

# Sharon Middle High School

## Weekly Happenings

January 2-6, 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 January is posted on the Sharon City School District website ([www.sharonsd.org](http://www.sharonsd.org)). Click on SCHOOLS and choose Sharon High School or Sharon Middle School. Click on the orange tab that says "M/HS Tutoring Schedule." The schedule is also available on the last page of Weekly Happenings.

**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 Detention Dates:**  
**January 11 & 25**

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 Mrs. Blair in the office or Ms. Argenziano in room 113. You can also email Mrs. Blair your submission at [dawn\\_blair@sharonsd.org](mailto:dawn_blair@sharonsd.org). Don't forget to check out the SHOUT OUT BOARD in the hallway—you might be up there!

# Lead your day with our goals from Rachel's Challenge:

1. Look for the best in others
2. Dream big
3. Choose positive influences
4. Speak with kindness
5. Start your own chain reaction

"I think probably kindness is my number one attribute in a human being. I'll put it before any of the things like courage or bravery or generosity or anything else." ~Roald Dahl



**Attention All Students:**  
Have you seen the FOR Club's page on Instagram? If not, follow us! Our page is called Sharon Compliments! Jump on and see who inspires us to be kind every day!

## Attention all students:

Do You want to help spread Kindness in our school and community? Join The FOR Club!

Do You want to encourage others to live by our goals from Rachel's Challenge? Join The FOR Club! Do You want to help make a chain reaction? Join The FOR Club!

**FOR Club Needs Members!**  
Sign up for the FOR Club today! If you don't have our app yet, look for the FOR Club Remind App, informational posters on the walls in the hallway to tell you how to join our app, or see Mrs. Blair today! Students can also join our Google Classroom and get all the latest information on our projects! Use code: 22prtbz to join today!





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 8 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](mailto:nickol_pratt@sharonsd.org)



All of the Spanish classes, the Spanish Club, and the kids in the C.O.O.L program prepared over 550 cards for residents at local care homes, as well as for local

veterans who were going to be alone during the Holidays.



Dear Families,











Cold and flu season is in full swing! Minor colds and viruses can be managed at school; however, more serious illnesses may require your child to stay home. Below is a reminder of when students should stay home, and when it is safe for them to return. Together we can make our school community and homes as healthy as possible! These guidelines also include Covid positive students.

Sincerely,

Lisa Fox BSN, CSN, MHS

School Nurse

I need to stay home if...

FEVER	VOMITING	DIARRHEA	RASH	LICE	HOSPITAL	EYE	COUGH	STREP	COVID
									
Temperature is 100.0° or higher	Vomiting within the last 24 hours	Diarrhea within the last 24 hours	Body rash with itching and fever	Active head lice and/or nits	Hospital stay and/or ER visit	Eyes that are red, itchy, and draining	A cough that is persistent	I have strep throat	I have tested + for COVID

I am ready to go back to school when...

I am fever free for 24 hours with no fever reducing medications	I am free from vomiting for 24 hours and able to hold down solid foods	I am free from diarrhea for 24 hours	I am free from rash, itching, or fever, and evaluated by provider if needed.	I have no evidence of lice or nits (lice eggs), and I am cleared by the nurse	I am released by my medical provider to return to school	I was evaluated and received my medication for 24 hours	My cough can be present, but it should not be persistent to return to school	I have had 24 hours of antibiotics and am feeling well	I have had 5 days of quarantine symptoms resolving and I will mask in public for 5 more days
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An excuse must be submitted to the school for ALL absences

Students who have missed more than 10 days of school must submit a doctor's excuse

Any absences for which an excuse is not submitted will be considered unexcused/unlawful

Any absences lasting 3 or more days must have a doctor's excuse



# The Spanish Club continued their annual tradition of caroling at local businesses and then celebrating the holiday season at La Isla Mexican Restaurant





# **WHO DONE IT!?**

**WE NEED YOUR HELP  
TO SOLVE A CRIME IN ROOM 101**



**AFTER SCHOOL**

**JANUARY 4 AND 5, 2023**

**COME LEARN HOW TO BE A CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATOR**

**T2C  
TEENS TO CAREERS**

**MUST BE IN 10<sup>TH</sup>, 11<sup>TH</sup>, OR 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE TO PARTICIPATE**



Bring your family, bring your friends, kids,  
seniors and college students encouraged!  
Delicious food and lots of fun at the



# Free Community Breakfast

When: Second and fourth Saturday of every month!

9AM TO 11AM

Where: Central Christian Church  
218 Meadowbrook Rd.  
Hermitage, Pa  
724-347-1703

No qualifying, everyone is welcome!  
Your table is waiting!



