

July 2022

# THE DRAGON NEWS



The Monthly Newsletter of Silver Creek High School

## Important Dates

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| Freshmen Orientation (4-6) | July 26   |
| First Student Day          | July 28   |
| Physicals Night            | July 28   |
| Open House                 | Aug 4     |
| Picture Day                | Aug 5     |
| Seniors Jostens Meeting    | Aug 9     |
| Seniors Jostens Pickup     | Aug 17    |
| Senior Retreat             | Aug 29-31 |

## Free Physicals

All Silver Creek (High School and Middle School) student-athletes are invited and encouraged to take advantage of a sports physicals night on July 28th at 5pm in the Main Gym of the High School. There will be no charge for these sports physicals. All student-athletes are required to have a sports physical uploaded to their Final Forms account before their first official day of practice. For fall sports girls golf 1st official practice is set for 7/29, while all other fall sports are set to begin on August 1st. If you have not yet created an account on Final Forms you may do so by following this link: [Final Forms](#)

## Office Hours

The SCHS Office is open each day from 7:00 AM to 3:30 PM.

## Administrative Staff

Principal ..... Al Eckert  
 Asst Principal ..... Neil Losey  
 Asst Principal ..... Hannah Oliver  
 Athletic Director..... John Dablow  
 Site Manager..... Steve Doyle  
 Asst Athletic Director..... Ben Ahlbrand  
 Nurse ..... Casey Drane  
 Nurse ..... Geri Schweinhart  
 Cafeteria Manager ..... Valrie Brock  
 Treasurer ..... Debbie Yeker  
 Principal’s Secretary ..... Brailey Wyatt  
 Attendance Secretary..... Becky Amos  
 Office Secretary ..... Pam Horton  
 Counseling Secretary..... Tracy Hatter  
 Counselor (A-F)..... Emily Losey  
 Counselor (G-O)..... Amy Compton  
 Counselor (P-Z)..... Amanda Owen  
 Email: first initial and last name @scsc.school  
 (example: aeckert@scsc.school)

## Prosser Bus

SCHS students must ride the bus to Prosser. The AM bus leaves by Door B at 7:25 AM. PM students eat during Lunch A and catch the bus behind the cafeteria at 10:50 AM. The times are subject to change.

## Open House

SCHS Open House will be on Thursday, August 4th from 6:00 to 7:30. Please come in to meet the teachers, counselors, and building administrators.

## New Course: Community Service

Community Service will be offered during B3 and will be taught by Mrs. Amanda Ahlbrand. Students may earn up to two high school credits for completion of approved community service projects or volunteer service. Students will work in the SC Food Pantry, SCHS Laundry Service, and other service related work in the school and community. Recommended Grade: 11, 12 . Students interested in this course should contact their counselor.



## Free and Reduced Lunch Form for 22-23

The Free and Reduced Lunch form for 2022-2023 school year: [Free Reduced Form](#)

## Updated Locker Information

As stated in the June newsletter, we will not be assigning lockers that are in the sophomore and freshmen hallway. Lockers will be available to juniors and seniors *by request only*. You must have a locker partner and sign up in the main office by **August 3rd**. Unassigned lockers will be made available to Freshman and Sophomores (with a locker partner) beginning **August 4th**. Lockers will be available on a first come –first served basis. Students will be allowed to take their backpacks to class.

## Parking Update

An email went home to all students, parents, and guardians on January 13th. The entire front parking lot will be reserved for student parking. All students must have a permit to park. Parking will be enforced beginning on August 12th. Please refer to email or call the office for further information.

## New Teachers and Staff

As of July 18, new staff are as follows: **Mr. Josh Nale** will be teaching U. S. History, Government, and English 12. **Ms. Courtney Pierce** will be teaching English 9 and 11. **Mrs. Nikki Rice** will be teaching Advanced Child Development, Human Development, and Principles of Teaching. **Mr. Jeremy Risen** will be teaching Geography. **Mrs. Sarah Vaughn** will be teaching Biology. Joining us as new Special Education Assistants are **Ms. Sarah Shelton** and **Mrs. Rowena Longworth**. **Ms. Elisa Gonzalez** is our new EL Instructional Assistant.