



NEWSLETTER

SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL
SEASIDE HIGH SCHOOL



JANUARY 2022

503-738-5586

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

You can view the current school year calendar [HERE](#)
And the activities calendar [HERE](#)

Progress 3 Ends
Friday, January 14th

MLK Jr Day – No School
Monday, January 17th

½ Day – Conferences
Thursday, January 27th

No School-Conferences
Friday, January 28th

Progress 4 Ends
Friday, February 11th

President’s Day – No School
Monday, February 21st

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

It is vitally important that parents/guardians have accurate and timely information about Seaside Secondary School. Our main form of communication to achieve this is the use of a messaging system called Blackboard. This system sends out messages to all parents, guardians and students via text and email messages.

Please take a moment to confirm your contact information in ParentVUE. If you do not have access to ParentVUE please contact the school. If you believe that you have accidentally opted out of receiving Blackboard messages from the school or if you have any questions please call the office at 503-738-5586, Monday - Friday 7:30am - 4:30pm. Thank you.

ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE

Seaside Middle and High School are now offering academic assistance before and after school. We have a dedicated math tutor and a general subject tutor. Space is limited to four students per tutor per day. Tutoring is held in the library during the following times:

Math Support

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday

8:00 – 8:30a and 3:30 – 4p

Wednesday

8 – 8:30a and 2:30 – 4p

All Subject Support

Tuesday and Thursday

3:30 – 4:30p

Wednesday

2:30 – 4p

Schedule your student’s appointment [HERE!](#)

(Walk-ins welcome, subject to availability)

ONE WALK

Seniors Ila Bowles, Dianna Angulo-Joli and Kimmerly Rodriguez have organized a fundraising event to support JDRF's mission to end type 1 diabetes, "Strengthen your knees and help end type 1 diabetes." They would like to invite everyone to join them on the Prom at 12th Ave on January 15th for a One Walk event. There are many members of our community that are type 1 diabetics, or who have family members that are affected by it. Registration starts at 9am and the race starts at 10am. Bring just yourself or bring a team and join us for a fun race. You can either run or walk. If you would like to preregister or donate online you can click [HERE](#). Every entrant who comes with \$30 to donate will receive a special event t-shirt! We can't wait to see you!

SMS/SHS CONFERENCES

Thursday, January 27th 1-8p & Friday, January 28th 8a-12p

Conferences will be either by phone or zoom only

Interpreters are available

Sign Up For An Appointment Now! [Click Here!](#)

Need help figuring out who your student's teachers are? That information can be found on ParentVUE:

- Login to **ParentVUE** (if you can't remember your login information please call the Main Office at 503-738-5586)
- Select your **Student**
- Select **Grade Book**
- You will see all your students classes, their current grade in that class and the class teacher's name
- Let us know if you have any questions!

SAVE THE DATE!

ACT webinar:

Information on the Child Tax Credit

Did you sign up for the monthly Child Tax Credit payments before the November 15th deadline? You still can!

Our Children Oregon, in partnership with Consejo Hispano, is hosting an informational webinar about the Child Tax Credit (CTC).

Join us to learn more about the benefits the Child Tax Credit has to offer you and your children, how it has the potential to change your future, and how to get it.

There'll be a Q&A session at the end.



Use this link to join <https://loom.ly/FIi-5gQ> or scan this QR code



Wednesday January 26th / 6:00 - 7:00 pm
(Event is in Spanish with English interpretation)

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH DECEMBER

SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Ella Clyde
Olly Fry
Thelma Ivy
Sam Krizo
Grayson Patton
Ana Taylor

SEASIDE HIGH SCHOOL

Damian Burkleo-Cullum
Hunter Farley
Amelia Gastelum
Brooklyn Holt
Carson Kawasoe
Brian Martinez
Liv Mayhugh
Sofia Ritter
Jordan Westerholm
Alona Whisenhunt
Gracelyn Wing

SEASIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL LEXILE LEGENDS

Allie Corder
Yohali Frias Sanchez
Mason Harper
Jadyn Johnson
Emily Martinez
Tobin Santos
Dalilah Thompson
Ethan Underhill

FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA

HEALTH CORNER

As we know, the Omni COVID-19 variant is spreading very quickly in our county and we need your help keeping our schools safe and open. Please help remind students to keep their distance when possible and to always wear their mask correctly, keeping both their mouth AND their nose covered. We are doing our best to keep our schools open and running normally but we need to work as a team for this to happen.

Unless you need emergency care for your symptoms, please don't visit an emergency department for COVID-19 treatment or testing.

If you have a medical condition that doesn't require emergency care, contact your health care provider or an urgent care clinic.

If you're not sure who to contact, or need help finding a COVID-19 test, call 211.

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 Employers (according to Forbes).

