



Shepherd Hill Regional High School

“...committed to excellence with pride and unity.”

Core Values: “Committed to Excellence” Shepherd Hill Regional High School is dedicated to educate, challenge and empower students to succeed in the 21st century. With “Pride and Unity”, we foster intellectual achievement, civic responsibility and personal growth.

Beliefs about Student Learning: Through quality instruction in a safe and stimulating learning environment, we encourage students to be inquisitive, resourceful, and responsible learners. By cultivating respect and a strong work ethic, we are confident that our students will excel in the present and meet the demands of the future.

Principal’s Message — William F. Chaplin, Jr.

Happy New Year! Best wishes are extended for a year full of joy, good health and success. I hope everyone had a fantastic holiday break; it was wonderful to relax, recharge, unplug and catch up a little, especially with some sleep. I look forward to starting the new year with each of you within the Shepherd Hill community. The start of the new year is an opportunity to look back at what has been accomplished and more importantly, a time to look forward to the changes we want, or need, to make. I am not a big fan of resolutions but as you know I’m all about self-reflection that is purposeful and helpful to move forward.

So how can we make 2020 and the second half of our school year at Shepherd Hill incredible? Like last year, I’ve been re-reading a lot of books by Jon Gordon lately and his message and concept of—One Word. He describes how each year, rather than a resolution, he picks One Word for the New Year that inspires him to be his best. The One Word is a guidepost or reminder to keep the person on the right path throughout the year. All aspects of his life are filtered through this One Word he chooses.

Last year, if you remember, my one word was **Re-Imagine**. As I look back there were certainly times where I accomplished some of our goals as a school community through this lens looking at how we are evolving in the areas of our beliefs on how students and staff “learn” most powerfully as well as connecting “real world, relevant” experience within our curriculum. Expanding our *Project Lead The Way* curriculum in Biomedical Science and Engineering is a great example of this. Another area of focus that supports this evolution to “re-imagine” will be in the area of continuing to develop our *Innovations Pathway* programming at Shepherd Hill. Both of these areas align nicely with the focus around Commissioner Riley’s (DESE) initiatives, as well as a significant focus on several of Governor Baker’s initiatives around STEM initiatives.

So I will continue the tradition of a similar challenge/message for our Shepherd Hill community for 2020 and the rest of our current school year. What would be your One Word—as an individual, family, peer group, class, etc.? What would be the One Word that would change your life? This could be a fun exercise and much more effective than a resolution; 9 out of 10 people will fail with their resolutions but One Word sticks. No goals, no resolutions just One Word that helps you write and create a yearly chapter in your life story. It can be powerful.

My One Word for 2020 will be **Gratitude**. I will use my one word as a guidepost throughout the year to keep my thinking on how we can continue to evolve as a school community to meet the needs of our students today and more importantly their preparation for tomorrow’s world that we will be living in.

Be well.



Upcoming Events

- **Jan. 2**—Students Return
- **Jan. 8**—Ski Club Begins
- **Jan. 8**—School Council Meeting (5 pm)
- **Jan. 8**—SH Music Parents Meeting (6:30 pm)
- **Jan. 10 & 11**—Drama Production “The Westing Game” (7 pm)
- **Jan. 14**—Booster Club Meeting (7 pm)
- **Jan. 17**—Mid-Year Exams Period 1
- **Jan. 17**—AP Exam Fees Due
- **Jan. 17**—**Early Release** at 11:15 am (Prof. Dev. Day)
- **Jan. 20**—**NO SCHOOL** (Martin Luther King Day)
- **Jan. 21**—Mid-Year Exams Periods 2 & 3
- **Jan. 22**—Mid-Year Exams Periods 4 & 5
- **Jan. 23**—Mid-Year Exams Periods 6 & 7
- **Jan. 24**—Term 2 Grade Close
- **Jan. 24**—QCC Decision Day #2
- **Jan. 31**—2nd Qtr. Report Cards on Portal
- **Jan. 31**—Central MA Show Choir Festival
- **Feb. 1**—Central MA Show Choir Festival
- **Feb. 5**—Music Parents Meeting (6 pm)
- **Feb. 6**—QCC Decision Day #3
- **Feb. 11**—Course Selection Parent Breakfast (9 am)
- **Feb. 11**—Booster Club Meeting (7 pm)
- **Feb. 17-21**—**NO SCHOOL** (Winter Break)
- **Feb. 21**—Cheerleading Invitational
- **Feb. 28**—3rd Qtr. Progress Report Grades Close

Mid-Year Exam Schedule 2020



- Fri., Jan. 17** — Period 1
- Tues., Jan. 21** — Periods 2 & 3
- Wed., Jan. 22** — Periods 4 & 5
- Thurs., Jan. 23** — Periods 6 & 7

With the exception of Fri., Jan. 17 (early release for students at 11:15 am), school will be in session for a full day during the exam schedule. In the event of a two-hour delay, the afternoon exam will be administered. The schedule for Friday, Jan. 24, would be amended to provide time for the exam that is missed.

