



FROM THE K-6 PRINCIPAL

This week we had a big snow storm. The snow was light and fluffy but the wind was fierce and how the storm landed on each of us in this small community all depended on geography. For those who were inland it was both a pleasure and an obstacle but it was not particularly scary. For those who were on the coast it was the full force of nature showing our vulnerability. I hope everyone got through the storm with their health and happiness. And I hope that despite the cold you were able to take your children out to enjoy it; I was able to be outside and the beauty of the snow in the right setting is undeniable. But the snow will make things more difficult with the huge banks and the poor visibility until it melts away. Here at school proper attire for recess will be needed and the snow will make drop off and pick up more challenging for a while. Please give yourself and your family extra time to gather all the needed clothes and to deal with the slowed arrival and travel time so that we can start school promptly.

Many thanks to Mark Flanagan, Paul Norkus, and the team of folks who have worked outside to get us ready to open today. I would also like to thank Alicia Savage for her quick decision-making about the school closing with all of the weather events this week. I know that I found it very helpful. If you had difficulty because of the storm, please let us know and we will do our best to help.

One of the big events of the school year for us at SSCPS is the lottery. SSCPS has become extremely hard to get into but siblings of currently enrolled students are in a separate lottery and their names are pulled first. If you have a child who is a sibling of an enrolled student please get your application in and remember that new applications are required every year. Birth certificates or other legal documents are required to show sibling status so please get those organized to meet the deadline of February 11th. I know that not all families read the Update but please tell your friends who have siblings who are not currently enrolled in our school that they need to reapply every year.

On a personal note I have been writing off and on for the past three years about my mother and her illness in these Updates. She peacefully died in her sleep on Wednesday morning. I will be down in Virginia with my father the next few days. I look forward to seeing you all when I get back.

Ted Hirsch - thirsch@sscps.org



JANUARY 2015 COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

William Bryant Landmark College

Príscilla Campos Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Science

Neíl Feeney Columbia College

Dolores Jackson Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Edína Lemkín Suffolk University Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Science Lesley University Sophía Maníscalco Lesley University - Honors College

Kevin McGuiness University of Massachusetts-Amherst Honors College

Mary Ellen Stolhman-van der Veen University of Massachusetts-Amherst Honors College

Sean Sullívan Plymouth State University Westfield State University

Michael Yazbeck University of Massachusetts- Boston

Thursday	01/29	Level III Museum of Science	
Friday	01/30	Mid-Winter Game Night at the SSCPS Gym	6:00-8:00pm
Monday	02/02	2 nd Quarter Grades Distributed	
Tuesday	02/03	Parent Association Meeting	7:00pm
Wednesday	02/11	Intent to Continue and Enrollment Applications Due	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Level IV Global Graphics Project is collecting new, unworn hats, gloves, and scarves for an organization called Sowing Seeds. They will then give the items to people who need them this winter. There will be boxes at the front and back door and on each level for the items. We will be collecting through February 2, 2015. Contact the Global Graphics Project in Jody's room if you have any questions.

2015 Yearbook

The 2015 yearbook is now in progress and all the memories of the 2014-2015 school year will be published forever in print. A yearbook is a trip back to those fun times in school when friends were forever and life was an exciting promise. It captures that feeling and brings those times back again and again. Someday your student will want to look back, too. Buy them a little time - buy them a yearbook! To order online go to <u>www.coffeepond.com</u>, to login use school password: bluejaguar. Parents may submit a personalized page that will appear in the back of the book for their senior at these rates: Full page \$150, 1/2 pg. \$75, 1/4 pg. \$50.

Bottle and Can Drive - Fundraising for the Italy Trip

Starting this Friday and continuing on every Friday, students will be hosting a *Bottle and Can Drive* to raise funds for their trip to Italy. They will be accepting bottles and cans to return for deposit. If you would like to contribute, please drop <u>BAGGED</u> items at the loading dock on Friday <u>mornings</u> during drop off.

Bake Sale!!! on Level III

Enjoy a special treat on Fridays! The students going to Italy are holding a BAKE SALE on Fridays to raise funds for their trip. Come and get a yummy treat!

FROM THE HEALTH OFFICE

WINTER WEATHER Please remember to have your child dressed appropriately for the winter weather as most levels do go outside during the day (unless it is 20 degrees or below). Students who do not have the necessary clothing (hats, gloves, and winter jackets) will not be permitted to go outside at recess, lunch, or OCB. Lower level students may also need snow pants.

ATHLETICS

The Middle School Boys Basketball team will be holding a winter coat drive. Coats will be donated to the <u>The Friends of The Homeless of The South Shore</u> located in Weymouth. The Friends of the Homeless of The South Shore sponsors twenty-five families. We will be excepting winter coats in all sizes from children to adult sizes. All coats must be laundered before they are dropped off. The Coat drive will take place from Monday, January 26th through Friday, January 30th. On those days there will be basketball players stationed at both the front and back doors of the school to collect coats during morning drop off only. There will also be a large box in the front lobby for donations. Coats <u>will **not**</u> be accepted during dismissal please. This has been a very cold winter and it likely will last a few more months. The Middle School Boys Basketball team wants to do its share to help keep these families warm. If you have any questions please e-mail Head Coach Gary Nisbet at gnisbet@sscps.org

PARENTS ASSOCIATION

Do you have a project that needs money? Is there an idea you want funded? The Parents Association can help! It is time for the spring grant process to being. The PA asking for requests from the SSCPS community (parents, teachers, staff, students) for grants to fund anything from projects, equipment, speakers, or whatever your imagination deems important to the school. We review all the requests, and fund the ones that both meet our criteria, and fit into our budget. The form is attached and the deadline to submit this request is February 6th. Submit

a request today, because you never know! If you have any questions, please contact Mickey Ciambriello at <u>micgiociam@verizon.net</u>

WEEKLY UPDATES ARE EMAILED AND POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE AT <u>WWW.SSCPS.ORG</u> EVERY WEDNESDAY – TO RECEIVE A PAPER COPY PLEASE CONTACT PAM ALGERA EXT. 103 OR EMAIL <u>PALGERA@SSCPS.ORG</u>

2nd Annual

Mid-Winter Game Night!!!!

