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SHIS IMPORTANT DATES

Oct. 1 - Fall Festival (5:00-9:00 PM)
Oct. 2 - NO SCHOOL (PD Day)
Oct. 3-11 - NO SCHOOL (Fall Break)
Oct. 12 - Students return from Fall Break
Oct. 13 - Fall Picture Day
Oct. 16 - A-1 Ice Cream

SHIS CLUBS

First Priority Kids (K-2nd) - Tuesdays from 7:45-8:05 AM
BRT (3rd-5th) - Third Wednesday of the month from 1:30-2:30 PM *Begins in October*
First Priority (6th-8th) - Wednesdays from 7:45-8:05 AM
Ag in Action Club - One Thursday per month from 3:35-4:45 PM



SHIS NEWS



Jackets celebrate Constitution Day

Last Thursday, SHS hosted its annual Constitution Day parade. Thank you to Mrs. Brittany Johnson for all of her hard work organizing this event!









5th graders given copies of the U.S. Constitution

Thank you to Mrs. Dana Muse and the Daughters of the American Revolution who donated copies of the United States Constitution to our 5th grade students!

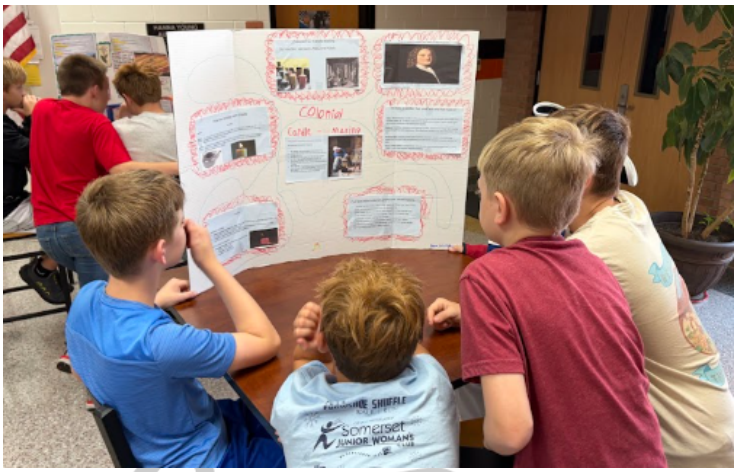




8th graders host Colonial Fair

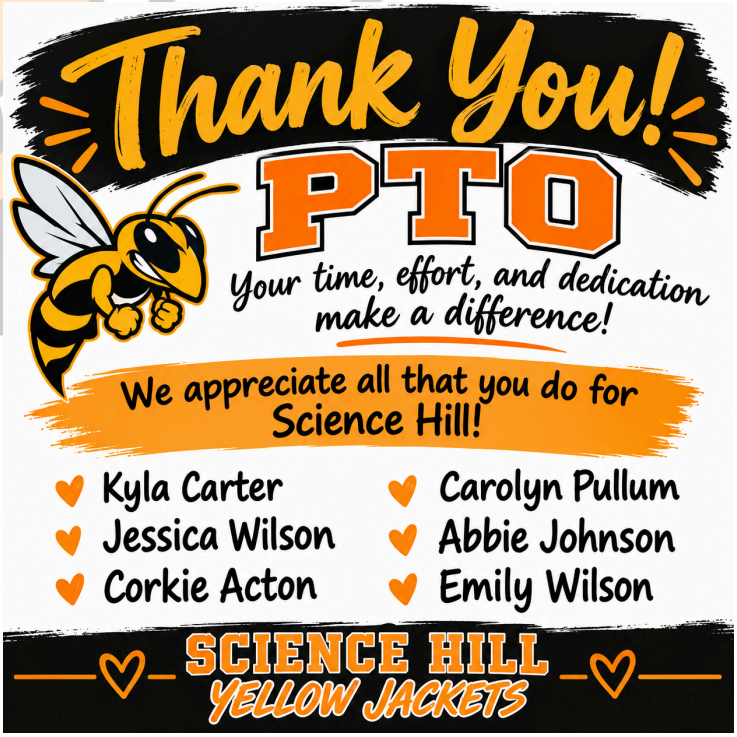
Mrs. Jannette Luttrell's 8th grade students sponsored a Colonial Fair for all of the 5th graders. The 8th grade boys and girls did an outstanding job presenting information to the 5th grade kids. Great job, Mrs. Luttrell and students!





SHS recognizes its amazing PTO members

Saturday, September 26th, is National PTO Appreciation Day. A huge THANK YOU to our amazing Science Hill PTO! We appreciate Kyla Carter, Jessica Wilson, Corkie Acton, Carolyn Pullum, Abbie Johnson, and Emily Wilson for your time, dedication, and all you do to support our students and school. Your commitment makes a difference!



Eastham's bunch claims the Golden Dustpan

For having the cleanest classroom in the building last week, the custodial crew has awarded the Golden Dustpan to Mrs. Andrea Eastham's class. Congrats!





🧡🖤 Together, we can make this our best Fall Festival yet! 🖤🧡

PTO is seeking help for Fall Festival

Our Fall Festival is coming up on October 1st, and we're looking for donations to help make this year's festival the BEST ONE YET!

We are currently accepting:
🧡 Monetary donations
🧡 Themed baskets
🧡 New or unused items
🧡 Gift cards & services
🧡 Tickets to attractions, events, sporting events, classes & more!

Parents & community members: Do you own a business, work for a local business, or know someone who may be willing to donate? We would LOVE your help connecting with potential donors!

Donation deadline: September 25th

Donations can be sent to school with your child or dropped off at the school office. The PTO can also provide donation receipts for your records.

