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Serving students, parents and our community

Improving the Student Experience: Student Wellness Task Force

Danielle E. Mikula, District Administrator



Summer is a time when school leaders do a lot of reflecting on the previous school year. What have we heard from students and parents, and how can we learn from that to improve outcomes for our kids? While it is true that there are many celebrations we can point to and cherish at South Shore, this article is not about those. This article is about the needs we are seeing, and an invitation for parents or community members to get more involved in solutions.

The Need

Recently, concerns were brought to my attention by a parent representing other parents, regarding bullying. This is an issue that plagues school-aged children across the country, and one that I take very seriously. On our stakeholder input surveys, we noticed themes from all groups (students, parents and staff) that social and emotional support of students is something we need to focus more on. Every child should feel safe, loved, and supported at school. If even one child does not, we need to do better. And schools can't do it alone.

Families matter very much when it comes to teaching children the attitudes and mindsets about how we treat one another at school. Bullying behavior is not just a childhood problem; it is a pervasive human problem. It is up to all of the adults to be positive models for our children, and to hold them accountable with firm support when they make mistakes.

Staff Identified Goals

At the beginning of the 2023-2024 school year, the South Shore School District implemented structures for collaborative teams of teachers to meet on a weekly basis to set common goals, identify essential standards, analyze and respond to student academic achievement data, and discuss instructional practices. Within these teams, staff reviewed the data from multiple sources including student and parent surveys to identify specific areas of focus for the 2024-2025 school year. I am going to highlight two of those recommended areas of focus from our teams:

1. *Family Involvement & Communication:* Families are essential members of a child's educational team, and staff recognize the need for improved communication with families, specifically at the high school level. Staff suggest starting the year with providing opportunities for teaching families how to use Skyward Family Access. They also suggest selecting a common communication tool for 7-12 teachers to communicate with families and identifying ways to bring families into the building beyond parent teacher conferences. We would like to do a better job of creating more and more opportunities for our community and parents to be in our building and feeling deeply connected at school.
2. *Develop South Shore's Universal Wellness/ Social and Emotional Learning System:* Staff recognize that there is a strong correlation between social and emotional learning and academic learning. South Shore has Positive Behavior Interventions & Supports (PBIS) and social and emotional skill instruction occurring in pockets throughout the district, but there are inconsistencies across grade levels, classrooms, and environments. Staff have identified that there is a need for consistency and training, both on universal systems and structures as well as on individualized strategies and interventions. Our team suggested revamping our student wellness/PBIS structures and having a system or program that teaches and supports students with building self-regulation skills, recognizing and preventing bullying, problem solving skills, relationship skills. and life skills. They have also

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identified that there is a need for training and instruction for all staff who interact with students.

An Invitation for Involvement

Toward the end of June, we pulled a group of staff together to reflect again on the most recent feedback, and to generate ideas and consider next steps for having more parent and student voice in our planning around student wellness for the 24-25 school year. We have a large list of ideas for increasing parent involvement in our schools, improving communication and teamwork with our families, but we want to hear from you as well. Our Student Wellness/PBIS team is inviting parents and students to be a part of some of the planning meetings as a task force. Our work will be to develop specific actions that we can take to make sure we are constantly improving the student experience at South Shore. This work is aligned with our strategic plan which addresses the engagement and satisfaction of families and the social and emotional wellbeing of our students.

If you are invested in being a part of a positive and dedicated team who loves our school and wants it to be the best that it can be for our kids, I hope you will consider being a part of this student wellness task force. Leaning into concerns and unifying together around solutions is the way that we can make a positive impact that our kids will feel. When parents, teachers, and administrators can work together to gain new awareness into these complex issues, we are able to make a difference for children. The kids are counting on us.

**If you would like to be a part of our student wellness/PBIS task force, or have concerns or ideas to share, email Dani Mikula at: dmikula@sshore.k12.wi.us*



Registration for Students New to the District

Families new to the district who have child/ren to enroll for the first time are requested to register them as soon as possible.

To enroll your child you will need their most recent report card, the name and address of the most recent school attended, social security number, copy of their birth certificate, and their immunization records.

