



Shaker Heights High School

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IN THE NEXT WEEK

Saturday, September 12, 2 pm - Raider Day home football game vs. Villa Angela-St. Joseph

Saturday, September 12, 8-11 pm - Back to School Dance sponsored by Student Council

Monday, September 14 Faculty Committee Meetings-
-Early Dismissal Students

SENIORS--TODAY IS THE DEADLINE FOR SENIOR PICTURES!!

Tuesday, September 15, 7 pm - Curriculum Night

Thursday, September 17, 6:30 pm - Special Education Coffee Conversations@Bertram Woods.

Friday, September 18, 7:30 am - 9 am - 1st Quarter Principal and Parent Coffee

Save the Date!

Monday, September 21, 7 pm SHHS PTO Meeting & Program

A Note From the Security Staff

As the school year begins, please remind your students that the best place for their cell phones and other valuables during the school day is locked in their lockers. Mr. Farrell and the Security Staff maintain the Lost and Found. When students lose valuables during they day, are often so worried that they are completely distracted from their classes and learning!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Curriculum Night, Tuesday, September 15, 7 pm

Follow your student's schedule and hear a short presentation by each of their teachers. You will receive a mailing prior to Curriculum Night with more

information including your child's schedule of classes and a 'bell schedule' for the evening. First period will start at 7:00, but plan to come in plenty of time to find a place to park.

**Quarterly Principal and Parents Coffee,
Friday, September 18, 7:30-9 am
High School Parent Resource Room (Room 106)**

Each quarter during the school year, the PTO is hosting a coffee with Principal Michael Griffith and any interested parents and guardians. Enjoy a cup of coffee and the chance to have an informal visit about the high school. Stop in anytime between 7:30 and 9:00 am.

**PTO Program, Monday, September 21, 7:30 pm
High School Small Auditorium**

How to Help Your Child be Successful at the High School

Hear ideas and suggestions about navigating the high school from several students' perspectives with the opportunity to ask them questions about what has and has not worked for them. Hear "State of the School" remarks from Principal Michael Griffith with the opportunity to ask him questions as well. The PTO business meeting will be from 7:00 to 7:30pm prior to the program and will include voting to approve the budget for the year and to approve the Regulations and Standing Rules which have been revised to align with the PTO Council's and are available to look over at Shaker.org.

FALL SPORTS NEWS

Cross Country Results Women's

Congratulations to the women's cross country team for their 2nd place finish at the Berkshire Invitational Meet on August 25, followed by a 3rd place finish (11 teams competed) at the Marlinton Invitational Meet on September 5th. Out of over 150 runners, Katelyn Walker was 2nd, Alyssa Binczyk was 6, and Erin Cullen was 18th. This follows an opening week performance at the Berkshire Invitational where the girls were 2nd of 17 teams, defeating state ranked St. Joseph's Academy, among others. This weekend they will travel to the Tiffin Carnival, the second largest meet in the country.

Men's Soccer

The season started with wins over Painsville Riverside 2-0 and Lorain Lakeside in the Lake Erie League 12-1, a loss to Eastlake North 0-1. The team has high expectations for the season and a goal of winning the Lake Erie League straight out after last season when they were crowned Co-Champions. The boys are expected to be among the best teams in Greater Cleveland division I, Missing 6 starters 5 due to injuries is hampering the team from performing at its true potential. Shaker is to face Lorain Admiral King on Sept. 9th away and Avon Lake on 12th home at 5 pm.

Coaches expect the team to do well once everyone is back and healthy.

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Men's Golf

The Red Raider Boys Golf team extended their win streak to 4 defeating Admiral King 159 to 181. John Chaney tied a 50 year old school record with a blistering 35 on Tuesday. Alec Coughlin shot another low round of 38. The Raider Boys Golf defeated the Panthers of Euclid on Wednesday at Shaker Country Club 171 to 207. Playing well for Shaker were John Chaney and Alec Coughlin. Freshman Shawn Barrett is right on their heels with a fine round of his own. The Raiders played at

home on Thursday (no score at "press time") at Shaker Country Club facing a tough Euclid Panther squad. The team travels to Shawnee Hills to play Bedford on Friday. Let's keep up the fine play. On a side note the team is looking forward to playing the staff members at Shaker Country Club on the 22nd of September.

