



Shelton Parents' Association (SPA)

SPA builds community, raises funds and supports the Shelton staff. We accomplish this through events and functions conducted by parent volunteers who serve on the SPA Board, Committees, Grade Liaisons and with the support of all Shelton parents.

All parents of Shelton students are members. Welcome to the SPA!

A message from SPA Presidents,

Joanna Sudbeck and Gina Rangel Pena:

Welcome to Shelton! We are so glad you are here and can't wait to share our amazing school with you! We would love to have you involved in the Shelton Parents' Association (SPA). It is a great way to meet and get to know other Shelton parents! Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can help in any way.

Email: spa.president@shelton.org

We can't wait to meet you!

Bookmark these 2 websites!

www.shelton.org

and

www.renweb.com

Log in with your username and password

District code: SHELTON-TX

The school directory is on this website.

Uniforms

Mills Uniform Company

13615 Welch Rd., Suite 102, Dallas, TX 75244

Phone 972-385-3121

Mills can guide you to the uniform items your student will need for Shelton. If you prefer shopping online, a Mills online store link with Shelton's uniform requirements is on Shelton's website. Log in to Renweb, click Current Parents, click Uniforms or type this link into your browser:

<https://www.millsweat.com/school.jsp?path=-1|29675&id=397965>

➡ Stay Connected! ⬅

- **SPA SCOOP:** TUESDAY e-newsletter
- **ePost:** WEDNESDAY from Shelton school staff
Both of these are emailed to you using the email address you entered in RenWeb.
Not receiving newsletters?
Contact spa.vpcommunications@shelton.org
- **Facebook:** Plug in to your respective grade level pages. Grade Liaisons will provide you the FB name.

GRADE LIAISONS

Grade Liaisons are parent volunteers who welcome new families and plan a Back to School Party, a Fall Parent Mixer and other student and parent events for your grade throughout the year. Feel free to reach out to them with any questions you may have. **A roster with contact information for your respective grade level is attached below.**

- IMPORTANT DATES -

September 8th- New Parent Dinner

September 14th 8:30am- SPA Kick off meeting

October 1st Parent Mixer





Morning carpool

8:00am Doors open
8:30am School begins

Monday – Thursday Afternoon dismissal

2:30pm Early Childhood
2:45pm Pre-Primary, Kindergarten
3:00pm Primary, Grades 1-2
3:25pm Grades 3-5
3:30pm Grades 6-8
4:10pm Grades 9-12

***On Fridays, dismissal is 1 hour earlier.**

CARPOOL MAP:

- **Lower School (EC-2) and Upper Elementary (3-5):** Enter the parking lot off of Summerside, proceed through the parking lot to the elementary building entrance.
- **Middle and Upper School (6-12):** Enter the parking lot off of McCallum, proceed through the parking lot to the front entrance of the building.

To view the Carpool map, go to Shelton's website, Parents Tab, Carpool Map

DOWNLOAD THE SCHOOL-PASS APP



SchoolPass will allow parents to communicate changes to their child's carpool, late arrivals, early pickups, or absences through the SchoolPass app or the SchoolPass website. The changes made through SchoolPass will automatically be sent to the division office, the advisor, and any other parents in your carpool (if applicable).

**We are excited you are part of the Shelton Charger family!
Please contact us if you have any questions.**

**Warmest welcome,
Kryle Hirschenberger and Kerry Douglas, SPA Welcoming Chairs**
spa.welcoming@shelton.org



Get a physical and records of your student's immunizations: All new students are required to get a physical and immunization records from their doctor to submit to the Shelton clinic. If your student will be participating in Shelton sports, the nurse and the athletic department share forms, so there's no need to give it to both departments. These forms should be turned into Eve Herman. You can scan and email the to Eve at eherman@shelton.org. You can also fax them to 972-408-4139. If you want to mail them, please mail to 17301 Preston Rd, Dallas, TX 75252. **Keep a copy in case the mail gets lost.**

Please have your doctor complete the physical form based on their last annual visit. If your child is due over the summer and you want to wait to submit the form until after the visit, please let the nurse know. Please send a copy of your child's immunization record by July 1st. If your child has received the vaccine for COVID and that information is NOT on his/her immunization record, please include a copy of the vaccine card as well. If your child will be participating in Shelton sports, he/she will need to have a physical done within the last year to be eligible to play.

If your student has life threatening food allergies, asthma, or a history of seizures, you must submit an action plan form. Go to <https://www.shelton.org/parents/medical-forms> to download the forms. The allergy action plan and seizure action plan must be completed by your child's physician.

Shelton **does not accept** Affidavits for Immunization Exemption due to Reasons of Conscience.

Medications: Medications should be in the original prescription bottle with the student's name or in the original package for over the counter medication. Please do not send medication with your student. An adult must bring all medication(s) to the clinic. A Medication form must be completed for each medication. (You can put more than one medicine on a form.) Forms can be found online at <https://www.shelton.org/parents/medical-forms> and are available in the clinic. Please do not try to give it to your child's teacher. If the directions on the bottle are different from how your child's doctor has told you to administer the medicine, please have your doctor's office fax or email the orders to Eve Herman at eherman@shelton.org.

Students are allowed to carry their inhalers. Students are also allowed to carry their epi-pens with a form completed by his/her physician.

Questions?

