

School District of Shiocton

Newsletter Connecting Home, School, and Community

VETERANS DAY OBSERVATION

Student Council will be holding their Veterans Day Breakfast again this



year. All local veterans are invited to enjoy a meal prepared by Student Council members on Nov. 11 at 8:30 a.m. in the school cafeteria. The Veterans Day program will follow at 9:45 a.m. We hope to see all of our local vets there!

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

SHIOCTON AREA RESIDENTS ARE ASKED TO MAKE NOMINATIONS FOR THE 19th ANNUAL_CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD SPONSORED BY THE SHIOCTON AREA BUSINESS LEAGUE. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS AS TO THE PERSON NOMINATED.JUDGING WILL BE BASED ON THE TIME AND EFFORT GIVEN BY THE PERSON NOMINATED IN SUPPORT OF COMMUNITY EVENTS. A BANQUET WILL BE HELD TO HONOR THE PERSON SELECTED.

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Shiocton Area Business League W7568 Kirschner Rd Shiocton WI 54170 OR

Drop off at: JOHNSON'S HARDWARE

ENTRY DEADLINE: JANUARY 13, 2017

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 11/1—UW Green Bay College representative—ELT
- 11/4—Early Release—12:10 p.m. End of Q1
- 11/7—School Board Meeting—6:00 p.m.
- 11/11—Veterans Day
 - -Veterans breakfast—8:30 a.m. -Program—9:45 a.m.
- 11/14-11/18—Paper Drive
- 11/16—Paul Mitchell College representative— ELT
- 11/21- School Board Meeting-6:00 p.m.
- 11/23— Early Release 12:10 p.m.
- 11/24-11/25—Thanksgiving Break— No School



Third Annual Math Morning Draws New, Repeat Attendees

Nearly two dozen parents, and one grandparent, gathered on Wednesday, October 5 for the third annual Math Morning.

Those in attendance were afforded hands-on learning opportunities as they solved story situations using different ways of doing such as the area model and expanded notation for

multiplication. As in years past, parents enjoyed the opportunity to learn along side their child in his/her classroom. In addition to learning the different strategies, attendees also learned the new vocabulary (grouping, ungrouping) and used manipulatives including the whiteboards.

Feedback from the attendees show a desire for more of this classroom observation time and a request to continue offering Math Morning, as well as consideration for a Math Night for parents who are not able to get off of work during the day.

While we explore the possibility of offering a Math Night, be sure to add the following date to your calendar for next year:

4th Annual Math Morning Friday, October 6, 2017

A big thank you to all who joined us. We greatly appreciate you taking the time to learn and grow with us and your student. See you next year!



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All residents of the school district are welcome to attend board meetings to keep informed on school issues or to voice any concerns they may have.

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If you do not have Internet access, you may request a copy by mail by calling (920) 986-3351 ext. 700. Submit any articles for publication by mail to the school address or by e-mail to: thelink@shiocton.k12.wi.us.

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AMAZING and OUTSTANDING Continues

Have you been tweeting with us on Twitter? Following us on Instagram? Maybe liking our posts on Facebook? If you have, then you have seen many, many examples of the amazing and outstanding education and school experiences our students have had since the October edition of <u>The Link</u> was published. Hear tell are a few more.

Algebra II Tech Book instruction: Having piloted a late-in-the -year unit through Discovery Ed's Tech Book for Algebra I and II, Mr. Ortlieb and Mrs. Foster began the year with another unit of study pilot. The Tech Book is an on-line curriculum that provides instruction through simulation and application of learned mathematics. Students are doing an **OUTSTANDING** job of challenging themselves to learn through the on-line medium, using the on-line tools such as graphing tools and calculators as they apply their learning for a higher-level of understanding.

Did you smell the sweet aroma of homemade apply pies as it wafted among the halls and out the open doors few weeks ago? That delicious smell was courtesy of Mrs. Gomm and her FACE students. Made from scratch, using donated apples from Mr. Doro and Ronnie Nelson, by way of Mr. Griesbach, the students collaborated and worked as cohesive units to bake over 90 pies - AMAZING! (The pies tasted amazing, too!) This far exceeded the 30 pies originally promised. Monies raised from the pie sales were donated again this year to the Outagamie Pre-Action Network (http://www.outagamie.org/index.aspx?page=1341), an organization that works with schools and students to prevent drug abuse.

