



South Huron District High School

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Dear families of the South Huron Panther community,

We wanted to take this time to update you on some events happening at SHDHS over the next three weeks before we break for the holidays. See the list below (there is a second page) and select any links within the bulleted item to provide more information on the event.

- The iAMme survey opens today and will remain open until December 7. Students at SHDHS will be completing the survey in their regular classes throughout the week. A letter was sent home earlier in November with more information and an opt-out option. This information can be found on the [AMDSB website](#).
- Student course selection for next year will begin soon. We will be trying a new process this year. Students in grades 10, 11, & 12 will be given a timetable worksheet from which to choose their Grade 11 & 12 courses. The worksheet shows what courses may be offered in each period next year and we hope this will lead to fewer timetable conflicts for students in the spring. [The worksheet can be found here](#).
- \$1 from each “Joe’s Feast” meal ordered at the Exeter location for the month of December goes back to the SHDHS parent council (now known as “The Loop”). Be sure to mention the school’s name when you order so that our school will receive the benefit.
- There is a PA Day this Friday, December 7.
- SHDHS Music Concert - Dec. 11 @ 7:00 pm
- The high school Art students have created an all ages colouring book which will be for sale at the music concert on December 11 along with some holiday cards/art cards and small art pieces. All proceeds go to the Christmas Bureau.
- Our Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) students will be visiting HMP on December 13, as part of their SHSM program. Hans Reimer, from Fanshawe College, will be presenting to the students on what the trades have to offer and what Fanshawe has to offer. Everyone will then tour HMP, go over navigational enhancements on new vehicles, and examine coding (computer programming for semi-autonomous cars).
- Coming soon to the SHDHS theatre - May 30 to June 1, 2019 SHDHS will be presenting Seussical the Musical. The first meeting will be this week. Students should listen to the morning announcements for more information.
- Grade 7/8 Holiday Concert - Dec. 14 @ 1:30 pm, Dec. 17 @ 1:30 pm, Dec. 18 @ 7:00 pm



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- Even though as I write this it has warmed up considerably, we all know that we are not done with winter driving this winter. Please make sure you check the [Huron-Perth Student Transportation Services' website](#) for any bus delays or cancellations. Although busses may be cancelled due to inclement weather, generally the school will remain open for students who can safely arrive to school. Specific information for the day will be posted on the above mentioned website if inclement weather hits our area.
 - There will be a holiday lunch for students in the cafeteria on December 19. Tickets are available now at \$6.
 - Hockey Buyout x 2 - both a morning (girls' game) and afternoon (boys' game) buyout on December 20 - \$2 for each game - this is an ABC fundraiser.
 - [The final exam schedule can be found here](#). It will be posted on our school website next week. Final assessments will be written each morning of the exam period in January. Regular classes will not run during the exam period. The afternoon can be used for study purposes for the following day's final assessment. More detailed information about the exam period will be available in the new year.