

# HIGHLAND ~ A LEGACY OF EXCELLENCE

BE RESPECTFUL

BE ENGAGED

BE COMPASSIONATE

BE EMPOWERED

## SHARON FAMILY BULLETIN

WE LEAD

WE LEARN

WE GROW

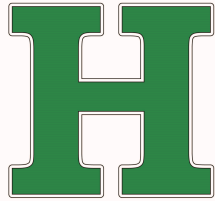
January 2026

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5 Teacher Record Day, No School	6 School Resumes	7	8	9 Report Cards Available (PowerSchool)
12 PTO Mtg, Cafeteria, 9:30	13	14	15	16
19 No School, MLK Jr. Day	20	21	22	23 Beach Day
26	27	28	29 Book Bingo, 6-7:30PM	30

WISHING OUR HIGHLAND FAMILIES A HEALTHY, HAPPY 2026!

Happy New Year

# ELEMENTARY REPORT CARD



Report cards will be available on Friday, January 9, through PowerSchool. Your student's report card can be viewed using the PowerSchool login: <https://pshi.ohconnect.org/public/>. If you access PowerSchool through your child's account, you must be logged in under his/her Chrome profile. If you need assistance, please submit a help ticket [HERE](#).

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## PBIS SHOUT OUT!

Sharon Elementary has been shining bright with positive choices! Students earn coins when they are observed being **Respectful, Engaged, Compassionate, or Empowered**. This is part of our schoolwide Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS) program. All students are taught the same expectations across every setting—classrooms, hallways, the cafeteria, recess, and more.

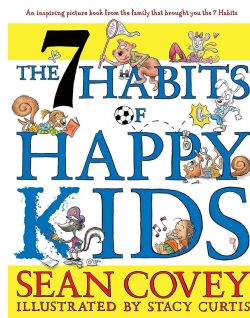
Coins go straight into classroom jars, and when a jar fills, it shows that the whole class has been working together to make our school an awesome place to learn and grow.

Here's the exciting news: in the first half of the year, our students have filled **197 jars!** That's a LOT of positive choices worth celebrating. We are so proud of the many ways our students contribute to making our school a wonderful place!



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## SHARON LEADERSHIP



### Habit 4: Think Win, Win ~ *Everybody Can Win!*

- ★ I can problem solve when an issue comes up with another person.
- ★ I think about what other people want and not just what I want.
- ★ I am kind to others and try to think of ways to help everyone to be happy.

# HELPFUL HORNETS

"Buzzing To Better Our Community"



## BUZZING IN... JANUARY

Our **2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE** students and families will be working this month to collect donations of **TOOTHBRUSHES & TOOTHPASTE**. These donations will help support the **MEDINA PERSONAL CARE PANTRY**.

### **2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE FAMILIES:**

Toothbrush & Toothpaste donations may be sent to school with your child from **JANUARY 20-30**.



We want our students to feel **EMPOWERED** by supporting their community through service projects that will provide items to various programs in Medina County. By serving others, giving generously, and showing **RESPECT** and **COMPASSION** to our community members in need, the students at Sharon Elementary will be **ENGAGED** in a positive experience that will transcend throughout their lives. We will form unity among our students and staff as we serve the Medina County community.



**SPECIFIC DATES AND DETAILS WILL BE SHARED WITH FAMILIES EACH MONTH.**

# SCHOOL WIDE BEHAVIOR SYSTEM

## HIGHLAND HORNETS®

All students at Sharon Elementary follow the same set of rules and expectations throughout all areas of the school including the bus.

**Rule #1** Be Respectful **Rule #2** Be Engaged **Rule #3** Be Compassionate **Rule #4** Be Empowered

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### SHARON BEACH DAY

January 23



Wear your favorite beach accessories and enjoy a popsicle while listening to tropical music during lunchtime.

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### 2025-2026 YEARBOOK



[ybpay.com](http://ybpay.com)

Yearbook ID Code: 11582426

Order Deadline: April 9, 2026



Be on the lookout for a FinalForms message with a link to submit photos for consideration for the 2025-2026 Sharon Elementary yearbook.

# SHARON ELEMENTARY PTO



Next PTO Meeting: Monday, January 12

Meetings take place in the Sharon Elementary cafeteria at 9:30 a.m.

## Sharon PTO Officers

President: Jennifer Grabenstetter, [jennlr10@hotmail.com](mailto:jennlr10@hotmail.com)

Secretary: Lauren Fairbanks, [fairbanks\\_lauren@yahoo.com](mailto:fairbanks_lauren@yahoo.com)

Volunteer Recruitment: Betsy Hartschuh, [betsylbh@gmail.com](mailto:betsylbh@gmail.com)

Treasurer: LeAnne Fuetter, [lfuetter@truxandequipment.com](mailto:lfuetter@truxandequipment.com)

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## SHARON PTO PRESENTS BOOK



Thursday, January 29

6:00-7:30

Sharon Cafeteria







# Mother - Son BOWLING Night

**FRIDAY**

**6 FEB**

**6-8:00 PM**

**ENTRY**

**\$20**

PER PERSON

**INCLUDES:**

COSMIC BOWLING,  
SHOES, CHICKEN  
STRIPS, PIZZA, FRIES  
SOFT DRINKS, AND A  
\$10 ARCADE CARD  
PER CHILD

*Come join us for a strikingly fun night!*

**AMF Medina Lanes - 201 Harding St. Medina, OH 44256**



Student's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: K 1 2 3 4 5

Student's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: K 1 2 3 4 5

Adult's First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

RSVP Due January 30th











\$20 per person

Total included: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return to school with cash or check made out to Sharon Elementary PTO

# HIGHLAND ELEMENTARY LUNCH MENU

Questions? Please contact the Highland Food Service Department at 330-239-1901, ext. 5512 or email [emakarek@highlandschools.org](mailto:emakarek@highlandschools.org).

