

SOUTH SHORE CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

WEEKLY UPDATE

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**The Fundraising Committee has included a questionnaire/survey on
 “A Night for our Shining Stars”
 Please complete and return to the front desk by November 23rd. Thank you!**

Wednesday	11/16	Parent Information Seminar “Bullying”	6:30pm
Thursday	11/17	Book Fair	
Thursday	11/17	Theatre Arts Project Performance	6:00pm
Thursday	11/17	Board of Trustees – Board Candidate Interview Board of Trustees Meeting	6:00pm 7:00pm
Friday	11/18	Sally Foster order pick up	
Saturday	11/19	Enrollment Open House	1-3pm
Monday	11/21	School Council	3:30pm
Monday	11/21	Community Service Workshop Open Mic Night	5-8pm
Wednesday	11/23	All School Math Day	
Wednesday	11/23	SEPAC (Special Education Parent Advisory Council)	8:30am
Thursday	11/24	Thanksgiving Break	
Friday	11/25		
Saturday	11/26	Alumni Reunion	5-7pm
Tuesday	11/29	Full Faculty/Staff Meeting	3:30pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOST! SET OF KEYS ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10 IN THE ART ROOM. IF FOUND PLEASE RETURN TO KRISTINE SHIPPS OR EXTENDED DAY. THANK YOU!

THE 2005/2006 SCHOL DIRECTORY WAS DISTRIBUTED THIS WEEK. PLEASE NOTE THAT EACH SSCPS FAMILY RECEIVED ONE COPY. ADDITIONAL COPIES ARE \$3.00. CONTACT PAM ALGERA AT PALGERA@SSCPS.ORG.

NEW CHESS CLASS! BEGINNERS ARE WELCOME! THERE ARE ONLY 2 SPACES LEFT. Classes will be held on November 29th, December 6th, December 13th and December 20th from 3:15-4:30pm. Grades 4-12 are eligible. The class is free, but there is a \$15 fee per student to purchase the chessboards. For more information and to register call Laurie Rumpf at 781-837-5494.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MARY ROMAN for being nominated by a student for inclusion in the 9th Edition of *Who’s Who Among America’s Teachers*.

LUNCH ORDERS

LAST CHANCE TO ORDER LUNCH FROM THE NOVEMBER MENU. USE THE ENCLOSED ORDER FORM. ALL ORDERS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN 3PM THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH. THANK YOU.

NEWS FROM THE ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

Ski/Board Club: Applications for season passes can be picked up at Will Glennon's office. These applications must be filled out and returned by November 28th.

Basketball: High School boys basketball starts Monday.

Basketball: Middle School Basketball meeting Monday November 28th for both Boys and Girls. Meeting will be at 3:00 and will end at 3:45.

ON THE LEVELS

SAYING OF THE WEEK:

Level 1: "If at first you don't succeed try, try again."

Level 2: "Laugh and the world laughs with you."

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT MATH DAY IS COMING WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD

The math department is in need of some particular games for math day which is Wednesday November 23, 2005. The games are: Connect Four, Phase Ten, Uno, Jenga, Dominoes, Set and Racko. If you have any of these games that we can borrow for the day that would be great. If you could drop them off in room 103 no later than Tuesday November 22, 2005. Thank you for your help.

"GOODIE BAGS" for sale beginning November 22. Level 4 will be selling "Goodie Bags" for \$1.50. Each bag contains 2 cookies and 3 pieces of candy. Sales will be held every other Tuesday. All proceeds will help lower the cost of the 8th Grade End of Year Trip.

WORKSHOP AND PROJECT NEWS

SALLY FOSTER ORDERS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH.

JUNE'S LEVEL 1 COMMUNITY BUILDING PROJECT WILL BE CONDUCTING A CANNED FOOD DRIVE BEGINNING NOVEMBER 28TH THRU DECEMBER 12TH. LOOK FOR THE DONATION BOXES IN EACH LEVEL AND IN THE LOBBY.

COMMUNITY SERVICE WORKSHOP is looking for someone to come in and teach a small group to knit hats and booties. This will be part of an ongoing project to distribute the finished products to local hospitals. Please contact Megan Stoehr at mstoehr@sscps.org if you are interested.

2005 CULTURAL DINNER has been cancelled. The International Cultural Exchange Workshop is very sorry to have cancelled the dinner, but will try to reschedule it at a later date.

PARENTS ASSOCIATION NEWS

BOOK FAIR

WEDNESDAY 11/16 & THURSDAY 11/17. PARENTS NIGHT: THURSDAY, 11/17 6:30 – 9PM

Your children have been visiting our annual book fair. They will bring home order forms to be returned on Monday, November 21st. 20% of the purchase price of books goes to buying new books for our library. Please consider doing some holiday shopping at our Book Fair. Contact: Alida Hanson hansont1@comcast. Net or 781-383-8288 for more information.

PAC MEETING (TIME CORRECTION) – the next meeting of the SEPAC (Special Education Parent Advisory Council) will be held on Wednesday, November 23rd at **8:30 am** in the Conference Room.

COOKIE DOUGH FUNDRAISER Order forms for the Library's fundraiser were distributed last week. Checks should be made out to SSCPS and must be submitted at time of the order. Please place cash/checks and the order form in an envelope and submit to the front desk.

