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For the parents, staff, students, and community of
New Smyrna Beach High School

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

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It has been an amazing opening, and this school year is off to a great start. We have placed early emphasis on student safety and school security requiring all students to acquire and maintain an NSBHS photo identification. Daily, students enter through our single point of entry showing their student identification for access to the campus. Please encourage your son/daughter to bring their school identification to school daily.

Currently, masks are optional for students, but mandatory for staff and visiting adults on our campus. Frequent handwashing and/or hand sanitation is strongly encouraged. Each classroom is equipped with hand sanitizer and other necessary sanitation supplies. If your son/daughter is sick, please keep them home. Each classroom teacher has established a Canvas or Microsoft Teams platform which is used for receiving and completing assignments during absences due to required quarantine or isolation. We need your son/daughter in school daily to benefit from the total learning experience. Education, like life, is not a spectator sport – one cannot score from the sidelines. Success goes to those who go after it, not to those who wait and hope for it. There is a saying that “Anything worth doing is worth doing well.” As the year progresses, ask your student to consider what he/she hopes to get from school this year – and what he/she intends to invest. Students that are in school regularly give themselves the greatest opportunity for academic success.

We are inviting you to work with us in making this school year the best. Despite the challenges of the pandemic, we will do whatever it takes for our students to succeed and graduate. By always working together, we will maintain our school as the best in the district!

This year, and every year, we challenge our students to demand their very best. It is our goal for students to make their “legacy” one to remember.

Thanks for all you do!

Sincerely,

Timothy Merrick
Principal

NSBHS Mission Statement:

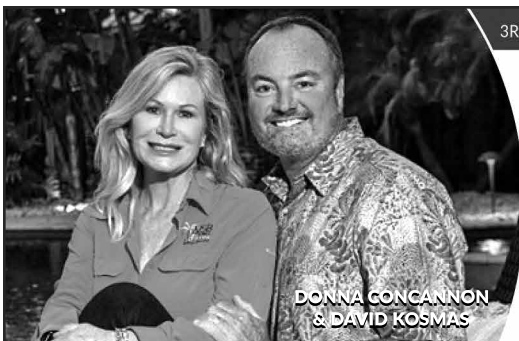
Working together with parents, school personnel and community members, New Smyrna Beach High School students will graduate with the knowledge, skills and values necessary to be positive contributors to society.



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Back on The Farm

To kick off the new school year the New Smyrna Beach FFA chapter and Alumni came together to host a back-to-school Barbeque on August 20, 2021. With many guests, the event was a huge success. The NSBHS FFA chapter held their chapter meeting where they played kickball, ate hot dogs and hamburgers, and mingled with family and friends. This event wouldn't be possible without the help of the FFA Alumni who planned and cooked for the event. This meeting made for a great kick off to the school year. During the meeting, the chapter thanked the 2021-2022 Platinum, Silver, and Blue T-shirt sponsors as well as gave an update on some of the upcoming events. For those who didn't attend, the NSBHS FFA chapter is looking for volunteer coaches for certain Career Development Events this year. The next meeting will be held on September 8th from 4:30 -7:30pm on the agriculture farm where the chapter will be hosting the AG Olympics. To stay up to date and get reminders about upcoming FFA events follow the New Smyrna Beach FFA on Instagram at nsbhsffa and on Facebook at, new Smyrna Beach High School Agriscience Academy. We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting!

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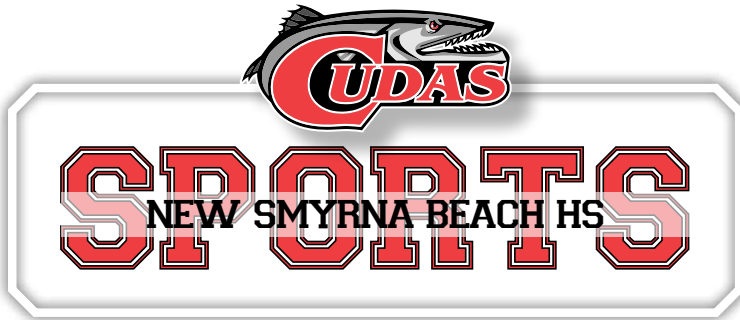
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Cross Country Schedule