Contact Eve Herman, eherman@shelton.org

**Scan and email paperwork to eherman@shelton.org or
Fax paperwork to 972-408-4139**



The Shelton School

2022 - 2023

Parent Support Meeting Schedule

Make-up sessions will be required for missed meetings.

Thursday, September 8, 2022
6:30 PM

**SPA's Welcome Dinner to New
Parents**
followed by:
Overview of Learning Differences

Thursday, October 6, 2022
7:00 PM

Simulations of Learning Differences

Thursday, November 3, 2022
7:00 PM

Social Skills / Organization & Study Skills

Thursday, December 1, 2022
7:00 PM

**Oral & Written Language: Decoding,
Spelling, Comprehension & Composition**

Thursday, January 12, 2023
7:00 PM

Freedom From Chemical Dependency

Thursday, February 2, 2023
7:00 PM

Topic TBA, Virtual Event

Questions- please contact Laura Berand lberand@shelton.org, 972-774-1772 ext 2541

Ways to support Shelton

► **Volunteering for the SPA:**

If you would like to volunteer for SPA events, use this link: www.shelton.org/parents/parents-association/volunteer. There are opportunities for every skillset and time commitment. For more information or questions, contact the Volunteer Chair at spa.volunteer@shelton.org.

► **Annual Fund:**

The Annual Fund is Shelton's top philanthropic priority, and each year, we ask our Shelton community to help support the school's mission with a donation to the Annual Fund. Last year, the 2021-22 Annual Fund raised \$1,050,000 which surpassed our goal! As with most private schools, tuition alone does not cover the full cost of educating a Shelton student. The funds close the 15% gap (~\$3,500 per student) between tuition revenue and the school's operating expenses. Contributions allow opportunities and resources that would not otherwise be possible, from athletics and theater, to classroom technology and faculty development. The Annual Fund is also a critical assessment tool for outside organizations when awarding grant monies and support. For more information, visit <https://www.shelton.org/support-shelton/annual-fund>.

► **Shelton Stampede:**

The Stampede event is a benefit auction (live, silent and online), which occurs in the spring. The fun evening spent with friends includes a seated dinner and live music. The Stampede Co-chairs are already planning a kick off party for the fall and would love volunteers to assist with the planning and soliciting of the Stampede. Please reach out to spa.auction@shelton.org.

► **Charger Corral:**

The Corral, Shelton's school spirit wear store! Mention you are a new family at the store and you will receive 10% off your first order or enter "NEWFAMILIES" coupon code at <https://charger-corral.square.site> Shelton's online store. The store will be open Thursday 8/11 1-5pm, Monday 8/15 1-5pm, Wednesday 8/17 9am-3pm. Corral questions? Contact the Corral Chairs at spa.chargercorral@shelton.org

► **Charger PEN:**

The PEN store is a gently used uniform and spirit wear store. All items are \$5 each, and payment of cash or check may be placed in the lockbox in the PEN. The PEN will be open the same hours as the Corral for back to school shopping. Proceeds are gifted to the school at the end of the year. Questions regarding the PEN may be emailed to spa.chargerpen@shelton.org

► **Community Partners:**

From magazine subscriptions and grocery store rewards cards to Amazon Smile and Box Tops, these are easy ways Shelton earns money on purchases you make every day. Watch the SPA Scoop emailed on Tuesdays for more details. Email spa.communitypartners@shelton.org for any questions.

Grade Level Liaisons 2022-2023

EC/PP Brooke Payton OPEN Positions	Position	spa.gradeecandpp@shelton.org 214-343-2440
Primary - 1st/2nd Grade Chrissy Mantzuranis Katie Wells Brettne Hemley	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade1and2@shelton.org 918-740-2747 469-406-8271 713-256-7582
3rd/4th Grade Garnett Holmes Melanie Townsend Mica Hopkins Lauren Medina Heather McGhearty	Student Events Parent Events Communications Welcoming Chair Welcoming Chair	spa.grade3and4@shelton.org 214-385-6870 469-585-1170 817-939-6586 719-464-5491 972-948-1568
5th Grade Amy Morris Mock Diane Hatfield Alyssa Welwood	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade5@shelton.org 214-789-4656 972-880-4611 972-214-7633
6th Grade Corrie Shores Chaitalee Arora Lindsay Feldman	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade6@shelton.org 214-395-5476 469-347-2997 972-814-6268
7th Grade Anila Sundaram Heather Shell Christine Danuser	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade7@shelton.org 206-755-9458 704-236-8339 214-724-3105
8th Grade Julie Anne McDowell Joanna Cunningham Dorothy Wolf	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade8@shelton.org 214-403-0659 469-337-5895 214-335-0881
9th Grade Kristin Elvebak Jenny Dougherty Eleise Weisberg	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade9@shelton.org 214-289-1267 214-707-8835 214-929-9647
10th Grade Garnett Holmes Freida Wilson Barbara Milhizer	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade10@shelton.org 214-385-6870 214-714-1437 817-320-7992
11th Grade Deborah Cuzalina Amy Dodson Abbie DeBlank	Student Events Parent Events Communications	spa.grade11@shelton.org 214-287-8591 214-808-8460 214-502-8931\
12th Grade Laura Hurt Amber Carter	Student Events Parent Events	spa.grade12@shelton.org 214-695-5332 214-729-2583

Cindy Slavin
Amy Houston

Communications
Student Events

214-228-2490
303-524-5044