Immunizations required for the 2024-2025 include: 2 through 4-year olds: 4 DTP/DTaP/DT, 3 Polio, 1 MMR, 3 Hepatitis B and 1 varicella (chickenpox) vaccine. Chickenpox disease history is also acceptable.

Students in **kindergarten through 7th grade** need the following: 4 DTP/DTaP/DT/Td, 4 Polio, 2 MMR, 3 Hepatitis B and 2 varicella (chickenpox) vaccine. Chickenpox disease history is also acceptable. 1 Tdap at seventh grade and 1 MenACWY-containing vaccine at seventh grade.

12th grade also includes 1 MenACWY-containing booster (2nd dose in series).

To register your child/ren or if you need additional information please call Diana Reijo at 715-774-3159.

The school district also needs the names and ages of all children that reside in the district whether or not they attend school at South Shore.



SOUTH SHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT JOB VACANCIES

The South Shore School District is accepting applications for the 2024-25 school year.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

- 4K-12 Phy Ed/Health Teacher - FTE: 1.0 Please contact Dani Mikula, District Administrator for information at dmikula@sshore.k12.wi.us or by phone at 715-774-3167.
- Coaching positions: Assistant Football, Middle-School Girls Basketball, Assistant Boys Basketball, Girls Basketball. Please contact David Gustafson, Athletic Director for information at dgustafson@sshore.k12.wi.us.

Position Closing Date: Until Filled

The School District of South Shore is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

The South Shore Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all applications based upon the best interests of the district.



Spotlight on Student Learning: Summer School

Michelle Simpson, 4K-12 Principal & Director of Curriculum & Instruction

Learning doesn't stop in the summer - it just looks a little different! In the month of June, over fifty students returned to South Shore to join in on the fun of summer school. Here are just a few of the highlights from our first few weeks:

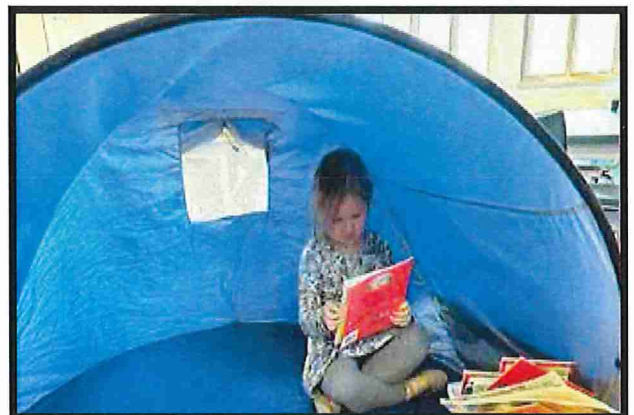
- ★ **Play in a Week:** On the first week of summer school, eight students worked with Ms. Kimball and Ms. Franson to produce a play in a week. Students who signed up had to be cast for roles, memorize their lines, and be completely prepared to perform a play by the end of the week. The students put on an excellent performance of *Flat Stanley* for their families and for other students in summer school.
- ★ **Swimming Lessons:** Even though she is now officially retired, Mrs. Olson returned with Mrs. Brown to provide students in first through fifth grade with an annual swimming opportunity at the Bayfield Rec center. Students participated in swimming lessons and then had fun in the water playing games and swimming with their friends during free swim.
- ★ **Camping Out on the South Shore:** Ms. Evavold's and Mrs. Lahti's classes are having a lot of fun camping out on the South Shore! Students are working on building their reading skills while also engaging in traditional camping activities including games, arts and crafts, and eating s'mores.
- ★ **Basketball Skills Camp:** This year, Mr. Bob Evans joined South Shore's summer school program. For four Fridays over the months of June and July, students in grades K-5 have the opportunity to attend a two-hour camp where they can build their basketball skills. During the weeks of Oulu Heritage Center, students at the camp also have the opportunity to build skills for other sports, including soccer!
- ★ **Oulu Heritage Center:** Mrs. Suo, Ms. Evavold, Mrs. Olson, and many volunteers at the Oulu Heritage Center hosted our students for a week in June. Students learned all about the history of Bayfield county, including its Ojibwe and Scandinavian heritage. Students had the opportunity to do many different activities including games, arts and crafts, cooking, sewing, and reader's theater. Students will return to the Center in July for another week of fun. THANK YOU to all of the volunteers at the center for hosting us each year.



