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9th Grade Administrator

MS. ALLISON DEMMING
Assistant Principal of Student Affairs
10th Grade Administrator

MR. MIKE STEELE
11th & 12th Assistant Principal
of Administration

MRS. SHELLEY KEPLER
Assistant Principal of Curriculum

Wolfpack Family:

Welcome to the second semester of the 2022 -2023 school year! The administration, teachers and staff of South Fort Myers High School continue to expect our students to put forth their best effort every day, and are excited to see their progress. We look forward to their continued success, and appreciate that you have made your child's education and attendance a top priority. We ask that you continue to stress the importance of being on time to school and all of their classes. I am happy to meet with you and your family to discuss your student's academic career and how we can help them achieve success. Please contact the school at 239-561-0060 to schedule an appointment with me if you have any concerns.

Thank you for being a member of our Wolfpack Family!

Ed Mathews, *Principal*

VISION

To inspire students to be life-long learners through rigor and relevance.

MISSION

To prepare all students to successfully enter the world of work and/or further their education by challenging them with rigorous academic and technical studies.

WOLF TRACKS



“A Powerful School of Teaching and Learning”

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For the Parents, Students, Staff and
Community of South Fort Myers High School



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Title 1: FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

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HELP YOUR CHILD ACHIEVE!

ATTENDANCE - Make sure your child is in school every day, on time, and stays for the full day. Show your child that school is important!

COMMUNICATE - Attend parent/teacher conferences, read interim reports and report cards, share with the school concerns you may have, and talk to your child about school daily

HEALTH - Keep your child healthy by keeping the same bedtime every night, offering healthy meals and snacks, helping your child to be active, and turning off the TV

INTEREST - Show you are interested in your child's education by attending school events, talk with your child about what they are learning, and set goals for student success

EXPECTATIONS - Expect the best from your child. Expect your child to use the "ABC" rule:

- ASK for help when needed
- BEHAVE in a way that builds learning
- COMPLETE assignments

VOLUNTEER - Show your interest and support by volunteering in the classroom or at home

ENCOURAGE - Your child to always do their best!

¡AYUDE A SU HIJO A LOGRAR!

ASISTENCIA - Asegúrese de que su hijo esté en la escuela todos los días, a tiempo y se quede todo el día. ¡Muestrele a su hijo que la escuela es importante!

COMUNICARSE - Asista a conferencias de padres / maestros, lea informes provisionales y boletas de calificaciones, comparta con la escuela las preocupaciones que pueda tener y hable con su hijo sobre la escuela diariamente

SALUD - Mantenga a su hijo saludable manteniendo la misma hora de acostarse todas las noches, ofreciéndole comidas y refrigerios saludables, ayudando a su hijo a estar activo y apagando el televisor

INTERÉS - Demuestre que está interesado en la educación de su hijo asistiendo a eventos escolares, hable con su hijo sobre lo que está aprendiendo y establezca metas para el éxito de los estudiantes

EXPECTATIVAS - Espere lo mejor de su hijo. Espere que su hijo use la regla "ABC":

- PIDA ayuda cuando sea necesario
- COMPORTARSE de una manera que construya el aprendizaje
- Tareas

COMPLETAS VOLUNTARIO - Muestre su interés y apoyo como voluntario en el aula o en casa

For more information on Title I and family involvement, contact Mary Jo Potter at 239-561-0060 X250 or MaryJoP@LeeSchools.net.

School Advisory Council News...

All South Fort Myers High School stakeholders - parents, students, community members, and business partners – are invited to participate in our 2022-2023 School Advisory Council (SAC) meetings virtually via Zoom.

We discuss happenings around the SFMHS campus, as well as future exciting events we have planned for our powerful students. The remainder of this school year's meeting dates are February 6th, April 3rd, and May 1st. All meetings will begin at 6 PM.

If you have any questions or would like the Zoom link, contact Taylor Locke at TaylorSL@Leeschools.net.

Out of Field Teacher Notification

Marcie Bonilla (ESOL, Reading),
Kelsey Davidson (ESOL),
Gary Mehl (Science 5-9),
Zoe Skriven (ESOL),
Shelly Smith (ESOL),
David Thomas (ESOL),
Carlos Lopes (ESOL),
Alison Rice (ESOL).

FOCUS Parent Accounts

FOCUS parent accounts access student grades, assignments and schedules. Register for a *Focus Parent Portal* account using the appropriate link located on the main Focus login page or contact Linda Trainham Information Specialist 561-0060. To register for an account, you will need to know (and use) the active email address on file with the district, along with the Student's ID number and Date of Birth. Parents who have children enrolled in more than one school, only need to setup one account.