Get out of the cold and warm up with your SSCPS Family

Who: The entire SSCPS family – students & families, faculty & staff

What: Games – board games, card games, motion games – whatever you bring, it's up to you! (No electronics.)

When: Friday evening, January 30 from 6:00 – 8:00

Where: SSCPS gym

How: DIY – you bring and lead the games that you would like to play. We will have tables and chairs set up. BOKS morning fitness trainers will lead activities with the kids.

Why: Because we are SSCPS!!

Also... Pizza for sale. Please potluck (bring) drinks, snacks, and desserts to share. The more, the better!

Fine print: This is not a drop-off event. Kids: Make sure your parents stay and join the fun! Also, tell your parents that kids cannot stay in the school unsupervised from 3:00 - 6:00. If you are not in a club or sport that afternoon, please be sure to get a ride home or to a friend's house and then come back for the fun!!

Parents will be asked to do short shifts of supervising the kids' activities. If all parents take turns supervising, we will have happy kids and even happier parents!

Free event!!!!!

Brought to you by your friendly neighborhood PA.

Any questions, contact Alexis (with Maya (III) and Noah (I)) <u>alexis.b.g.levitt@gmail.com</u>



AFTER SCHOOL MOVIE DAY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2015 12:00PM - 3:00PM

February 12th is a professional development half day for our teachers and an early release day for the students. We are offering an afterschool movie event for students in grades K-8 from 12-3pm in the PE space. Your child can watch a movie (movie TBD), and hangout with their friends. Blankets and pillows are welcomed.

> The Cost: \$10.00 (Cash only) Drink and Snacks will be available for purchase All students should bring a lunch

Return Permission Slip and payment to the front desk by 1:00pm - Tuesday, February 10, 2015

> If you have any questions please contact : Deb Brown 617-257-2719 or <u>debrown818@gmail.com</u>

All proceeds benefit the students traveling to Italy in April.

PERMISSION SLIP AND REGISTRATION AFTER SCHOOL MOVIE EVENT – FEBRUARY 12, 2015 – 12:00PM – 3:00PM

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

I,gi	ve my child	permission
I,gi to participate in the "After School Movie" even the school, from 12pm to 3pm. I understand th the school at 3:00pm	t taking place on February at I will be required to pick	12, 2015 in P.E space adjacent to my child up at the front door of
Signature Required:		_
Email Address:		
STUDENT'S FULL NAME:		
GRADE/LEVEL:TEACHI	ER'S NAME:	
PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S NAMES & CONTA	ACT NUMBERS: (PLEASE	E LIST ALL):
1		
2		
3		
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY CONTACT: NA	ME:	
RELATIONSHIP:	CONTACT NUMBER:	
ALLERGIES (THIS IS A NUT-FREE EVENT)	:	

THE COST FOR THIS EVENT IS \$10.00 (CASH ONLY). THIS FORM ALONG WITH YOUR PAYMENT MUST BE DROPPED OFF AT THE FRONT DESK BY TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH.

ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE STUDENTS TRAVELING TO ITALY IN APRIL.

PLEASE RETAIN THE BOTTOM PORTION OF THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS

EVENT:AFTER SCHOOL MOVIEDATE:THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12TIME:12:00PM - 3:00PMPICK UP:3:00PM - 3:15PM - AT THE FRONT DOOR OF THE SCHOOL
IF YOU NEED TO PICK UP YOUR CHILD EARLY PLEASE LET US KNOW

POINT OF CONTACTS - BEFORE AND DURING THIS EVENT:

Annette Golden: Anatoli Korosidis: 781-308-3421 Deb Brown: 617-257-2719 Regina Martini: 617-854-7488 Diane Hugyo: 774-454-4925

2015 YEARBOOK Inspired by You

It's That Time ...

Dear Parent:

The 2015 yearbook is now in progress and all the memories of the 2014-2015 school year will be published forever in print. A yearbook is a trip back to those fun times in school when friends were forever and life was an exciting promise. It captures that feeling and brings those times back again and again. Someday your kids will want to look back, too. Buy them a little time — buy them a yearbook!

So please fill out the order form below, attach your payment, and send it in or drop it off to the front desk.

Student name				
Home Phone (in case there are any questions on order)				
Homeroom Grade				
Ordering : Put number of books in order and mail payment with completed form to the address listed below. Books will be distributed in June.				
2015 Hardcover Yearbook - 25.00				
Total Amount Enclosed (cash or check): Please make checks payable to: South Shore Charter Public School				
Send completed form and payment to: SSCPS 2015 Yearbook South Shore Charter Public School 100 Longwater Circle Norwell, MA. 02061				



Hot cocoa? Yes!

After an afternoon of sledding (or just being outside), nothing tastes better than hot chocolate. Forget the sweetened packets,

and try this lighter version. Heat 1 cup fat-free milk, Stir in 2 tsp. unsweetened cocoa, 1 tsp. sugar, and $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. vanilla, and whisk until the cocoa and sugar dissolve.