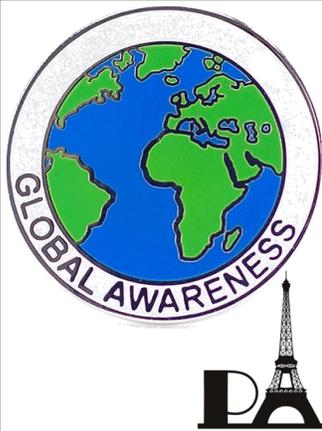
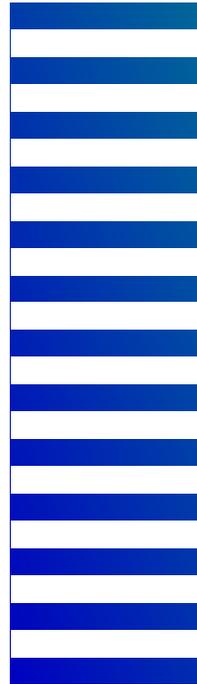
Parents are asked to assist by insuring that students arrive to school on time and that **absences and dismissals are kept to a minimum**. Appointments should not be scheduled during exam times. Students are reminded that careful preparation and study will lead to success on the exams.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS AND DELAYS

Delays & Cancellations will be available as follows:

- WCVB (Channel 5)
- WFXT (Channel 6)
- WHDH (Channel 7 & Radio 680 AM)
- WBZ (Channel 4, Channel 38, & Radio Station 1030 AM)
- WSRB (Radio Station 96.1 FM)
- WESO (970 AM)
- WORC (1310 AM)

You may provide two numbers to receive notifications of school cancellation, early release or delayed opening. If you have provided cell phone numbers with the capacity to receive text messages, you will be notified that way. If your second phone number is a landline, you will receive the messages via a phone call.



Did you miss the enrollment date for the April, 2021 trip to Paris, Florence, and Venice? A few openings remain and it is still possible to enroll on a first come first serve basis. Students may pick up an information request sheet in the main office or a parent may request information on the trip by emailing Mrs. Pierangeli at mpierangeli@dcrsd.org. An international perspective and awareness will contribute to the success of students in the ever-shrinking world with its globalized economy. During the eleven days on the trip, students will experience an immeasurable amount of history, art, architecture and culture that will provide real world learning opportunities to enhance their classroom studies.



SUPER BOWL SUNDAY GRINDERS

Have a 12" Super Bowl Grinder delivered to your door for

only \$7.00

(Roast Beef, Ham, Turkey, Italian)



Order yours today for delivery on February 2nd
By the Foreign Language/Global Awareness Club

Orders taken until Friday, January 24th

If you are not contacted and wish to place an order, please call SHRHS at 508-943-6700, ext. 264 or email Mary Pierangeli (mpierangeli@dcrsd.org). Proceeds of this fundraiser will be used for various activities while Shepherd Hill is in Eastern Europe during April vacation.

News from the Guidance Department (Mr. James Laliberte, Coordinator)

IMPORTANT DATESGrade 10 MCAS Testing Dates

- March 24-25
- May 19-20
- June 2-3

Attendance is extremely important. Please don't be absent....don't go on vacation! Mark your calendar today!!




NAVIANCE

College & Career Planning

Naviance is a software program Shepherd Hill contracts with to deliver comprehensive K-12 college and career readiness curriculum. Every student has an account and each parent can gain access to their students account to access the features. If you would like access please email your student's guidance counselor.

Thus far counselors have gone into Senior English classes in the month of September to discuss post-graduation planning and refresh students on Naviance. The month of October brought counselors into Freshman Math classes to discuss high school expectations, workings, and Naviance. Most recently on December 20 counselors met with all juniors in their English class to go over post-graduation planning to prepare students for senior year and course selection as well as a Naviance refresher. In the month of January counselors will meet with sophomores about the recent PSAT scores and Naviance.



