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*A Message from Angie*



*Back-to-School Night at the High School*

It was a great pleasure to see such a large number of high school parents at Monday's Back to School Night and at the Senior Parent Night that followed. Families had the opportunity to meet our terrific high school team and get a sense of a day in the life of their teenager. I heard from families that they were impressed with the passion that our teachers have for teaching and for the subject matter. I know that the faculty was happy to meet so many of their students' parents. At our Senior Parent Night Mary Carter, Director of Guidance, provided the families of twelfth graders with an overview of what to expect this year. Information specifically for the parents of Seniors can be found on the [Class of 2019](#) page on our website. We will continue to

last set of [EXIT Standards](#).

Next week we will run our Back to School nights at 100 Longwater Circle. On Monday we welcome the parents of children in grades K-4. The night is divided between [Level I](#) (grades K-2) and [Level II](#) (grades 3-4). We are running the schedule for the evening differently this year to accommodate multiple classroom visits. Please refer to the schedule below:

6:00-6:10 Level I Welcome (in the Level IV Great Room)

6:10-6:45 Level I Classroom Visits

6:45-6:55 Level II Welcome (in the Level IV Great Room)

6:55-7:30 Level II Classroom Visits

Please note that teachers will be here all evening. If you have multiple children on the same Level, do not hesitate to go and introduce yourself during the time slot reserved for the opposite Level.

Back to School Night for grades 5-8 is on Thursday, September 27th. Parents will have the opportunity to get some general information about each Level, meet individual teachers, and to get up and running with their [PlusPortals](#) accounts. The general information that teachers will share next week is available on our website for both [Level III](#) (grades 5-6) and [Level IV](#) (grades 7-8). The schedule for the evening is below:

#### Level III

6:00-6:30 PlusPortals Login and Training (Music Room)

6:30-7:30 Classroom Visits

#### Level IV

6:00-6:10 Pod Time

6:10-7:00 Classroom Visits

7:00-7:30 PlusPortals Login and Training (Music Room)

The purpose of Back to School Night is to provide families with an opportunity to meet their children's teachers and to get a feel for the routines of the Level and the classrooms. If you have specific concerns about your child that you would like to discuss, please reach out to the teacher to make an appointment. Our fall Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Wednesday, December 5th. By that point both the first quarter (grades 5-12) and the first trimester (grades K-4) will have come to an end.

I very much look forward to seeing many of you next week. As always, please never hesitate to reach out with questions or concerns.

Angie Pepin

Principal, South Shore Charter Public School

Thursday	09/20	<a href="#">K-8 Picture Day</a>	

Day	Date	Event	Time
Monday	09/24	Level I and Level II Parent Back-to-School Night	6:00-7:30pm
Tuesday	09/25	<a href="#">Strategic Planning Committee</a> at 700 Longwater Drive	8:00am
Tuesday	09/25	<a href="#">Parents Association Meeting</a> at 100 Longwater Circle	7:00-8:30pm
Thursday	09/27	Level III and Level IV Back-to-School Night	6:00-7:30pm
Friday	09/28	Freshman Retreat to Treetop Adventures	
		Upcoming Events	
Tuesday	10/02	<a href="#">INPAC Workshop</a>	6:30pm
Wednesday	10/03	Professional Development Early Release	12:00pm
Thursday	10/04	School Council	3:30pm

### ***Important Links***

Weekly Updates are emailed and posted to our website [www.sscps.org](http://www.sscps.org) every Wednesday.

Here are links to upcoming events and other items of interest.

- **Note from the Health Office** Please complete and send in the [Over the Counter Medication form](#). No student will be given any over the counter medication without a signed consent form
- [Food Service](#) – **October** Order Forms and Menus are now available!
- [BoxTop for Education](#) volunteer opportunity
- Visit our new online option to [purchase](#) SSCPS apparel
- Please visit our [Giving](#) link for information regarding The Fund for SCEF and the Harvest Run registration and sponsorship information
- [Interested in International Travel](#) in April 2019!
- [2018-2019 Back-to-School Information](#)
- Check out the newsletter for [Holly Hill Farm](#)

Please contact Pam Algera at [palgera@sscps.org](mailto:palgera@sscps.org) to submit items for publication.

### ***School Documents***

[SSCPS By-Laws](#)

[School Improvement Plan](#)

[School Council](#)

### **Schedules by Level:**

- [Level I](#)
- [Level II](#)
- [Level III](#)
- [Level IV](#)

**SEPTEMBER 20, 2018**  
**6:00pm - 8:00pm**

**CONTRIBUTION PER PERSON**

**"AUTISM EATS COMES TO PEMBROKE!"**



AUTISM FRIENDLY      FAMILY DINNER

**BACK2SCHOOL**

CELEBRATE BACK TO SCHOOL WITH A FAMILY DINNER BUFFET.  
OUR OWN PRIVATE ROOM, DELICIOUS FOOD, TOYS & ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE KIDS

AUTISM EATS NOW IN ITS FOURTH YEAR WAS STARTED TO GIVE AUTISM FAMILIES AN OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY RESTAURANT MEALS WITHOUT THE STRESS THAT OFTEN ACCOMPANIES THESE OUTINGS. SINCE EVERYONE IN OUR PRIVATE ROOM "GETS IT" THERE IS NO NEED TO EXPLAIN ANY BEHAVIORS OR FEEL LIKE ALL EYES ARE ON US. IT IS A WONDERFUL WAY TO SPEND TIME WITH OTHER FAMILIES IN AN AUTISM-FRIENDLY NON-JUDGMENTAL ENVIRONMENT.

THANKS TO OUR HOSTS            TREASURES OF OUR HEARTS



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