Draw a salad

Ask your child to name and draw one vegetable. Then, tell her you'd like her to draw a whole salad. Let her add any vegetables she wants and describe her salad to you. *Idea*: Get the ingredients the next time you're at the grocery store so she can make and eat—her salad for real.

Winter swim

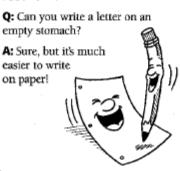
Wondering what to do this weekend? How about going for a swim! While that may not be the typical February



activity, kids love swimming indoors when it's cold outdoors. Check for

an indoor pool at a community center, YMCA, or nearby aquatic center. You might even be able to swim at a hotel pool for a small fee.

Just for fun



South Shore Charter Public School Susan Dupras, School Nurse

Parenting for better nutrition

To get your child to behave, you establish routines and set limits. It's the same with nutrition: If you put routines and limits into place, you'll be much more successful in getting your youngster to eat well. Here's how.

Create routines

If your child grazes all day, he'll eat more than if he eats at structured times. So schedule meal and snack times along with homework time and bedtime. Routines let your youngster know what to expect and when to expect it—and make him feel more secure.

Set limits

It's okay for you to say no to unhealthy foods. Does your child whine for candy at the grocery store? Tell him ahead of time you won't be buying it, and then pick the candy-free checkout line. Or if he begs for potato chips, try this approach: Squat down at his level, and calmly say, "We don't eat potato chips because they don't make our bodies strong. Let's pick out your favorite fruit instead." You'll let him



know you hear him, but that you are making this decision.

Use role models

When your youngster sees you getting yogurt rather than a muffin, he's more likely to follow suit. Then, as he gets older, what his friends do will become more important. Encourage your child to invite to dinner the friend who you know likes vegetables or drinks milk. Your youngster might not eat vegetables that night, but over time he'll get the idea that vegetables are okay!

Something fishy

Eating fish 2–3 times a week is a great way to put lean protein and healthy nutrients in your family's diet. Try these strategies to turn your youngster into a fish lover:

 Cook filets rather than whole fish. Check to make sure there are no bones.

- Cut cooked fish into bite-size pieces and let your
- youngster drizzle honey mustard or low-fat ranch dressing on each piece.

 Mix canned salmon with light mayonnaise or plain Greek yogurt. Put into a lettuce leaf, and roll up into lettuce wraps. Or spread the mixture in a whole-grain pita.

- · Swap fish for meat in familiar dishes. For instance, make fish tacos or tuna burgers.
- Serve grilled or broiled fish over pasta, and top with marinara sauce.

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Nutrition Nuggets™

My taste buds

How does your child know if her favorite food is watermelon. pizza, or scrambled eggs? By her sense of taste! Encourage her to explore her taste buds with these experiments.

Tongue tester. Put out foods from four categories: sweet (raisins), sour (lemon wedge), salty (pretzel), and bitter (unsweetened chocolate). Let her touch each

Dance party

Let your youngster get her wiggles outand build fitness-by dancing up a

storm. Suggest these props. Ballet barre. Have your child rest her

hands on the back of a chair for an athome barre and make up her own ballet routine. She might

include plies (with heels together, bend knees and lower down) or arabesques

(lift and extend one

leg straight back, and stretch one arm forward and the other back).

Ribbons. Give your youngster scarves or ribbons to twirl behind her or around and around as she dances to music.

Books. Read a storybook or fairy tale aloud, and let her dance the plot. For Cinderella, she could pretend to sweep the floor, feed the birds, and dance with the prince at the ball.

Candles. Place unlit candles in random spots on the floor. Have your child do leaps over each one, reciting "Jack be nimble, Jack be quick" and other rhymes as she jumps. 🛎

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one to different spots on her tongue. What does she notice? (Taste buds can vary, so flavors may be stronger in different areas of her tongue.)

Flavor sampler. Get yogurt or pudding in different flavors. Have your youngster wear a blindfold and pinch her nose while you feed her tastes of each one. Can she identify the flavors? Have her try again without pinching her nose. She'll

learn that smell helps her taste food-and now she'll know why food doesn't taste as good when she has a cold.

Idea: Let your child examine her tongue in a mirror. Explain that the little bumps all over it contain thousands of taste buds. 🍽

Playing to improve

During soccer season last fall, our son Nick began complaining. "It's not fun," he said. "Our team always loses."

I know Nick is competitive-he even sulks when he loses at board games—but I didn't want this to stop him from playing sports. So I asked his PE teacher for ideas. She said competition can be a good thing because it will help Nick learn to handle losing and will drive him to work harder.



Ms. Walker suggested we talk over ways he could play better so he'll feel good about his own performance. For instance, he might work on passing the ball to teammates or looking for open spots so he can receive a pass. Then, she said, we should help him focus on how he improves from game to game - and season to season. I'm sure Nick will always care about winning, but hopefully he'll learn to enjoy the game no matter what. 🛡

February = pancakes It's National Pancake

Month! Celebrate with pancakes for breakfast, lunch, or dinner. It's as easy as 1-2-3 when you whip up this homemade pancake mix.

 Whisk together 2 cups whole-wheat flour, 3 cups all-purpose flour, 11 cup powdered milk,

- cup sugar, 2 thsp.
- baking powder,
- and 1 tbsp. salt.
- Store in an air-
- tight container for
- up to 3 months.