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ACADEMIES

Welding

On March 3rd and 4th, Mr. Greenwell's senior welding students will travel to Tulsa Welding School in Jacksonville to compete in a nationwide high school competition. In past years, South Fort Myers placed 5th and 12th out of 400+ students. They will compete in a multitude of tests including side competitions that can earn them brand new welding tools and supplies. The main competition consists of 4 procedures that the students must weld out.



In April, students of all grade levels that have completed three bend tests will have the chance to go on an overnight trip with their classmates and compete at a trade school in Bradenton. Manatee Tech College has a wide range of different trades throughout the college and incredible instructors assisting students with testing.



Construction Academy

On January 20th, DeWalt Tools hosted DeWalt Days here at SFMHS for our Construction Academy students. The students were excited to have hands-on experience using some of the many tools that DeWalt makes.

Hospitality Academy

Our Hospitality Academy instructed by Mrs. Beth Schultz chose the theme "Santa's South Pole" and decorated the Hospitality Academy during for the holiday season this year. Teachers were able to take their classes through the wonderland to see all of the decorations that the students created as well as a snack. Some her students pictured are: Alexandra Batres, Tori Hartman, Feyvleen Gilbert, Vianka Ramirez, Aubrey Evanchik, Michael Cino, Cecelia Oldfield, Nathalia Torres, Jayda Etheridge, Emily Solano, Tori Hartman, Floricely Marcos-Mateo, Cecelia Oldfield, Ilda Laorca-Raymundo, Katerine Madrid Manzanarez.

JROTC

Hello SFMHS Wolfpack Brigade and family! Since hurricane Ian, several events have been canceled or rescheduled. Fortunately, we have the Edison Lights Parade coming up in February. The Cadet Ball is rescheduled for March 11th. On February 1st our brigade will take college bound juniors on a university trip. Cadets will also have an opportunity to join us on our annual adventure camp at Camp Miles the weekend of 11 February. Finally, in April we will celebrate our year of accomplishments at our annual Academy Award Ceremony.



Thirty-Two of our SFMHS JROTC Wolfpack Brigade cadets participated in our annual JCLC Summer Camp of 2022. For anyone wondering what JCLC is, there are two camps focusing on STEM and Adventure. Each camp allows cadets from all over our district to engage and participate in leadership opportunities. Not only that, but cadets had an opportunity to enhance their team building skills and take part in many challenging events. Cadets either attended the STEM or Adventure camp and participated in activities such as studying forensics at FGCU to constructing a survival raft at Camp Tanah Keeta. In building a fun and competitive environment, JCLC became four days that our cadets will never forget.



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SFMHS Happenings...



Congratulations to Haley Lang on surpassing 1,000 points in her career on a 25 pt. performance. Haley is pictured with Basketball Coach Ryan Briddell, Coach Andy Potts, & her former Coach, Ryan Cruz. Haley has committed to Chipola College after graduation.

SFMHS Principal, Mr. Greenwell, Mrs. Lincolnhol & Ms. Richardson along with students from various Academies here at SFM, represent South at the District High School Showcase.



JROTC



AICE Program



Wolfpack Yearbook Squad



Medical Academy



BARR Program



National Honor Society



Student Government



SFMHS Tour Guides



Big shout out to Ms. Strange's Wolfpack Swim Team as they celebrate SENIOR Day with a weekend celebration.



Ms. Seluk with our Student Athletic Advisory Council Sydney Kashner



SFMHS Wolfpack Wrestling Team



Jonathan Martinez going for a WIN!