And it's not just our students ... it's also our staff. Mr. Huebner continued his own learning this past summer when he participated in the George Washington Teacher Institute's summer residential program, first in Business: Washington's Entrepreneurial Ventures. Did you know that Washington implemented a plan by which slaves could either take the day off on Sunday or work for money? That tobacco became less of a focus the more he endeavored into the making of whiskey? And that Washington was one of the first to experiment with fertilizers to maintain the nutrients in the soil? There is so much more Mr. Huebner will be able to share and expose his students to as they study George Washington and his era all because he endeavored upon this most AMAZING learning experience himself. [In to history? Check out http://www.mountvernon.org/ to learn even more!]

And ... it's also our school board members. Mr. Mike Bellin was recently acknowledged by the Wisconsin Grocers Association for his contributions to his hometown of Shiocton, as well as New London where Festival Foods is located. The 2016 Community Service Award was presented to Mr. Bellin this past August in recognition of the **OUTSTANDING** role he continues to play in the betterment of the communities. Congratulations, Mr. Bellin!

I could go on but my column is nearly done. Stay tuned for next month's segment. And be sure to join us on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter to recognize the truly AMAZING and OUT-STANDING efforts put forth by our staff, students, and others members of our school community.

~ Mrs. Schweitzer

his is a very busy yet exciting time of year in the high school. The first quarter will quickly be coming to an end on November 4.

The fall sports seasons are wrapping up, and I wanted to take a minute to recognize the teams for their hard work and dedication throughout the season.

The volleyball team is under the direction of a new coach this year Mandy Trautman. They finished 15-12 for the season. The Shiocton football team finished 3-6. This year, we were also able to start Cross Country at the high school—providing our students with yet another opportunity to get involved. The dedication of the athletes and the coaches can be seen every night at practice. Our fall sports teams will continue to set their goals high as we complete this year's activity.

The school district along with the American Legion will be coordinating an assembly to honor our local veterans on November 11. Prior to the assembly, the high school Student Council will be sponsoring a free breakfast for local veterans to show their appreciation. The assembly will take place at 9:45 a.m., and we would love for you to attend.

If your child will be taking off for deer hunting, we ask that they complete a preabsence form and turn it into the high school office before they leave. This helps the teachers, as well as the lunch program, plan appropriately for this time.

Good luck to all deer hunters and have a Happy Thanksgiving.

~Mrs. Kelly Zeinert Grade 7-12 Principal 920-986-3351 ext. 751

Reality Check Volunteers Needed!

Parents, Community members, and Business owners:

Help with an interactive, hands-on Financial Literacy Event for high school seniors.

On Friday, January 13, 2017 From 8-12 p.m. At Shiocton High School

Help our seniors test their ability as consumers in our economy through an authentic financial learning event.

Contact Elizabeth Schneider Social Studies Teacher 920-986-3351 ext. 787 eschneider@shiocton.k12.wi.us

United Community Changes By Ryan Spaulding

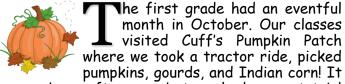
There are important changes coming to the United Community Program. HuTerra, an organization that works with nonprofits, is taking over management of the program. This will result in some changes and improvements.

More businesses and program features are being added. Further, our school will receive 75% of the funds raised, an increase over the 67% previously. Users will need to download the My HuTerra app and scan their receipts in order to raise funds. This allows most businesses and users to be part of the program and includes cash transactions, not just use of credit cards. The changes go into place November 1.

This program has helped the district raise over \$1,000 in the past few years with no cost to the users. Recently, the athletic department purchased a weight lifting records board for our female student-athletes with funds from this program. However, the monthly amounts raised lately have waned. We are hoping that all of our supporters will not only make this change by downloading the app, but also continue to actively support Shiocton athletics through this program!