2. When you're ready to make pancakes, combine 11 cups of the mix with 1 cup water, 2 tbsp. canola oil, and 1 egg. If desired, add a mashed banana or a handful of fresh or frozen blueberries. Drop by large spoonfuls onto a hot pan, flip when bubbles form, and cook until browned on both sides. Top with sliced fruit or berries, jam, or a little syrup.

> Pancakes freeze beautifully. Put cooked pancakes in a freezer bag, and reheat in a toaster oven or microwave. -----

SSCPS PA Financial Grant Request - Spring 2015

Requests Due by 2/6/15

Grant Request Information

Date:

Total Amount Requested*:

Date Required:

Beneficiaries of the grant (please provide the individual(s), grades, levels or project that will benefit):

Description of request (be specific, use the reverse side if necessary):

*Amount requested must include all charges associated with this request (taxes, labor, set-up charges, delivery fees, etc.). Do the research and make sure the amount requested is <u>completely accurate</u> and/or get realistic quotes from the proposed vendor. Requests with incomplete information or estimated costs cannot be considered. Attach any and all supporting documentation necessary to help the Task Force make an informed decision.

Supplier's Information

Company Names (2):

Address:

Telephone Number:

Fax Number:

Websites:

Submitter's Information

Name:

Title:

Email Address:

Telephone Number:

Can the grant taskforce contact you if we have questions while reviewing your request (meetings are generally held in the early evenings)? (Y/N):

If yes, after hours contact information:

Submitting this request

Return this form and all supporting documentation to PA Treasurer, Mickey Ciambriello, either by

- Placing in the "PA Grant Requests" envelope at the front desk or
- Email to <u>micgiociam@verizon.net</u>

Deadline: No later than February 6, 2015

Question: Send an email to micgiociam@verizon.net or call Mickey at 617-640-4443

Authorization for funding this request

Taskforce meeting date:

Taskforce decision:

PA treasurer approval:

BOKS (Before-School Fitness Program) Levels I through III

Organized and run by SSCPS parents Janet Daley and Iris Mahegan with support from Justina Pettinelli, Julie Burke, Caitriona Hollowed and Priscilla Kelly; the program is inspired by the Reebok Foundation's BOKS program; all the fitness leaders have been trained by Reebok. This is a no cost before-school fitness program being offered to any child in Kindergarten to 6th grade. In order to provide the best program to the children there is a limit of 40 participants. If more applications are received than spots available there will be a lottery for participation. <u>All accepted participants will be notified by email</u>. The schedule for the program is all Levels (I, II & III) on Monday which is "game day". Wednesday and Friday for Level II & III, Tuesday and Thursday for all of Level I. BOKS is held in the PE space with a very sharp start time of 7:15 (**drop off** begins at 7:10) and an end time of 8:00, the trainers escort all the children to the back door of the school. This session will run from February 2, 2015 through May 22, 2015.

In order for your child(ren) to participate please fill out the below information as well as the attached application (only need to complete the below portion if your child(ren) participated in the Fall 2014 session) and place it in the envelop at the front desk labeled "BOKS" absolutely NO later than <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>January</u>, <u>27th</u>. If your child(ren) did not participate in the Fall session **all** the forms must be completed or your child(ren) will not be able to participate, this is to avoid liability issues.

The purpose of BOKS is to stimulate the mind by movement before the school day begins. Involvement requires a commitment of the three days a week by both the parent/guardian and the children for the duration of the 14 week session.

ALL requested information is required – Complete a <u>separate form for each child</u> .			
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY			
I would like my child to participate i	n the BOKS Morning Fitness Program		
Childs' Name:	Pod Teacher:		
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Email:			
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Signature:			
Home Phone:	Mobile Phone:		



Registration Form

Please fill out the following form, one per program participant. Ensure all information is complete, legible and the last page is signed.

Participant (Child) Information:

Last Name:		First Name:		
Street Address:				
City:	State:		Zip code:	
Gender: Female 🗆 Male 🗆	Date of Birth(mm/	dd/yyyy):		
School:	Grade:	Teacher:		
T-Shirt Size: Kids Small			X-Large 🗆	
Adults Mediu	um 🗆 Large 🗆 T-	-Shirt Cost is th	ne responsibility of the	e family.
List known Allergies/Medical Conditions: N/A				
Does your child require the use of: (check all that apply) EpiPen D Inhaler None				
Does your child have one in his/her backpack? Yes □ No □ Nurse has it □				
Can he/she use it without an adult? Yes □ No □				
OPTIONAL:				
Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No				
What is your race? (check all that apply)				
Caucasian Asian Blac	k or African Americ	an 🗆 Americ	an Indian/Alaskan Na	tive 🗆
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Other:				

Parent/Guardian Information:

Primary Phone #: ()(Home □ Cell □)	
Parent/Guardian Name:@	Phone#: (_) (Work□ Cell□)
Parent/Guardian Name:	Phone#: ()
Email:@	(Work Cell)
Emergency Contact (not parent): Phone #: () or () Emergency Contact's relationship to child: (check one) Grandparent Aunt/Uncle Godparent Sibling F	

LIABILITY RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Please read carefully before signing. By signing this Agreement you are waiving certain rights and accepting certain responsibilities.

I, ______, being the parent/guardian/legal representative, of the above-named minor (hereinafter "Participant"), do hereby consent to participation in the Reebok BOKS - Build Our Kids' Success Program (hereinafter "Program"). I understand that sports, general physical exercise, and related activities, including those which are a part of the Program, (collectively "Recreational Sports") involve inherent risks of INJURY and DEATH. I voluntarily agree to expressly assume all risks of injury or death to Participant that may result from his/her participation in Recreational Sports or which relates in any way to the use of any equipment that may be provided for participation in Recreational Sports.