Report Cards/Progress Reports

Important Change



Change

We have traditionally been using the report card/progress report tab in the SchoolBrains student and parent portal menu. Going forward we will be using the next tab down, the "reports" tab. This will enable us to retain multiple report card in addition to posting a copy of a student's unofficial transcript which should greatly add in post-graduation planning.

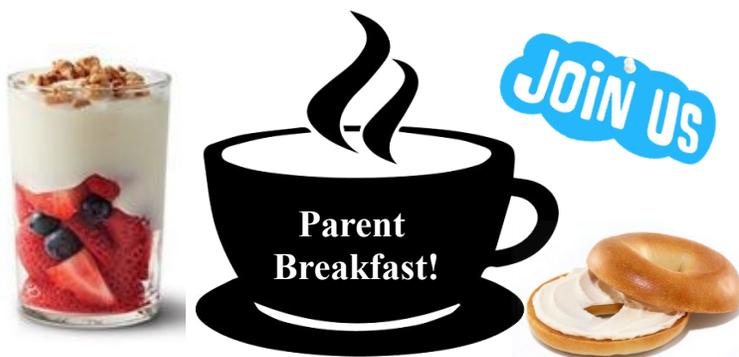


Guidance



We ask that each grade complete the following assessments in the next month. Some students have already completed this.

Freshmen—Do What You Are
Sophomores—Strengths Explorer
Juniors—Career Interest Profiler
Seniors—Career Cluster Finder



Course Selection Breakfast

Tuesday, February 11, 2020
 9:00 am

Enter through the SHRHS cafeteria doors on auditorium side
 Open to current grades 8-11
 (We welcome all 8th grade parents!)

We will discuss the course selection process, levels, new offerings and course sequencing.

RSVP to jlaliberte@dcrsd.org

ATTENTION JUNIORS!



achieve
more

Now is the time to take your SATs!

SAT

May 2, 2020
Offered @ SHRHS

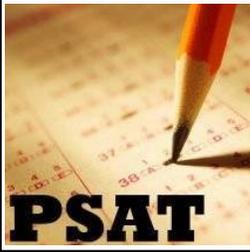
Create an account through www.collegeboard.org/student and finish all standardized testing prior to the end of your junior year!

FAFSA

Free Application for Federal Student Aid

Free information & assistance with completing FAFSA Form at
Mt. Wachusett Community College
Tuesday, January 7, 2020 (5:00 pm)

Register online at www.fafsaday.org



The PSAT results are now available by accessing Naviance and/or Collegeboard. All students have a Naviance account. A hard copy of the results will be returned to students late January. Please contact Mrs. Hernandez in guidance if you have any questions.

COLLEGE DECISION DAY

Quinsigamond Community College
January 24, 2020

Spots still available for any senior who wants to sign up!
Sign up with Mr. Gendron in Guidance!



Nichols College
Learn. Lead. Succeed.

A Nichols course will be offered next semester



INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT

IBUS 287 International Management

Examines management theory and practice as applied to business activities that cross national boundaries. Emphasis is placed on an understanding of strategic, cultural, behavioral, functional, legal, and socio-ethical aspects of international management in the global economy with multinational business enterprises.

Earn 3 college credits & SHRHS credit as well!
Stop by the Guidance Department for further information.



After school Peer Tutoring is available in the library on **Tuesdays from 2:30-3:30 p.m.**

Please see Mr. Gendron in Guidance for more information.

AP Exam Registration

- Exams cost \$94 (\$53 for free/reduced lunch students)
- **All money must be paid to Mr. Gendron in Guidance on or before January 17, 2020.**
- Payment is Check or Money Order made out to SHRHS. Please write student's name, ID number and exam(s) on the check.

