

The Sussex Star

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As we complete this challenging school year, I wanted to thank everyone for their flexibility, patience and perseverance. We look forward to seeing you in September!



Congratulations to the Class of 2021!
Good luck in high school!

Free Breakfast & Lunch



In order to ensure safe nutritious meals are available to children, the USDA has approved free breakfast and lunch for ALL children enrolled in the Sussex-Wantage Regional School District for a limited time period. Beginning on Monday, March 8th in-person learners will have the option to select a grab-and-go breakfast and lunch at dismissal time. Grab and go breakfast and lunches for Full Remote students can be picked up at Sussex Middle School. Fully remote students, please complete the order form on our website swregional.org by Wednesday for pickups Wednesday the following week. Details for ordering and the pickup schedule can be viewed on our website swregional.org.



Summer sports physicals with Dr. Markel will be held at Sussex Middle School on June 23, 2021 from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. Please email the school nurse at asilletticayer@swregional.org to reserve your appointment time.

Nurse's Corner



Sixth grade students are required by NJ law to have the Tdap and Menactra vaccines in order to attend school. If you have not yet done so, please forward proof of vaccination to the school nurse, Mrs. Silletti-Cayer. As a reminder, the nurse must have a current sports physical for the 2021-2022 school year on file in the health office in order for your child to participate in any extracurricular sports.

Absentee Line

If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason, please call the absentee line at 973-875-4138 option 1 and leave the reason for your child's absence.



6/18- Report Cards available on Parent Portal @ 4 p.m.
6/23- Summer Sports Physicals 9 a.m.-11 a.m. @ SMS
6/24- BOE Meeting @ SMS @ 7:00 p.m.



Our Board of Education will hold a meeting at 7:00 p.m. on **Thursday, June 24th** at Sussex Middle School. *Everyone is welcome!*



We are excited to announce that we now offer a new online payment system called PaySchools Central. PaySchools Central provides all parents in our district with an easy way to manage lunch and breakfast accounts. This can all be done in the convenience of your own home through an easy-to-use online portal: www.payschoolscentral.com Or while on the go with a convenient mobile app. You will need to register at the link above. Additional information can be found on our school website in the department section under the food service tab or in the parent portal. If you need help along the way, please contact PaySchools Central at 1-877-393-6628 or email them at: psc_help@payschools.com.

Parent Portal



To access the Parent Portal, please use the following: <http://fridayparentportal.com/sussexwantage>. Once here, please enter the portal code, username and password. Additionally, you can access the parent portal by logging into our district website swregional.org. Once here, click on "Parents" and scroll down to Realtime Parent Portal. Enter the portal code, username and password.



The Sussex-Wantage PTO is pleased to offer their traditional Gertrude Hawk Chocolates fundraiser this year in a completely electronic and contactless way. The fundraiser begins now and runs through March 28. Go to: <https://fundraising.gertrudehawkchocolates.com/>

Organization ID # is: 119604

For more information go to <https://www.swpto.org/fundraising>

Community Events

Parking At SMS



When parking in the middle school parking lot, please utilize the parking spaces provided and adhere to New Jersey regulation 39 4-138 regarding the fire lane.

As a reminder, currently the school day begins at 8:40 a.m. and ends at 3:29 p.m. Students walking to school are asked to arrive no earlier than 8:15 a.m. and are to report to the auditorium upon their arrival. Students who are dropped off by a parent/guardian should be dropped off at the doors in the solar panel parking lot on Loomis Avenue between 8:15 a.m. and 8:35 a.m. Please refrain from utilizing the main entrance parking lot to drop your child off. Thank you for your assistance in keeping our students and staff members safe.



The Sussex County Miners would like to offer Sussex-Wantage families two complimentary tickets to a Sussex County Miners game as they do each year for their Read to Achieve program. Last year they were unable to do so due to COVID restrictions. This year they have digitized the process. If you would like more information about redeeming tickets for a Read to Achieve game (6/24) please see the directions below:

Directions to redeem tickets:
Visit www.scmminers.com > tickets > single game tickets > select desired game (June 24th) > "do you have a coupon code?" input WANTAGE > select desired tickets.

Questions should be directed to Alex Kashmann of our Sales Team at: akashmann@scminers.com