In consideration of the above-named minor Participant being permitted to so participate. I, on behalf of myself, my heirs, my agents, my representatives, any other parent, quardian, or legal representative, (hereinafter "Participant's Parents") hereby agree to release, acquit, discharge, defend, indemnify, and covenant to hold harmless (1) Reebok International Ltd. and each of its parent companies, directors, officers, employees, agents, subsidiaries and affiliates ("Reebok"), and (2) South Shore Charter Public School (hereinafter "SSCPS"), together with any and all of their current and former officers, employees, boards, commissions, committees, agents, representatives, designees, successors, and assigns ("SSCPS") (collectively "Sponsors") from and against any and all claims, causes of action, suits, costs, damages and liability for any and all losses, which shall include, but shall not be limited to, bodily injury, death, property loss, or property damage, whether known or unknown, and whether held by me or the Participant now or upon reaching the age of majority, arising out of, in connection with, or relating in any way to the Participant's participation in Recreational Sports during Programs and the use of any facility at the Programs, including, but not limited to, school grounds, playground, basketball courts, hotels, exercise facilities or locker rooms, or any and all property of the Town of Norwell and/or the SSCPS. I understand and agree that I will defend and indemnify Sponsors from any claim made by Participant.

This release and indemnity agreement includes, but is not limited to, claims based upon negligence by Sponsors and any and all of their current and former officers, employees, boards, commissions, committees, agents, representatives, designees, successors, and assigns, and any other person or cause. I further agree to pay Sponsors all costs and legal fees expended by them or their affiliates defending against such claims or lawsuits as well as any sum paid as a result of any judgment or settlement.

The Sponsors, nor any of their current and former officers, employees, boards, committees, commissions, agents, representatives, designees, successors, and assigns shall incur any personal obligation or incur any personal liability as a result of the Participant's participation in Recreational Sports at the Program and the use of any facility during a Program, including, but not limited to, school grounds, playground, basketball courts, hotels, exercise facilities or locker rooms, or any and all property of SSCPS.

I further agree to grant to Sponsors the absolute right and permission to use, publish, record on video, photograph, broadcast, and copyright any and all images and sounds captured in connection with the Program and Participants, including Participant's voice recording, name, picture, and likeness, and/or any material based on or derived from them in any manner whatsoever for purposes of advertising or trade in promoting and publicizing products and events related in any way to the brands Adidas, Reebok, or any sister company or subsidiary thereof.

Parent/Guardian Printed Name

Parent/Guardian Signature



Visit us online at www.bokskids.org.

MEDICAL TREATMENT PLAN

, the Parent/Guardian of the above-named participant, herby ١, represent that Participant is medically fit to participate in the Program. I understand that the Program involves physical exercise that may be strenuous, including but not limited to running, jumping, throwing and catching. I hereby give Sponsors permission and full authority in the event of illness, injury or emergency condition, to administer first aid and take whatever action considered appropriate under the circumstances to obtain medical treatment and services for the Participant, including but not limited to transportation to medical facility. I also authorize the use and disclosure of Participant's individually identifiable health information should treatment for injury or illness become necessary.

Doctor's Name (PCP):	
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Doctor's Telephone:
Doctor's Telephone:

Dentist's Name:		

Dentist's Telephone:	
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This agreement shall be governed under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

If any provision of this agreement is determined to be unenforceable, all other provisions shall be given full force and effect.

I THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS LIABILITY RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND MEDICAL TREATMENT PLAN AND AGREE TO ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

and

I verify that I am the parent or quardian of the Participant, I have the authority to enter into this agreement on behalf of the Participant, and I agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of this agreement.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____



Visit us online at www.bokskids.org.



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. South Shore Charter Public School offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs **\$1.75**; lunch costs **\$3.25**. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced price meals. Reduced price is **\$0.30** for breakfast and **\$0.40** for lunch.

- 1. Do I need to fill out an application for each child? No. Complete only one Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application for all students in your household. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. Return the completed application to: Charlene Evans, Food Services Coordinator, 781-982-4202.
- 2. *Who can get free meals?* All children in households receiving benefits from MA SNAP, MA TAFDC or the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations, can get free meals regardless of your income. Also, your children can get free meals if your household's gross income is within the free limits on the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines.
- If you have received a NOTICE OF DIRECT CERTIFICATION for free meals, do not complete the application. But do let the school know if any children in your household are not listed on the Notice of Direct Certification letter you received.
- 3. CAN FOSTER CHILDREN GET FREE MEALS? Yes, foster children that are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court, are eligible for free meals.
- 4. *Can homeless, runaway, and migrant children get free meals?* Yes, children who meet the definition of homeless, runaway, or migrant are eligible for free meals. If you believe children in your household meet these descriptions and haven't been told your children will get free meals, please call or e-mail Angie Pepin, 7-12 Principal, 781-982-4202 or apepin@sscps.org.
- 5. WHO CAN GET REDUCED PRICE MEALS? Your children can get low cost meals if your household income is within the reduced price limits on the Federal Eligibility Income Chart, shown on this application.
- 6. SHOULD I FILL OUT AN APPLICATION IF I RECEIVED A LETTER THIS SCHOOL YEAR SAYING MY CHILDREN ARE APPROVED FOR FREE MEALS? No, but please read the letter you got carefully and follow the instructions. Call the school at **781-982-4202** if you have questions.
- 7. MY CHILD'S APPLICATION WAS APPROVED LAST YEAR. DO I NEED TO FILL OUT ANOTHER ONE? Yes. Your child's application is only good for that school year and for the first few days of this school year. You must send in a new application unless the school told you that your child is eligible for the new school year.
- 8. I GET WIC. CAN MY CHILD(REN) GET FREE MEALS? Children in households participating in WIC may be eligible for free or reduced price meals. Please send in an application.
- 9. *Will the information I give be checked?* Yes and we may also ask you to send written proof.
- 10. *If I don't qualify now, may I apply later?* Yes, you may apply at any time during the school year. For example, children with a parent or guardian who becomes unemployed may become eligible for free and reduced price meals if the household income drops below the income limit.