Advanced Placement Exam Schedule

May 5- May 15, 2020 as follows

AP Calculus AB & BC Tues., May 5, 2020 (8 am—12 pm)	AP Biology Mon., May 11, 2020 (8 am—12 pm)
AP English Lit & Comp Wed., May 6, 2020 (8 am—12 pm)	AP Env Science Mon., May 11, 2020 (12 pm – 4 pm)
AP Physics 2 Wed., May 6, 2020 (12 pm – 4 pm)	AP Spanish Language Tues., May 12, 2020 (8 am – 12 pm)
AP Chemistry Thurs., May 7, 2020 (8 am—12 pm)	AP English Lang & Comp Wed., May 13, 2020 (8 am – 12 pm)
AP Physics 1 Thurs., May 7, 2020 (12 pm – 4 pm)	AP Comp Science Prin Fri., May 15, 2020 (8 am – 12 pm)
AP US History Fri., May 8, 2020 (8 am—12 pm)	AP Statistics Fri., May 15, 2020 (12 pm – 4 pm)
AP Computer Science A Fri., May 8, 2020 (12 pm – 4 pm)	



AP Exam Payments

AP exam payments are due on, or before, **January 17, 2020** to Mr. Gendron, in guidance. Students and families can begin making these payments NOW. Please forward a check or money order to SHRHS with your son/daughter's name, student ID & names of the exams the check is covering. The cost for each exam is \$94. For students who are eligible for free or reduced lunch, the cost is \$53. Fees are set by Collegeboard.

DON'T WAIT!



**2019-2020
Massachusetts Association of School
Superintendent's Certificate of Academic
Excellence Award**

Congratulations to **Olivia Sciarappa** and **Hannah Guerin**
for receiving the 2019-2020 Massachusetts
Association of School Superintendent's Certificate of
Academic Excellence Award!



Olivia is an established Shepherd Hill student who consistently and continuously exhibits her potential to be everything she wants to be. Olivia sets goals for herself and has taken the opportunity to reach new heights and try new things during her high school experience as she prepares for graduation and what is next. Olivia is an accomplished and capable academic scholar as exhibited through her studies here on the Hill, her grades, her AP scores, and her SAT results. She is a recipient of a numerous academic awards, a National Merit Scholar and a member of the National Honor Society.

Olivia sets herself apart from other individuals as she approaches life and her studies with ease, grace and a calmness that is unmatched. Her life's trajectory is shaped by her efforts to manage a life-long chronic disease and in her words, she "doesn't take anything too seriously and she is open to any path that makes her happy". She is extremely close to her sister who attends Wesleyan University.

What else? Yes, more! Who Olivia is goes way beyond the aforementioned. Her character naturally questions everything. She does not believe in complacency as an ending point, but as the beginning to learn more and understand why something is the way it is. She has recently completed a 10K and finished first in her age group and she is also a varsity lacrosse player.

Olivia has a heightened sense of the world around her and displays maturity beyond her years.

Hannah represents our district and Shepherd Hill like no one else. As a student, Hannah has put forth a palpable prodigious effort to experience and learn from all that we have to offer our students, academically and through the arts. In turn, through her dedication and commitment to her experiences, family and community, she quietly and unassumingly leads with confidence and mature convictions.

Hannah is an accomplished and capable academic scholar as exhibited through her studies here on the Hill, her grades, her AP scores, and her 1590 SAT results. She is a member of the National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society and is the recipient of the Massachusetts Seal of Bilingual Proficiency which is an award that recognizes students who have achieved proficiency in English as well as one or more additional languages. Hannah is also an extremely proud recipient of the Youth Art Month Flag Design Contest.

Hannah believes in and is reflective of her journey to this educational point but welcomes and embraces new challenges. Hannah began her schooling experience in a home school program through to entering the Charlton Middle School. She has a unique blend of aptitude for art and the sciences that lead her towards the goal of being an architect. She loves the outdoors and her family. Hannah has a heightened sense of her community and personal purpose.



**DUDLEY-CHARLTON
EDUCATION FOUNDATION**
Advancing Educational Excellence

DCEF Annual Appeal Underway

Each year, the Dudley-Charlton Education Foundation (DCEF) awards grants to educators in our district to fund the implementation of creative and exciting ideas that enhance the school experience for our students. Please join with the DCEF Board of Directors and invest in the future of our district students by supporting our 11th Annual Appeal which is running through March 31st. Our goal is \$25,000.

Donations may be made securely, on-line at: www.dcedfoundation.org or by sending a check to:
DCEF, PO Box 92, Dudley, MA 01571.



7 SCHOOLS



10 YEARS



\$286,265 IN GRANTS AWARDED



112 GRANTS AWARDED



SCIENCE ~ TECHNOLOGY ~ ENGINEERING ~ MATH
ENGLISH AND LANGUAGE ARTS - STUDENT WELLNESS - SCHOOL CULTURE - PERFORMING AND VISUAL ARTS



THOUSANDS OF STUDENTS IMPACTED

SKI CLUB

Starts Wednesday, January 8 and will run for six consecutive weeks. Any cancelled trips will be rescheduled for the next available Wednesday.