Play in a Week



Swimming Lessons



Camping Out on the South Shore

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Basketball Skills Camp

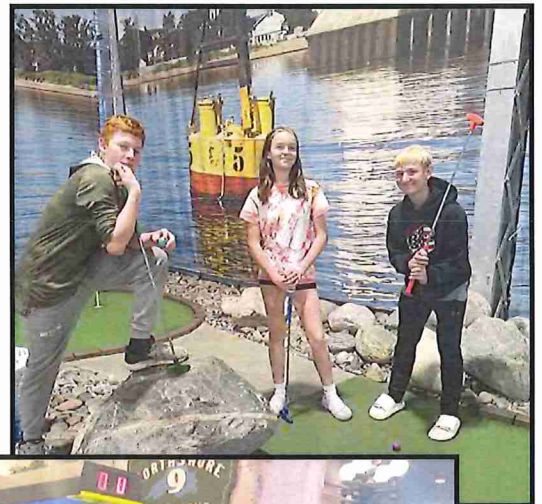


Pudas House at the Oulu Heritage Center

Oulu Heritage Center



Learning about Newton's 3 Laws of Motions has never been so much fun. Great way for the 6th Grade to celebrate the end of school.



4th Graders Make Spam Musubi

The 4th graders received a surprise gift box from their partner school in Hawaii. The box contained all the ingredients and tools needed to make Spam Musubi which is a very popular treat in Hawaii. The students loved making and eating Musubi!



2nd Graders Tour Cable Natural History Museum



Our 2nd graders had a GREAT time on their field trip to the Cable Natural History Museum! Students had such a wonderful time learning about the subnivean zone and animal adaptations through games, play, and exploring.



Maple Syrup Making

Thanks to a grant we received from Bayfield Electric, our staff and students were able to collaborate on making maple syrup this spring. Ms. Hoagland's high school science students tapped trees and collected sap. A new wood-fired evaporator was purchased and used to cook the sap down into syrup. Nearly all students in grades 4K-12 were able to head outside to learn about the process. The finished product was served by our school cooks with French toast sticks. They reported when given the choice between our South Shore syrup and store-bought syrup, 90% of the students chose our homemade syrup. It was a big hit!

Thank you, Bayfield Electric, for making this whole school project possible. We look forward to enriching the program and activities next year!



Updated 2024-2025 School Immunization Requirements

Changes to Wisconsin's child care and school-required immunizations will improve protection for children across the state by protecting them against vaccine-preventable illnesses, including meningitis and chickenpox.

Changes include:

Adding meningococcal (MenACWY-containing) vaccine to the requirements for students entering 7th grade, and a booster dose for eligible students entering 12th grade.

Parent report of chickenpox disease is no longer acceptable for exemption from the varicella (chickenpox) vaccine requirement. Children must have a diagnosis of chickenpox from a qualified health care provider (M.D., D.O., N.P., or P.A.) to be exempt from this requirement, however existing exemption options still apply. At this time, children whose immunization record indicates a history of chickenpox (such as by parent report) are not affected.

What has not changed?

The updated requirements leave in place the already established list of required vaccinations.

In addition, the existing exemption options are still available. There is no requirement for seasonal flu vaccination or COVID-19 vaccination.