Raider Club Community Events

Join the Shaker Heights Football Raider Club for a Cleveland Brown's Watch Party hosted by the Academy Tavern, 12800 Larchmere Boulevard. The Cleveland Browns vs. Minnesota Vikings on Sunday, September 13th. Kick-off at 1 pm. Free appetizers and drink specials included. A \$10 donation goes to support Raider Football. Menu items available for purchase. Patio available weather permitting.

Shaker Heights Raider Club presents a family-friendly community event celebrating the Shaker Heights High School football season with a RAIDER Community Block Party on Saturday, September 19th at Shaker Heights High School, 15911 Aldersyde Road from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. No admission charge. Tickets for pizza, refreshments and games of chance will be available for a nominal cost. Games, prizes, dancing, entertainment, karaoke, facepainting and fun!! Wear your school colors!! [Click here to see flyer.](#)

***Please note:** Coaches and the Oval Editor do their best to get the right spellings for athletes' names but there may be mistakes now and then. Feel free to email me at shakerhighpto@gmail.com with any corrections and I will forward them on to the appropriate contact. Thank you for your understanding. Stacey Reed, Oval Editor 2009-2010.

NOTES & NEWS

Middle School Mum and Bulb Sale

You still have a chance to order those hardy Chrysanthemums and Spring Bulbs. Orders will be taken until next Friday, September 18th. Remember, all of the proceeds will benefit the Shaker Middle School PTO.

To take advantage of this sale, simply print the [order form](#) and send it to the Middle School as directed (checks payable to Shaker Middle School) or order securely [online](#). This is the same site that you pay for student lunches and fees.

Your flower order will be available for pick up at the Shaker Middle School Auditorium entrance on Saturday, September 26, from 9 am until noon.

Thank you in advance for your support of the Shaker Middle School!

DIRT - a One Man Performance, September 23rd

The SAY Coalition of Bellefaire JCB is collaborating with multiple regional partners to bring a program for teens and parents to Cleveland this fall. Specifically designed for Middle School, High School and College age students and their parents, DIRT is a one-man performance by actor and comedian, John Morello, about substance abuse, risky behaviors and making choices. Described in a NY Times review as using humor as "a new weapon against bad choices", DIRT promises to be a powerful performance in which laughter and tears combine to tell a simple tale that will leave audiences spellbound and thinking about how much one life is worth.

Three local performances include an evening at John Carroll's Donahue Auditorium on Wednesday September 23rd. SEE the attached flyer for more information. Please join us for what promises to be a compelling performance with an important message for all! Please spread the word to others.

Doggie Dip Canceled

The annual Doggie Dip & Bark in the Park at Thornton Park scheduled for Saturday, September 12th has been canceled.

Red Raider Day

Saturday, September 12th is Red Raider Day at the 2 pm home football game against Villa Angela-St. Joseph. Discounted tickets are available for K-8 students at their schools the week before the game.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Moreland on the Move Community Association's First Annual Community Harvest

2 - 6 p.m., Sunday, September 27th at Chelton Park
Proceeds benefit beautification efforts in the Moreland area and youth empowerment activities.

- Fun & games for kids of all ages!
- Empowerment workshops sponsored by Family Connections, Health Department and others.
- 50/50 Raffle!
- Fish Fry, Ribs & Dogs!

Questions? Call 216.401.5525 or 216.295.8865

OVAL ONLINE CONTACT INFORMATION

Deadline for submitting SHHS-related information for the SHHS Weekly OVAL Email is weekly Thursday at noon. Send submissions, subscription requests, comments or questions to ShakerHighPTO@gmail.com.

***Mission Statement.....**The Shaker Heights Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is dedicated to facilitating the active and informed involvement of all parents and families to achieving the educational success and well being of children.*

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