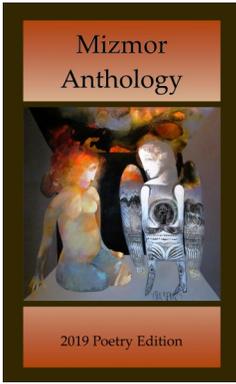


Student Behavior Guidelines: Any student found drinking, stealing, using vulgarities, reckless skiing/boarding, or any inappropriate behavior that, in management or chaperone's opinion, is considered disruptive, dangerous or illegal will be dismissed from the program without a refund. This includes behavior on the bus and in the lodge. Students are expected to pick up after themselves. Remember, skis and snowboards are not allowed in the lodge.

Parents are reminded to please pick up your child at 8:45 p.m. in the high school parking lot. It is very cold waiting, so be prompt. Any questions? Feel free to contact Mr. Cormier at tcormier@dcrsd.org or 508-943-6700, ext. 204.



SEE YOU ON THE SLOPES



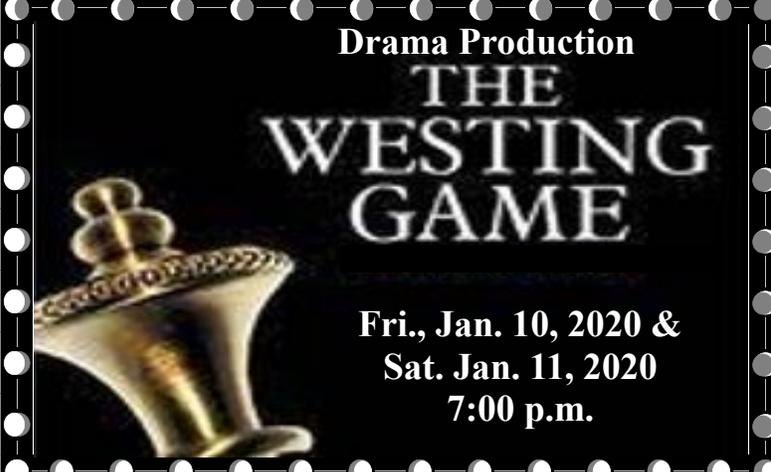
English teacher **Karen Warinsky** had two poems published in the 2019 Mizmor Poetry Anthology which was released in December. Her poems "Breaking the Firmament" and "Thoreau's Window" are included in the book, published by Poetica Publishing. Mrs. Warinsky was a featured reader in October at the 10th Annual Great Falls Word Festival held at Turners Falls, Mass.



Now collecting dresses* and accessories* to be swapped at our spring Prom Dress Swap!

Contact Ms. Griffiths (kgriffiths@dcrsd.org) or Ms. Racicot (aracicot@dcrsd.org) for more information and to arrange drop off.

*Dresses/Accessories must be clean and in good condition.

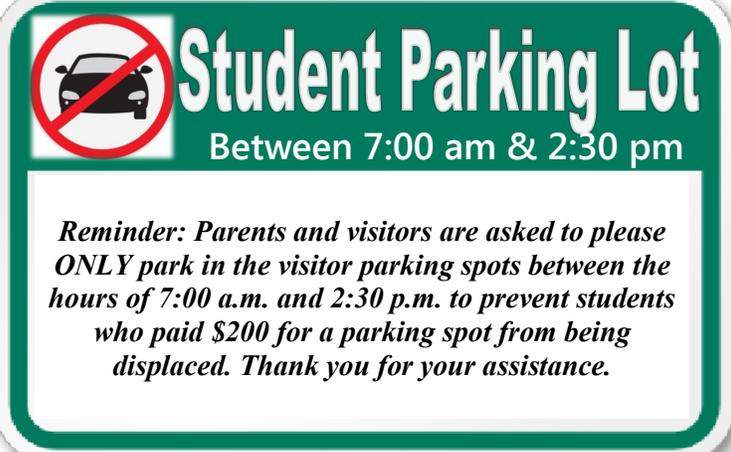


Drama Production
THE WESTING GAME

Fri., Jan. 10, 2020 & Sat. Jan. 11, 2020
7:00 p.m.

GSA

Annual Secret Santa

Student Parking Lot
Between 7:00 am & 2:30 pm

Reminder: Parents and visitors are asked to please ONLY park in the visitor parking spots between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. to prevent students who paid \$200 for a parking spot from being displaced. Thank you for your assistance.