First Grade News

By Amy Streblow



was a busy afternoon, but we had a great trip! Thanks to all the parents and chaperones. We had a wonderful time!

Looking into November, make sure you are practicing your spelling words nightly with your student so that they come in feeling confident for their weekly test. Keep your eyes peeled for the new week's words coming home each Friday on the back of the "Teacher Talk." Our math curriculum is off to a great start. If you haven't created a "Math Tool Box" yet it is a great way to keep the math letters and other manipulatives that come home all in one spot so that they are easy to access when needed. All of the tools that come home are helpful and assist you in reinforcing the skills the students are learning during the day. Continue watching your student's take home folder for math homework. The more practice your child has the more successful they will be!

Remember report cards will be coming home the beginning of November. If there are any additional questions or concerns please feel free to contact us.

Third Grade News

By Mr. Backman

hird Grade is working hard on their multiplication and division facts. These math wizards are creating equations, with variables, and then solving them to finding their products, quotients, results, and/or totals.

The students continue to work on creating personal narratives. Learning and relearning the skills of creating a great intro/lead, creating a great ending, and becoming better editors of their writing.

The third graders are in Unit 2 of our reading program. The readers will be focusing on following characters, being the characters, and feel the emotions that is within their character.



Fifth Grade News

By Mrs. VerVoort

Shiocton Airport

The 5th graders enjoyed an afternoon at our local Shiocton Airport. Students learned about the different planes, how navigation works, and what it looks like inside a small plane. Thank you to the Shiocton Flyer's Club for sponsoring our bus and volunteering their time!





November Paper Drive By Mr. Huebner



The October paper drive went very well. We filled three dumpsters and are waiting for the totals. Many thanks go out to the community for all their support. Please consider storing your paper recyclables for the upcoming November drive.

In addition, I would like to thank the community for their patience with the extra tall second dumpster. I understand the difficulty that was created when people tried to contribute their recyclables. The situation has been addressed, and we should not be having the extra high dumpster in the future.

The next drive of the year will run November 14-18. This will be a great chance to do any fall cleaning and get rid of all the paper recyclables stacking up in your home or garage. We really appreciate the support! If you have any questions, call Tim Huebner at 986-3351 x739.

When: November 14-18

Where: The large dumpster behind the school What: Any paper recyclables (examples cardboard, newspapers, junk mail, or any paper item)

Camp U-Nah-Li-Ya



"I loved canoeing, I could actually steer." ~Alexis

"Field hockey at night...the bomb!" ~Bennett

"The counselors made learning a lot of fun. I love that U-Nah-Li-Ya means 'Place of Friends'." ~Kendyl





Students enjoyed playing in the Ga-Ga ring and field hockey pit during free-time at camp.







Mealtimes were filled with waiter responsibilities, songs, toasts, and lots of gizmo laughs!!

SPICE

by Mindy Hofacker

S.P.I.C.E. has been busy with activities as we welcome the fall weather. The Book Fair was a huge success. We want to thank everyone who volunteered and to all who supported our efforts with purchases. We could not do this without the families of Shiocton! Our Fall Box Tops Challenge wrapped up October 21. Thank you to everyone who clipped and saved those Box Tops! They really do add up! Please continue to save them for our next challenge!

Our first Free Family Movie night of the year will be held November 18 in the cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. The movie will be Finding Dory. There will be concessions available for pur



will be concessions available for purchase during the movie. We hope to see you there!

Our Plastic Bag and Film recycling challenge will begin November 20. Please bring your bags to one of the locations and place them in the recycling bins. The bins will be located near the elementary school entrance, the main entrance by the district office, and near the high school office. The Trex Co. puts this challenge on for schools and uses the recycled plastic and film to produce lumber for decks. More information on this program can be found at www.trex.com . We could use a few more volunteers who are willing to take a week during the challenge to collect the plastic bags. During your scheduled week, you would be responsible for collecting the bags from the bins. The bags would need to be weighed with the scale available in the office. The bags would then need to be dropped off at one of the area stores that accept them for Trex. These stores include: Pick N Save, Copps, Target, and Kohls. Our school receives a gift made of Trex lumber and a bench if we win the The challenge runs through April. Please contact me at <u>5hofackers@gmail.com</u> if you would like to be part of the pick-up crew to help make this challenge a success! Also, look for information coming home regarding the challenge and what is all accepted as recyclable plastic and film.

