

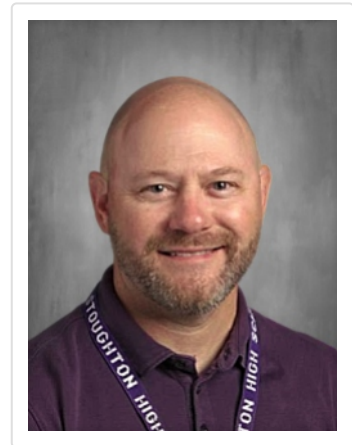
SHS Weekly News

December 9, 2022

A Message from Mr. Kruse, Principal

Students and Families,

I hope everyone is well. December is flying by and the Madrigal Dinner is already this weekend! Best of luck to Mr. Casey and all the singers. A special thanks to everyone who helped make the dinner happen. Thank you for your continued support!



As you may know, we experienced a power outage at SHS this morning. We are back on track now and are finishing the day as usual. Thank you to all for your patience and flexibility in navigating the morning's sudden changes.

We continue to see an uptick in student absences. Please take care of yourselves and be mindful of your well-being.

Inclement weather season is starting. If school is delayed or closed you will be notified by automated call. Information will be posted on the District website, and local radio and TV stations will begin broadcasting any morning school closings by 6:30am.

Have a wonderful and safe weekend,
MJK



School Calendar Survey: 2023-2024

Work on the 2023-2024 school year calendar has begun. Last school year we made a commitment to gain family and staff feedback on the calendar and would appreciate you taking a moment to complete the brief survey found below. Submissions are due by end of day, Thursday, December 15.

[Calendar Survey](#)



Holiday Wishes to SASD Staff

Mailing out holiday cards and want to send cheer to an SASD staff member? Please consider sending a personalized card to a SASD staff member you appreciate! We love to hear from families, former students, and community members. Holiday cards can be sent to :

Stoughton Area School District
C/O: Brianna Huebner
320 North Street
Stoughton, WI 53589

Ms. Huebner will distribute the letters to staff members throughout the next few weeks. Please make sure to note which staff member should receive it.

How to Protect Against Cold Season



Cold season seems to have arrived earlier this year than usual. We're seeing cases of respiratory viruses circulating, primarily RSV, and prevention is key to protecting your child and yourself. To learn more about RSV prevention and how to handle symptoms, click the button below.

[RSV Information](#)



Working for Kids: Giving Tree 2022

We need your help! We have LOTS of tags left for the Giving Tree - all physical tags that were remaining at our local businesses have been transferred to the SignUpGenius. Please spread the word to help make a happy holiday for Stoughton children in need!

Click below for the SignUpGenius link. If you're interested in donating money instead, please reach out to KegonsaWFK@gmail.com.

Thank you for your support!

Working for Kids: Giving Tree 2022



Future Educators Through Literacy

Calling all Juniors and Seniors! Are you interested in becoming a teacher or working with children after high school? We are excited to offer a new class 2nd Semester called Future Educators through Literacy. In this course, you will learn about becoming a leader, Service Project Development, and Overcoming Adversity. Additionally, our class will mentor in our elementary schools three days a week.

Applications are required for this class. Please see [Mrs. Anderson](#) in Room 130C or your counselor to get registered.



ANTIRACISM PROJECT

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Antiracism Project: December Resources

We are highlighting two events in December: International Day of Persons with Disabilities (December 3) and Human Rights Day (December 10). Click on the button below to see the resources the LMS team has compiled for your review with your children this month.

Resources are sorted in two parts: 1. Elementary students and 2. Middle and High School students.

Antiracism Project: December

High School Pickup Guidelines

Reminder: **Parents and taxis are not allowed to park in the bus loading zone, including lining up behind the buses.**



When parents block this access for buses, this prevents all buses from entering and leaving the parking lot, and has made for a few near-contact situations as buses or vehicles try to leave.

Buses have a lot of blind spots, especially near the bus. Having smaller vehicles in the same vicinity of the buses during pickup is a safety hazard.

Do not pull in directly behind the buses in the front lot. Utilize visitor parking, or meet your student on Lincoln Street.

Madrigal Dinner Volunteers Needed

The Madrigal Dinner, presented by [Mr. Ryan Casey](#), SHS Choirs, and River Bluff Valhalla Singers, will be Saturday and Sunday, December 10-11. This event requires help from hundreds of volunteers. Shifts start on Monday, December 5 and run through Monday, December 12.



Your help is needed in making certain that this treasured tradition of more than 40 years can continue for many more years to come. Please volunteer to lend a hand. Every space is important, and it is also a lot of fun. Meet other parents and support the choir programs at the same time! If you're interested, please click the button below to sign up. Thank you!

Madrigal Dinner Volunteering

SHS Madrigal Dinner Tickets

Madrigal Dinner tickets go on sale Friday, November 11 and will be available until they sell out! There are only two shows this year: Saturday, Dec. 10 and Sunday, Dec. 11. To purchase, please click the button below, tickets are only available online.



We hope to see you at the 46th Annual Madrigal Dinner!