The National Honor Society annual toy drive was a huge success! In simply two weeks, over 600 toys were collected and \$500 dollars. NHS students purchased even more toys with those funds, as well as gift cards to grocery and other stores to supplement their holiday meals. A big thank you to everyone who generously donated!



Deployed Soldiers Letters

On December 16th the National Honor Society and Mr. Stefan's English classes mailed 120 holiday letters to deployed soldiers in the Middle East and Africa. It is their hope that their small act of kindness will benefit those who live with selflessness and courage every day.





Packages
that are

Student Council collected items for local homebound seniors in Dudley and Charlton. They were able to make 20 baskets in total to surprise our local elders for the holidays. Items included hand warmers, canned soups and snacks, fleece blankets, travel-sized toiletries, games and puzzle books or gift cards (Dunkin Donuts, McDonalds, etc.)



Carbon Monoxide is an odorless and tasteless gas that is produced when burning a fossil fuel such as fuel oil in home heating systems, gasoline in your car or wood pellets for heating.

Home heating systems are working long and hard during the winter months here in New England and in cold weather we may start our car and allow it to run for a short time in order to warm it up before we drive to work or school. For the most part our home heating plant and vehicles operate without problems, however, on occasion they do fail and may produce harmful levels of carbon monoxide.

The only way to know if a carbon monoxide emergency takes place in your home is to have at least 1 carbon monoxide detector on each level of your home and within 10ft of each bedroom. If a carbon monoxide alarm sounds, evacuate your home immediately and call 911 from outside. Fire fighters will meter your home to find at what levels the carbon monoxide is and also its source in order to eliminate the emergency.



Safety Tips!

- * Annual maintenance on heating systems is a must! If not already done, set up an annual maintenance program with your service provider in an effort to prevent a failure.
- * Clean your chimney annually.
- * Do not allow your vehicle or electric generator in an attached garage.



UGLY SWEATERS DAY



...and the **WINNERS** are...

- ★ Deb Samia
- ★ Lily Curtis
- ★ Karen Powaza





“Supporting Academics, Music & the Arts, Athletics, Clubs & Activities”

2019-20 Officers/Coordinators/Contact Information

- President – **Kristie Laabs**
- Vice President – **Leah Paine**
- Treasurer – **Sandra Vaillancourt**
- Secretary – **Greter Barcelo**
- Volunteer Coordinator – **Kersti Hopkins**
- Concession Coordinator – **Paul Raucci**
- Merchandise Coordinator – **Vacant**
- Fundraising Coordinator – **Vacant**
- SH Field Renovation Chair – **Kristin Kustigian**

If interested in joining our team, please reach out to any of the officers noted above or join us at our next meeting on January 14th! You can also contact us as noted above with any inquiries or questions you may have!

NEXT MEETING:

January 14th at 7:00 p.m.

Shepherd Hill Faculty Dining Room (to the left of the main gym entrance). All meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of every month (unless there is no school).



shboosterclub@dcrsd.org or



[@Hillbooster](https://twitter.com/Hillbooster)

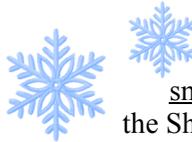


<http://www.dcrsd.org/schools/shepherd-hill-regional-high-school/parentstudent-information/booster-club>

WHO WE ARE

The Shepherd Hill Booster Club is a parent/teacher/student run organization that offers students the opportunity to serve their school community in a positive way and, in return, potentially achieve a scholarship that may be presented to them at graduation! The Shepherd Hill Booster Club supports a wide variety of school activities including music, arts, sports, academics, clubs and activities within our school community through various fundraising efforts and merchandise sales. Without parent, teacher and student involvement, the Shepherd Hill Booster Club and its efforts will cease to exist. We do as much as possible with the resources we have based on the involvement of club members.

DO YOU SHOP AMAZON?



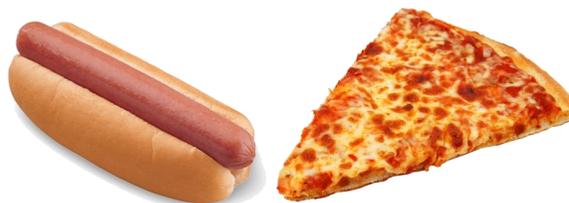
If so, please access the following link: <https://smile.amazon.com/ch/04-3564673> and register the Shepherd Hill Booster Club as your charity of choice. When doing so and shopping via smile.amazon.com, you can give back to the Shepherd Hill Booster Club while you are shopping for the holidays or any day in between! Amazon will donate 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to us! Your support will be greatly appreciated!