Mark your calendars for this year's Holiday Fair and our annual Cookies with Santa! The Holiday Fair will be held the week of December 5 and will be available for students to buy small holiday gifts for family members. Gifts will be wrapped and ready for the holiday season. The kids love this opportunity to shop for family and friends! Cookies with Santa will be held Saturday December 10.

Our next meeting will be held November 2 at 6:00 p.m. in the LMC, and our December meeting will be held on 12/7 at the River Rail at 6:00 p.m.. We hope you will be able to join us! Thank you for your continued support of SPICE!

Food and Toy Drive Still Needs Your Help

Classes are still competing to see who can collect the most items for this year's Food and Toy Drive. The winning classes in elementary, middle, and high school will be rewarded with a spe-

cial treat provided by Student Council. We would like to thank everyone who contributes to this wonderful event! Each year we're able to accommodate more and more families thanks to this generous community!!!



Bus Evacuation



On October 11, bus drivers worked with student riders to practice evacuating the bus in a safe manner. Older students assisted the younger ones safely off the bus through the rear exit. Students were reminded that it is never safe to jump down from the bus as this can result in twisted ankles or worse. Backing away from the road and remaining out of the way of traffic, including emergency vehicles, were also reminders shared with the students. Practice makes perfect and in this case, will keep our kiddos safe, as well.



On October 6, Mrs. Ritchie's students were treated to a visit by Jennifer Eklund, a composer from Costa Mesa, California. They had featured her music in the last recitals so she came to meet them and talk with them about

music and composing. She spoke a bit about her life in CA and how she runs her publishing company. They had the opportunity to have her autograph their music and take pictures with her. It was a very unique experience for them. Jennifer told me later how impressed she was with our children. They were very polite of course but also interacted with her freely. She thought they were great! We can all be very proud of them!

-By Sally Ritchie

Gifted and Talented

By Wendy Pfundtner

Engaged Learners: Growing and Stretching to Unlimited Possibilities

Five students were selected from a pool of applicants to attend a CESA 6 grant project titled "Engaged Learners: Growing and Stretching to Unlimited Possibilities." These students designed a project to work on that they will share with others when they have completed their projects by the end of April 2017. We had our first face-to-face meeting at the Oshkosh CESA 6 on October 5. The students learned about their strengths and weaknesses, what they wonder about, and selected a focus area for their projects. They enjoyed a lunch that surpassed any prior lunch ideas they had! (They even tried to balance three golf balls for five seconds or more, snowman style, but couldn't beat the Weyauwega group in this endeavor.) In the afternoon, we worked on goal setting and standard selection for their individual projects. It was a positive, energetic experience enjoyed by all students from various districts.

Noetic Math Contest

On November 11, all interested and signed up students in Grades 3-6 will take the Fall Noetic Math Contest test. There are twenty problem solving questions on the test with varying degrees of difficulty. Each question is worth five points. The highest percentage reached so far has been 80%. We are striving for 100%. Each year more students are taking on this challenge. I am hoping this will be the best contest for Shiocton yet!

Battle of the Books

Our 3rd, 4th, 5th through 6th grade Gifted and Talented students in Battle of the Books (BOB) are vigorously reading trying to complete 20 books before Christmas break. The students thoroughly enjoy reading these books and sharing their thoughts in discussions. Thank you for encouraging the love of reading and persistence in this challenge. I am so proud of these students!

Spelling Bee

Grades 3-8 will soon be involved in the annual Scripps Spelling Bee. Teachers will give their students a copy of their word list (mid-November) to take home to study and prepare for their classroom spelling bee. Each teacher will conduct a classroom bee before December 16. The top two spellers from each classroom will move on to the local Spelling Bee, Tuesday, January 10, from 1:00-3:00 p.m. If school is canceled due to weather, the make -up day will be Wednesday, January 11. The top speller(s) will then move on to the regional level in February.

