

SHS Weekly News

January 27, 2023

A Message from Mr. Kruse, Principal

Students and Families,

Welcome to Second Semester. Students, great job completing the first half of the year and wonderful job this week kicking off the last half!

We have already started to plan for next year. Students will begin the class selection process for the 2023-2024 school year in February.

There are many activities this weekend and next week. Please see the SHS Athletics & Activities section below for more information. Good luck and GO VIKINGS!! Thank you all for your support.

Have a wonderful and safe weekend,
MJK

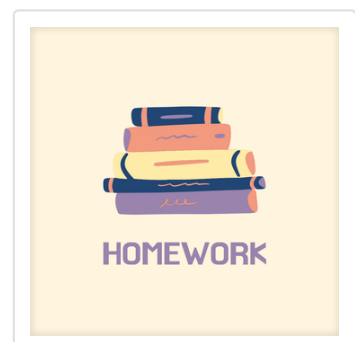


SHS Daily Schedule 22-23

Homework Club

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

- Tuesday, Feb. 7th
- Thursday, Feb. 9th
- Thursday, Feb. 16
- Tuesday, Feb. 21
- Thursday, Feb. 23

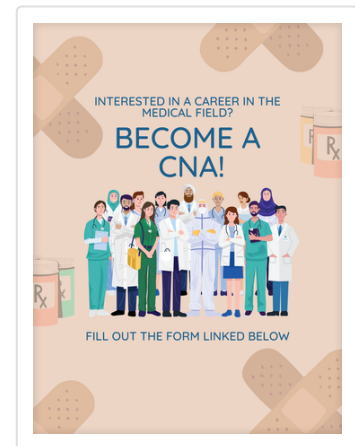


- Tuesday, Feb. 28

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

Are You Interested In Being a CNA Fall 2024?

SHS partners with MATC to offer a CNA class. If you have any interest in taking the CNA course in the Fall semester of the 23-24 school year based on the description below please fill out the application linked **below** and return it to Ms. Schoemer (via email or physical copy) by **Wednesday, March 1st**. Completing the application does not mean you are locked into taking the course, however, students cannot take the course without it. Again, if you are at all interested please complete the application. If you have any questions please feel free to email [Ms. Schoemer](#) or [Mr. Stokes](#).

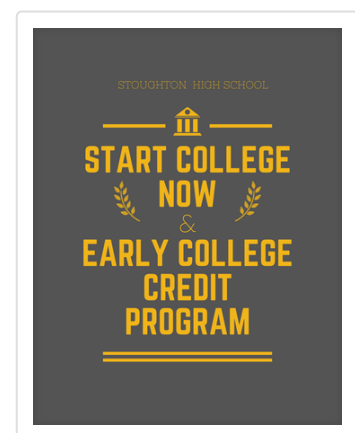


The Nursing Assistant class is a great jump start to a career in health sciences and is a prerequisite for acceptance into most college level health science programs. This hybrid course is taught by MATC staff and combines online instruction, on-site lab instruction, and community-based clinical experience. Students who complete the course successfully earn 3 college credits from MATC and are eligible to take the state certification exam (written and skill) and be listed on the Wisconsin Nurse Aide Registry.

CNA Course Application

Start College Now/Early College Credit Program - Fall 2023

If you are an upperclassman who has exhausted courses in an area of interest and are looking for more opportunities, consider taking college courses through the Start College Now (through MATC) or Early College Credit Program (through a four year school). This program allows students to explore additional educational opportunities that the school district would pay for while earning college credit. Simply completing the application does not guarantee that a course will be available or work within the school credit requirements but does open the door to the possibility. For the Fall of 2023, we need your applications by **Wednesday, March 1st** in order to be considered. Late applications will not be



accepted. If you have any interest please see your counselor or [Ms. Schoemer](#). The application links are listed below.

