

January 14, 2022

Hello Shumate Families,

Please see below for information that will help you through the next week and beyond:

8th Grade Trip to Washington DC

As we enter the new year, planning for our trip to Washington DC will begin to ramp up. Please make sure your account is up to date and on course to be paid in full by March 23. If you are unable to meet this final payment deadline, please contact WorldStrides to work out an extended payment plan.

In addition, with the new Omicron variant of COVID-19, WorldStrides has issued updated travel requirements. Due to these new requirements, all travelers (including fully vaccinated) will be required to submit a negative PCR test taken between June 1-5 or a negative antigen test taken between June 4-5, in order to travel on June 6. There are also on-tour procedures that must be followed, including masking requirements during transportation and at destinations. I have attached the [Worldstrides Health and Safety Protocols](#) for you to review.

If you have any questions, please do not reply to this email. Instead, you can contact Mr. Dunwoody at (734) 379-7650, or via email at dunwook@gibdist.net.

Lost & Found

We have placed all lost and found items on tables outside of the cafeteria. If your child is missing a coat, hat, gloves, etc., please have them check the tables sometime next week. We will donate the remaining items on 1/27/22.

Anime Club

Attention Seahawks! Do you like to create? Are you interested in Japanese Culture? Join the Anime Club!

Anime club is open to all students at Shumate. Anime Club will be held on Tuesdays after school from 3:15 to 4:15. It will run from February (2/1-3/8) Anime Club is subject to the Shumate Middle School club fee and can only take the first 25 students who fill out the sign up form and have their club fee paid for. Please use this form to sign up. If you have any questions, please do not respond to this email. Instead, ask Mrs Scheffler, our club sponsor at scheffa@gibdist.net
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSevJqv1DKUQpc57Zsj4qzekHixhjBliB_DKKILc7F4ukznFHw/viewform?usp=pp_url

SMS Parent Group Meetings

All meetings take place on Monday evenings, beginning at 6:00.

Here's a list of upcoming SMS Parent Group Meetings:

February 14

March 21

April 18

May 16

Important Dates

January 17 - No School (MLK Day)

January 28 - Half Day for Students (PM Teacher Workday)

January 28 - Last Day of First Semester

Feb 16 - Half Day for All Students (PM Professional Development for Teachers)

February 21 - No School (Presidents' Day)

March 23 - Half Day for All Students (PM Professional Development for Teachers)

March 28 - April 1 - No School (Spring Break)

Please use the link below to access the entire district calendar:

[Full One-Page District Calendar 2021/22 School Year](#)

SHUMATE MIDDLE SCHOOL SPORTS SCHEDULE

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Monday 1/24 Trenton A 4:00

Wednesday 1/26 Allen Park H 4:00

Friday 1/28 Woodhaven H 4:00

Monday 1/31 Southgate A 4:00

Wednesday 2/02 Tay. West A 4:00

Friday 2/04 Tay. Hoover H 4:00

Monday 2/07 Wyandotte H 4:00

Friday 2/11 Woodhaven A 4:00

Monday 2/14 Lincoln Park H 4:00

Wednesday 2/16 Wyandotte A 4:00

Wednesday 2/23 Allen Park A 4:00

Friday 2/25 Trenton H 4:00

6th, 7th, & 8th Grade Wrestling

Thursday 1/27 Southgate/AP H 4:00

Tuesday 2/01 AP/Southgate A (AP) 4:00

Thursday 2/03 Wdvn/Wy/SG A (SG) 4:00

Tuesday 2/08 SG/LP/WY A (WY) 4:00

Friday 2/11 LP/Trenton A (SG) 4:00

Tuesday 2/15 Wdvn/LP H 4:00

Thursday 2/17 WY/Wdvn/SG A (WY) 4:00

League Meet

Saturday 2/26 TBD

Competitive Cheer

Saturday 1/08 Brighton

Saturday 1/15 Stoney Creek

Friday 1/21 Pat C.

Saturday 2/05 Grosse Ile

Friday 2/11 Airport

Warmest Seahawk Regards,

Eric Cassie & Dave Anderson