Date	Name	Location
8/21	Pre-Season Pirate Relays	Matanzas HS
8/28	Spikes and Spurs Classic	Flagler County Fairgrounds
9/4	Deland Invite	Sperling Sports Complex
9/11	Bail 'n' Trail Original	Bartram Trail HS
9/18	Mohney Memorial Invitational	Spruce Creek HS
9/25	Embry-Riddle Classic	BRAU
10/6	Freshman Sophomore	TBD
10/9	Coach Joe McKinney Classic	Doris Leeper Park
10/16	FSU Invitational (Pre-State)	Tallahassee Regional Park
10/23	5 Star Conference	TBD
10/30	Districts	TBD
11/6	Regionals	TBD
11/13	States	Tallahassee Regional Park



Swim Team Schedule - Come Support the CUDAS

Date	Opponent	Time
t-b-d August	Red & Black	10am @ Aqua Park
Thur 26th	Deland	4:30pm @ Deland
Aug Wed 1st	Father	4:30pm @ Aqua Park
Sept Tues 7th	Lopez	4:30pm @ Port Orange
Sept Wed	Spruce	4:30pm @ Aqua Park
15th Sept	Creek	7:30am @ Lake Brantley
Sat 18th Sept (\$5 Adm)	University	4:30pm @ Aqua Park
Wed 22nd Sept	Patriot Invitational	4:30pm @ Aqua Park
Fri 24th Sept	Flagler Palm Coast	4:30pm @ Aqua Park
Wed 29th Sept	Atlantic & Mainland	5:00pm @ Aqua Park
Wed 6th	Seabreeze	t-b-d @ Port Orange
Oct	Matanzas	Yt-b-d @ t-b-d
Sat 9th Oct (AWAY)	5 Star Conference	t-b-d @ t-b-d
w/c 24th Oct (\$6 Adm)	FHSAA 3A District 3	9am @ Stuart
w/c 31st Oct	FHSAA 3A Region 1	
(\$7 Adm) w/c 7th Nov	FHSAA 3A States	
(\$9 Adm)		

Girls Volleyball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time	Address
8/13	Red and Black	NSB	6:00	The Tank
8/21	Bishop Kenny Preseason	Bishop Kenny	All Day	1055 Kingman St Jacksonville
8/24	Fleming Island	Fleming Island	5:30/6:30	2233 Village Sq Pkwy, Fleming Is.
8/26	Timber Creek (Melanie E)	NSB	5:30/7	The Tank
8/31	Winter Park (marcy motto motto)	NSB	5/6:30	The Tank
9/2-9/4	Nike Tournament of Champions	Game Point Center	All Day	6700 Kingspointe Parkway, Orlando
9/9	Dr Phillips	Dr Phillips	6/7	6500 Turkey Lake Rd, Orlando
9/14	Forest	Forest	5/6	5000 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala
9/16	Spruce Creek	Spruce Creek	5/6	801 Taylor Rd. Port Orange
9/17	Lake Mary (Jeremiahs ice)	NSB	5:30/7	The Tank
9/20, 21, 23	Five Star Conference Tourn.	TBA	TBA	TBA
9/28	Deland	Deland	5:30/7	800 N Hill Ave, Deland
10/5	Lake Highland Prep (Chick)	NSB	5:30/7	The Tank
10/12	Oveido	Oveido	5:30/7	601 King St. Oviedo
10/8-10/9	DME Tournament	DME	All Day	2441 Belleview Ave Ext., Daytona
10/18	District Playoff Week	TBA	TBA	TBA



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Varsity Football

Date	Opponent	Location
Spring	Hawthorne	H
Aug 20	Crystal River	A Koc
Aug 27	Atlantic	H (Pop Warner Night)
Sept 3	Jones	H ****
Sept 10	Father Lopez	A
Sept 17	South Lake	A ****
Sept 24	Eustis	H (Homecoming)
Oct 1	Lake Minneola	A ****
Oct 7	Winter Springs	A
Oct 15		
Oct 22	Mainland	H ****
Oct 28	Space Coast	H (Senior Night)
Nov S	Harmony	H (Sponsor Appreciation Night)

Girls Golf Schedule

Date	Location	Opponent
Tuesday, August 24th	Home	against DeLand
Thursday, August 26th	Away	against Mainland
Wednesday, September 1st	Away	against Seabreeze
Wednesday, September 8th	Away	9 Hole Challenge
Monday, September 13th	Away	18 Hole All Area Challenge
Thursday, September 16th	Home	against Father Lopez
Thursday, September 23rd	Home	against Seabreeze
Tuesday, September 28th	Away	against Spruce Creek
Monday, October 4th	Away	18 Holes – 5 Star Challenge
Wednesday, October 6th	Home	against Mainland
Wednesday, October 13th	Home	against Mainland

