

Shark Tales

October 2018



Shelton View Mission:

Shelton View is a caring, diverse community of students, families, and staff dedicated to creating a collaborative learning culture whose goal is for all to feel safe and valued, while ensuring academic and social success for all.

Curriculum Night Thank You

Our Curriculum Nights are complete. We are pleased with the strong turn-out overall, and hope that you found the evenings informative. Thanks to Shelton View teachers for their willingness to offer this evening to parents. The intent is to assist parents in supporting student success and to allow us to give consistent messaging about both academic and behavioral expectations. Together, we are a necessary team for each of our students!

What is SWIM?

Hopefully, you have heard of the acronym SWIM during Curriculum Night and from your child(ren). SWIM represents the expectations we have building-wide for all students as follows:

- S - Show respect**
- W - Work hard**
- I - Include others**
- M - Make safe choices**

At home, we encourage you to utilize this acronym and, more importantly, the message it represents. For example, you may ask your child, "What part of SWIM are you demonstrating (at school or at home)?" The student may reply, "I'm showing (or not showing) respect to you as my parent (or my teacher)."

Thank you for your continued partnership!

Sincerely,
Bethel Santos
Shelton View Principal

October 2018

- 10/1 – First Day for 5th Gr. Beginning Band
- 10/2 – Individual Picture Day
XC Meet @ Kenmore El. 4:45-5:30PM
- 10/8 – School Board Mtg. at Admin. 4PM
- 10/9 – XC Meet @ Arrowhead El. 4:45-5:30PM
- 10/12 – Health Screening at SV
- 10/16 – XC Meet @ SV 4:45-5:30PM
- 10/22 – School Board Mtg. at Admin 7PM
- 10/23 – XC Finals @ KMS 5-6:30PM

Choir in Music Rm. 8:30-9:15AM every M & Th



Dear Parents/Guardians,



Welcome back to school! I hope you all had a fun and relaxing summer. I am excited to be returning as your School Nurse. My goal is to have a safe and healthy environment for learning and look forward to working with you and your child in the coming year.

Sometimes it is hard to decide if your child needs to stay home or can go to school. To help give you some guidelines, please refer to the link ***When Should I Keep My Child Home*** on the Shelton View website. If you are still not sure if your child should come to school, please give me a call. There is also additional information on my Health Room website that can be accessed at: <http://sheltonview.nsd.org>

If your child needs to take medication at school (prescription and/or over the counter) you may obtain the Medication Authorization Forms from me in the Health Room (or on the website above). On the back of the Medication Authorization Form is NSD's Medication at School Policy, which reflects WA State law. **Please do not send any medication to school without the proper authorization – it cannot be given.** If your child takes regular medication at home that should not be interrupted (i.e. medication for a seizure disorder) I strongly encourage you to obtain the necessary authorization and keep a 3-day supply of medication at school in case of an emergency – such as an earthquake.

State law requires that a child with a life-threatening condition have medication or treatment orders in place on or before their first day of school. As a result, students with severe asthma, allergies that require epinephrine, diabetes or any other condition considered life threatening will need to have medication/treatment orders signed and in place at school on or before the first day of attendance.

VISION AND HEARING SCREENING

Each year in Northshore schools, students in grades Kindergarten, 1, 2, 3, 5, and 7 receive hearing and vision screenings. We are currently scheduled for vision and hearing screenings on Friday, October 12, 2018. If you would like to exempt your child from either of these health screenings, please contact me.

It is important to understand that these are basic screenings, and are designed to identify students who may require further testing. They are not intended to replace regular exams by qualified health care providers. A student who does not pass any screening will be rechecked in a few weeks, and you will be notified only if there are concerns after the second screening.

Vision screening uses the PlusOptix. The PlusOptix is an autorefractor that takes a measurement of the refraction of the eyes. The results give a baseline refraction measurement. The illumination technique used by PlusOptix, is totally harmless to the child's eyes. If your child wears glasses or contact lenses for distance or near vision, please be sure they have them on the screening day.

If your child has a hearing loss and is being followed by a healthcare provider or specialist and you do not wish for them to participate in the screening, please let the school nurse know. If you have concerns about hearing loss and school accommodations, contact your student's teacher or the school nurse. If you would like to volunteer for the screening day, please contact me.

I'm looking forward to a great year ahead! As always, please contact me if you have any questions or concerns about your child's health.

Take Care,

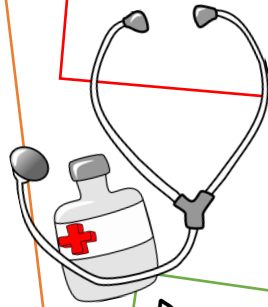
Sherrie Bowers, RN

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Substitute Nurses Needed:

Are you a Registered Nurse who might be interested in exploring the rewards of school-based nursing, supplementing work hours or simply maintaining nursing licensure credentials? We would love to discuss available opportunities as a substitute school nurse with the Northshore School District -- this is a great way to transition into community nursing with K-12 school age children. Contact Rebecca Cavanaugh, Health and Nursing Supervisor, Northshore School District: 425.408.7728 or rcavanaugh@nsd.org



Do you have clothes that your kids are growing out of? Please consider donating them to the Health Room! The Health Room is running low on a few items, especially pants for small boys. Please email Nurse Sherrie at sbowers@nsd.org to find out what she could use.
Thank you!

Does your child go to school wearing a jacket, two sweatshirts, and a sweater, then comes home in just their t-shirt? Check out our Lost and Found (located by the SV Gym)! We will be donating everything in our Lost and Found on Monday, November 26th. Be sure to stop by during Parent Teacher Conferences!



To help our bus lines walk calmly and carefully after school, we ask that parents wait in the courtyard, away from the bus lines. We will make sure that your students meet you there. Thank you for helping us keep Shelton View a safe place before and after school!



Will your child be absent or late to school? Please be sure to notify the both the teacher and the office staff by either email or the 24-hour attendance line: 425-408-5210.

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Hollywood Hill
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Woodinville, WA 98028

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- Health & Nutrition Services
- Family Support Services
- Opportunities for Family Participation

**For information or to complete an application
Contact Kendra Rodriguez @ 425-408-4722**