Slight Increase



Indoor Concessions have started for the Winter Sports Season! Please note that our prices have changed slightly to remain on par with the cost of concessions supplies we need to purchase! Be sure to bring a couple extra bucks with you so you can get what you need! Pizza and Hot Dogs will be offered as hot food items when possible and while supplies last.



Volunteers always needed for Concession and/or Merchandise Sales. Please check out our SignUp.com link for the latest events and volunteer needs! New events will be added as they are identified: <https://signup.com/go/kTrBsTB>

MERCHANDISE

Show your school spirit with Shepherd Hill Merchandise sponsored by the Shepherd Hill Booster Club. Merchandise is available in our student store on Wednesdays & Thursdays during the lunch blocks (under the direction of Mrs. Danner-Connole), Parent-Teacher Conferences, football games and other select dates.



****Shop On-Line****
<https://squareup.com/store/shepherd-hill-booster-club-online>. We take all forms of payment:


 Cash
  Check
  Debit Card
  Credit Card

The SH Field Renovation fundraising effort's goal is improve the Softball and Baseball field conditions, which includes proper drainage, leveling and grading, fencing and scoreboards so that we can get our players and fans back on our home fields! The SH Booster Club, Baseball & Softball Parents/Alumni and Administration are partnering together to make this a reality!

Chair: Kristin Kustigian

SH Baseball & Softball Field Renovation Effort



November Meeting Renovation Updates:

- Deep tine aerification, topdressing with 99 tons of sand, core aeration and over seeding was taking place and should help to improve the playability of the fields come spring.
- Softball Dugouts are ready for pouring foundations.
- SH Field Committee is obtaining estimates on scoreboards, lockable storage chests and backstops.
- SH Field Committee received official approval to kick off a Personalized Brick Fundraiser. More information will be shared soon!
- SH Field Committee continues to reach out to potential donations.

Donation Status:

In this season of giving, we'd like to recognize all donations to date: Brian & Michelle Lilley, Sturbridge Orthodontics, MTD Micromolding, Charlton Oil, Brett & Kristin Kustigian, Park 'n' Shop Customer-Register Campaign, Jason Johnson, Superintendent Lamarche, Webster Five Cents Savings Bank and our latest donation from Walmart! With your help, we've raised \$6,125 to date! And we're not done yet! No amount is too small to consider!

If you know a business who would be interested in supporting this effort, please have them contact the SHFieldsRenovation@gmail.com. Please visit <https://sites.google.com/view/sh-fields-renovations> to make a personal or private donation and get the latest news regarding our efforts!

Should you have questions, please email us at: SHFieldsRenovation@gmail.com or shboosterclub@dcrsd.org



LINDSTROM STRONG RAFFLE

Sponsored by the SH Football, SH Cheerleaders, SH Booster Club and SH Music Parents! Make a \$2.00 donation supporting the Lindstrom Strong initiative by contributing to Ovarian Cancer Research and supporting these school groups that are linked together by Football on the Hill! Tickets sales have begun and will continue to be sold through February 1st. We will be selling tickets at SH Booster and SH Music Parent events. Additionally, please see a Football Player or Cheerleader for tickets as well.

- 1st Place: Signed #63 Lindstrom Jersey
- 2nd Place: \$250
- 3rd Place: \$100
- 4th Place: Lottery Ticket Basket
- 5th Place: \$25 Amazon Gift Card



The winning tickets will be drawn on February 1st, 2020!

CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT

January 25, 2020

Raceway Golf Club & Restaurant,
Thompson Speedway
205 E. Thompson Road, Thompson, CT 06277

11:00 AM Check In, 12:00 PM Start
\$50.00 per team

Parents, faculty, alumni are all welcome to join us for this fun event! Teams will compete for cash prizes awarded to the top teams dependent on the # of teams participating. Additional cash buy in options for more cornhole after the main event.

Open to Ages 16 & Up

Arrive/pay that day - or - prepayment is available via: <https://squareup.com/store/shepherd-hill-booster-club-online/item/cornhole-tournament-fundraiser>

March 11, 2020

wizards

Basketball Night

Sponsored by the SH Booster Club and Dudley PTO

Details & ticket information will be shared in January



April 3, 2020

Adult Night Out with

DJPHOU



Details & ticket information will be shared in January



Join Us!



