

Scarborough High School

Red Storm News Quarter 2, Semester I 2022



Principal's Message

Dear Students, Families, and Staff,

Second quarter is beginning, the fall athletic season is wrapping up and teams have done very well, the musical LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS is up and running, and club groups and activities are in full gear! Our VEX Robotics Team has already had two groups make the state tournament! Other than a good stretch of rain which pulled us out of the drought at last, we have had a warm and colorful fall season. We ran a lot of testing in October and students worked hard and took the testing seriously, so a big note of appreciation to our freshmen, sophomores, and juniors for their hard work! We hope you enjoy all of the end of the year events and celebrations coming up. We will turn the calendar to 2023 during this quarter! Enjoy, be well, and be safe.



SHS Chorus News

On Sunday, October 2nd, twenty-five Scarborough High School choral students sang at Merrill Auditorium in a performance of Carl Orff's masterpiece, *Carmina Burana*! The concert featured ChoralArt and the Kotzschmar Organ, joined by guest singers from six Maine High Schools (Brunswick, Greely, Katahdin, Presque Isle, Rangeley Lakes, and Scarborough). The Portland Community Chorus, four percussionists, soloists Molly Harmon and Aaron Engebret, conductor Robert Russell, and organ virtuoso James Kennerley rounded out the lineup. We are so proud of our twenty-five SHS singers!

Soprano:

Yashu Derisala
Mayve Doherty
Natalie Jensen
Sarah Malayev
Katherine Medeiros
Ria Pasalic

Alto:

Elizabeth Aubrey
Grace Cummings
Andie Giraso
Chloe Hemingway
Kira Lovett

Caroline Lorello
Emma MacLeod
Ananda Mahoro
Alexis Marshall
Jersey Martin
Sydney Mueller
Ren Ciara Oenema
Adriana Ramirez
Hunter Young

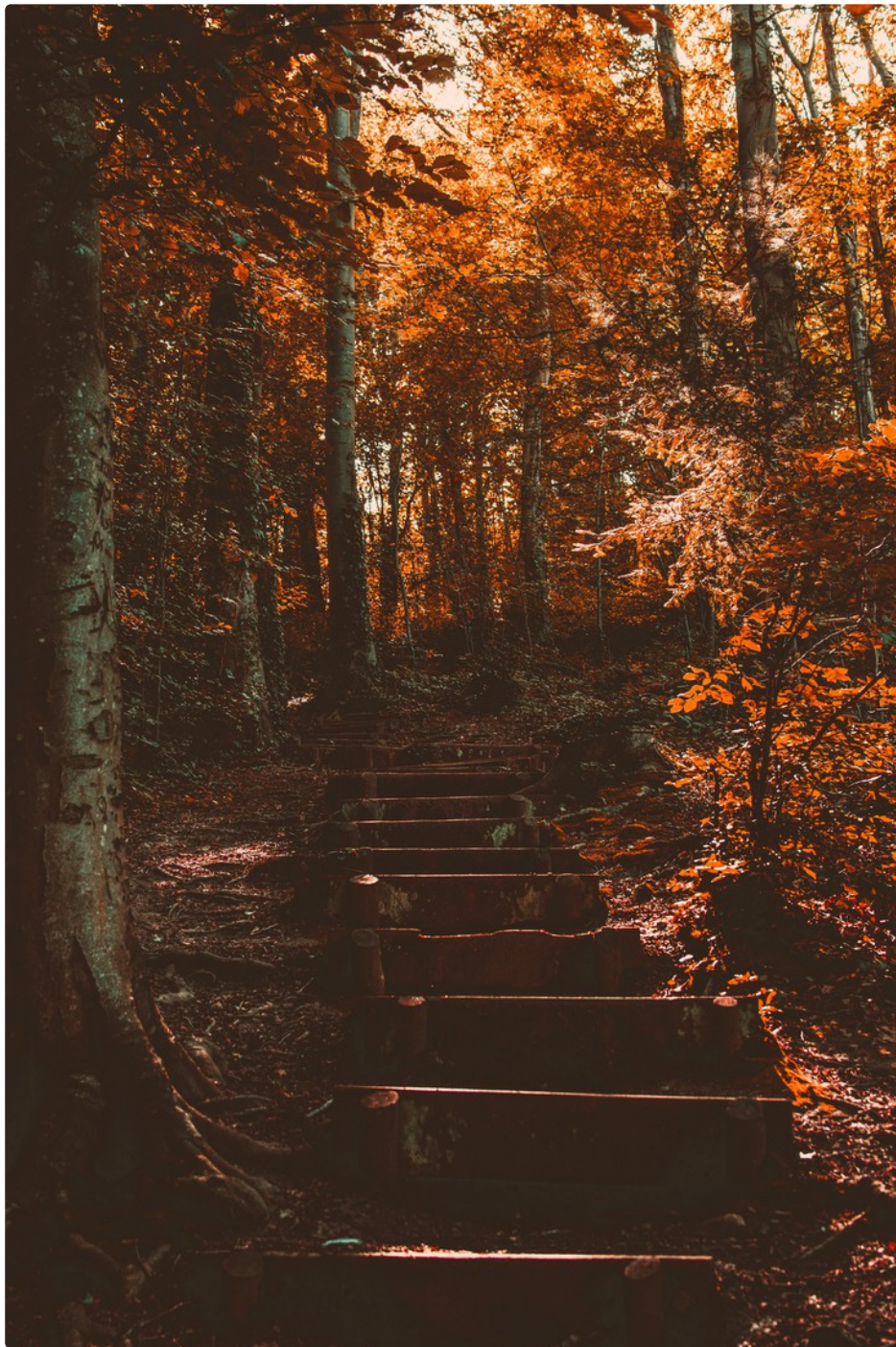
Tenor:

Max Chalmers
Lindsay Dodge
Olivia Richard

Bass:

Devin Smith
Dominic DeGrinney





What's Happening In Career Pathways?



Community Partners Connecting with Students for their Futures

We are immensely grateful to the following businesses and organizations for welcoming our students for internships, company tours, job shadows and informational meetings this fall.

Acapello Salons
Jøtul North America
Maine Properties LLC
Port Harbor Marine
Pattie Locke Photography
Scarborough Land Trust
Tech Air
UMaine Pulp & Paper Foundation
Valmet, Inc.
Wentworth School - Mr. Marshall's 3rd Grade

Join the Career Exploration Opportunities Google Classroom: GNFDLVX

SHS students are encouraged to join the Career Exploration Opportunities Google Classroom where they will find opportunities for job shadows, workshops, field visits, internships, employment opportunities and more. G-Classroom code: gnfdlvx

Parents interested in learning more about Career Pathways program opportunities for their students can visit our website or contact the program coordinator, Christy Zavasnik, czavasnik@scarboroughschools.org.

Career Exploration Field Visit to Valmet, Inc. in Biddeford

SHS seniors and future engineering students Phoebe Travis and Isaac Glidden visited Valmet, Inc. in Biddeford for an engineering career exploration day on October 26th. The event was sponsored by the UMaine Pulp & Paper Foundation and gave students an overview of the many pathways in engineering. Valmet staff welcomed students for an interactive tour of the shop floor and an opportunity to meet with engineers over lunch. Juniors who are thinking about engineering are encouraged to apply for the [Consider Engineering](#) summer program, applications open in January 2023!

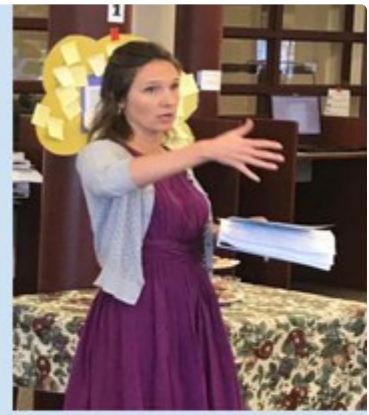
ACE Mentor Program

SHS students are now actively participating in weekly in-person workshops with architects, engineers and construction planners to learn about these professions. The ACE Mentor Program is made possible through volunteers from local architectural, construction and engineering firms. ACE mentors meet with students every Tuesday from 3:30-5:00 pm at South Portland High School from October through April in a program that includes meeting professionals in the field, learning some technical drawing, designing projects, virtual field visits to work sites and much more. SHS is represented by the following students this year: Isaak Gibel, Mason Chiapparo, Iris Weidner, Phoebe Travis, Ethan Keller, Hanniel Nyanutse and Evelyn Winslow.

JA “More than a Job” Healthcare Career Exploration Panel

Students interested in healthcare professions attended a live panel discussion on Zoom on October 26th in which they interacted with clinical and non-clinical panelists from Cary Medical Center, Southern Maine Healthcare, and Woodfords Family Services. Panelists shared their career paths and discussed how the healthcare industry provides job stability, job growth, and financial security, among other topics. This panel discussion is part of the Junior Achievement of Maine “More than a Job” program.