FVTC Promise Program By Mrs. Zeinert

That if we could remove financial barriers for every hard-working high school senior who wanted to go to college? Think of the possibilities for students, parents and our local workforce. Two years of college at NO COST to the student.

Under the FVTC Promise Scholarship Program, every eligible incoming high school student in the Fox Valley Technical College district can earn an associate degree or technical diploma at FVTC if they: maintain solid grades, have good attendance, do not repeat classes, graduate on time, meet certain low income requirements, and provide service to their community.

For more information go to https://www.fvtc.edu/Community-Alumni/Foundation-Alumni/Scholarships/FVTC-Promise. Application deadline is December 1, 2016.

Warm Up Your Minds as the Cold Weather Comes

By Mandy Trautman

Palling away from the warm weather can make it harder to get outside or get up to move around. But it should not stop you; exercise can help give you energy for the dreary weather. Not only will it help you, but your children, as well.

Studies have shown that physical exercise can help spatial learning. What is spatial learning? A person that learns more effectively through visual cues and pictures, instead of just words. Improving spatial learning can also help increase memory, which can help children or adults retain information. This can help promote school and work success.

So, the next time you are bundled up in a blanket or your kids are playing video games, get up and warm your bodies, and minds, through physical exercise.

Wrapping up the Fall Book Fair By Mr. Parker

The Fall book fair was a swashbuckling success! We met our goal of over 500 books sold so Mrs. Schweitzer and Mrs. Griesbach are going to dress up as pirates and read seafaring stories to elementary classes in the upcoming weeks. This should be oceans of fun!

A big thanks to all the volunteers who helped to make the fair run smoothly. Without their help, SPICE would not have been able to donate nearly a \$1,000 worth of books to classroom and school libraries. In addition, over a \$1,000 was raised to help pay for playground equipment, classroom supplies, and other district needs.

Thanks again for all the support of our PTO. See you at the spring book fair!

Counselor's Corner November Issue

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Dear Reader,

Welcome to the Counselor's Corner. We felt that providing a one-stop shop for our information would be more useful and convenient to all of our students and their families. Our counseling program offers services of individual counseling, group counseling, or outside referrals. Please feel free to contact us at any time regarding academic, emotional, or social needs of your child.

K-6 Students

My first month is underway, and I am loving every second here at Shiocton Elementary! I have been making my way into classrooms for guidance lessons and look forward to starting many more projects this month. I will be conducting classroom lessons in all grades, K-6, twice a month. During these classroom lessons, I will provide students with tools to aid them in academic, career, and social/personal areas.

I look forward to another exciting month!

7-12 Students

Attention Seniors: FAFSA is open. Families may submit their college financial aid applications at this time. Students, complete your college applications as soon as possible. See Mrs. Cornell if you need help. Seniors have been invited to be part of the "Remind" app to get text reminders on scholarships, applications, and other important information from Mrs. Cornell.

Senior Parents: If you would also like to get those reminders, please email me your cell number.

Middle School Student Council News:

Thank you to all who purchased popcorn for Red Ribbon Week and to SPICE for their generous donation of popcorn. These funds helped to pay for our fabulous speaker, Mike McGowan, who presented to students K-12 on October 25 about respect, responsibility, and decision-making.

Upcoming Events:

November 11 - Red, White, & Blue Day (Veteran's Day)

November 14 - Student Council Summit in Appleton

November 16 - Student Council Meeting at lunch

November 28 - Green Bay Packer Dress-up

Upcoming Events

November 1: UWGB rep visit

November 4: End of first quarter

> November 11: Veteran's Day

November 14: Student Council Summit

November 16: Paul Mitchell representative visit

November 24/25: Thanksgiving Break

Character Trait Theme for November

Loyalty

Every month the counseling department will provide a positive trait to help students develop and foster positive character traits. We will list ideas for families to try at home and support what students learn in school.

