: 4:30 PM-5:00 PM

*The After School Snack & Dinner Program will not be available on Tiger
(early dismissal) Tuesdays (September 12, November 14, March 12, April 16,
May 14, May 28); the program will instead be offered on Friday (September
15, November 17, March 15, April 19, May 17, May 31) of those weeks.



Attention Students and Staff:

Morning Prayer is back and moving to Fridays!

We will meet in the gym at 7:45 AM

for a brief morning prayer

It is a time when students and staff
can come together

in a time of unity and pray for our school

All are welcome. Hope to see you Friday!



Are you, or someone you know,
in need of food assistance?
These organizations can help!

Community Food Warehouse
Monday-Friday
7:30 AM - 3:30 PM
724-981-0353

St. John's Episcopal Church
Pick up lunch
Saturday only
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
226 W. State Street, Sharon

Prince of Peace
Soup Kitchen
Monday and Wednesday
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
502 Darr Avenue, Farrell
724-346-5777

Joshua's Haven
Daily Dinner at 5:30 PM
1230 Stambaugh Avenue, Sharon
724-983-0304

STUDENT AND STAFF INTEGRITY SHOUT-OUTS!

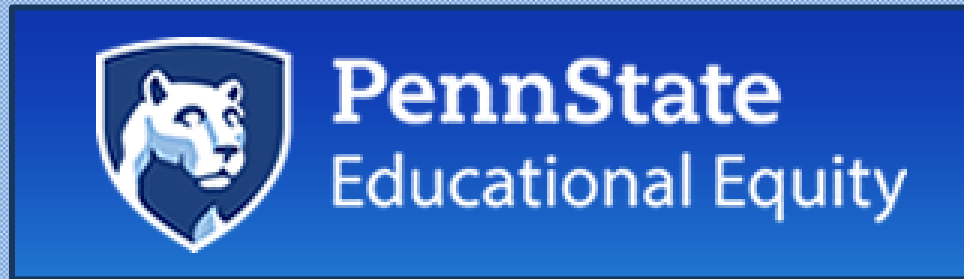
DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO DISPLAYS INTEGRITY EVERY DAY? DID ANOTHER STUDENT, A TEACHER, OR STAFF MEMBER DO SOMETHING THAT DESERVES RECOGNITION? LET THAT PERSON KNOW YOU APPRECIATE THEM! GIVE THEM A SHOUT-OUT!



WE ARE ONCE AGAIN RECOGNIZING THOSE WITH THE STUDENT & STAFF SHOUT OUT BOARD. YOU'LL FIND THIS BOARD GOING UP THE RAMP FROM THE CAFETERIA. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GIVE A SHOUT-OUT, ASK YOUR TEACHER FOR A FORM THEN DROP IT OFF TO MR. WOODS IN THE OFFICE OR MS. ARGENZIANO IN ROOM 103. YOU CAN ALSO EMAIL MR. WOODS YOUR SUBMISSION AT MICHAEL_WOODS@SHARONSD.ORG. DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT THE SHOUT OUT BOARD IN THE HALLWAY - YOU MIGHT BE UP THERE!

What is the Talent Search Program?

Talent Search is one of the Federal TRIO Programs dedicated to assisting high school students in furthering their education.



Our counselors work with over 2,000 Pennsylvania middle and high school students a year to provide services, information, and guidance for your education after high school.

Who is eligible to receive services?

Talent Search is primarily available to students who are from low-income households, and whose parents did not go to college, but anyone can apply.

To complete an application, you will need the following information:

- Your family's current financial information (No requirement to provide documentation.)
- Are you a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, or in the process of applying for citizenship?
- Do you want to attend college or get a certification after high school?

For more information or to sign up, see Ms. Graham-Jones in the main office!

Sharon High Spanish One Students

Learn about the Columbian Exchange

As part of "Hispanic Heritage Month," the students in Nora Songer's Spanish One Classes at Sharon High School learned about some of the positive effects of the Columbian Exchange. The Columbian Exchange refers to the widespread transfer of plants, animals, precious metals, commodities, culture, human populations, technology, diseases, and ideas between the New World (North, Central and South America, plus the islands of the Caribbean) and the Old World (Asia, Africa, and Europe), following Christopher Columbus's voyages in 1492. Some of the exchanges were purposeful; some were accidental or unintended. The cultures of both hemispheres were significantly impacted by the migration of people (both free and enslaved) from the Old World to the New. The new contacts among the global population resulted in the interchange of a wide variety of crops and livestock, which supported increases in food production and population in the Old World. New World crops such as corn/maize, potatoes, tomatoes, tobacco, cassava, squash, sweet potatoes, chili peppers and chocolate became important crops around the world. Old World crops such as rice, wheat, and sugar cane, and the introduction of livestock (cattle and pigs, in particular), became important in the New World.