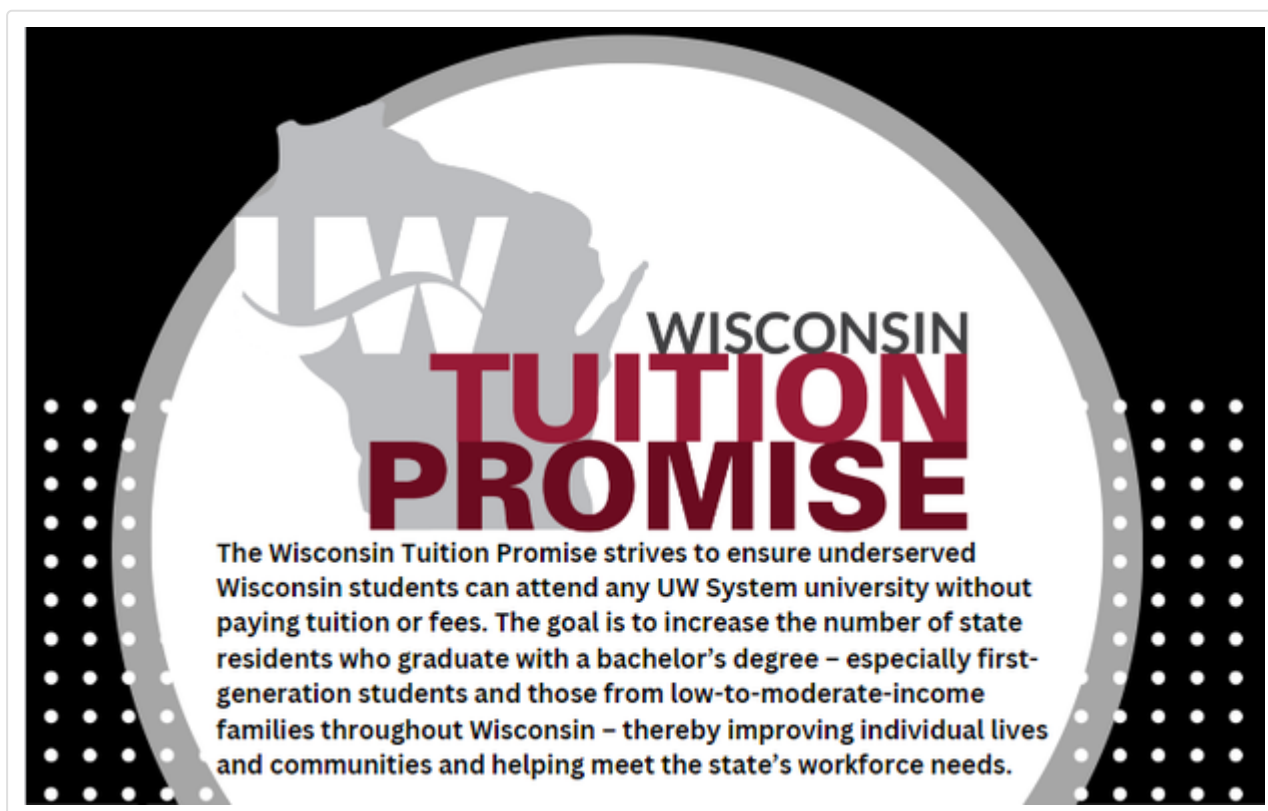
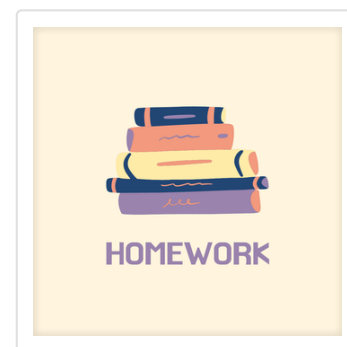
Madrigal Dinner Ticket Ordering

Homework Club

Academic Coaching will be after school until 4:45pm in the SHS library on the following dates in December:

- Thursday, Dec. 15

Please contact [Ms. Katy Mullen](#) with any questions.



Wisconsin Tuition Promise Info

Graduation Orders

Hello Senior Families!

Just a quick note from Midwest Scholastic to let you know that the class of 2023 has received packets regarding graduation (caps and gowns, graduation announcements, party invitations, senior apparel, etc.).

[Here is a short overview video.](#)



On the packets, there is a one-time QR code to enter a student's name as it should appear on their diploma. Please make sure your student completes this. The school staff will be confirming these names and will contact you with any questions.

You can place your order online by clicking the button below. Payment in full is required if you order online. If you order apparel marked with an asterisk, including online orders, your apparel will be available for pick up at our table on order day.

If you have any questions regarding this or anything else with the ordering process, please email Midwest Scholastic at questions@mwscholastic.com.

Class of 2023 Graduation Ordering



A Message from Ms. Alexander, Athletic Director

Dear Viking Families,

We are in need of workers for our winter events. We have a bunch of openings for all of our sports. Please sign up - We appreciate your volunteering, without your help these events could

not take place! Thank you!

[Boys Basketball Sign Up](#)

[Boys Swimming Sign Up](#)

[Girls Basketball Sign Up](#)

Wrestling - Coordinated by Bob Empey

Boys Hockey - Coordinated by Center Ice Club

Girls Hockey - Coordinated by Power Play Hockey

Thank you,
Andie Alexander

Athletic Schedules

Pre-Order Athletic Tickets

Transcript Requests over Holiday Breaks

To all seniors applying to colleges over the upcoming holiday breaks, please note that transcript requests will not be processed when school is not in session. To avoid missing important college deadlines, please make sure your transcript requests are submitted to Parchment prior to break.



Parchment: Transcript Requests



Board Bites

SASD Food Services

November Board Bites

Take a look at November's recap in the Monthly Food Service Report from Jacob Kleven, SASD Food Services Director, by clicking the button below.

[November Food Service Report](#)

ORDER YOUR
YEARBOOK
TODAY!

Yearbook Entry Info for Seniors

Yearbook Purchasing 22-23

SHS Daily Schedule 22-23



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Athletic Office: 877.5622

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Ms. Hrodey, Associate Principal: 877.5605

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