

# **NEWSLETTER**

# SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL SEASIDE HIGH SCHOOL

NOVEMBER 2021

503-738-5586



## TREASURE ISLAND

Seaside High School drama is proud to present their fall play, Lux Radio Theater's Treasure Island, based on the novel of the same name by Robert Louis Stevenson.

This family-friendly play takes place in England in the 1700s, when young Jim Hawkins, who usually spends his days helping his mother with their inn, ends up with a map to the nefarious pirate Captain Flint's buried treasure. What follows is an eventful voyage to a "deserted" island, complete with a parrot and a mutinous group of sailors.

This play will feature an opening act by Seniors Riley Wunderlich and Skyler Archibald, who also serve as emcees throughout the evening. For the main production, seniors Kaiya Taylor and Ella Jesberger play younger and older Jim Hawkins; senior Sophia Reynolds portrays Long John Silver; senior Margaret Neuwirth is Dr. Livesay; and Junior Eva Bailey is Squire Trelawney. The full cast of eccentric characters and the crew includes fourteen senior students, along with a handful of underclassmen. The play is directed and produced by Susan Baertlein.

Performances of this tumultuous sea voyage continues tonight, November 18, at the new SMS/SHS cafeteria, and will continue tomorrow November 19 and Saturday, November 20 for senior night. Doors open at 6:30p and performances begin at 7p. Tickets are sold at the doors. Prices are \$5 for students and adults. Children ten and under may attend for free. Limited concessions will be available for purchase. Audience members will need to wear masks per Oregon Health Authority guidance.

For further information, contact Seaside High School at 503-738-5586 or email Susan Baertlein at sbaertlein@seasidek12.org.

# IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

You can view the current school year calendar HERE

No School

Wednesday, November 24<sup>th</sup>

Thanksgiving – No School Thursday, November 25<sup>th</sup>

No School

Friday, November 26<sup>th</sup>

Term 1 Ends

Friday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>

In Service Day – No School

Monday, December 6<sup>th</sup>

Winter Vacation – No School Monday, December 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday, December 31<sup>st</sup>



# **SHS KEY CLUB**

Key Club is continuing to provide service to the community, and is partnering with the Sunset Empire Parks and Rec District with its annual Turkey Trot and Thanksgiving community dinner.

A new tradition, the Key Club will be writing Christmas cards to be delivered to area nursing homes and assisted living facilities. Club members are looking for donations of Christmas cards. They can be dropped off in the front office.

The club is also busy planning its annual Snoball dance, which will be held Saturday, January 29, 2022.

If you are in need of service volunteers, please contact Ann Susee at asusee@seasidek12.org.

# **SMS BUILDER'S CLUB**

Seaside Middle School Builder's Club (an affiliate of Kiwanis International) recently participated in Sunset Empire Parks and Rec District's Fall Fun Fest. Students volunteered to run booths and had a great time handing out prizes to excited participants. Students have plans to organize and participate in other community based activities. If you would like to get involved please contact Jennifer Gooch at <a href="mailto:igooch@seasidek12.org">igooch@seasidek12.org</a>. To read more about the event check out their article in the Seaside Signal <a href="mailto:HERE">HERE</a>

# **SHS ROBOTICS**

Robotics! Let's play ball! We had fun demoing last year's robot on the west patio and our mini bots in the hallways last week. Build season is right around the corner. We're going to start power tools and business activities after the short Thanksgiving break.

Come have fun, eat snacks, and learn how to operate a robot! We still need programmers, builders and business people. You don't need to know anything, WE WILL TRAIN YOU!

The Robotics Room is right next to the Woodshop and Weight room. Come on by after school on Tuesdays and Thursdays! If you have any questions contact Toni Vandershule at <a href="mailto:tvandershule@seasidek12.org">tvandershule@seasidek12.org</a>



Play ball with Robotics 2021

# STUDENTS OF THE MONTH OCTOBER

#### SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Cecilia Arias-Rodriguez Baylee Bishop Dallas Hughes Chantrell Lee Jovany Peon Tenorio Lydia Wright

#### SEASIDE HIGH SCHOOL

Skyler Archibald
Nevaeh French
Lia Hansen
Marek Kephart
Tara Lair
Jordan Lyly
Saul Rene Montez
Kimmberly Rodriguez
Maryoriflor Sagrero-Lopez
Isaiah Salinas
Toby Tackitt

# SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL LEXILE LEGENDS

Jake Baldridge Alexander Bilyeu Kaeden Chen Ella Crater Olly Fry Emily Locke

# PANDA EXPRESS FUNDRAISER

- 1. On Friday, November 19th, make an online order at Panda Express order.pandaexpress.com or via app.
- 2. Use the code <u>904608</u> during online checkout \*this works nationwide
- 3. 28% of the sales will be donated to help support choir, band, and drama programs at SHS!

Thank you for your support!

## **SENIORS**

For those that have completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or the Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA), congratulations!

If you have not completed the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or Oregon Student Aid Application (ORSAA), please drop by the Career Center for assistance.

Also, if you would like help completing the Oregon Promise Grant, are interested in scholarships, or have questions in general about your senior year please come see us.