2024-2025 School Immunization Requirements

For entry to kindergarten through seventh grades students need:

- 4 doses of polio vaccine
- 3 doses of hepatitis B
- 4 doses of DTaP/DTP/DT/TD
- 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox)*
- 2 doses of MMR
- 1 Tdap at seventh grade
- 1 MenACWY-containing vaccine at seventh grade

For entry to 12th grade

- 1 MenACWY-containing booster (2nd dose in series)

Lake Superior Day 2024 Saturday, July 20th Port Wing Town Hall 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Presentations

9:00 – Rick Burkman: "A Year of Birds"

10:00 – Steve Ballou: "Our Inland Sea"

11:00 – Carl Dray: "Overview of Lake Superior Fish Community & Changes Over the Past Half Century"

2:00 – Leann Hess (at the Port Wing Cemetery): "Port Wing Early Pioneers"

Displays & Coast Guard Boat

Chinese Raffle

12:00 – Hot Dog Eating Contest

12:00 – 2:00 – Fish Boil \$15

1:00 – 3:00 – Dunk Tank

(Eric Jardine, Marla Lahti, Dani Mikula, and ???)

3:00 – Raffle Drawings

3:30 – Canoe & Kayak Races at the Port Wing Harbor

Dusk: Bonfire & S'mores at the Marina

8:00 – Live Music

PROCEEDS GO TO SCHOLARSHIPS & PORT WING FIREWORKS

Kayanna Lehto Wins DPI & CESA 12's Exceptional Writer's Award

So proud of all of their hard work. Students received their published books from our CESA 12 Creative Writer's Workshop. Congratulations to Kayanna for winning DPI and CESA 12's Exceptional Writer's Award for South Shore.



1st Day
of
School
Tuesday,
September
3rd



Put Your Passion in Action



Become a Reading Tutor!

Do you enjoy working with kids and helping them build their reading skills? Do you want to have an impact on our young learners? The South Shore School District is looking for a full-time Reading Corps tutor for the 2024-25 school year. The tutor would work for 35 hours each week supporting

early learners in grades K-3 with building their reading skills.

Reading Corps tutors work one-on-one or in small groups with students during school hours throughout the school year. They receive a stipend every two weeks, plus additional benefits including:

- Up to an additional \$5,176.50 for college tuition or loans (tutors 55+ may gift the education award to their child, grandchild, stepchild or foster child)
- Federal student loan forbearance and interest repayment
- Time accrual towards Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program
- Individual Health Insurance
- Child Care Assistance (based on family size and income)

Whether you are a recent graduate, a career changer, a stay-at-home parent, or a retiree, you can make a great tutor! No experience? No problem. Reading Corps provides training and on-site coaching so that tutors are prepared to help kids succeed.

Ready to put your passion in action to help more children succeed? Learn more or apply at <https://join.reading-math.org/careers-home/jobs/42851?lang=en-us>. If you have any questions, please email join@ampact.us or call 866.859.2825.

**South Shore School District
Board of Education Meeting Agenda
In Compliance with the Wisconsin
Open Meeting Law**

Public Notice §19.84 (3) Clyde Clauson, President
Rebecca Kavajecz, Clerk

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education will be held in the **Instructional Media Center (IMC)** at **South Shore Jr-Sr High School**, Port Wing, WI at **5:30 p.m.** on **Wednesday, July 17, 2024.**

Any person wishing to attend who, because of a disability, requires special accommodations, should contact the office at least 24 hours before the scheduled meeting time, so appropriate arrangements can be made.

**Regular School Board Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, July 17, 2024
5:30 p.m.
Jr-Sr High School IMC**

1. Welcome
 - 1.01 Call to Order /Roll Call
 - 1.02 Pledge of Allegiance
2. Recognition/Highlight
 - 2.01 We Are South Shore
 - 2.02 Acknowledge and Accept Donations
3. Audience Participation
 - 3.01 Audience Participation Guidelines – limited to five (5) minutes
4. Agenda Modifications
 - 4.01 Modifications to Agenda Items or Prior Minutes
5. Consent Agenda
 - 5.01 Approve Meeting Minutes - June 19, 2024
Regular Board Meeting
 - 5.02 Approval of Bills and Budget Report
(Ending June 2024)
 - 5.03 Approve Personnel Report
6. Committee Report/s
 - 6.01 Teaching and Learning
7. New Business
 - 7.01 School Culture & Student Wellness Task Force Update
 - 7.02 Fund Balance Discussion for Building Project
 - 7.03 Building Project Plan Recommendation
 - 7.04 Adopt Academic Standards for English / Language Arts, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies for the 2024-25 School Year
 - 7.05 Occupational Therapist Cooperative Agreement with School District of Maple
 - 7.06 Athletics Admission Fee for the 2024-25 School Year
 - 7.07 Award Propane Bid for the 2024-25 School Year
 - 7.08 Award Food Service Vendor (including milk bid) for the 2024-25 School Year
 - 7.09 CliftonLarsonAllen LLP Audit Contract for the Year Ending June 30, 2024
 - 7.10 SocialSchools4U Proposal
8. Policy
 - 8.01 2nd Reading Neola Policies