Please note: The original end date was incorrect. All order forms MUST be submitted by Tuesday, November 29th. Any orders received after this date will not be processed.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

PART TIME TEACHER AIDE – LEVEL 2
SUBSTITUTE TEACHER/AIDES – ALL GRADES
SUBSTITUTE REGISTERED NURSE

Send cover letter, resume and list of references to Kristine Shipps, Business Manager.

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

CARTRIDGES FOR KIDS – EARN MONEY FOR SSCPS Convert your spent printer, fax, and copier cartridges and unused cell phones into cash for SSCPS! Cartridges for Kids recycles these unwanted items and reimburses the donating school. A drop box is located in the Recycle Center in the main hallway. Contact the Ryan's at 781/925-9541 or Luke (9th grade), John (Level 4) or Grace (Level 2) for more information. We would be happy to pick up donations at local businesses!

WEEKLY UPDATES ARE POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.SSCPS.ORG

Lunch Menu – November, 2005

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
21 BLT Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato with mayonnaise	22 Cheese Pizza	23 Ham and American Cheese With lettuce, tomato and mayonnaise	24 HOLIDAY NO LUNCH	25 VACATION DAY NO LUNCH
28 Roast Beef With American cheese and mustard	29 Cheese Pizza	30 Italian Cold Cuts With lettuce, tomato, pickles and oil	1 Cheese Pizza	2 Tuna Salad With lettuce and tomato

Milk is included with the purchase of lunch or may be purchased for 25 cents.

Questionnaire on “A Night for Our Shining Stars”

The Auction was a huge success in so many ways; however, we would like to hear your thoughts on the event so that subsequent similar events are even better. *Please return this to the Front Desk at School by November 23.*

	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Poor	No Opinion
Pre Auction Advertising & Info	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I felt I could be involved	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Price of the Tickets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Decorations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check-in Process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check-out Process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Silent Auction					
Quality of Items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quantity of Items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duration of Silent Auction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Live Auction					
Quality of Items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quantity of Items	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duration of Live Auction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food					
Variety	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quantity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Setup	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bar					
Accessibility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Variety	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How do you feel about using the School building for future auctions?

With the quality of food and atmosphere would you increase the price of the tickets?

If you were a volunteer or chair of a subcommittee, please make note and provide feedback on your area.

GENERAL COMMENTS: *(feel free to use the back of the sheet)*

Honduras Book CD's Available for Sale Now!

- Stories created by the students of the International Cultural Exchange Workshop who traveled to Honduras last spring. The stories document their trip and were created for the students in Honduras.
 - Appropriate and appealing to all ages.
 - 9 stories per CD.
 - Stories are all written in both English and Spanish.
- \$10 from each purchase will support the International Cultural Exchange Workshop's trip to Honduras this year. \$2 from each purchase will go to the Red Cross to support Hurricane Katrina victims.
- Sound accompanies each story so students can learn correct pronunciation whether learning to read in English or learning Spanish.

Yes! I would like to buy a piece of SSCPS history with many educational benefits! Please send me:

___ copies x \$12 per copy for a total of \$_____

Name: _____ Delivery Instruction (e.g. send home with _____; will pick up in Jenn's room)

**Note: Orders should be sent to Marketing Project c/o Jenn in Room 203.
Checks should be made out to *South Shore Charter Public School*.**

All School 2005-2006 Photograph

SSCPS 11x14 All-School Photograph is now available to purchase for \$20 each. You may view the photo and purchase at the Front Desk of the School. Checks should be made out to "Christopher Harting Studio".

BALSAM WREATH ORDER FORM

Sponsored by ICEW

The holidays are coming, and it's time to plan your decorations!!!

We are pleased to offer fresh, high-quality, Balsam wreaths again this year!! The Wreaths cost \$17 each. There is a choice of ribbon color, red, green, silver, or gold. Each wreath is 20 inches in diameter.

Please fill out the following order form. Please include payment with this form and drop the form off at the South Shore Charter Public School's International Cultural Exchange Workshop. (Howard Bean's Room) But hurry, order forms are due November 28th!! The pick up date for the wreaths is December 5th from 4-7 (Date subject to change) at the South Shore Charter Public School.

Thank you for supporting the ICEW's trip to Honduras!

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Name: _____ Phone: _____

Ribbon Color(s): Red, Quantity: _____ Green, Quantity: _____

Gold, Quantity: _____ Silver, Quantity: _____ None, Quantity: _____

TOTAL QUANTITY: _____ TOTAL PRICE: \$ _____ (Please make checks payable to SSCPS.)

SOUTH SHORE CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOL

is hosting a



BOOK FAIR!!

Sponsored by the Library Committee and
Storybook Cove, our local children's bookstore in Hanover

Wednesday, November 16, 2005 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Thursday, November 17, 2005 8 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Parent's shopping night, Thursday evening, 6:30 – 8 p.m.

(Janet, owner of Storybook Cove, will be available to answer questions)

Here's how it works;

On Wednesday and Thursday, kids will be able to browse samples of all the titles. They will get order forms with prices (like the Scholastic Book club) to bring home to their parents. Descriptions of the books can be found on-line at:

<http://www.Storybookcove.com>

Completed order forms and checks are due November 21, and all orders will be delivered to the classrooms the following week.

All proceeds will be used to build our library!!

Questions? Call Alida Hanson @ 781-383-8288

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