Start College Now

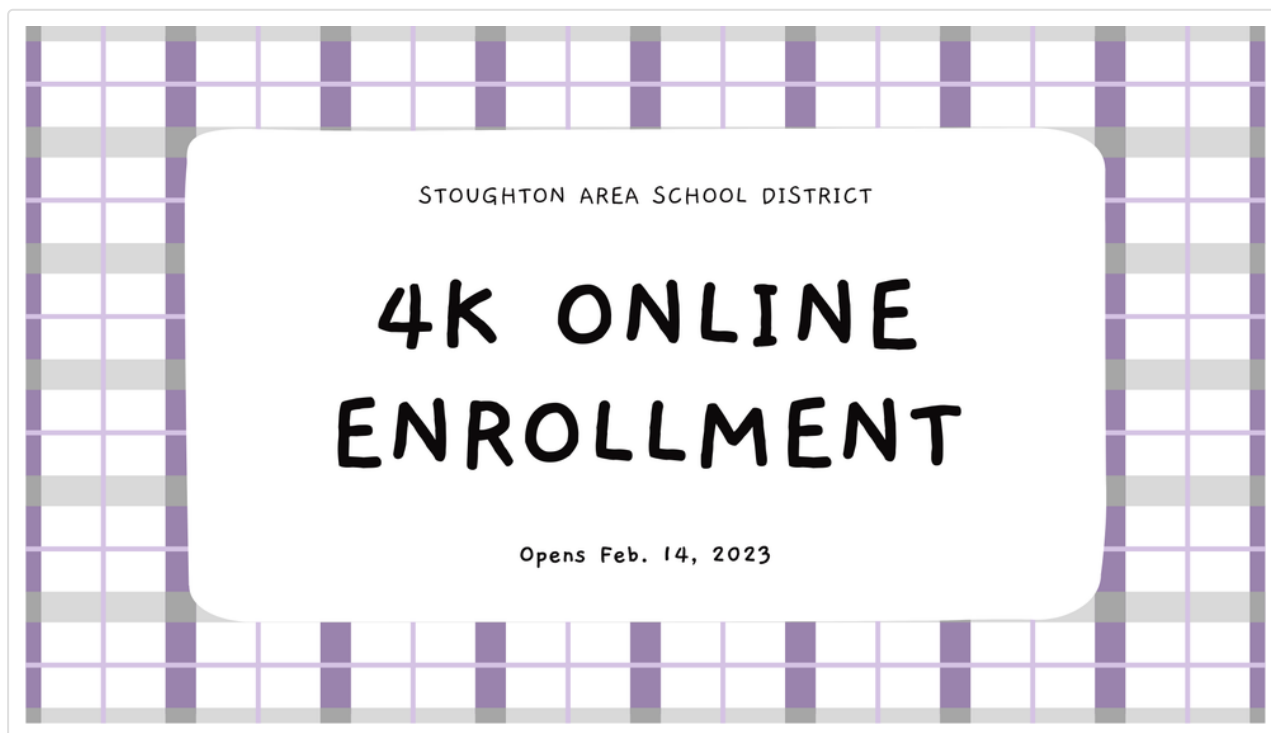
Early College Credit Program

SASD, SHS, & STOUGHTON COMMUNITY
INFORMATION

**STOUGHTON AREA
SCHOOL DISTRICT
SAFETY
INITIATIVE**

Upcoming Safety Initiative

As the School District continues to build its partnerships with public safety agencies, we're pleased to announce that starting February 1, the public safety team will be visiting schools as part of a new safety initiative. The team includes members of the Stoughton Police Department, Fire Department, and EMS. Students and staff can expect an increased presence of community partners in the schools at that time. The goal of the initiative is to educate students about important topics like gun safety and crime prevention. Please feel free to reach out with any questions.



4K Online Enrollment Opens February 14, 2023

If you are interested in enrolling your child for the 2023-2024 school year, please go to www.stoughton.k12.wi.us on February 14 to enroll.

More information is forthcoming. Please reach out to [Sara Jane Lee](#) for any questions.

Upcoming Student Survey for Grades 5-12

SASD students in grades 5-12 will have the opportunity to participate in the School Perceptions Student Life Survey. The survey is designed to measure a student's engagement at school. It will provide our district with answers to important questions, such as:

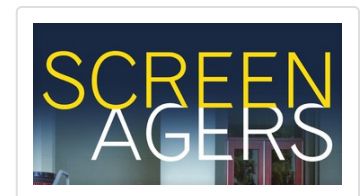


- What practices and policies help our students learn, and what barriers are in the way?
- Do students feel supported?
- What could be done to increase student involvement, both in and out of the classroom?

Students will receive the survey by email and our staff will provide an opportunity for students to take the survey during the school day. The survey is online and takes approx. 10 minutes to complete. Once the survey is done, District and school leaders will receive a summary report that will provide valuable insight into areas of strength and the next steps for improvements in the quality of our students' experiences. The student survey window is from February 1 until February 15.

The survey is not a test, and students' grades will not be affected by their responses or participation. If you consent for your student to participate in this screening no action is needed. If you do not consent, please contact your child's building principal no later than **January 25**.

Screenagers Movie Screening



River Bluff and Stoughton Wellness Coalition are hosting a virtual screening of the Movie "Screenagers". The movie reveals how tech time impacts kids' development and also offers solutions on how adults can empower their kids to best navigate the digital world to find balance. The movie will be available on-demand from January 23 to February 6. If you and your family are interested in watching the movie trailer or signing up for the screening, please click the button below. There are limited copies available so please be sure to sign up ahead of time.

Screenagers Movie

Antiracism Project: Educating for Equity, January Resources



SASD is highlighting two events in January: Martin Luther King Jr Day (January 17) and International Holocaust Remembrance Day (January 27). The LMS team has compiled the following resources for your review with your children this month.

Resources are sorted in three parts: 1. General resources for adults & community, 2. Resources for elementary students and 3. Resources for middle & high school students.

SASD Antiracism Project, January Resources

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.



STOUGHTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW LIVING IN ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES?