**The Learning Commons presented with English Teacher Annie Reiner
the 1st of 4 Book Events to 35 Students & Staff
on Thursday October 20th during block 4
We celebrated The memoir : *Educated* by Tara Westover**

**Our next celebration will take place in December with author Ed Crockett
(Munjoy Hill native & current Maine House Representative)
and his memoir *The Ghosts of Walter Crockett***

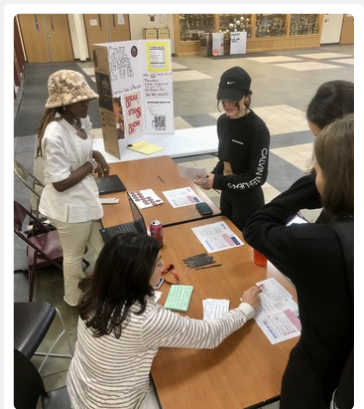
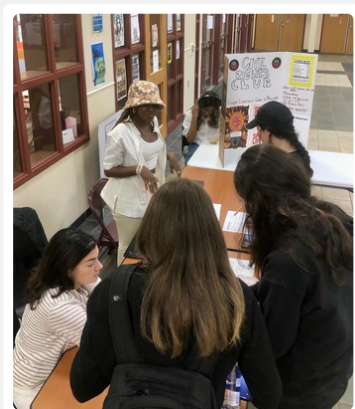
School Store - Holiday Store Sales - November 21-28, 2022

Coming in late November (prior to our Thanksgiving break) our vendor will make available the online store for one week.

Please look for an email notification with a direct link to make your holiday purchases of Red Storm apparel.



5th Annual Civil Rights Club Voter Registration Drive





Visual Arts News

Scholastic Art Award Competition and the 2023 Congressional Art Competition - Deadline: 12/12/22

The 2023 Maine Region Scholastic Art Award Competition and the 2023 Congressional Art Competition are underway! Students are invited to participate by submitting artwork for juried competitions. Last year, many Scarborough High School students won awards!

The Scholastics competition is open to students currently in grades 7–12 in all public, private, homeschooled and after school art programs. Students can compete in up to 18 different art categories, and may submit individual works of art or portfolios. The Scholastics national website is open for submissions for the 2020 competition.

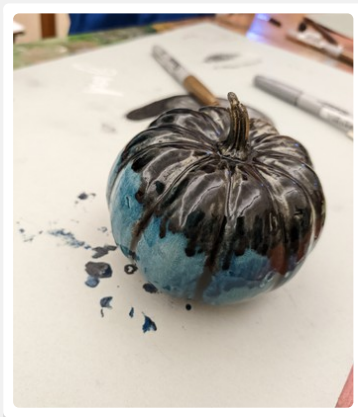
For complete details on student eligibility, competition categories, jury criteria, important dates and deadlines, and more, please see your art teacher or visit meca.edu/maine-region-art-awards/ and artandwriting.org.

Important Upcoming Dates:

- + Monday, Dec 12: Final day to submit artwork — no late entries will be accepted
- + March 2022: Exhibition at Maine College of Art (date and time TBD)

SHS Art Club is Back!

ART CLUB meets Fridays from 2:40-3:40 pm in room E106. Last year Art Club created a calendar of student artwork, collaborated on a puzzle-piece mural, participated in the Inktober challenge, carved stamps, tie-dyed T-shirts, and more. Last week Art Club members painted pumpkins! All students are welcome, but must register ahead of time through the FamilyID app. See Ms. Landry-Fowler for more information.



STEM Update

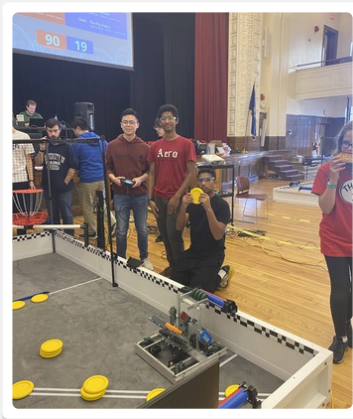
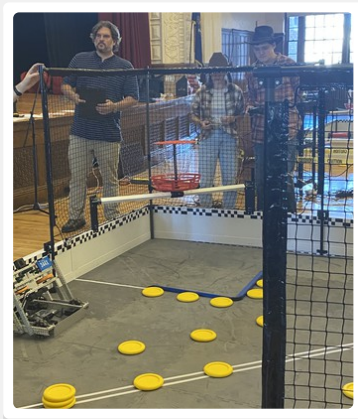
The STEM students are fully engaged in learning new programming languages, competing in a tower-building project, learning to code for robots, and basic app development.