TIPS:

- Help children learn how to address and work through conflicts
- Participate in activities together as a family
- Teach children to keep commitments
- Display school/team spirit



Whole Grains in your Diet

What foods are in the Grains Group?

Any food made from wheat, rice, oats, cornmeal, barley or another cereal grain is a grain product. Bread, pasta, oatmeal, breakfast cereals, tortillas, and grits are examples of grain products. Grains are divided into two subgroups: whole grains and refined grains. Whole grains contain the entire grain kernel — the bran, germ, and endosperm. Examples of whole grains include whole-wheat flour, bulgur (cracked wheat), oatmeal, whole cornmeal, and brown rice. Refined grains have been milled, a process that removes the bran and germ. This is done to give grains a finer texture and improve their shelf life, but it also removes dietary fiber, iron, and many B vitamins. Some examples of refined grain products are white flour, de-germed cornmeal, white bread, and white rice.

Most refined grains are enriched. This means certain B vitamins and iron are added back after processing. Fiber is not added back to enriched grains. Check the ingredient list on refined grain products to make sure that the word "enriched" is included in the grain name. Some food products are made from mixtures of whole grains and refined grains.

How many grain foods are needed daily?

The amount of grains you need to eat depends on your age, gender, and level of physical activity. Most Americans consume enough grains, but few are whole grains. At least half of all the grains eaten should be whole grains.

Why is it important to eat grains, especially whole grains?

Eating grains, especially whole grains, provides health benefits. People who eat whole grains as part of a healthy diet have a reduced risk of some chronic diseases. Grains provide many nutrients that are vital for the health and maintenance of our bodies.

Health benefits

- Consuming whole grains as part of a healthy diet may reduce the risk of heart disease.
- Consuming foods containing fiber, such as whole grains, as part of a healthy diet, may reduce constipation.
- Eating whole grains may help with weight management.
- Eating grain products fortified with folate before and during pregnancy helps prevent neural tube defects during fetal development.

Special Education News



Hello Families!

My name is Shari Griesbach, and I am a middle school special education teacher. Prior to working in Shiocton, I taught middle school in the Kimberly Area School District for the

past eleven years. My husband and I have three children attending Shiocton Elementary, so it only seemed fitting that our whole family should be under one roof. Ella is in 2nd grade, Lincoln is in 5K, and Maverick is in 4K. In my spare time, I love to go up north, camp, and play noncompetitive volleyball. Thank you for the warm welcome and great family atmosphere.

Shari Griesbach Middle School Special Education Teacher sgriesbach@shiocton.k12.wi.us



My name is Konnie Free, and I've been hired as a middle school special education teacher. Previous to this, I taught in the Appleton Area School District. I have 3 grown children, 2 cats, and a dog. In my spare time I like

to read, walk my dog, swim, and bike. I'm very excited to be part of the Shiocton School District!

Konnie Free Middle School Special Education Teacher kfree@shiocton.k12.wi.us



Hi all, my name is Sarah
Feucht. I was born and raised
in Appleton and currently live
there with my family: my husband, two daughters and one
son. I have been in education
for over nine years, though
much my teaching has been in

the 4K classroom. I decided to come to Shiocton because I enjoy the small, intimate community feel. I enjoy spending time with my family and friends, winter skiing, summer boating, and watching/attending sporting events. I look forward to being a part of a great community and learning a lot in the journey!

Sarah Feucht
Elementary Special Education Teacher
<u>sfeucht@shiocton.k12.wi.us</u>



FALL FUNDRAISER PICKUP

Time to pick up your fall fundraiser salsa and nuts! Our fundraiser pickup is scheduled for Thursday, November 10 from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. in the Band Room. All orders must be picked up! All salsa sold is actually fresh-made, so it needs to stay refrigerated, and we have no space to store it at school. Please make the necessary arrangements to pick up your child's fundraiser product. Thanks again for supporting our music students!

MUSIC PARENTS... ASSEMBLE!

