

TigerTimes

Sherrard Jr/Sr High Newsletter

August 2022

Tim Wernentin, High School Principal
Rick Basala, Jr. High Principal

August 8

Teachers Institute
Fall sports begin

August 9

1st Day of school
Early dismissal - 1p

August 16

HS Picture Day
HS Meet the Teams - 6p

August 17

JH Picture Day
School Board Meeting - 6p

August 18

Early dismissal - 1p

August 19

Early dismissal - 1p

August 20

HS Sports/Band Pictures

Athletics / Activities

Get up to date athletic and activities schedules on the Sherrard 8to18 website:

<https://il.8to18.com/sherrardHS>



Principal's Note

Welcome to the 2022-23 school year! I look forward to seeing all students Tuesday, August 9! The first day of school is an early release day (1:00 for the high school). While we will begin this school year with some COVID mitigations, specifically we will continue to contract trace and have five day quarantine periods for students testing positive, we hope to have a "normal" school year.

A number of "new faces" will be joining the Sherrard family this fall! Please join me in welcoming the following new staff members:

- Mr. Daniel Williams - Social Studies and Media
- Ms. Kaylee Gundling - Long term substitute in art class
- Mrs. Jacque Hamerlinck - Long term substitute in Family and Consumer Science (Mrs. Bennett is on leave for this school year)
- Ms. Danell DeBacker - Business
- Mrs. Aimee Morrison - Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Mrs. Vicki McCrea - Para professional

As you likely know, construction will continue as the school year begins. Specifically, the new science rooms will take approximately one month into the school year to complete. Science teachers will be "traveling" to different classrooms until construction is wrapped up. Our new hallway lockers will not be completely installed until about Labor Day. Students will be able to carry backpacks to their classes. Our new greenhouse is also still under construction. New carpet is already installed, Gym 2 has been completely updated, and individual shower stalls in the locker rooms are near completion. Once done, these projects will continue to have Sherrard High School at the forefront of modern high schools in the area.

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Stay informed!

Daily high school announcements will be posted on the Sherrard High School website. Please visit the website daily for information about all things happening at the high school. The link below will take you directly to the announcements: <https://www.sherrardtigerstv.com/morning-announcements.html>

You may also want to connect to our District social media accounts.

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/sherrardschooldistrict> -

Facebook ID is "Sherrard School District"

Instagram:

<https://www.instagram.com/sherrardschooldistrict/> -

Handle is SherrardSchoolDistrict

Twitter:

<https://twitter.com/home> -

Handle is @SherrardSchools



We encourage all students to become involved in some type of school activity - athletics, music, or one of the many clubs we sponsor. Involvement in extracurricular activities has shown to further broaden life skills and better prepare students for their future. See Mr. Applegate or Mrs. Helm for information.

In an effort to ensure academic assistance for your student, we continue to offer interventions during the school day and after school for identified students through our Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS). Candace Gagliardo will serve as our MTSS Coordinator and you can contact her with questions at gagliardoc@sherrard.us. You may also contact assistant principal Alex Johnson at johnsona@sherrard.us with any questions or concerns.

We are continuing our 70-30 grading policy in our classes, in which 70% of students' grades are based on "summative" assessments (tests, quizzes, projects, presentations, etc.) and 30% of the grade is based on "formative" assessments (homework, classroom assignments, etc). There are some classes that might use an alternative percentage split, but each teacher will provide students with a detailed grading policy on his/her course syllabus.

Again, welcome the 2022-23 school year!! It continues to be an unprecedented time in our world, nation, and school and the importance of creating and maintaining positive relationships between all stakeholders is absolutely critical. I look forward to working in partnership with you in meeting the needs of your students. Should you have any questions or concerns, do not hesitate to call me at 309-593-2175 or email wernentint@sherrard.us.

Tim Wernentin, HS Principal

JH Principal's Notes

Welcome 7th and 8th grade students! The beginning of the year has been very successful. I hope all Jr. High families had a great summer!

Here are our new staff members at SJHS:

- Ms. DeBacker- Computers
- Ms. Drish- PE/PFit
- Mr. Duquette- Math
- Ms. Selhost- Science
- Mr. Veronda- History

Homecoming 2022!

Homecoming week will be the week of September 11th -17th.

Events:

Parade - 9/15 @ 6:15p

Game - 9/16 vs Mon/Roseville

Dance - 9/17 from 7:00-10:00

Please stay tuned for further details!

Sign ups are ready for fall activities across the hall from the JH office. Stop by to sign up soon!

