

SHA Parent Reminders 2007-2008

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RE: Failures & Summer School

END OF THE YEAR FAILURES & SUMMER SCHOOL

1. All students returning to SHA in September must be current in fulfilling graduation requirements for their grade level. Course and/or exam failures must be made up in summer school.
2. Faculty will phone parents of students who fail a required course and/or exam. Parents must call the SHA Counseling Center (716) 834-2101 ext. 314 as soon as possible after speaking with the teacher to obtain summer school registration material.
3. Registration for most summer school programs begins the last week of June.
4. For exam re-takes only, school districts require students to attend a review course or receive 10 hours of private tutoring with a NYS certified teacher.

RE: SHA Taste of Buffalo

The time is fast approaching for the TASTE OF BUFFALO on the weekend of July 12 and 13, 2008. We will be staffing a BEER TENT for both days and will receive \$1500 from the TASTE OF BUFFALO for a few hours of fun, fun, fun!! We need approximately 70 people to cover all the shifts. Volunteers need to be 18 years of age to work the tent.

The following shifts are currently available:

SUNDAY, JULY 13
11:30 AM to 4:00 PM
3:30 PM to 8:00 PM

Please check your calendar and E-MAIL Linda ASAP to get your desired shift. If you have any questions, please call Linda @ 691-5476 or send an e-mail to Ladyletter@aol.com <<mailto:Ladyletter@aol.com>>. Thanks so much for volunteering. We are looking forward to seeing you soon.

SHA TASTE OF BUFFALO COMMITTEE CHAIRS
Linda and Matty Matuszewski, Amy and Mike Bradley
Sue and Bob Bavisotto, Dave and Roxanne Smith



RE: Summer Parent Reminders

Parent Reminders will be sent out periodically during the summer break and will also be posted on SHA's website. Please remember to call the Main Office at 834-2101 if you change your contact information (address, phone, cell, e-mail address, etc.) over the summer so we may keep our records current and the lines of communication open.

RE: Health Office Important Notes



IMPORTANT: Immunization Records-New Students:

All students new to Sacred Heart need to have a complete immunization record submitted to the Health Office in order to attend classes in September. This is according to a recently clarified New York State Law. Many parents of incoming 9th graders have submitted immunization records but many have not. According to New York State Public Health Law Section 2164, a school needs to retain the original copy of all immunization records, and evidence of medical or religious exemption, for 6 years after a student graduates. The school health records received from previously attended schools usually do not contain the original immunization record, but only a copy of the transcribed cumulative health record card. Please forward a copy of your daughter's immunization record, from their physician, to the Health Office prior to the first day of classes. If your physician uses a computerized physical form, the immunization record is often located at the top of that form. That would qualify as an original record.

Sport Physicals:

A current physical must be on file in the Health Office in order to try out for a fall sport in mid-August. Physicals are valid for one calendar year. Many physicals will expire over the summer. Please schedule your physical well in advance and submit to the Health Office, NOT to coaches, or your daughter will not be allowed to try out. Forms are available in the Health Office or on our school website. Your doctor may also use his or her own form. The physical may either be brought to the school's Main Office or mailed over the summer. Please put "Attention Health Office" on the envelope. Please forward the physical to school by the first week in August in order for your daughter to have time to be cleared for tryouts.

RE: 2008-2009 Walkathon



AROUND THE WORLD is the theme chosen for next year's Walkathon to be held on Friday, October 10. The walk is one of the two major fundraisers at SHA. The proceeds go to various charities that sponsor programs for women and children, the individual class treasuries and to continue the enhancement of our technology programs. The three charities we will assist are: Make a Wish Foundation, Diamond Black Fan Anemia Foundation, and the Francis Center in Niagara Falls. Representatives of these organizations will speak at the opening assembly to inform the students of their specific service and mission.

There were many designs submitted for the T-shirt this year. An e-mail has been sent to every SHA student providing each girl with the necessary link for viewing and voting on the favorite T-shirt design. July 7th is the deadline for casting a vote. Each student is asked to obtain \$125 in sponsorships for the walk. It may be a good idea to encourage your daughter(s) to begin obtaining pledges now or even saving some of her own spending money so she can easily reach her goal by October 10. Parents also play an important role in this event. Volunteers are needed to help at all the street crossings during the walk, serving water at various stations, and preparing the lunch for when the students return to school. Continue to check the bulletin for further information as to how you can help. The student summer sponsor form is posted on SHA's website -- front page -- and can be downloaded.

RE: Parent Recruitment Survey



The Enrollment Management Committee recently sent a survey to all current parents via email. Please complete this quick survey... your input is valuable!

RE: 2008-2009 Christ the King Ceremony

Please note the Christ the King Ceremony and Young Alumnae Reception were previously on the 08-09 calendar for January 9, 2009. These two events have been moved to Wednesday, November 26, 2008. Please mark your calendar accordingly.