This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Chess Club meeting  
Thursday, January 5  
at 3:00 PM  
in the LIBRARY

Any student interested in  
joining

## Teen Institute

Stop by room 303  
between 7:30 P.M.-3:00 P.M.

or contact

Mr. Whalen at

[jeremy\\_whalen@sharonsd.org](mailto:jeremy_whalen@sharonsd.org)



Attention All Students and Staff:

Come check out Morning Prayer on Monday  
at 7:45 in the gym.

It's a special time where students and staff come  
together in a moment of unity.

Everyone is welcome.

Please stop outside  
the nurse's office and  
look at the list to see  
if we still need your  
**EMERGENCY CARD**  
for this school year.

Upcoming  
**Tiger Tuesdays:**

January 10 & 24



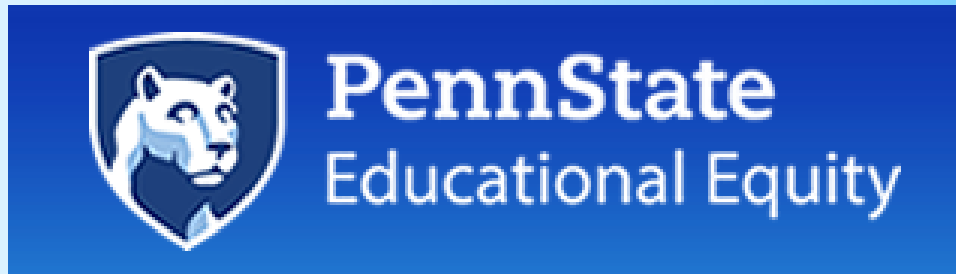
Any student  
interested in joining  
**STUDENTS FOR  
CHARITY:**

Stop by Room 313 or  
contact

Ms. Sandine at  
[melinda\\_sandine@  
sharonsd.org](mailto:melinda_sandine@sharonsd.org)

# 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!



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

Any student in grades  
7-9 interested in  
joining  
C.O.O.L.  
can pick up an  
application in the  
main office!

Any male student in grades 9-  
12 wishing to join the Hi-Y club  
and help with this year's blood  
drives, please sign up in room  
303 anytime between  
7:30 AM - 3:00 PM or  
email Mr. Whalen  
[jeremy\\_whalen@sharonsd.org](mailto:jeremy_whalen@sharonsd.org)



# ATHLETIC EVENTS

## JANUARY 2-6, 2023

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

### BASKETBALL

Boys Middle School Grade 7

- Thursday 01/05 - Home vs. Hickory at 5:00 PM

Boys Middle School Grade 8

- Thursday 01/05 - Home vs. Hickory at 4:00 PM

Boys Junior Varsity

- Saturday 01/07 - Away vs. Laurel at 1:00 PM

Boys Varsity

- Saturday 01/07 - Away vs. Laurel at 2:30 PM

Girls Junior Varsity

- Tuesday 01/03 - Away vs. Titusville 6:00 PM

Girls Varsity

- Tuesday 01/03 - Away vs. Titusville 7:00 PM



### SWIMMING

CoEd Varsity

- Thursday 01/05 - Home vs. Franklin at 4:00 PM



# WINTER

# SPORTS



### WRESTLING

Boys Middle School

- Wednesday 01/04 - Home vs. Greenville at 6:00 PM
- Saturday 01/07 - Away vs. Multiple Opponents at 9:00 AM

Boys Varsity

- Wednesday 01/04 - Home vs. Greenville at 7:00 PM
- Saturday 01/07 - Bo Wood Tourney - Indiana vs. Multiple Opponents at TBA

**make  
kindness  
the norm.®**



# January Tutoring Schedule

Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday
2  NO SCHOOL	3 AM O'Brien SS (217)  PM	4 AM Kytchak SC (317)  PM Steen SC (316)	5 AM  PM Miller ENG (203) Richards M (104)	6
9 AM  PM Stahl ENG (109) McGee SS (224)	10 AM O'Brien SS (217)  PM	11 AM Kytchak SC (317)  PM Steen SC (316)	12 AM  PM Miller ENG (203) Richards M (104)	13
16  NO SCHOOL	17 AM O'Brien SS (217)  PM	18 AM Kytchak SC (317)  PM Steen SC (316)	19 AM  PM Miller ENG (203) Richards M (104)	20
23 AM  PM Stahl ENG (109) McGee SS (224)	24 AM O'Brien SS (217)  PM	25 AM Kytchak SC (317)  PM Steen SC (316)	26 AM  PM Miller ENG (203) Richards M (104)	27
30 AM  PM Stahl ENG (109) McGee SS (224)	31 AM O'Brien SS (217)  PM	1 AM Kytchak SC (317)  PM Steen SC (316)	2 AM  PM Miller ENG (203) Richards M (104)	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