Sharing the housing of others due to a loss of housing, economic hardship, foreclosure, eviction, or similar reason

Living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or campgrounds due to lack of other adequate options

Living in transitional living or emergency shelters

Abandoned in hospitals; awaiting foster care placement

Living in places not designed or intended as sleeping accommodations for humans

Living in cars, parks, abandoned buildings, bus stations, or similar locations

Migratory children in any of the above situations

A youth not living with a parent/guardian and in one of the above situations

FOR ASSISTANCE WITH RECEIVING SERVICES,
CONTACT YOUR SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER

Carly Kolb
Fox Prairie & River Bluff
(608) 877-5554

Kayla McDermot
Kegonsa & Sandhill
(608) 877-5425

Teresa Hermanson
High School & 4K
(608) 877-5613

SHS COLLEGE & CAREER PREP

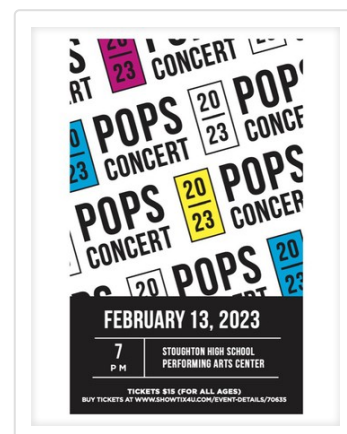


ACT Info Letter

SHS ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

SHS Pops Concert 2023

The annual Pops Concert will be taking place on Monday, February 13 at 7 PM in the high school Performing Arts Center. This concert features the high choirs as well as 18 selected soloists. Everyone will be performing with a live house band that is made up of professional touring musicians. We even bring in extra sound and lighting to take this concert to the next level. The link to purchase tickets is located below.



SHS Pops Concert 2023 - Tickets



SHS Prom 2023

Save the date for Prom 2023 on Saturday, April 15th! Prom will be held at the Overture Center for the Arts in Madison from 8:00pm - 11:00pm. Tickets are \$40 and will be available on Ticket Spicket, link to follow in the future. If you have any other questions, please get in touch with [Ms. Mullen](#) by email or phone at (608) 877-5773.

SHS Athletics Schedule

Friday 1/27:

Wrestling home JV 5:30pm/Varsity 7pm start

Boys Basketball at Beaver Dam JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Boys Ice Hockey Home starting at 7:30pm

Saturday 1/28:

Wrestling Varsity Scramble at Deerfield starting at 9:30am

Girls Basketball at home vs Waunakee JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Tuesday 1/31:

Girls basketball at Middleton JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Boys basketball at home vs DeForest JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Boys Hockey at DeForest starting at 7:15pm

Thursday 2/2:

Girls Basketball at home vs Milton JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Friday 2/3:

Boys Basketball vs Watertown JV starts at 5:45pm/Varsity starts at 7:15pm

Boys Ice Hockey vs Milton at 7:15pm

Saturday 2/4:

Wrestling at Milton starting at 9am

Boys Swimming at Monona Grove starting at 10am

Girls Ice Hockey home vs Onalaska starting at 3pm



Spring Athletics Registration Instructions

1. Login to the [Infinite Campus Parent Portal](#).
2. Select "School Store" on the left hand side.
3. Select "Stoughton High School"
4. Select "Athletics."
5. Select the sport for which you are registering.
6. Under recipient, select the student who is registering for the sport from the drop down menu.
7. Scroll down to the list of Required Forms. Click on each form and enter the information needed in each fillable field.
8. At the very bottom of each form, there will be a spot to sign. Click on the red icon to complete your signature and then click on "Submit."
9. After all forms have been completed, add the sport to your cart.
10. Click on "My Cart," and checkout for \$0.00 by clicking "Submit." (There is no fee to complete the registration. Sport fees will be added to Infinite Campus after all sport seasons have begun and rosters have been formed.)
11. Your student will need to login to the [Infinite Campus Student Portal](#) to sign the forms as well - they will appear on their home screen under "Documents."



Registration opens Tuesday, February 7.

Spring Athletics Registration: How-To Video

Spring Sports Meetings

Spring Sports Meetings will be split into two sets of spring sports.

Monday Feb 27th @ 6pm -

- Track & Field: Main Gym
- Softball: MPR

Monday March 6th @ 6pm -

- Baseball: Main Gym
- Girls Soccer: Library
- Boys Golf: Large Cafeteria
- Boys Tennis: Small Cafeteria

Lacrosse will not have a Stoughton meeting. Please make sure you are in communication with Oregon.

Athletic Schedules

Pre-Order Athletic Tickets

ORDER YOUR
YEARBOOK
TODAY!

Yearbook Entry Info for Seniors

Yearbook Purchasing 22-23



Stoughton High School

Athletic Office: 877.5622

Attendance Office: 877.5608

Counseling Office: 877.5618

Mr. Kruse, Principal: 877.5601

Ms. Hrodey, Associate Principal: 877.5605

Ms. Schoemer, Associate Principal: 877.5603

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