- 11. *What if I disagree with the school's decision about my application?* You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to: Alicia Savage at 781-982-4202 or email <u>asavage@sscps.org</u> or by mail to 100 Longwater Circle, Norwell, MA 02061.
- 12. *May I apply if someone in my household is not a U.S. citizen?* Yes. You or your child(ren) do not have to be U.S. citizens to qualify for free or reduced price meals.
- 13. *Who should I include as members of my household?* You must include all people living in your household, related or not (such as grandparents, other relatives, or friends) who share income and expenses. You must include yourself and all children living with you. If you live with other people who are economically independent (for example, people who you do not support, who do not share income with you or your children, and who pay a pro-rated share of expenses), do not include them.
- 14. *What if my income is not always the same?* List the amount that you normally receive. For example, if you normally make \$1000 each month, but you missed some work last month and only made \$900, put down that you made \$1000 per month. If you normally get overtime, include it, but do not include it if you only work overtime sometimes. If you have lost a job or had your hours or wages reduced, use your current income.
- 15. *We are in the military. do we include our housing allowance as income?* If you get an off-base housing allowance, it must be included as income. However, if your housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include your housing allowance as income.
- 16. My spouse is deployed to a combat zone. is her combat pay counted as income? No, if the combat pay is received in addition to her basic pay because of her deployment and it wasn't received before she was deployed, combat pay is not counted as income. Contact your school for more information.
- 17. *My family needs more help. Are there other programs we might apply for?* To find out how to apply for MA SNAP or other assistance benefits, contact your local assistance office or call the MA SNAP Hotline **1-866-950-3663**

If you have other questions or need help, call **781-982-4202x106** Si necesita ayuda, por favor llame al teléfono: **781-982-4202x106** Si vous voudriez d'aide, contactez nous au numero: **781-982-4202x106**

Sincerely, Kristine Bingham Director of Finance

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

If your children get free or reduced price school meals, they <u>may</u> also be able to get free or low-cost health insurance through Medicaid or the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP). Children with health insurance are more likely to get regular health care and are less likely to miss school because of sickness.

Because health insurance is so important to children's well-being, *the law allows us to tell Medicaid and SCHIP that your children are eligible for free or reduced price meals, unless you tell us not to.* Medicaid and SCHIP only use the information to identify children who may be eligible for their programs. Program officials may contact you to offer to enroll your children. Filling out the Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application does not automatically enroll your children in health insurance.

If you do not want us to share your information with Medicaid or SCHIP, fill out the form below and send in (Sending in this form will not change whether your children get free or reduced price meals).

No! I DO NOT want information from my Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application shared with Medicaid or the State Children's Health Insurance Program.

If you checked no, fill out the form below to ensure that your information is NOT shared for the child(ren) listed below:

Child'sName	School:
Child'sName	School:
Child'sName	School:
Child'sName	School:
Signature of Parent/Guardian:	Date:
Printed Name:	
Address:	

For more information, you may call Kristine Bingham at 781-982-4202x106 or e-mail at kbingham@sscps.org

Return this form to: SSCPS, 100 Longwater Circle, Norwell, MA 02061.

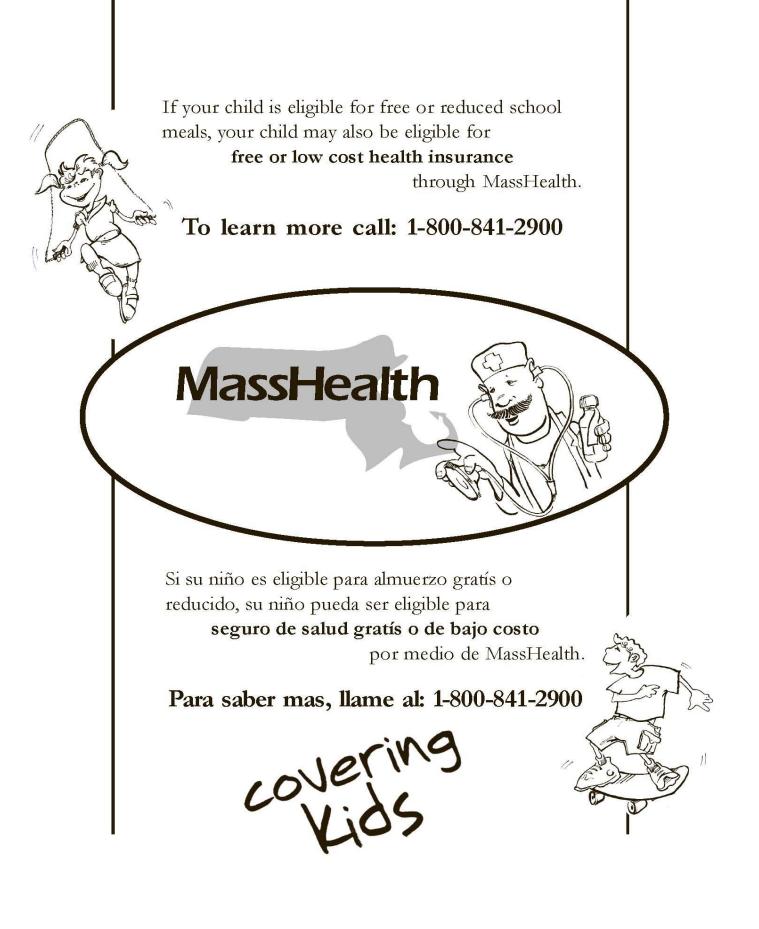
SHARING INFORMATION WITH OTHER PROGRAMS

Dear Parent/Guardian:

To save you time and effort, the information you gave on your Free and Reduced Price School Meals Application may be shared with other programs for which your children may qualify. For the following programs, we must have your permission to share your information. Sending in this form will not change whether your children get free or reduced price meals.

Yes! I DO want school officials to s Application with Title I Program .	hare information from my Free and Reduced Price School Meals
Yes! I DO want school officials to s Application with SSYMCA Aftersc	hare information from my Free and Reduced Price School Meals hool Childcare Program.
Yes! I DO want school officials to s Application with SSCPS Athletic 8	hare information from my Free and Reduced Price School Meals z Enrichment Programs.
	above, fill out the form below to ensure that your information is shared for on will be shared only with the programs you checked.
Child'sName	School:
Signature of Parent/Guardian:	Date:
Printed Name:	
For more information, you may call Kristin	e Bingham at 781-982-4202x106 or e-mail kbingham@sscps.org

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Choose one ethnicity:

MASSACHUSETTS FREE AND REDUCED PRICE SCHOOL MEALS HOUSEHOLD APPLICATION

SCHOOL YEAR 2014-2015

If you have received a NOTICE OF DIRECT CERTIFICATION from the school district for free meals, **do not** complete this application. But **do** let the school know if any children in the household are not listed on the **Notice of Direct Certification** letter you received.

PART 1. ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS List all household members including children seeking school meals, siblings and both parents of children living in home. Also, include other relatives and friends living in home if you live as a single economic unit. (See instructions- Q.13)																		
NAME OF ALL HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS (First, Middle Initial, Last)		NAME OF SCHOOL CHILD ATTENDS					CHECK IF A FOSTER CHILD (LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY OF WELFARE AGENCY OR COURT) * IF ALL CHILDREN LISTED BELOW ARE FOSTER CHILDREN, SKIP TO PART 5.					CHECK IF NO INCOME						
PART 2. BENEFITS- MA SM	NAP OR MA	ΔTΑ	FD	С							PART	B. HOME	ELE	ESS,	, MI	GI	RANT, RUNA	WAY
IF ANY MEMBER OF YOUR HOUSEHOLD RECEIVES MA SNAP or MA TAFDC benefits , PROVIDE THE AGENCY IDENTIFICATION NUMBER* LOCATED ON THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSITIONAL ASSISTANCE (DTA) BENEFIT LETTER. SKIP TO PART 5 AND SIGN THIS FORM IF YOU HAVE PROVIDED AN AGENCY ID NUMBER. AGENCY ID : * Do not provide EBT card						HOME CHECF Angie I	LESS, A K THE A Pepin, 78	RU PPI 31-9	NA Roi <mark>82-</mark>	WA PRI 420	АҮ, АТ <mark>2х</mark> 1	APPLYING F OR MIGRAN 'E BOX AND 102 Ay 🗖 Migr	NT, CALL					
number. PART 4. TOTAL HOUSEHOLD GROSS INCOME (BEFORE DEDUCTIONS). List all income on the same line as the person who receives it. Check the box for how often it is received. RECORD EACH INCOME ONLY ONCE. DO NOT INCLUDE MONEY RECEIVED FROM MA SNAP OR MA TAFDC.																		
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(LIST ONLY HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS WITH INCOME)	Earnings from work before deductions.	Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	Twice Monthly	Monthly	Welfare, child support, alimony	Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	Twice Monthly	Monthly	retire	sions, ement, Security, benefits	Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	Twice Monthly	Monthly	All other ind must indicate and how	how much
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PART 5. SIGNATURE AND L A parent or caretaker adult must sign this application is true and that	gn the applicat	tion (see	Use	of	Information	Sta	tem	ent	on	the back o	f this page). I (certi	ify (pro	mise) that all inf	
on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the school will get Federal funds based on the information that I give. I understand that school officials may verify (check) the information. I understand that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted. An adult household member must sign the application. If Part 4 is completed, the adult signing the form also must list the last 4 digits of his or her Social Security Number or mark the "Check here if you do not have a Social Security Number" box. See Use of Information Statement on the back of this page. Sign here: Print Name: Date: Address: State: Zip Code:																		
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PART 6. CHILDREN'S ETHNIC AND RACIAL IDENTITIES (OPTIONAL)																		

Choose one or more (regardless of ethnicity):

Hispanic/Latino	□ Asian	American Indian or Alaska Native	Black or African American
Not Hispanic/Latino	□ White	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	
DO NOT	' FILL OUT	THIS PART. THIS IS FOR SCHOOL	USE ONLY.
Annual Income Con	version: Wee	kly x 52, Every 2 Weeks x 26, Twice A M	onth x 24, Monthly x 12
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Dual Eligibility: Foster child(ren) – Free	N	Non-foster child(ren) – Free Reduc	ced Denied
Categorical Eligibility: Date Witho	rawn:	Eligibility: Free Reduced De	nied Reason:
Check if this is an error prone applie	cation – utilize	e for verification standard sample size - see el	igibility manual for instructions.
Determining Official's Signature:			Date:
Confirming Official's Signature:			Date:
Verifying Official's Signature:			Date:

Your children may qualify for free or reduced price meals if your household income falls at or below the limits on this chart.