The five classes of engineering students are building towers using the Fluor Engineering Company Design Challenge. Students using the engineering design process are given only materials of paper and tape to build the tallest structure which will hold a 1lb can of beans for a minute. The designs the students are using are being modeled from existing designs of tall structures from around the world.

Students in the Civil Engineering class (second-semester class) will be participating in The University of Maine Composite Center / Ocean Engineering Lab's Wind Turbine design challenge. This world-class facility will host hundreds of students in May. More to follow in later newsletters.

The Introduction to Robotics class is working on using robotics to help solve problems. Currently, they are building and coding robots to 'fight fires', using rubber band launchers as water cannons.

Students participating in Introduction to Computer science have just finished up their App development projects where they created their own basic App. They are learning the basics of coding and will be starting to work with physical computing incorporating circuit boards and robotics. With this students in both Intro to Computer Science and Robotics are also utilizing the Design Process and completing a passion project of their own design for Genius Hour.



VEX Robotics

The VEX Robotics teams (that's right - FOUR teams!) traveled to John Bapst on October 22nd for the first tournament of the robotics competition year. The team has grown from two teams of eight students to nearly 20 students comprising four teams. The success of the teams at the Maine State and World Championship in Dallas in the spring of 2022 has led to an increase in excitement and numbers. Expectations and standards are high, but the teams are putting in many hours of work and success is showing! Two of our teams (344R and 344Z) have already qualified for the State competition this February and Team 344Z has won a Design Award.



SHS Students Attend Hyde School Leadership Conference

On Thursday, November 3, 2022, a group of SHS students had the opportunity to attend the Hyde School Leadership Conference. Numerous workshops were held sharing ideas to learn how to be effective leaders in school communities. Our students are thankful for this opportunity and intend to use the information to plan events at SHS!



Sources of Strength

The Scarborough Sources of Strengths Group is reaching out to introduce itself to families. SOS is a national organization that works to engage peer leaders in spreading hope, help, and strength. This November SOS will specifically be working to implement strategies for asking for help and for accessing resources in 10th grade classrooms, and plans to do school-wide projects throughout the year.





ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

Athletics:

Winter Sports for 2022-2023 will begin Monday, November 21, 2022. If you have not completed the registration and would like to participate please use the link below.

<https://www.familyid.com/scarborough-high-school/winter-2022-2023-athletic-registrations>

- Unified Volleyball will have their first and only home match of the season on Wednesday, November 9 at 3:30PM. Come out and support the Red Storm!!!
- This past Saturday the boys and girls soccer teams both competed in the Class A State Championships. The boys would end their 2022 season as the runners up to eventual state champion Brunswick Dragons.
- Girls Soccer defeated Brunswick 1-0 in double overtime to become the Class A State Champions for 2022!!!!
- Congratulations to all our Fall 2022 Sports Teams!!

Activities:

- Oak Hill Players (OHP) is putting on Little Shop of Horrors this November. Use the link to purchase your tickets now: <https://www.scarboroughredstorm.org/ohptickets>
- Link to Activities Page & Registration: <https://shs.scarboroughschools.org/student-life/activities>

WALL TO WALL OF HORRORS!



Clinic Notes - November, 2022

IMMUNIZATIONS: Immunization requirements for students attending public schools have changed in recent years. In addition to the vaccines required for kindergarten entry, both a Tdap vaccine and one dose of MCV4 are required for all students entering 7th grade. Two doses of MCV4 are required for students entering 12th grade. If the first dose of MCV4 was administered on or after the 16th birthday, a second dose is not required. All students in grades K-12 need two doses of the varicella (chickenpox) vaccine for school entry. Please send updated immunization records to the clinic whenever your student receives a required vaccine.

MEDICATIONS: Students may not transport, carry, or self-administer prescription or non-prescription medication at school, with the exception of rescue inhalers, EpiPens, and certain other emergency medications. All medications administered at school require a new physician's order and written parental permission each year. Updated orders must also be on file for emergency medications that students may be carrying. Physician orders may be faxed directly to the clinic at 730-5196.

The clinic stocks Acetaminophen and Ibuprofen which may be administered to students as needed with parental permission. If you have not already done so this year, please complete online permission through the PowerSchool Parent Portal.

HEALTH: Please contact the clinic staff if your child has a health issue (acute or chronic) or sustains a physical injury that may require accommodations while at school.