 <b>Highland Elementary Lunch Menu</b> Choose the lunch of the day or Peanut Butter and Jelly Lunch 2025-2026 Students \$3.25 – Extra Milk .65 				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				
<b>January 5</b> Happy New Year! No School! 	<b>January 6</b> Popcorn Chicken Roll Corn Fresh Apple or Juice Fruit Snacks Milk	<b>January 7</b> Cheeseburger Twister Fries Broccoli Florets Mandarin Oranges or Juice Jello Milk	<b>January 8</b> Romeo's Pizza Diced Carrots Fresh Grapes or Juice Chocolate Chip Cookie Milk	<b>January 9</b> French Toast Sticks Sausage Links Tater Tots Fresh Berries or Juice Danimals Yogurt Milk 
<b>January 12</b> Tony's Personal Pan Pizza Potato Triangle Baked Beans Pears or Juice Teddy Grahams Milk	<b>January 13</b> Chicken Nuggets Roll Macaroni & Cheese Diced Carrots Applesauce or Juice Milk	<b>January 14</b> Pretzel Hot Dog Smiley Fries Fresh Orange or Juice Vanilla Ice Cream Milk 	<b>January 15</b> Romeo's Pizza Oven Fries Fresh Broccoli Florets with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Milk	<b>January 16</b> Popcorn Chicken Roll Tossed Salad Garbanzo Beans Fresh Berries or Juice Goldfish Cheddar Crackers Milk
<b>January 19</b> No School! MLK Day! 	<b>January 20</b> Cheese Stuffed Breadsticks Marinara Sauce Tossed Salad Fresh Apple or Juice Chocolate Ice Cream Milk 	<b>January 21</b> Walking Taco Potato Triangle Baked Beans Mandarin Oranges or Juice Milk	<b>January 22</b> Romeo's Pizza Corn Fresh Baby Carrots with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Rice Krispies Treat Milk	<b>January 23</b> Chicken Tenders Roll Tater Tots Fresh Berries or Juice Milk
<b>January 26</b> Mini Corn Dogs Diced Carrots Pears or Juice Chocolate Chip Cookie Milk	<b>January 27</b> Chicken Nuggets Roll Baked Beans Fresh Baby Carrots with Ranch Applesauce or Juice Orange Sherbet Milk 	<b>January 28</b> Cheeseburger on a Bun Twister Fries Corn Fresh Orange or Juice Fruit Snacks Milk	<b>January 29</b> Romeo's Pizza Oven Fries Fresh Broccoli Florets with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Fresh Broccoli Florets with Ranch Fresh Grapes or Juice Milk	<b>January 30</b> Cheese Quesadilla Black Beans Fresh Berries or Juice Goldfish Cheddar Crackers Milk 

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## SAFE SCHOOLS SPEAK UP!



1.866.listen2me (1.866.547.8362)

Several years ago, the Highland Local Schools partnered with Public School Works to offer the “Stay Safe, Speak Up!” hotline. The purpose of this service is to report issues that affect safety and allows students, parents and staff to do their part to maintain a safe environment and promote a positive culture within our schools. Stay Safe, Speak Up! provides easy, private, confidential and anonymous reporting of concerns within the Highland Local Schools. The link is found on all pages (under Quick Links) of the district website. Remember, if you see something, say something. Immediately report any of the following concerns to a trusted adult or administrator, or feel free to use the hotline.

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**NO SCHOOL**  
**Martin Luther King Jr. Day**  
**Monday, January 19**

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**HIGHLAND BRANCH LIBRARY PROGRAMS**



**January**

**January 10:** Pokémon Trading Card Hour, 1:30pm

**January 14:** Mindfulness Storytime (Kids and Families). 6:30pm

**January 21:** Guatemalan Worry Doll (Grades 3-5). 3:30pm

**January 26:** Snowy Craft and Storytime (Kids and Families).

**February**

**February 4:** Nighttime Monster Defense Storytime (Kids and Families). 6:30pm

**February 7:** Friends Book Sale. 10:00am-2:00pm

**February 11:** Valentines Rock Paint (Grades 3-5). 6:00pm

**February 12:** Pajama Storytime (Kids and Families). 6:00pm

**February 18:** Didn't See That Coming Storytime (Kids and Families). 6:30pm.

**February 21:** Pokémon Trading Card Hour, 1:30pm

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# TEAM TRESSEL FITNESS CHALLENGE



Congratulations to our 4th and 5th grade students who have completed the Team Tressel Fitness Challenge!

The following students completed Gold Level: Weston Nicklos, Kloe Berkey, Cole Bruno, Ansley Gebura, and Olivia Collins. Students who completed any level of the challenge will be rewarded with a certificate signed by Ohio Governor Mike DeWine and Lt. Governor Jim Tressel along with a special extra recess reward in January!

Third, fourth, and fifth grade students can look forward to another round of the Team Tressel Fitness Challenge coming in February! More information to come.

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happy  
new year  
WITH PEACE  
HOPE &  
laughter