Join our team now! <https://ess.com>



Our Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) chapter is in full swing with a community service project. Our mission this year is to create easy access to age-appropriate literature for children. The plan to obtain books and use them to fill ten book-sharing boxes that were built by Woods students at SHS is in development. FBLA students were able to gather over 1,000 donated children's books by holding a book drive within the high school and middle school. Brent Hillman and Associates generously donated wood in order to physically build the boxes, and they are in the process of being painted by students with paint that was donated by Pacific Paint. The ultimate goal is to post them in local parks and areas in Clatsop County and keep them filled with fresh books.



MOUSETRAP PROJECT

During the two academic weeks of December, the SMS 8th Grade students completed the Mousetrap Catapult Engineering and Design Project. This is a legacy project that was started by Pete Cochran, and has been carried on in Ms. Forman's class since his retirement. Besides serving as an Official Oregon Science Inquiry assignment for the grade level, it is also a competition, with this year's winners being James Daniels, Matthew Gano and Judah Benton, who built the catapult with the best target accuracy!



LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS

SHS Local Scholarships are now open!

The electronic applications can be found on the Seaside High School Webpage [HERE!](#) Free money is a good thing. **All seniors should apply.** Confused or have questions? Watch the video "[SHS Local Scholarship Application How To Apply](#)".

Deadline for Applications is **midnight on March 31st.**

SENIORS

Senior to do list:

1. Visit the counseling office and **review your transcript/graduation progress report with Mr. Cave.** Know where you stand.
2. Fill out and submit your [FAFSA Free Application for Student Aid.](#)
3. Finish applying to colleges, trade schools or meeting with a recruiter or the ASPIRE Coordinator Mrs. Steed in the Career Center.
4. Register for the February Standardized Tests if needed for your college.
5. Focus on your 2nd term classes so you can finish strong.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ART CLUB

An after school art club for middle school students will be starting soon! We are very fortunate to recruit local artists, Jenn Whyman and Erica Guenther, from [Child's Play](#) art studio, to offer a 6-week art club. Bringing the gift of creativity to our students! Art club will be held on Wednesday's from 2:30-3:30pm, starting January 19th. Enrollment is necessary, as our capacity for space and materials is limited. [Please complete this form to enroll!](#) For additional details on this wonderful opportunity, contact school counselors, Natalie Dyroff and Jane Forman at 503.738.5586.

SHS KEY CLUB

In December, Key Club members wrote more than 150 Christmas cards that were given to seniors in local nursing homes.

Key Club members are also busy planning the annual Snoball (winter formal) dance. While planned for the end of January, the date has been pushed back to February 12th due to Covid concerns. As we get closer to the date tickets will be sold before school and during lunch to all eligible high school students. Proceeds from the dance help to pay for service projects and the registration fees for the annual multi-state convention DCON.

SHS DRAMA CLUB

The Drama department is busy preparing three one-acts that will be performed on Thursday, Feb. 10, in the cafeteria.

Each of the one-acts will be Pacific Projects directed and produced by graduating seniors. Harmony Brady and Katrina Kriska are directing a one-act for middle schoolers called "Check Please". Kaiya Taylor, Mary Barnes and Sophia Reynolds are directing a one-act entitled "Abra-cadaver" with high school students. The third one-act will be directed by Maggie Neuwirth and Olivia Mayhugh.

MEET YOUR NEW TALENT SEARCH & UPWARD BOUND ADVISOR

Please welcome Shane Robinson, the new SHS College/Career Advisor for Talent Search and Upward Bound. Shane is a former college athlete, Southern Cal Businessman, Wildland Firefighter, and High School Teacher. He can appreciate how challenging and exciting the path to post-secondary goals can be. He is very excited to be able to help students, so please take a few minutes to stop by and say hi to Shane in the SHS Career Center. He's there Monday-Friday 8am – 4pm.

If you would like to join Talent Search and have access to free college campus visits, help filling out college applications or scholarship forms or need a letter of recommendation please reach out to Shane at srobinson@seasidek12.org, drop by the Career Center or apply online [HERE!](#)



Seaside Secondary Student Store



\$40

Nike Crew Neck Sweatshirt

\$20

Nike Adjustable Hat

\$10

Adjustable Face Masks

\$5

Small Water Bottles

\$5

Rubber Keychains

\$5

Seaside Logo Sticker

Items available to purchase from Mrs. Boutin, the bookkeeper



FACE MASKS



SIZES SMALL-3X



KEY CHAINS

Create and sell **YOUR** product
at the Astoria Sunday Market!



BECOME A YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR!

Open to youth ages 5 to 19

Learn more at our OPEN HOUSE on January 31,
6pm in the Liberty Theater's Paulson Pavilion

Sign up at astoriasundaymarket.com/biz-kidz
or the 4-H office at (503) 325-8573