If you have a student in the band or choir, we'd like to invite you to meet in the Band Room on Thursday, November 10 (after our fundraiser pickup) at 6:00pm. We'll talk about our chili fundraiser—what we need, how you can volunteer, bucket raffle donations, and anything else for the good of the group. We depend upon an active group of parents, like YOU, to help make your child's band/choir experience truly great. Please join us!

THANK YOU, VETERANS

Join us at 9:45 a.m. on Friday, November 11 in the High School Gym as we celebrate local veterans for their service and sacrifice in serving our country. With our entire Shiocton student body present, we'd like to express our thanks to veterans for ensuring our freedoms here at home.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW

We have a fantastic line-up of music and a delicious chili dinner with rumors of Santa Claus coming to Shiocton! Join us for the Shiocton Christmas Party on Monday, December 12. Dinner will be served from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. with our annual Winter Concert to follow at 7:00 p.m. Be sure to mark your calendars now and invite the entire family. Let's celebrate the season together!

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LAKE ERIE TRIP PAYMENT DUE

Tuesday, November 8 HS BAND/CHOIR

FALL FUNDRAISER PICKUP

Thursday, November 10 3:00-6:00 p.m. **Band Room** 6-12 CHOIR

MUSIC PARENTS MTG

Thursday, November 10 6:00 p.m. **Band Room** ALL BAND/CHOIR PARENTS

VETERAN'S DAY CEREMONY

Friday, November 11 9:45 a.m. HS Gym HS BAND/7-8 CHOIR

SHIOCTON CHRISTMAS PAR-

TY:

CHILI DINNER & WINTER CONCERT

Monday, December 12

CHILI DINNER 4:00-6:30pm

Cafeteria

CONCERT 7:00pm HS Gym

Band and choir students

- A new language
- Teamwork
- Memorization
- Discipline
- Perseverance
- **Improved**

- Organizational skills
- Mature social skills
- Performance skills

In a world that seems to go faster by the minute, is there really time for music in a students' schedule? Music helps build life skills for success in a busy world. It gives students a leg up in a world that is becoming increasingly diverse, connected, and in great need of people who can think outside the box. The question really is...can our students afford NOT to be in music?

bit.ly/shioctonupbeat • facebook.com/shioctonband • facebook.com/shioctonchoirs.shiocton

November Calendar of Events

1	Tues.	MS Boys Basketball @ New London—4:15 p.m.			
3	Thurs.	UW Green Bay College representative— ELT Varsity Volleyball—TBD			
4	Fri.	MS Boys Basketball @ Weyauwega-Fremont—4:00 p.m. Early Dismissal—12:10 p.m. End of Quarter 1 Varsity Volleyball—TBD Varsity Football—7:00 p.m.			
5 7	Sat. Mon.	Varsity Volleyball—TBD School Board Meeting—6:00 p.m. MS Boys Basketball @ Clintonville 4:00 p.m. & 5:30 p.m.			
10 11	Thurs. Fri.	MS Boys Basketball @ home—4:00 p.m. Varsity Football 7:00 p.m.			
14-18 15 16 18	MonFri. Tues. Wed. Fri.	Veterans Day—Breakfast at 8:30 A.M.; program begins @ 9:45 A.M Paper Drive MS Boys Basketball@ Wittenberg—4:00 p.m. Paul Mitchell College representative— ELT Varsity Football—TBD JV Girls Basketball @ Horace Mann High School—5:50 p.m. Varsity Girls Basketball @ Horace Mann High School—7:30 p.m.			
21	Mon.	S.P.I.C.E. Family Movie Night—Finding Dory cafeteria @ 7:00 p.m. School Board Meeting—6:00 p.m. MS Boys Basketball @ home—4:00 p.m. JV Girls Basketball @ Valders—5:50 p.m. Vancity Girls Basketball @ Valdens—7:15 p.m.			
22 23 24, 25 28 29	Tues. Wed. Thurs./Fri. Mon. Tues.	Varsity Girls Basketball @ Valders—7:15 p.m. MS Boys Basketball @ home—4:00 p.m. Early Dismissal—12:10 Thanksgiving Break—No School JV Boys Basketball @ home—6:00 p.m. Varsity Boys Basketball @ home—7:30 p.m. MS Boys Basketball @ home—4:00 p.m. JV Girls Basketball @ Wittenberg-Birnamwood—6:00 p.m. C Team Girls Basketball @ Wittenberg-Birnamwood—6:00 p.m. Varsity Girls Basketball @ Wittenberg-Birnamwood—7:30 p.m.			