Like us on Facebook
 at Shepherd Hill Music Parents Association

Gillette Stadium sign ups, meeting information, fundraising events and more are communicated through our Facebook page

follow us on twitter

SHRHSCoir
 SHRHSShowChoirs and
 SHBands

Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped to make this a successful year!! We will be discussing the future of Gillette as a fundraiser at our January and February meetings. Special thanks to **Mary Innamorati, Jeff Cloutier** and **Nicole Szretter** for leading this year long fundraiser.



meeting

Schedule 2019-20

Next parent meetings
Wed., Jan. 8th & Feb. 5th
 in the Library, 6:30 pm.

As of January we meet on the **first Wednesday** of each month until June. Meetings are held in the Shepherd Hill Library starting at 6:30pm. Come meet other parents involved in our music program at Shepherd Hill. We hope you will come in January to discuss new fundraising ideas for 2020.

Heartfelt **THANKS**
TO OUR VOLUNTEERS!



Thank you to everyone that attended the Holiday Spectacular and purchased raffle tickets to support SHMPA! What an amazing holiday show. Thank you to everyone that donated a basket or items for the baskets!!



Upcoming EVENTS

Central Mass Show Choir Festival
 January 31st & February 1st
Winter Percussion & Winter Guard Home Show
 March 22, 2020



SHOW CHOIR FESTIVAL

Please join us for the 35th Annual Central Massachusetts Show Choir Festival on Friday, January 31st and February 1, 2020! Come see show choirs from New England middle schools and High schools perform. We need your help to make this event successful! Please sign up to volunteer, anyone that works at least 6 hours will be reimbursed for their day or night ticket.

Sign up for 2020 Central Ma. Show Choir Fest (<https://signup.com/go/eghrhvK>) on @SignUp.com today!

So many adventures await us as we work side by side to support, encourage, assist, and cheer on our extremely talented music students!



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At the Holiday Band Concert the Jazz Band made their big, loud, and fun debut. They will be participating in MAJE Music festivals this Winter and continue to perform at Shepherd Hill and in the community throughout the spring. Try to catch them when you can!



The Shepherd Hill Bands and Choirs just finished their holiday concert season and would like to thank everyone who made it out to any music department performance. We were happy to create a cheerful experience for you and we had a great time spreading cheer throughout the local communities as well. We look forward to next year!



Tri-M Music HONOR SOCIETY



On December 19th, the Tri-M Music Honor Society chapter of Shepherd Hill welcomed 30 new members to their ranks. These students have shown great academic and musical success as well as a commitment to community throughout their career at the Hill. We look forward to them being the next set of ambassadors to bring music and charity to our community.

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| Anthony Awad | Kerry Greenough | Benjamin Perry |
| Timothy Berthiaume | Anya Grondalski | Emma Provost |
| Emily Brill | Mason Lemberger | Zachary Robinson |
| Rahni Bussiere | Abigail Lepper | Abigail Shaw |
| Julia Butler | Evelyn Magee | Piotr Skoczylas |
| Kody Chamberlain | Joshua Martin | Allison Smith |
| Hannah Dion | Connor Montville | Elizabeth Valley |
| Keirsten Doud | Sarah Morin | Trevor Wallace |
| Caleb Drinkwater | Julia Morse | Gabrielle Wheeler |
| Faythe Eisnor | Kyle Norberg | Rachel Whipple |

Tri-M Music Honor Society Induction





A Holiday Spectacular

The annual Holiday Spectacular was a great success! With brilliantly choreographed numbers, sequined costumes, reindeer, snowmen, superintendent, teachers, parents, staff and Santa himself making an appearance, it truly was spectacular! Don't miss it next year!



Holiday Spectacular shout-out to the Dudley Cultural Council for sponsoring our new Santa



Chorus
donated over
100 gifts to
Toys for Tots





Mystique at the PTO Polar Express



School Committee Performance—All Choirs



Mystique at Dudley Congregational Church

Central Mass
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 High schools will perform Sat., Feb. 1.
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Sophomore Elizabeth Valley opens the show for Adam Lambert at Mechanics Hall

Fantasy singing at the Why Me Cancer Foundation Christmas



Mystique Singing at Various Life Skill and Nursing Homes