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- 8.02 1st Reading Neola Policies
9. Board/Admin Reports
 - 9.01 CESA 12 Delegate Report
 - 9.02 Superintendent's Report
10. Upcoming Dates
 - 10.1 Upcoming Dates
11. Closed Session 19.85 (1) (3) as Specified per Agenda Item
 - 11.01 Adjourn to Closed Session 19.85(1)(c) to Discuss Compensation of any Public Employee Over Which the Governmental Body has Jurisdiction or Exercises Responsibility
 - 11.02 Superintendent Evaluation 19.85(1)(c) Superintendent Goals and Mutual Expectations Check-In
12. Meeting Closing
 - 12.01 Adjournment

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School Board Regular Board Meeting Minutes
Meeting Held Wednesday, June 19, 2024
5:30pm - 7:19pm

A REGULAR BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING was held on Wednesday, June 19, 2024 in the LMC at South Shore Jr-Sr High School, Port Wing, WI. The meeting had been properly publicized in compliance with the Wisconsin Open Meeting Law.

1. Welcome

1.01 Call to Order / Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by President Clauson at 5:30 pm. Roll Call: Present: Justine Broderson (virtual), Terry Burhans, Clyde Clauson, Merlyn Coy, Mark Hoefling, Rebecca Kavajecz, James Stemwedel (5:40pm). Virtual: Justine Broderson. Also, present, Danielle Mikula, Superintendent.

1.02 Pledge of Allegiance

Board Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. RECOGNITION / HIGHLIGHT

2.01 We Are South Shore

Staff and students participated in Community Service Day on May 22. Pictures and a thank you note were shared. Thank you to staff for making the last day of school special for the students with an "Amazing Race" theme.

2.02 Acknowledge and Accept Donations

Thank you to the Town of Bell Library \$300 toward our library.

3. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

3.01 Audience Participation Guidelines - Limit 5 minutes

- Anne Workman regarding bullying.

AGENDA MODIFICATIONS

4.01 Modifications to Agenda Items or Prior Minutes

None.

CONSENT AGENDA

5.01 Approve Meeting Minutes of May 15, 2024 Regular Board Meeting

- Minutes of the May 15, 2024 Regular Board Meeting

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5.02 Approval of Bills and Budget (ending May 2024)

- Approval of Bills and Budget (ending May 2024)
- General fund 97229-97360, payroll/direct deposit 900013775-900013847 and manual checks 1826-1834 and 3796-3803

5.03 Approve Personnel Report

Hires:

- Paige Sereiko, 1st Grade Teacher
- Brandon Madison, Head Football Coach

Separations:

- Beth Hoagland, Cross Country Coach
- Mark Pope, Football & Softball Coach
- Josh Plummer, Baseball Coach

Motion by Hoefling second by Stemwedel to approve the consent agenda. Roll call vote: Yes: Broderson, Burhans, Clauson, Coy, Hoefling, Kavajecz, Stemwedel. No: None. Absent: None. Motion carried by roll call vote.

6. Committee Reports

6.01 Teaching & Learning

Met on June 5 and discussed

- College & Career Readiness Scope and Sequence
- Education for Employment (E4E) Plan
- Update on Science Curricular Resource Renewal Process
- District Assessment Data Discussion
- Achievement Gap Reduction

New Business

7.01 Facilities Project Discussion & Next Steps

Presentation by HSR Associates and Miron on refinements as a result of survey results, work session and staff input. Discussion.