The students in Spanish One learned that without corn, tomatoes, and peppers, some of their favorite foods could not be made. As part of their lesson, they learned how to make tortillas de maiz (corn tortillas) and salsa fresca (fresh salsa). Students took turns rolling the corn masa (dough) into balls, flattening them on a prensa tortillera (tortilla press), and cooking them on a comal (griddle). While the tortillas were being made, other students mixed together the ingredientes (ingredients) for the salsa. Fresh tomates (tomatoes), cilantro (coriander), cebollas (onions), sal (salt), limon (lime), pimienta (pepper) and chiles picantes (hot peppers) were mixed together in just the right combination to create the tasty mixture. In addition to the tortilla and the salsa, the students also sampled frijoles refritos con Quesito (refried beans with cheese). All agreed that everything was Muy Delicioso!



Naima Allen checks on the tortillas.



Terrian White uses the tortilla press to flatten the dough. Amelia Fromm looks on.



Spanish One students roll the dough into balls.



Cayden Milton and Taylor Holden-Ragsdale prepare the salsa.



FALL ATHLETIC EVENTS

OCTOBER 16-21, 2023

[HTTPS://SHARON.BIGTEAMS.COM/](https://sharon.bigteams.com/)

Football

Boys' Varsity

- Friday 10/20 Home vs. Greenville at 7:00 PM
(Senior Night)

Boys' Junior Varsity

- Monday 10/16 Home vs. Farrell at 5:00 PM
- Saturday 10/21 Away vs. Greenville at 10:00 AM

Boys' Middle School

- Wednesday 10/18 Away vs. Lakeview at 6:00 PM

Volleyball

Girls' Varsity

- Tuesday 10/17 Home vs. Oil City at 7:00 PM

Girls' Junior Varsity

- Tuesday 10/17 Home vs. Oil City at 6:00 PM

Soccer

Boys' Varsity

- Tuesday 10/17 Away vs. Greenville at 7:00 PM
- Wednesday 10/18 Away vs. Neshannock at 4:00 PM

Girls' Varsity

- Monday 10/16 Away vs. Hickory at 7:00 PM
- Tuesday 10/17 Home vs. Oil City at 7:00 PM
- Thursday 10/19 Away vs. West Middlesex at 7:00 PM

Cross Country

CoEd Varsity

- Tuesday 10/17 Away vs. Slippery Rock at 4:00 PM
- Saturday 10/21 Away - County Invite at TBA

CoEd Middle School

- Tuesday 10/17 Away vs. Slippery Rock at 4:00 PM



October Tutoring Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 AM PM Stahl ENG (109)	3 AM Merillat ENG (106) PM Miller ENG (204)	4 AM Kytchak SC (317) PM Steen SC (316)	5 AM O'Brien SS (217) PM Work M (107)	6
9 NO SCHOOL	10 AM Merillat ENG (106) PM Miller ENG (204)	11 AM Kytchak SC (317) PM Steen SC (316)	12 AM O'Brien SS (217) PM Work M (107)	13
16 AM PM Stahl ENG (109)	17 AM Merillat ENG (106) PM Miller ENG (204)	18 AM Kytchak SC (317) PM Steen SC (316)	19 AM O'Brien SS (217) PM Work M (107)	20
23 AM PM Stahl ENG (109)	24 AM Merillat ENG (106) PM Miller ENG (204)	25 AM Kytchak SC (317) PM Steen SC (316)	26 AM O'Brien SS (217) PM Work M (107)	27
30 AM PM Stahl ENG (109)	31 AM Merillat ENG (106) PM Miller ENG (204)	1 AM Kytchak SC (317) PM Steen SC (316)	2 AM O'Brien SS (217) PM Work M (107)	3

M = MATH **SC = SCIENCE**
SS = SOCIAL STUDIES **ENG = ENGLISH**

- Eligibility is run every Friday at 10:00 AM
- Please check with your coach or advisor for your updated eligibility
- Tutoring is open to ALL students