Football practice starts Monday August 15th- Physicals must be turned in to participate! *See Mrs. Diehl in the JH office to check on physical status.

Football Cheer tryouts will be held the week of August 15- Physicals must be turned in to participate! *See Mrs. Diehl in the JH office to check on physical status.

Girls Basketball practice/tryouts start the week of August 29- Physicals must be turned in to participate! *See Mrs. Diehl in the JH office to check on physical status.

Cross Country Club practice will be in full JH participation time on August 15- Physicals must be turned in to participate! *See Mrs. Diehl in the JH office to check on physical status.

Student Council meetings will start soon with Mrs. Bush.

More activities will happen throughout the school year with sign ups by the JH office. Be sure to watch for messages on STV and the message boards in the JH!

I'm looking forward to another great year!

Rick Basala, JH Principal

Attention 2023 Seniors!

The Jostens Representative will be in the Auditorium at 7:45 on Thursday August 25th. All Seniors, please try to attend. Graduation packets will be handed out. If you are not able to attend, please pick up a packet in the high school office from Mrs. Woods.



Tiger Closet

We have kept our Amazon Wish List up to date, but we know many are not Amazon shoppers, but would still like to contribute. Here is a list of our “greatest needs.” As always, we appreciate everyone’s support, this labor of love wouldn’t be possible without the community support we receive.

Needs:

- Laundry detergent
- Laundry stain remover
- Dryer sheets
- Dish soap
- Tampons
- Hair ties
- Face wash
- Face moisturizer
- Hair dryers
- Toilet paper

For those that do want to use the Amazon Wish List, [click here](#) for it.

If you have any questions you can contact:

Vanessa Schulenberg at schulenbergv@sherrard.us or Amanda Fritch at fritcha@sherrard.us.



The Sherrard Booster Club Needs Help!

Boosters are in desperate need of new board members! Anyone interested in learning about the boosters please reach out to any current board member or email sherrardboosters@gmail.com. They’re down to 12 board members, leaving 12 open board positions. In order to do the things they do, they **NEED** new board members!

2022-2023 Immunization Requirement For Twelfth Grade

*This information and a copy of students’ immunization records will be included in the registration information which will be sent home with 11th grade students in January.

All students entering the **12th grade** shall show proof of having received two doses of the **meningitis vaccine** prior to entering the **12th grade**. The first dose shall have been received on or after the **11th birthday**, and the second dose shall have been administered on or after the **16th birthday**, and at least eight weeks after the first dose. If the first dose is administered when the child is 16 years of age or older, only one dose is required.

STUDENTS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM SCHOOL

ACCORDING TO SCHOOL CODE AND DISTRICT POLICY. *Please provide verification of vaccines by the first day of school. Students not in compliance by October 15, 2022 will be excluded until requirements are met.*

*****NOTE:** This must be the Meningococcal vaccine (Menactra or Menveo). The Meningitis B Vaccine otherwise known as Trumenba or Bexsero **does not** meet this requirement. Some pharmacies such as Walgreens have administered the Meningitis B vaccine instead of the Meningococcal Vaccine.

Ninth Grade Health Requirements for School Year 22-23

- All ninth grade students are required to have an updated school physical.
- State law requires Illinois Department of Public Health form to be used.
- Physical forms are available at the school and on the school district web site www.sherrard.us, go to **Departments** and select **Health Services, Health Forms** and **Student Physical Form**.
- Physicals must be completed and signed by a physician licensed to practice medicine, a physician's assistant, or an advanced practice nurse. **Chiropractors MAY NOT perform school or sports physicals.**
- Parents or guardians are required by state law to complete and sign the health history portion on the back of the physical form.
- Sports physicals will not fulfill this requirement.** The ninth-grade physical may be used for a sport physical for 395 days from the date of the exam. Students who receive freshman physicals March 1, 2022 will need another sports physical by April 1 of 2023, if they desire to participate in spring sports. Please keep this in mind when scheduling your child's physical.
- Call for vaccine and physical appointments prior to end of this school year.
- A copy of your child's immunization record may be required by the health care provider.
- STUDENTS NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH PHYSICAL AND IMMUNIZATIONS WILL BE EXCLUDED FROM SCHOOL PER STATE REQUIREMENTS.**



From the HS Counseling/Academic Center:

Dual Credit Students:

August 17th at 8:15am there will be a mandatory meeting (for students only) to discuss college course expectations and Canvas. This meeting will be in the Drivers Ed room.