ILLNESS: Students who have symptoms of respiratory or gastrointestinal infections, such as cough, fever, sore throat, vomiting, or diarrhea, should stay home. Students need to be free from fever, vomiting, and diarrhea for 24 hours without fever-reducing medication before returning to school.

COVID testing is recommended for individuals with symptoms of COVID prior to their return to school. If your student tests positive for COVID: If a student develops symptoms and tests positive for COVID, they must stay at home regardless of vaccination status. They should remain home for a full 5 days from the onset of symptoms or date of positive test. If their symptoms are improving, they may return to school on day 6, and they must wear a well-fitting mask for an additional 5 days upon their return.

If your student is exposed to COVID, but does not have any symptoms: As long as your student does not have any symptoms and is testing negative, they may attend school. It is recommended that the student mask for 10 days following their exposure and remain home if they develop symptoms. The CDC removed the recommendation for close contacts to quarantine, unless they are symptomatic.

Stacey Hang, RN 730-5017

Lisa Verzoni, RN 730-5016

Suzanne Kenney, Medical Assistant 730-5015



Yearbook News!

Lots has been happening at Scarborough High! Since the beginning of this school year, our yearbook staff have been covering these events in photos. This is the first year in three years where we can see many of our students smiling! We will continue throughout the remaining months to capture these moments for you!

Order a yearbook today: <https://www.jostens.com/#affiliate>

Create a memory by purchasing a parent ad in the yearbook.

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Frequently Asked Questions

How are the ad prices determined and what is the money used for?

Ad prices are determined by our school. The revenue from Recognition Ads helps support our yearbook and keep it affordable for everyone.

How is the ad deadline determined?

The ad deadline is set by our school based on the production schedule for the yearbook.

Can I create my student's ad on my mobile device?

Yes, yearbook ads can be created online from both desktop and mobile devices.

Can I send my materials to the school?

No, please do not send your materials to our school. Our school has selected Jostens to assist with our ad program. Please call our customer service number (800-358-0800) if you have questions or need assistance in creating your ad.

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Friday, November 4, 2022: QUARTER 1 ENDS

Tuesday, November 8, 2022: Election Day

Friday, November 11, 2022: NO SCHOOL - Veterans' Day

Friday & Saturday, November 11&12, 2022: Little Shop Of Horrors (Oak Hill Players) 7:30 pm

Sunday, November 13, 2022: Little Shop of Horrors (Oak Hill Players) 2:00 pm

Tuesday, November 15, 2022: Fall Concert - 7:00 pm

Wednesday, November 16, 2022: EARLY RELEASE DAY (12:55 pm dismissal)

Wednesday, November 23, 2022: NO SCHOOL

Thursday, November 24, 2022: NO SCHOOL - Thanksgiving

Friday, November 25, 2022: NO SCHOOL

Wednesday, December 7, 2022: Parent Meeting (6:00 pm - Zoom)

Wednesday, December 14, 2022: EARLY RELEASE DAY (12:55 pm dismissal)

Thursday, December 22, 2022: NO SCHOOL - (Winter Break - through Jan. 2, 2023)

Tuesday, January 3, 2023: Classes Resume

Tuesday, January 10, 2023: Winter Concert (7:00 pm) Snow Date = January 13, 2022

Monday, January 16, 2023: NO SCHOOL - Martin Luther King Jr. Day

January 17-20, 2023: Mid Term Exams

Friday, January 20, 2023: Quarter 2/Semester 1 Ends

2022-2023 [District Calendar](#)



New Safety and Security System for All Visitors to SHS

Scarborough Public Schools will begin to use the Raptor Visitor Management System in all of our schools to strengthen our program of campus safety for students and staff. Part of keeping students and staff safe is knowing who is in our buildings at all times, and the Raptor system allows us to do that. The Raptor system assists in screening visitors, contractors, and volunteers in our schools and provides a safer environment for our students and staff.

What to Expect:

- Upon being allowed through the exterior door of a district building and navigating to the main office as you have always done, visitors will be asked to present a photo ID such as a driver's license.
- Your ID will either be scanned or manually entered into the system by office personnel at the transaction window.
- Once cleared, you will receive a pre-printed badge with your photo on it.
- You will then be directed to the appropriate location that you are going to.
- This badge must be worn at all times when in the building.
- When in the building, you are only approved to go to the specific location requested. You should not go to any other area of the building without returning to the main office for approval.
- When leaving the building, return to the main office and sign out with office personnel.

What does the Raptor System do?