UPCOMING IN DECEMBER....
12 Mon. Winter Concert

Early Dismissal—12:10 p.m.
Elementary Winter Concert
Winter Break—No School 13 Tues. 16 Fri. 23-31





Cold sandwiches available each day as an alternative entrée for lunch.

Whole grain bread and buns are offered. All students must take 1/2 cup of fruit or vegetables with breakfast and lunch. Fresh fruit and vegetable are offered daily. Our milk is 1% or fat free white and TruMoo fat free chocolate

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Fun Shape Cinnamon snack, Yogurt, Fruit juice, Milk	Strawberry Pop Tart, Boiled egg, Fruit juice, Milk	Cereal Bar, String Cheese, Fruit juice, Milk	Uncrustable (peanut butter and jel- ly), Fruit juice, Milk	Long John Donut, Fruit juice, milk
	Grab-n-Go salads, Chicken alfredo w/ a twist, Winter blend, Garlic toast, Sliced Peaches, Milk	2 Loaded turkey and ham sub on a WG bun, Fresh vege- tables, Goldfish crackers, Lemon/ raspberry slushy, Birthday ice cream cups, Milk	3 Grab-n-Go salad, Chicken and gravy over creamy mashed potatoes, Peas, Cranberry sauce, Orange smiles, Sliced bread, Milk	Parfaits, Tomato soup w/ Grilled cheese, Mixed Vegetables, Applesauce, Milk
7 Grab-n-Go Salad, Gooey goodness macaroni and cheese, Uncrusta- bles, Green beans, Mandarin orange, Milk	8 Pancakes w/ syrup, Hash browns, Sausage, Orange juice, Milk	9 Grab-n-Go Salad, Hamburgers on a WG bun, French fries, Baked beans, Sliced pears, Milk	10 Parfaits, Pizza dippers, w/ marinara, Green peas, Pineapple chunks, Milk	11 Homemade chicken noodle soup, String cheese, Dinner roll, Peas and carrots, Applesauce, Milk
14 Pizza slice, Crispy green beans, Pineapple, Fresh baked apple crisp, Milk	15 Mini corn dogs, Creamy mashed po- tatoes, Broccoli w/cheese, Mandarin Oranges, Milk	16 Spaghetti w/ meat balls, Fresh crispy tossed salad, Garlic bread sticks, Pears, Milk	17 Chicken patty on a WG Bun, Tri-taters, Baked beans, Fresh apples, Milk	18 Grab-n-Go salads, Taco fries w/ trimmings, Whole kernel corn, Peaches, Milk
Popcorn chicken, Creamy mashed potatoes, Sea- soned broccoli, Mandarin oranges, Milk	Parfaits, Portessi cheese fries, Seasoned green beans, Sliced peaches, Milk	23 Grab-n-Go salads, Chicken teriyaki over seasoned rice, Stir fry vegetables, Pears, Dinner roll, Milk	NO SCHOOL Happy Thanksgiving	NO SCHOOL
Parfaits, Pizzaroni, Fresh crispy tossed sal- ad, Pears, Garlic bread sticks, Milk	29 Grab-n-Go salad, Salisbury steak, Creamy mashed po- tatoes, Steamed broccoli w/cheese, Mandarin oranges, Bread slice, Milk	30 Super Nachos w/ meat sauce and fix- ings, Whole kernel corn, Apple juice, Milk		

Menu subject to change without notice
Breakfast prices: 4K-12—\$1.10 per day
Lunch prices: 4K-8—\$2.40 per day \$12.00 per week, \$48.00 for November
9-12—\$2.65 per day, \$13.25 per week, \$47.70 for November