

## NEWSLETTER

# SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL SEASIDE HIGH SCHOOL

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## STUDENT REGISTRATION

It is time to register your student for the 2022-2023 school year!

ALL students new or returning will need to complete a new registration for the 2022-2023 school year.

Student registration is now online!

In order to register you will need to use your ParentVUE information to login. If you need assistance with your ParentVUE account you can contact our Main Office Monday-Friday 7:30a-4:30p at 503-738-5586

Registration information can be found **HERE!** 

It's incredibly important that we have your current contact information on file so that you can continue to receive these vital messages. Thank you for your assistance in updating our records!

### **BUS INFORMATION**

### **BUS SURVEY:**

If you did not complete the transportation survey at the end of the student registration process please do so as soon as possible <u>HERE</u>! This is important so that we can make sure your student has a spot on the bus. The survey must be completed for EACH student enrolling in the Seaside School District.

#### **NOW HIRING!**

Ever thought of driving a school bus? We need you! Driving a bus is a great opportunity for parents to support their student's school, make some extra money and work the same schedule as their child. Apply now on the District website HERE!

#### **BUS REMINDERS:**

Here are some bus reminders from our transportation department:

- Please keep students home if they are sick!
- Please arrive to the bus stop 5 minutes before the pickup time
- Seat assignments may be implemented
- Remember to dress warmly, windows/vents will be open for fresh air
- New student routing may take up to five business days
- Kindergarten students need to be met at the bus stop by an adult
- Students are required to scan their Student ID to enter & exit the bus
- Fall Bus Routes will be posted HERE soon

### **SIGN UP FOR PICTURE DAY!**

Picture Day for all Seaside Middle and High School students is

### Thursday, August 25<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 4pm

in the Secondary School Library.

You can schedule your appointment now: Event Code: 6jcjm http://www.schoolbookings.net/code/6jcjm

Students that are able to attend picture day will receive their new student ID on the first day of school. If your student is unable to attend there will be a makeup day later in September.

Any questions? Contact the Main Office at 503-738-5586

### **SCHOOL SUPPLIES**

We recommend each student bring the following:

- A backpack (there are no lockers)
- A refillable water bottle
- A three ring binder
- A notebook
- Pens/pencils
- Computer headphones for use with a Chromebook

### SCHOOL BREAKFAST & LUNCH

We are pleased to be able to offer all students <u>FREE</u> school breakfast and lunch again this year. If your student forgets their lunch, <u>we will not be accepting lunch drop offs for students</u>. Seaside is a closed campus and students will NOT be allowed to leave during lunch.

# PLEASE HELP US CONTINUE TO PROVIDE FREE MEALS TO OUR K-12 STUDENTS

In order to continue to provide free breakfast & lunch it is essential that <u>ALL</u> of our families complete meal applications. Use the link below to complete the short online Household application for Free and Reduced Meals or you can pick up a paper copy from our school office. Thank you for your assistance!

https://www.ode.state.or.us/apps/FRLApp/Default

### SCHOOL DAY INFORMATION

Here is some basic information regarding the 2022-2023 school year:

- School will start at 8:25am
- School will end at 3:35pm Monday Friday and 2:35pm on Wednesdays
- Parent drop off and pick up is on the East/Mountain side of the building. Please pull up as far as possible in the drop off lane and then pull over to the curb. <u>DO NOT BLOCK THE CROSSWALK!</u> This will allow for an efficient flow and keeps the through lanes unobstructed for other vehicles.

### STUDENT ID'S

Students that have their picture taken on Thursday, August 25<sup>th</sup> will receive their new student ID on the first day of school. Student ID's will be required to ride the bus, check out library items, use the printer/copier and to receive their free breakfast/lunch. If your student is unable to attend the first Picture Day it is important for your student to use last year's student ID card until they receive their new one.

# IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

You can view the current school year calendar <u>HERE</u>

Link Day–Classes begin for Grades 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & New Students ONLY
Tuesday, Sept 6<sup>th</sup>

Classes begin for ALL students

Wed. Sept 7<sup>th</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences
Oct 13<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>

No School – In Service Day Oct 26<sup>th</sup>

# STUDENT MEDICATIONS

If your student has medical issues or needs to take medications during the school day we need to hear from you ASAP! The medications will need to be delivered to the main office by the parent/guardian (NOT the student). We will ask the parent to complete forms for each medication your student takes. Even if your student has medication they need to keep with them during the school day ie: inhaler or epi pen or if your student takes an over the counter medication ie: cough drops or Advil, we need to have a parent signed form on file. Please contact the Main Office at (503) 738-5586 or the school nurse, Tobi Boyd at (971)320-3275 or tboyd@seasidek12.org

### **SPORTS PHYSICALS**

High School practice starts on August 15th. All students must have a current physical and be registered before participating. Here is a current list of some local providers who do sports physicals:

- CMH Seaside Urgent Care: (503) 738-3002 cost is \$54, no appointment is needed
- Providence Seaside Clinic: (503) 717-7060 only accepting current patients, the cost is based on insurance, with Oregon Health Plan it is free
- Northwest Urgent Clinic (Astoria): (503) 325-0333 cost is \$40, walk-in only
- Toyas Chiropractic: (503) 738-8900 cost is \$25, an appointment is required

For more information about each sport please reach out to the coach. Register online **HERE!** 

High School Athletics cost \$125 per sport with a family cap of \$400 and payment must be made before the first game. Please reach out to Mrs. Boutin if you need to make payment arrangements or have any questions: kboutin@seasidek12.org

## SENIOR FAFSA NIGHT

Seniors, Clatsop Community College will be here within the first two weeks of October to present Financial Aide Information. So stay tuned for more information!

### **SHS FALL PLAY**

Auditions for the Fall play will be held in-person on Tuesday, September 13<sup>th</sup> from 3:35-5:15pm. We will meet in room C314 (Mrs. Baertlein's room). Auditions are open to all eligible high school students. There will be an interest meeting on Thursday, September 8<sup>th</sup> in Mrs. Baertlein's room at lunch so that students can pick up audition packets.

If students have any questions or are unable to attend the audition please contact Mrs. Baertlein at <a href="mailto:sbeartlein@seasidek12.org">sbeartlein@seasidek12.org</a>

### **CAR WASH FUNDRAISER**

SHS Cheer will be having a car wash fundraiser on **Friday, August 19**<sup>th</sup> from 2 – 6pm and **Sunday, August 21**<sup>st</sup> from 1 – 6pm in the Sunset Recreation Center parking lot (old Broadway Middle School). \$5 per car and all proceeds go to support the SHS Cheer Team! Donations also gladly accepted. GO GULLS!

### **SENIOR PORTRAITS**

SENIORS! In addition to getting your student ID picture if you would like to submit a Senior portrait they are due to the Yearbook Staff by <u>October 28th</u>. Please email your pic to seniorpages@seasidek12.org

### **SMS/SHS NEW STAFF**

This school year we have a number of new staff to welcome to our buildings and a few staff that are returning to different positions. Over the next few newsletters we will be introducing you to them individually but here is the list of staff to welcome when you see them:

- Karen Baller, MS Math Teacher
- Jarom Bowles, HS Woods Teacher
- Nicole Hummel, MS Art Teacher
- Shelby Gagnon, Student Success TOSA
- Josiah Glaser, Band Director
- Jacklyn Marchioro, Choir Director
- Renee Meier, HS Counselor
- Kristi Roberts, MS/HS SPED Teacher
- Amber Schwegman, HS Spanish Teacher
- Renee Seppa, 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Science Teacher
- Hailee Wawro, Student Success TOSA
- Donald Zwahlen, HS Math Teacher

### **NICOLE HUMMEL**

Please welcome Nicki Hummel as our new Middle School Art teacher. Nicki grew up in the Chicago suburbs, graduating from the University of Illinois in 2006 in Art Education. Since then she has taught Art in several school districts around the western suburbs, but always dreamed of escaping Illinois and moving to the Pacific Northwest. In 2021 Nicki and her family decided to go for it-moving to Nehalem with their 2 kids (ages 9 & 11), a couple dogs and a cat. A year later everyone is settled in and absolutely loving life on the coast.