7.02 School Safety Drill Annual Report

School Safety Drill Annual Report was presented.

7.03 Restraint / Seclusion Annual Report to Board of Education

Restraint / Seclusion Annual Report was presented to the Board with two seclusion incidents and five restraint incidents. Motion by Burhans, second by Hoefling to accept the Restraint/Seclusion Annual Report. Roll call vote: Yes: Broderson, Burhans, Clauson, Coy, Hoefling, Kavajecz, Stemwedel. No: None. Absent: None. Motion carried by roll call vote.

7.04 Set Lunch Prices for the 2024-2025 School Year

Motion by Hoefling second by Stemwedel to set the lunch prices as \$0.00 for students and \$6 for adults. Roll call vote: Yes: Broderson, Burhans, Clauson, Coy, Hoefling, Kavajecz, Stemwedel. No: None. Absent: None. Motion carried by roll call vote.

7.05 2024-25 Handbook Updates

Motion by Burhans second by Kavajecz to approve the 2024-25 Handbooks as presented. Roll call vote: Yes: Broderson, Burhans, Clauson, Coy, Hoefling, Kavajecz, Stemwedel. No: None. Absent: None. Motion carried by roll call vote.

7.06 College & Career Readiness Scope and Sequence

The College & Career Readiness Scope and Sequence was presented.

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7.07 Education for Employment (E4E) Plan

Education for Employment (E4E) Plan was presented. Motion by Kavajecz second by Burhans to approve the Education for Employment (E4E) Plan as presented. Roll call vote: Yes: Broderson, Burhans, Clauson, Coy, Hoefling, Kavajecz, Stemwedel. No: None. Absent: None. Motion carried by roll call vote.

7.08 Update on Science Curricular Resource Renewal Process

During the 2023-2024 school year, the 6th - 12th grade Science team has continued the process of researching, piloting, and evaluating resources with the support of DPI and Diamond Gulick from CESA 12. The Board will receive an update on the resources the district has explored and the updated timeline for curriculum adoption. Discussion was held on curricular purchase that needs to align with the renewal cycle to be built into the annual budget.

7.09 District Assessment Data Discussion

The Teaching and Learning Committee has a goal to review and discuss student achievement data as well as the district's plans for responding to student achievement data. In January 2024, students in the South Shore School District completed district screeners for ELA and Math. The Teaching and Learning Committee will review the district's most recent academic data from state and district screeners and learn about the next steps our certified staff is taking to respond to continue to support Student Learning.

7.10 Achievement Gap Reduction

Each academic year, teachers for students in kindergarten through third grade must establish performance goals for both reading and math. The progress of these goals is reported to the board at the end of each semester. During the 2023-2024 academic year, the South Shore School District is utilizing the instructional coaching strategy and the 18:1 or 30:2 classroom ratios strategy to support students in achieving the district's reading and math performance goals.

8. Policy

8.01 Policies: 1st Reading

- po3122.02 Nondiscrimination Based on Genetic Information of the Employee
- po3425 Benefits
- po3430 Leaves of Absence
- po3430.01 Family & Medical Leave of Absence
- po3431 Employee Leaves
- po3432 Employee Sick Leave & Employee Paid Time Off
- po4120 Employment of Support Staff
- po4162 Controlled Substance and Alcohol Policy for Employees that Transport Students
- po4213 Student Supervision and Welfare
- po4340 Grievance Procedure
- po4419 Group Health Plans
- po4425 Benefits
- po4430 Leaves of Absence
- po4430.01 Family & Medical Leave of Absence (FMLA)
- po4431 Employee Leaves
- po4432 Employee Sick Leave & Employee Paid Time Off
- po4440 Job-Related Expenses
- po5350 Student Suicide Prevention
- po4451.01 Wisconsin Academic Excellence Scholarship
- po5451.02 Technical Excellence Higher Education Scholarships

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- po5722 School-Sponsored Publications and Productions
- po5772 Weapons
- po5895 Student Employment
- po7434 Use of Tobacco and Nicotine on School Premises
- po2260 Nondiscrimination and Access to Equal Education Opportunity

9. Administrative & Board Reports

9.01 Superintendent's Report

- Graduation happened with 100% graduation rate
- Kindergarten graduation happened
- The band visited and played at Valleyfair in Shakopee
- Geometry and Construction class built a shed for Town of Bell,
- 6th grade published books for CESA 12 - Kayanna Lehto won the best book award
- 3 students are completing apprenticeships
- Community Service Day was positive experience
- There is a leak in the roof from all the recent rain.