Junior Varsity Football

Date	Opponent	Location
Sept 9	Father Lopez	H
Sept 16	Bishop Moore	A
Sept 23	Spruce Creek	A
Sept 30	University	H
Oct 7	Deltona	A
Oct 14	Seabreeze	A



Boys Golf Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
8/24/21	Spruce Creek High School	Spruce Creek Country Club	4:00
8/26/21	Seabreeze	New Smyrna Beach Golf Club	4:00
8/30/21	University	New Smyrna Beach Golf Club	4:00
9/7/21	Spruce Creek	Sugar Mill Country Club	4:00
9/8/21	Atlantic	Cypress Head Golf Club	4:00
9/9/21	Seabreeze	Riviera Country Club	4:00
9/13/21	Randy Warren Invitational	Golf Club of Fleming Island	8:30
9/16/21	Atlantic	New Smyrna Beach Golf Club	4:00
9/20/21	Crutchfield Hawkins	SunN Lakes Deer Run	9:00
9/22/21	FPC/ Father Lopez	Palm Harbor	4:00
9/27/21	Greater Halifax Championship	Riviera Country Club	9:00
10/11/21	Volusia Flagler Championship	Spruce Creek country Club	9:30
10/18/21	5 Star Conference	Daytona Beach Golf Club	9:00
10/25/21	District Championship	Sugar Mill Country Club	8:00
11/1-3/21	Regional Championship	TBD	
11/11-13/21	State Tournament	Mission Inn Resort	

Head Coach-Brian Perry



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2021-2022 School Calendar

Make-up days for inclement weather include November 22 and November 23.

August 10 (Tuesday) Preplanning Begins – Teachers Report
 August 16 (Monday) First Day of School for Students
 September 6 (Monday) Labor Day Holiday
 September 20 (Monday) Professional Development Day/Student Holiday
 October 15 (Friday) 18 (Monday) Teacher Duty Day/Student Holiday
 November 11 (Thursday) Veterans Day Holiday
 November 22 (Monday) Thanksgiving Holiday Begins
 November 22 and 23 will be used as makeup days for inclement weather if needed
 November 29 (Monday) Classes Resume
 December 17 (Friday) Teacher Duty Day/Student Holiday
 December 20 (Monday) Winter Holiday Begins
 January 4 (Tuesday) Classes Resume
 January 17 (Monday) Martin Luther King's Birthday Holiday
 March 11 (Friday) Teacher Duty Day/Student Holiday
 March 14 (Monday) Spring Holiday Begins
 March 21 (Monday) Classes Resume
 April 25 (Monday) Student/Teacher Holiday
 May 30 (Monday) Memorial Day Holiday
 June 3 (Friday) Last Day of School for Students
 June 7 (Tuesday) Last Day of School for Teachers

Early Release Days

All students will be released approximately one hour early on the 34 Wednesdays listed below.

August 18, 2021	September 1, 2021	October 6, 2021	November 3, 2021	December 1, 2021
August 25, 2021	September 8, 2021	October 20, 2021	November 10, 2021	December 8, 2021
	September 15, 2021	October 27, 2021	November 17, 2021	December 15, 2021
	September 22, 2021			
	September 29, 2021			
January 5, 2022	February 2, 2022	March 2, 2022	April 13, 2022	May 11, 2022
January 12, 2022	February 16, 2022	March 9, 2022	April 20, 2022	May 18, 2022
January 19, 2022	February 23, 2022	March 23, 2022	April 27, 2022	May 25, 2022
January 26, 2022		March 30, 2022		
June 1, 2022				

Grading Period/Report Card Dates

Period	Days	Grade Period Begins	Midterm Period Ends	Grade Period Ends	Report Card Distribution & Grades on Parent Portal
1	43	08/16/2021	09/15/2021	10/15/2021	10/25/2021
2	37	10/19/2021	11/17/2021	12/16/2021	01/10/2022
3	47	01/04/2022	02/02/2022	03/10/2022	03/28/2022
4	53	03/21/2022	04/20/2022	06/03/2022	6/13/22 Elementary (Middle and High To Be Announced)



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