- The Raptor system checks to ensure that registered sex offenders are not entering our school campuses without our knowledge. It checks the visitor's name and date of birth for comparison with a national database of registered sex offenders. **The registered sex offender database is the only official database. No other data from the ID is gathered or recorded, and the information is not shared with any outside agency.**
- The Raptor system will also check for any court issued custodial orders, restraining orders and other custom alerts as established by the School District.
- Once entry is approved, a badge that identifies the visitor, the date, and the purpose of his/her visit will be printed and given to the visitor to wear.

The safety of our students is our highest priority, and the Raptor visitor management system allows us to quickly identify those that may present a danger to our students. Thank you in advance for your understanding and your support in enhancing the school safety protocols in our district.



2022-23
SHS Building Supports

Principal:

- Susan J. Ketch, 730-5002, sketch@scarboroughschools.org
- Karen Sprague, Admin. Assistant, 730-5002, ksprague@scarboroughschools.org
- Paula Davis, Attendance/Receptionist, 730-5000, pdavis@scarboroughschools.org

Assistant Principals:

- Jacob Brown, 730-5133, jabrown@scarboroughschools.org
- Nathan Theriault, 730-5101, ntheriault@scarboroughschools.org
- Lisa Manning, Admin. Assistant, 730-5102, lmanning@scarboroughschools.org

Director of Athletics and Activities:

- Michael LeGage, 730-5012, mlegage@scarboroughschools.org
- Jordan Ferreira, Asst. for Athletics & Activities, 730-5086, jferreira@scarboroughschools.org
- Heather Paonessa, Admin. Assistant, 730-5012, hpaonessa@scarboroughschools.org

Study Center:

- Chris Hasson, 730-5117, chasson@scarboroughschools.org
- Chris Hayward, 730-5114, chayward@scarboroughschools.org
- Kimberly Clark, 730-5115, kclark@scarboroughschools.org

Student Services:

- Ryan Soucie, Counselor, 730-5024, rsoucie@scarboroughschools.org (Gr. 10 & 12: A-K)
- Amy LaBelle, Counselor, 730-5026, alabelle@scarboroughschools.org (Gr.10&12; L-Z)
- Wendy Spaulding, Counselor, 730-5023, wspaulding@scarboroughschools.org (Gr. 9 & 11: A-K)
- Alison Lane, Counselor, 730-5025, alane@scarboroughschools.org (Gr. 9 & 11: L-Z)
- Scott Harris, Senior Placement Counselor, 730-5031, sharris@scarboroughschools.org
- Jaclyn D'Annibale, Social Worker, 730-5029, jdannibale@scarboroughschools.org
- Christina Gerber, Social Worker, 730-5028, cgerber@scarboroughschools.org
- Elise Lehotsky, Social Worker, 730-5020, elehotsky@scarboroughschools.org
- Bill Messer, Student Assistance Counselor, 730-5022, wmesser@scarboroughschools.org
- Amy Ranco, Social Worker, 730-5027, aranco@scarboroughschools.org
- Vickie Sutyak, Admin. Assistant, 730-5020, vsutyak@scarboroughschools.org
- Betsy Henderson, Sr. Placement Admin. Assistant, 730-5030, ehenderson@scarboroughschools.org

School Resource Officer:

- Mike Beeler, 730-5014, mbeeler@scarboroughschools.org

Building Ed Techs:

- Tim Coombs, Safety & Vocational Students, 730-5009, tcoombs@scarboroughschools.org
- David Yeo, Safety & Attendance, 730-5005, dyeo@scarboroughschools.org

Nurses:

- Stacey Hang, 730-5015, shang@scarboroughschools.org
- Lisa Verzoni, 730-5016, lverzoni@scarboroughschools.org
- Suzanne Kenney, Medical Assistant, 730-5015, skenney@scarboroughschools.org

2022-2023 SHS Counselor and Assistant Principal Caseloads

| | Grades 9 and 11 | | Grades 10 and 12 | |
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| | Counselor | Administrator | Counselor | Administrator |
| Student Names A-K | Wendy Spaulding (x5023) 9th Grade A-K 11th Grade A-K | Jake Brown (x5133) 9th Grade (All) 11th Grade (All) | Ryan Soucie (x5024) 10th Grade A-K 12th Grade A-K | Nate Theriault (x5101) 10th Grade (All) 12th Grade (All) |
| Student Names L-Z | Alison Lane (x5025) 9th Grade L-Z 11th Grade L-Z | | Amy LaBelle (x5026) 10th Grade L-Z 12th Grade L-Z | |