Work Release Students:

If you are signed up for Work Release you must have a permission slip signed and turned into Mr. Wernentin before Tuesday, August 16th. Please email Mr. Wernentin (wernentint@sherrard.us) or Mrs. Drish (drishju@sherrard.us) with any questions.

Juniors:

If you are interested in taking the NMSQT exam (practice test for the SAT and National Merit Scholarship qualifying exam), watch for an announcement in your Junior Google Classroom to sign up. The test will be administered at Sherrard High School on October 25th during the school day. See Mrs. Drish with any questions.

Juniors and Seniors:

If you are interested in taking the ASVAB exam (military entrance and career aptitude exam), watch for an announcement in your Google Classrooms to sign up. Taking this test does not sign you up for the military, or commit you to them in any way. Student scores will not be released to the military unless requested. It does, however, help match interests with abilities and skills. It can also help match possible career choices for the future. The test will be administered at Sherrard High School on November 16th during the school day. See Mrs. Drish with any questions.

Crochet Club:

The Counseling Office sponsors the Crochet Club. This year we have a parent volunteer to help lead/teach the students. Crocheting helps reduce stress and anxiety, relieves depression, and builds self-esteem. If you are interested in participating see Mrs. Blackwell, or Mrs. Drish.

Social/Emotional Information:

We will continue to counsel students both socially/emotionally and academically. Students and parents should reach out via email or students may stop by the counseling office.

We are looking forward to working with you and your student during their high school career! We are here to help your student gain success in high school and beyond!



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AUGUST 2022

Sherrard PreK-12 Menu

BREAKFAST



School Information: Menu Subject to Change
Early dismissal days Aug. 9, 18 & 19
This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Applications for free/reduced meals are available at each attendance center or on the district website. Families must pay for meals eaten prior to applications being approved. Students with a negative balance will not be allowed to charge a la carte items.



MONDAY

1

TUESDAY

2

WEDNESDAY

3

THURSDAY

4

FRIDAY

5

8

Cereal Bowl
Snack Cookie
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

9

Mini Bagel
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

10

Whole Grain Poptart
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

12

Fruit Frudel
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

15

Muffin
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

16

French Toast Sticks
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

17

Egg & Cheese Omelet
Snack Crackers
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

18

Pancakes
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

19

Cinnabuns
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

22

Whole Grain Poptart
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

23

Cinnamon Super Stix
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

24

National Waffle Day
Waffles/Syrup
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

25

Muffin
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

26

Cereal Bar
Cheese Stick
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

29

Fruit Frudel
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

30

Mini Bagel
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice

31

Mini Cinnis
½ Cup Fruit
½ Cup 100% Juice
Milk Choice





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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

1

2

3

4

5

8

9
Chicken Finger Fries
Carrots
Celery/Peanut Butter
Applesauce
Original Lays Chips
Milk Choice

9

Corn Dog
Green Beans
Corn
Pears
Milk Choice

11

11
Grilled Chicken/Bun
Fries
Baked Beans
Peaches
Milk Choice

12

12
Pasta w/meat sauce
Bread Stick
Broccoli
Mixed Fruit
Milk Choice

15

15
BBQ Rite/Bun
Coleslaw
Pork n Beans
Applesauce
Milk Choice

Super Nacho
Scoops
Refried Beans
Pears
Milk Choice

17

17
Cheese Dippers
Marinara
Green Beans
Celery/Peanut Butter
Peaches
Milk Choice

18

18
Quesadillas
Refried Beans
Corn
Mixed Fruit
Milk Choice

19

19
Pizza
Peas
Carrots
Pineapple
Tiger Grahams
Milk Choice

22

22
Cheeseburger/Bun
Tater Tots
Pears
Milk Choice

23
Ribette/Bun
Sweet Fries
Pork n Beans
Mixed Fruit
Milk Choice

23

24
Popcorn Chicken
Salad
Green Beans
Pineapple
BBQ Lays Chips
Milk Choice

24

25
Hot Dog/Bun
Carrots
Chili Beans
Peaches
Milk Choice

25

26
Mini Calzone
Mixed Vegetable
Broccoli
Applesauce
Milk Choice

26

29

29
Walking Tacos
Celery/Peanut Butter
Pineapple
Milk Choice

30
Pizza Crunchers
Carrots
Corn
Applesauce
Milk Choice

30

31
Tiger Rite
Tater Tots
Chili Beans
Peaches
Milk Choice

31