In her free time Nicki enjoys oil painting, reading, gardening and hiking with her family. All 4 of them are avid backpackers and love traveling the world.

Nicki is thrilled to start the Art program at Seaside Middle School. She loves teaching her students all media- drawing, painting, sculpture, ceramics, etc., and sharing with them new techniques and experiences in Art. She cannot wait to fill the halls with artwork! When you see Mrs. Hummel in the halls please give her a warm welcome!





### **SHELBY GAGNON**

Please welcome Shelby Gagnon to her new role as one of our Student Success TOSAs. As the TOSA she will be focusing on school culture, student voice, and staff connectedness. She formerly taught 8<sup>th</sup> grade English Language Arts at Broadway/Seaside Middle School for the past four years, as well as taught one year at Astoria High School and two years in the middle school ELA department for the Portland Archdiocese. This will be her 8<sup>th</sup> year in education.

She is sad to be leaving the Language Arts classroom but is excited to create more opportunities for students outside the classroom. She looks forward to working with them to make school what they want it to be and helping students be successful.

When Mrs. Gagnon is not in school she is hanging out with her husband, two sons and their dog, Henry. She enjoys nature walks, beach time, Mexican food, yoga, adventures, and reading through audiobooks. So give Mrs. Gagnon a warm welcome in her new role.

### **JACKLYN MARCHIORO**

Please welcome our new Choir Director, Jacklyn Marchioro. This will be Jacklyn's first year teaching and she is very thankful to be in a community like Seaside. She did her student teaching at West Linn High School as a choral music educator this past Spring. She graduated from Pacific University in 2021 with a Bachelor's of Arts in Music Education and Vocal Performance. She was a section leader in her university Chamber Choir and frequently performed as a soloist in operas, musicals, and concerts. While attending graduate school she was a transgender voice coach for a private studio. While at Pacific she pioneered an afterschool program called "Choir Project" to provide music education to students and as her senior capstone she created a choral curriculum for K-12. She is very excited to have found a position where she gets to teach both middle and high school students.

Something Jacklyn loves about teaching is interacting with students, hearing about their interests and ideas and helping them achieve their dreams. When not teaching she enjoys cooking, reading, taking care of her plants and going on hikes with her partner, Luke, and her dog, Buddy. Favorite snacks include tofu pad thai, cold brew and salt water taffy. Jacklyn is also excited to be making an impact as our new assistant coach for Cross Country!





### **AMBER SCHWEGMAN**

Please welcome the new High School Spanish Teacher, Amber Schwegman. Amber has been teaching for 23 years. She has previously taught Choir in Burns, OR, Spanish in Alsea, OR, Spanish and ESL in Marsing, ID, adjunct Spanish professor in Nampa, ID and ELD (ESL) in Caldwell, ID. Amber has a Bachelor's in Music Education with an emphasis in Spanish from Northwest Nazarene University, a Masters in Adolescent Literacy from Concordia University and is certified in Spanish, Music, ENL (English as a new language) and English. She decided to make the move to Seaside because her family has always loved vacationing at the coast, so why not live there?

The things that Amber loves most about teaching are getting to be creative, that no two days are the same but mostly she loves helping students discover new ideas and finding new ways of seeing the world. When Amber was in middle and high school she lived in Mexico for two and a half years and that is where her love of languages and cultures stems from.

Amber has moved to the Coast with her husband, who is teaching 5<sup>th</sup> Grade at Warrenton Grade School, their son, who just turned 5 and is going to be starting Kindergarten at Pacific Ridge, and their black pug named Lucy. They are looking forward to exploring more in the area and trying out kayaking and paddle boarding. So please give Amber and her family a warm welcome to the Coast!