Annual CESA Convention

- May 28, 2024 Mark Hoeft attended
- New Board of control members took office
- Sewer problems in new CESA building

10. Upcoming Dates

10.01 Upcoming Dates

- July 10, 2024 Policy & Governance Committee Meeting at 5:30pm
- July 17, 2024 Regular Board Meeting at 5:30pm

11. Meeting Closing

11.01 Adjournment

Motion by Clauson to adjourn. Meeting adjourned at 7:19pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Rebecca Kavajecz, Clerk



**Summer
Food Service
Program**

Ensuring Children have Access to Nutritious Meals and Snacks When School is not in Session The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) is a federally-funded, state-administered program that is open at all children 18 years old and under.

Finding an SFSP Site

Find a summer site in your community with our Summer Meal Site Finder mapping tool.

2024 summer SFSP site information is now being updated weekly.

- Locate a site on the the Summer Meals Site Finder
- Call 2-1-1
2-1-1 is a free, easy-to-remember phone number connecting callers with health and human services in their community.
- Text 'food' to 304-304

FREE SPORTS PHYSICALS Tamarack Health (MMC) Ashland

Thursday evening 4-8pm



July 25th

August 1st

August 8th

To schedule call: 715-685-5700

Calling All Musicians!

The South Shore Community Band is celebrating its 20th season and we want you to be a part of it! We're a group of musicians of all ages and abilities playing a variety of band music and we're always looking for new members. Auditions are not required. Rehearsals are on Mondays from 6:30-7:30 pm at South Shore High School music room.

Concerts are planned for 7 pm on
August 12th, and August 15th

Interested? Contact Jacob at
(715) 969-4750 or
kavaj006@d.umn.edu.

We hope you'll join us this summer

South Shore School District Supply List for 2024-25

K4/Preschool

Backpack
1 box **Crayola** crayons (16 color)
2 large glue sticks
1 plastic coated colored pocket folder
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes (VELCRO)
Extra set of clothes in a labeled Ziploc bag
*Please label items & all supplies with your child's name.

Kindergarten

Backpack
1 set of washable markers
4 small glue sticks
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes (VELCRO)
Extra set of clothes in a labeled Ziploc bag
*Please label items & all supplies with your child's name.

1st Grade

Backpack
1 box **Crayola** crayons (16)
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils (lots)
No Pens, Please!
2 dry erase markers (black)
2 large glue sticks
1 large eraser
2 plastic coated pocket folders
1 set washable markers
1 box soft, facial tissues
Pencil box
Water bottle
Gym shoes (Preferably velcro)
*Please label items & all supplies with your child's name.

2nd Grade

Backpack
1 box **Crayola** colored pencils (12)
1 box **Crayola** crayons (16 or 24)
1 box #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
2 large erasers
Glue sticks
1 pencil pouch bag or pencil box
1 Composition notebook (wide-ruled)
4 pocket folders – different colors
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes

3rd Grade

Backpack
1 3" ring binder
1 composition notebook
2 single subject notebooks, different colors (wide-rule)
2 folders, different colors
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
1 pencil pouch bag (no boxes)
2 large erasers
Pencil cap erasers
1 glue stick
1 set of washable markers
1 set of colored pencils for classroom
2 boxes soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes

4th Grade

Backpack
1 3" ring binder
2 single subject notebooks, different colors
4 folders, different colors
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
1 pencil pouch bag or pencil box
2 large erasers
1 pencil sharpener
1 set of washable markers
1 glue stick
1 set of colored pencils for classroom
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes

5th Grade

Backpack
1.5" or 2" 3-ring binder
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
1 pencil box
Erasers (1 large and several pencil tops)
Scissors (adult size Fiskars metal)
2 large glue sticks
4 individual notebooks (college-ruled)
5 plain assorted pocket folders
2 Highlighters
1 box colored pencils for classroom
1 package of thin sized markers
2 dry erase markers
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle
Gym shoes

High School

Art - Sketch Book

Math - All high school students taking a math class will need a scientific calculator

6th Grade

Backpack
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils
1 pencil box
1 bottle of glue
Erasers (1 large and several pencil tops)
Scissors (adult size Fiskars metal)
5 individual notebooks (college-ruled)
5 plain assorted pocket folders
1 pencil sharpener
1 box colored pencils
1 Texas Instruments TI-30X Scientific Calculator
1 box soft, facial tissues
Water bottle

7th Grade

Backpack
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils OR Mechanical Pencils
Erasers (1 large and several pencil tops)
1 Texas Instruments TI-30X Scientific Calculator
5 individual notebooks (college-ruled)
Folders for subject areas (at least 5) may be together in a binder
Colored pencils
Sketchbook – spiral bound
Gym shirt & shorts or sweats (or both)
Gym shoes & socks
Combination lock (can purchase at school – preferred) for gym locker

8th Grade

Backpack
2 boxes #2 **Ticonderoga** pencils OR Mechanical Pencils
Black or blue ink pens
Erasers (1 large and several pencil tops)
1 Texas Instruments TI-30X Calculator
5 individual notebooks (college-ruled)
Folders for subject areas (at least 5) may be together in a binder
Colored pencils
Sketchbook – spiral bound
Gym shirt & shorts or sweats (or both)
Gym shoes & socks
Combination lock (can purchase at school preferred) for gym locker

High School

Phy Ed - students will need the following:
Gym shirt & shorts or sweats (or both)
Gym shoes
Combination lock (can purchase at school preferred) for gym locker



South Shore School District

2024-2025 Academic Calendar

Elementary Day: 8:25 - 3:15

Jr/Sr High Day: 8:05 - 3:20

August = (5)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

September = 20						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

October = 21 (23)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

November = 18						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

December = 15						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

January = 21 (22)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

February = 19 (20)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

March = 16						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
2	3	4	5	6	7	1/8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

April = 19 (21)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

May = 21						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

June = 4 (6)						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

July						
S	M	TU	W	TR	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Important Dates



New Teacher Orientation



No School for Students & Staff



Early Release



Inservice (No School for Students)



End of the Quarter

August 26th - 29th Teacher Inservice (No Students)
 August 28th Open House
 September 2nd Labor Day (No Students or Staff)
 September 3rd First Day of School
 October 17th Early Release Day (Parent Teacher Conferences)
 October 18th & 21st Inservice (No Students)
 November 4th Last Day of Quarter 1
 November 27th - 29th Fall Break (No Students or Staff)
 December 23rd - January 1st Winter Break (No Student or Staff)
 January 17th Last Day of Quarter 2
 January 20th Inservice (No Students)

February 20th
 February 21st
 March 10th - 14th
 March 31st
 April 18th
 April 21st
 May 24th
 May 26th
 June 4th
 June 5th & 6th

Early Release (Parent Teacher Conferences)
 Inservice (No Students)
 Spring Break (No Students/Staff)
 End of 3rd Quarter
 No School for Students or Staff
 Inservice (No Students)
 Graduation
 Memorial Day (No Students or Staff)
 Last Day of School for Students
 Inservice (No Students)

AUGUST ACTIVITY CALENDAR

				1	2 Mountain Biking Trip	3
4	5	6	7 Finance & Operations Committee Meeting	8 Bayfield County Fair	9 Bayfield County Fair	10 Bayfield County Fair
11 Bayfield County Fair	12	13	14 Policy Committee Meeting	15	16	17
18	19	20 New Teacher Orientation	21 Regular Board Meeting New Teacher Orientation	22 New Teacher Orientation	23	24
25	26 In-Service	27 In-Service	28 Open House In-Service	29 In-Service	30	31

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