Use of Information Statement: This explains how we will use the information you give us.

The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last four digits of the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. The last four digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use your information to determine if your child is eligible for free or reduced price meals, and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their

FEDERAL ELIGIBILITY INCOME CHART School Year 2014-2015							
Household size	Yearly	Monthly	Weekly				
1	\$21,590	\$1,800	\$416				
2	\$29,101	\$2,426	\$560				
3	\$36,612	\$3,051	\$705				
4	\$44,123	\$3,677	\$849				
5	\$51,634	\$4,303	\$993				
6	\$59,145	\$4,929	\$1,138				
7	\$66,656	\$5,555	\$1,282				
8	\$74,167	\$6,181	\$1,427				
Each additional person:	+7,511	+626	+145				

programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules.

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Breakfast Order Form Breakfast for the Month of February, 2015

Due to the office by 3:00 pm, *Tuesday, January 27, 2015

Student Name

Pod Teacher/Advisor _____ Grade _____

Please <u>CHECK</u> off the day breakfast will be ordered.

Week of 2/2 – 2/6	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[] Thursday	[] Friday
Week of 2/9 – 2/13	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[] Thursday	[] Friday
Week of 2/16 – 2/20	[X] Monday	[X] Tuesday	[X] Wednesday	[X] Thursday	[X] Friday
Week of 2/23 – 2/27	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[] Thursday	[] Friday

X	\$1.75
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Cash or Checks may be made out to SSCPS.

Lunch Order Form Lunch for the Month of February, 2015

Due to the office by 3:00 pm, *Tuesday, January 27, 2015

Student Name _____

Pod Teacher/Advisor _____ Grade _____

Please <u>CHECK</u> off the day lunch will be ordered.

Week of 2/2 – 2/6	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[] Thursday	[] Friday
Week of 2/9 – 2/13	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[X] Thursday	[] Friday
Week of 2/16 – 2/20	[X] Monday	[X] Tuesday	[X] Wednesday	[X] Thursday	[X] Friday
Week of 2/23 – 2/27	[] Monday	[] Tuesday	[] Wednesday	[] Thursday	[] Friday

Number of Lunches ordered	 Х	\$3.25
Less credit due		
Total Amount Enclosed		\$
Cash or Checks may be made out to SSCPS.		



South Shore Charter School *FEBRUARY*, 2015

Breakfast

Mo	nday Tuesday		Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Cera Fru WW Gr Juia Mi	it ahams ce	Dz. WW Muffin Fruit Juice Milk	WW Cinnamon Roll Fruit Juice Milk	5 Cereal Fruit WW Grahams Juice Milk	6 3.6 oz. WW Muffin Fruit Juice Milk
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* All Meals include Choice of 1% or Skim Milk.

* Complies with NSLP Regulations

ALL MENUS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

*Before placing your order, please inform the school if you have a food allergy!



South Shore Charter School K-8 FEBRUARY, 2015 LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Beef Hot Dog on WW Roll Baked Beans Ketchup Apple Milk	3 BBQ Chicken on Bun Potato Wedges w/Ketchup Tangerine Milk	4 Sloppy Joe on WW Bun Broccoli Banana Milk	5 Herbed Baked Chicken Sweet Potato Fries Whole Wheat Roll Pears Milk	6 Chicken Salad Caesar WW Wrap Cucumber Pears Milk
9 Sweet & Sour Chicken Brown Rice Broccoli Orange Milk	10 Pancakes w/Syrup Sausage Patty Potato Wedges Raisins Milk	11 Mexican Chicken Wrap Sweet Potato Fries w/Ketchup Green Beans Apple Milk	12 EARLY RELEASE	13 Meatballs on WW Sub Baked Beans Banana Milk
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23 Chicken & Salsa Brown Rice Southwestern Beans Apple Milk	24 Cheeseburger Mac Carrots Whole Wheat Roll Orange Milk	25 Chicken Tenders Potato Wedges w/Ketchup Whole Wheat Roll Peaches Milk	26 American Chop Suey Broccoli Whole Wheat Roll Mandarin Oranges Milk	27 Cheese Pizza Green Beans Potato Wedges Banana Milk

* All Meals include Choice of 1% or Skim Milk.

* Complies with NSLP Regulations

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South Shore Charter School 9-12 FEBRUARY, 2015 LUNCH

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2 Beef Hot Dog on WW Roll Baked Beans Ketchup Apple Peaches Milk	3 BBQ Chicken on WW Bun Potato Wedges w/Ketchup Tangerine Raisins Milk	4 Sloppy Joe on WW Bun Broccoli Banana Pineapple Chunks Milk	5 Herbed Baked Chicken Sweet Potato Fries Whole Wheat Roll Pears Orange Juice Milk	6 Chicken Salad Caesar WW Wrap Cucumber Mandarin Oranges Apple Juice Milk
9 Sweet & Sour Chicken Brown Rice Broccoli Pineapple Chunks Orange Milk	10 Pancakes w/Syrup Sausage Patty Potato Wedges Raisins Milk	11 Mexican Chicken WW Wrap Sweet Potato Fries w/Ketchup Green Beans Apple Orange Juice Milk	12 EARLY RELEASE	13 Meatballs on WW Sub Baked Beans Banana Pears Milk
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