



Springhouse Middle School

Thursday, Sep 19, 2024

Day 5

Daily Announcements

Students dropped off by parents in the morning between 7:15 & 7:30 should report to the Auditorium after entering the front lobby. No students are permitted to enter the classroom hallways until 7:30 am.

Students need to be in their homerooms for morning attendance by 7:45. If you are just entering school at 7:45 you are late for school & considered tardy.

If you arrive at school too late to make it to homeroom by 7:45 for attendance, you need to sign in at the front office.

Attendance Office:

****If you have an Appointment or Leaving early or going on Vacation, you must fill out an Emergency Permit or bring a note from home. Please bring the note or EP to the main office. The day of your appointment/leaving early/vacation or if we call for you, you **MUST SIGN OUT IN THE MAIN OFFICE.******

CELL PHONE POLICY

Cell Phone Policy Reminder:

All **cell phones** are to be turned **OFF** and placed in your backpack or locker.

TRANSPORTATION

BUS PASSES:

Attention All Students:
We can **NO longer issue**
Bus Passes...

Middle School Athletic

After School Shuttle Bus Info

The After School Shuttle Buses are located on the side of the building by the Cafeteria.

Please use the side lobby doors which are right next to the cafeteria.

If you are participating in a sport or school related activity please note the following:

- Going to OMS after school you need to take the **After School Shuttle Bus #133**. You should be dismissed at **2:23pm**. The shuttle buses leave **PROMPTLY** at 2:28pm
- Going to Parkland High School you need to take the **Shuttle bus is #PHS 122**. You should be dismissed at **2:30pm**

ATHLETICS

Parkland High School home games for Boys/Girls Soccer, Field Hockey, Basketball, Wrestling, Boys/Girls Lacrosse, **Parkland students with Parkland ID will be allowed into these home games for FREE.** Take a picture with your phone and you will always have your ID on you. Adults pay \$5 at these events.

Friday Sept. 20 Parkland will be hosting a home football game. Student admission is \$3, please remember to bring small bills to get you in faster to the game.

NO BALLS OR BACKPACKS ARE ALLOWED INTO HOME EVENTS

Thank you & **GO TROJANS!**

WRESTLING

Any 6th, 7th, and 8th grade boy or girl interested in wrestling this upcoming season, please see Coach Kleckner or Coach Groover this week and next week for some very important information about fall wrestling intramurals.

Students who signed up for intramural wrestling must have the Intramural Extra Curricular Activity Form for Wrestling signed by their parents in order to participate, the forms are in the Parkland Jr. High Wrestling Team Schoology Group Website. NOTE: Make sure that you have wrestling shoes, shorts, a t-shirt, and running shoes to work out for all intramural practices. You can not practice without the form.

Attention all Band, Chorus and Orchestra members!

The music department is holding our annual back-to-school meetings this week during Timberwolf Time. These meetings are MANDATORY for all students signed-up for Band, Chorus, and Orchestra. The meeting schedule is as follows:

Wednesday 9/28 6th grade Band, 6th grade Orchestra, and 7th & 8th grade Chorus.

Thursday 9/29 7th & 8th grade Band, 7th & 8th grade Orchestra, and 6th grade Chorus.

Please bring your Chromebook with you to your meeting.

Book fair is coming to SMS from September 16th through the 20th. Students will be visiting the book fair during their ELA classes. Please note that the book fair location has changed slightly and will be in A232, the Makerspace classroom which is located just off the library.

Do you love science and the outdoors? Do you care about keeping our environment cleaner and greener? If so, consider joining the **SMS Green Team!** The Green Team learns about and promotes environmental topics as well as helping to keep the outdoor areas at SMS looking beautiful.

If you are interested in joining the Green Team, send a Schoology message to Mrs. Dewald to be added to the club. **The first meeting will be on September 24th from 2:45-4:15 in Mrs. Dewald's room - D135.** More information about our upcoming meetings will be on Schoology! 🌸 🌸

Applications for the Art Club will be available for interested students in grades six through eight starting today. This is an after school program that will help students expand upon their interests in the visual arts in a more relaxed, social setting. You do not need to be an artist to join; no prior experience is necessary! We will meet once a month in room D117. Please pick up an application for "The Art Vibe Tribe at SMS" outside Mrs. Pizzuto's room, D117.

This Friday is Springhouse's first dance from 6-8pm. Tickets will be sold at all lunches for \$5. The theme is **"Go Gold for Pediatric Cancer."** Students are encouraged to wear gold and support awareness. A donation will be made to the Pediatric Cancer Foundation of the Lehigh Valley based on ticket sales. We will have a DJ, dancing, basketball, and snacks for purchase. Come on out for a great night with your Springhouse friends!

The first GSA club meeting of the year will be **Wednesday, September 25 in room A157**, Mrs. Steigerwalt's room. GSA is a diverse, inclusive, welcoming, accepting, encouraging, safe space for everyone. We encourage positive peer interactions that show respect and understanding. Please message Mrs. Steigerwalt in Schoology if you have any questions.

THE ART CLUB IS AN AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM. THE FIRST MEETING IS ON **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH**. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CLUB, YOUR APPLICATION NEEDS TO BE TURNED IN TO MRS. PIZZUTO IN **ROOM D117** BY THIS FRIDAY, 9/20.