Questions? Email us! sciencehillpto@gmail.com

Every donation—big or small—helps us create an incredible Fall Festival for our students and families. Please share this post and help us spread the word!

Fall Festival set for Oct. 1st

📅 Thursday, October 1st
⏰ 5:00–9:00 PM
📍 Science Hill Independent School

Come join us for an evening full of fun, food, games, auctions, and activities for the whole family!

🎟️ WRISTBANDS & TICKETS

$15 Wristbands include all outdoor activities!

🎟️ $1 game tickets for outdoor games/activities unless otherwise stated
🎮 Indoor games are FREE!

Without a wristband:

* Hair spray — $1
* Hair tinsel — $1
* Petting zoo — $2
* Inflatables — FREE
* Mechanical bull — $2
* Face tattoos/painting — $1

🐴 OUTDOOR FUN

Weather permitting, we'll have:

* 🦓 Petting Zoo
* 🎪 Inflatables
* 🐂 Mechanical Bull

If the weather doesn't cooperate, outdoor activities will be moved inside to keep the fun going!

🌭 FOOD

Chili Supper — $10



* Chili
* Grilled cheese
* Cinnamon roll
* Drink

Hot Dog Meal — $4

* Hot dog
* Chips
* Drink

The Science Hill Dance Team will have concessions open during the Fall Festival!

🏆 AUCTIONS

🛍️🔨 Silent Auction: 5:00–8:00 PM
Live Auction: Begins at 8:00 PM

There will be SO many great items and classroom baskets up for grabs!

🎟️ PREORDER YOUR WRISTBANDS & TICKETS!

Preorder forms will be sent home with students on Monday, September 21st.

Please be sure to return your preorder forms to school! Preordering will help us have everything ready ahead of time and keep the lines moving quickly during the Fall Festival.

💵 CASH & CHECK ONLY

We can't wait to see our Science Hill families and community on October 1st!

Join our new farming and agriculture club

We're excited to announce our NEW Farming & Agriculture Club at Science Hill Independent School!

Open to students in Grades 3–8, the club will meet once a month on Thursday evenings from 3:35–4:45 PM, beginning in October. Students will explore agriculture, participate in hands-on projects, develop leadership skills, and make a positive impact in our community! See Mrs. Mary Taylor for a permission slip to join!



CALLING OUT ALL AMAZING BUSINESSES AND ORGANIZATIONS IN OUR SCIENCE HILL COMMUNITY...

WE NEED YOU!

Our small school has BIG plans in the world of farming and agriculture!

With your donation of $100...



- Your business logo will appear on the back of our shirts.
- You will receive a shout-out on our school social media.
- You are helping bring hands-on experiences to our students.
- You are helping fund future field trips and projects.

Checks may be made out to Science Hill School, in the Memo write "Ag in Action"

Please send your logo to mary.taylor@sciencehill.kyschools.us



Gleason's group wins Golden Spatula

For having the best behavior in the cafeteria last week, the Golden Spatula Committee has awarded the coveted Golden Spatula to Mrs. Ashley Gleason's lunch group. Congrats!



Ware's class takes home the Golden Attendance trophy

Last week, Mrs. Emma Ware's homeroom won the Golden Attendance Award for being the homeroom with the best attendance. They had 100% attendance last week. Congrats!

SHIS SPORTS

Lady Jackets sweep Burgin on the road

It was another busy week for the Science Hill Lady Jackets, as they played 3 games in a 4-day stretch. On Monday evening, the Lady Jackets were swept at home by Clinton County. A night later, Science Hill picked up not one, but two victories on the road against Burgin. On Thursday, the Lady Jackets came up short at Clinton County. Science Hill's final game of the 2026 season will be on Monday night at Somerset Christian.





Boys' basketball player evaluations are around the corner for 2nd-5th graders

Pulaski County Youth Basketball League is getting ready for another great season!

PLAYER EVALUATIONS
October 18 & October 25
Times to be announced

We're excited to bring our schools together and give our young athletes another opportunity to play, learn, grow, and compete!

More information, including evaluation times and registration details, will be coming soon. Please see the PCYBL Facebook page for more information!







Phelps wins at Durhamtown.

3rd grader Lincoln Phelps recently won 1st place in the Durhamtown SXS Series race. Congrats to Lincoln!

SHIS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENU

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Twin Pack Sausage Biscuit W/ jelly CEREAL ~or~ BREAKFAST TO GO FRUIT or JUICE MILK	Mini French Toast W/ syrup CEREAL ~or~ BREAKFAST TO GO FRUIT or JUICE MILK	Egg & Cheese Scrambler Pastry CEREAL -or- BREAKFAST TO GO FRUIT or JUICE MILK	Oatmeal Cinnamon Toast w/ jelly CEREAL -or- BREAKFAST TO GO FRUIT or JUICE MILK	No School
Popcorn Chicken Mashed Potatoes Sl. Carrots Roll ~OR~ Ham Sandwich Fruit Milk	Queso Con Carnes Nachos Corn chips Refried Beans Lettuce, Salsa Sour Cream ~OR~ Turkey Sandwich Fruit Milk	<u>CHOOSE: HAM OR TURKEY</u> Ham or Turkey Sub On a bun Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato Sun Chips Pickle Spear ~OR~ Fruit Milk	<u>CHEF'S CHOICE</u> Various Items Various Potato Various Vegetable ~OR~ Ham Sandwich Fruit Milk	No School

MISSION STATEMENT: The mission of the Science Hill Independent School District is to teach for learning by ALL students, working in partnership with families and community, in an environment that nurtures that process and assures equity in excellence for all.

SCHOOLWIDE EXPECTATIONS

Be Respectful
Be Responsible
Be Safe

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