## **COME SUB FOR US!**

At ESS we're on a mission to make every day count for Seaside School District. We offer a variety of substitute and permanent positions to fit your lifestyle.

You can contribute to your community in a meaningful way while working for one of America's Best Large Employers (according to Forbes). Join our team now!



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# SHS DRAMA FUNDRAISER

Check out Seaside Drama's holiday gift fundraiser! Wiggles & Knots (@wigglesandknots on Facebook) is selling holiday ornaments and tea towels, as well as DIY sign kits. You can place your order using Venmo or Paypal at the Link below. All profits from the sales go to SHS drama. Thanks for your support!

#### **Christmas Fundraiser Order Form**





# SHS CULINARY CLASS

Our Culinary class has been gearing back up after over a year off from taking small catering gigs. We are supporting the Drama department during their fall play "Treasure Island" by providing an assortment of cookies made from scratch. We also supported the Football team with treats for their post-season awards banquet.

Looking ahead, we are excited to begin focusing in on the statewide competition coming up in April. We welcome and enjoy community Chef Mentor involvement. If you are interested in helping our young Chefs, please reach out to Chelsea Archibald directly at carchibald@seasidek12.org.



Sponge cake challenge!

# **TALENT SEARCH/UPWARD BOUND**

#### **PSU Field Trip:**

An exciting field trip to Portland State University and Powell's City of Books is coming up on December 10th. Save the date for an educational excursion that's great!

#### A note from Troy Henri:

As you may know, I had to quickly transition to an advisor role at a different high school, without much of a chance to say good-byes. Alas, it was an honor and a pleasure to serve you, outstanding SHS students, and a privilege to work with such wonderful faculty and staff at SHS. Though the timing of this move was not ideal, rest assured that hiring a new TS/UB advisor for SHS is already under way, and you can still access services remotely during the interim (contact me and I'll get you lined up: <a href="mailto:thenri@clatsopcc.edu">thenri@clatsopcc.edu</a> / 503-349-9668). I will miss you all, and I wish you the very best with the remainder of this school year!



#### **Upward Bound Update:**

Upward Bound is like Talent Search, but better — offering more resources, services and support for students. Info and applications are available in the Career Center. Students considering applying for Upward Bound should get their applications in as soon as you can (to the SHS Office or via mail). The new SHS Pre-College TRIO Advisor will be enrolling new students into Upward Bound before the end of the calendar year! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Troy Henri (contact info above).

# **SMS WINTER EXTRAVAGANZA!**



# STAFF PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

Staff had the opportunity to submit a decorated pumpkin to our contest. Students and staff were asked to vote for their favorite. Thank you to everyone who participated, there were some excellent pumpkins!

1<sup>st</sup> Place Carly Baltazar



2<sup>nd</sup> Place Stacie Gilligan



## **KATE MANSHIP**

Please welcome Kate Manship as one of our new High School Special Education Teachers. Kate came to us from Pacific Ridge Elementary where she was a long term sub last year. Kate transitioned into special education after working as a Social Services Director for individuals with special needs. Her husband's job transfer brought her to from Gilbert, Arizona to Seaside.

Kate has two dogs and a cat, Tank a 110lb bulldog, Bella a border collie mix and a three legged cat named Cookie. She loves to go play at the beach with her family. When you see Kate out and about please give her a warm welcome!



# **VISITOR POLICY**

Visitors to our school for special events ie: sports, concerts, plays etc., will be required to wear a face mask and to complete the COVID-19 screener which can be found here:

#### COVID-19 Pre-Screening

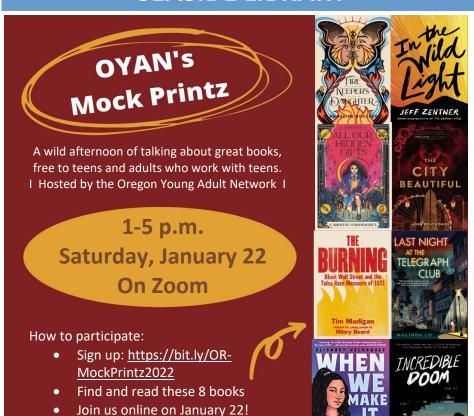
Thank you for your help in keeping our schools safe!

# **8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE SCIENCE**

On October 28th, the 8th grade science students participated in a Salmon dissection, provided by ODFW's Ron Rehn, who runs STEP (Salmon and Trout Enhancement Program). We dissected 32 Fall Coho, and will participate in the "egg to fry" program by incubating salmon eggs in a classroom tank starting in January, 2022.



# **SEASIDE LIBRARY**





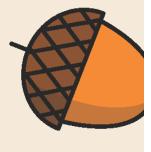


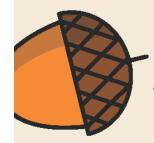






# Community Food Drive



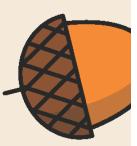


SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH

9-10 AM

5-6 PM







HELP FEED LOCAL FAMILIES! DRIVE THROUGH OLD SHS AND DONATE YOUR NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS OR MAKE A MONETARTY DONATON. ALL DONATIONS GO TO SOUTH COUNTY FOOD BANK!