Jailyn Mayhew takes 1st Place

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Upcoming Testing Calendar

February 21-23 <i>Makeups: March 7-10</i>	FSA ELA Writing & Reading Retakes • Grade 11 & 12 students who have NOT yet met the FSA ELA requirement
March 1	SAT School Day
March 3 & 6 <i>Makeups: March 7-10</i>	Algebra 1 EOC Retakes
March 29-31 <i>Makeups: through April 5</i>	ACT School Day • All Grade 12 students who have not yet met the FSA ELA or Algebra 1 EOC requirement(s) • Nonreportable
April 4 <i>Window for Makeups: through April 14</i>	District Biology Progress Monitoring (Performance Matters)
April 6 <i>Window for Makeups: through April 14</i>	District US History Progress Monitoring (Performance Matters)
April 12	SAT School Day • All Grade 11 students • Reportable
April 24	AICE English Language - AM AICE Marine Science - PM AICE Thinking Skills - PM
April 25	AICE English General Paper- AM AICE Psychology - AM AICE Travel & Tourism - PM
April 26	AICE English Language - AM AICE Global Perspectives & Research - AM AICE Environmental Management - PM
April 27	AICE English General Paper- AM AICE Marine Science - PM AICE Spanish Language - PM AICE Spanish - PM
April 28	AICE Psychology - AM AICE Thinking Skills - PM
May 1	AICE Environmental Management - PM AP US Government Exam - 8 AM
May 2	AICE History - PM
May 3	AICE Mathematics - PM
May 4	AP Macroeconomics Exam - 8 AM AICE History - PM
May 5	AICE Mathematics - PM
May 8	AP Calculus AB Exam - 8 AM
May 16 <i>Window for Makeups: through June 2</i>	FAST ELA Progress Monitoring & District Reading Progress Monitoring (STAR) • FAST - All Grade 9 & 10 students • STAR - Grade 11 & 12 students who have NOT yet met the FSA ELA requirement • Makeup testing sessions will be offered throughout the testing window. • It's possible we will divide FAST & STAR into two days.
May 17 <i>Makeups: May 19, 22, & 23</i>	Algebra 1 & Geometry EOCs • All students enrolled in Algebra 1 and Geometry. • If enrolled in both courses, student will test Algebra 1 first and Geometry during makeup days.
May 18 <i>Makeups: May 19, 22, & 23</i>	Biology & US History EOCs • All students enrolled in Biology & US History classes. • If enrolled in both courses, student will test Biology first and US History during makeup days.
May 19	AICE Spanish Language - PM AICE Spanish - PM
May 22	AICE Spanish - PM



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**2023
Softball**
Principal: Ed Mathews
Athletic Director: Allen Woodard
Head Coach: David Phipps

Date	Time	VS	H/A
Feb 21, 2023	6:00 PM	Gateway HS	Home
Feb 23, 2023	6:00PM	Gateway Charter	
Feb 28 2023			
March 2, 2023	6:30 PM	Cape Coral	Away
March 3, 2023	6:30 PM	Cape Coral	Home
March 7, 2023	6:30 PM	Estero	Away
March 9, 2022	6:00 PM	Naples*	Home
March 14, 2022	6:30 PM	Island Coast	Home
March 17-19	TBA	Tournament x3	
March 28 2023	6:00PM	Lely	Away
March 30, 2023	6:30 PM	Gateway	Away
April 4, 2023	6:30 PM	Gateway Charter	Away
April 5, 2023	6:00 PM	East Lee	Home
April 6, 2023	6:30 PM	Dunbar	Home
April 11, 2023	6:00 PM	Oasis	Home
April 12, 2023	6:00 PM	Bonita Springs	Away
April 13, 2022	6:00 PM	Ida Baker	Home
April 18, 2022	6:30 PM		
April 20, 2023	6:30 PM	Lehigh	Away
April 25, 2022	6:30 PM	Naples*	Away
April 28, 2022	6:30 PM	Estero	Home
April , 2022	6:30 PM	Districts	
April , 2022	6:30 PM		

**2023
Baseball**
Principal: Ed Mathews
Athletic Director: Allen Woodard
Head Coach: Willie Eyrle

Date	Time	VS	H/A	JV
Feb 13th-16th, 2023	4pm/7pm	Preseason Classic	Home	NO
Feb. 20-24, 2023	4 PM/7PM	Early Bird Classic (Cape) x3	Away	Yes
Feb. 28, 2023	7 PM	Fort Myers	Away	4 PM
March 2, 2023	7 PM	Cape Coral	Away	4 PM
March 3, 2023	7 PM	Cape Coral	Home	4 PM
March 7, 2023	7 PM	Estero	Away	4 PM
March 9, 2023	7 PM	Naples	Home	4 PM
March 14, 2023	7 PM	Island Coast	Home	4 PM
March 17, 2023	7 PM	Mariner	Home	4 PM
March 21, 2023	7 PM	@ Manatee Hth School	Away	NO
March 22, 2023	7 PM	@ Sarasota High School	Away	NO
March 28, 2023	7PM	Canterbury	Away	4 PM
March 30, 2023	7 PM	Gateway HS	Away	4 PM
April 4 2023	7PM	ECS	Away	4 PM
April 5, 2023	6PM	East Lee	Home	NO
April 6, 2023	6 PM	Dunbar	Home	NO
April 11, 2023	7PM	Riverdale	Home	4 PM
April 12,2023	7PM	Bonita Springs	Away	4 PM
April 14, 2023	7 PM	Ida Baker	Home	4 PM
April 18, 2023	7 PM	North Fort Myers	Away	4 PM
April 19, 2023	3 PM	Estero	Hammond Stadium	NO
April 21 , 2023	6 PM	Oasis	Home	NO
April 25, 2023	7 PM	Cypress Lake	Away	4 PM
April 26, 2023	7PM	Lehigh Senior	Away	4 PM
May 1-4		Distrts		

**2023
Boys Tennis
Coach:**

Date	Time	Location	Opponent/Title
February 9th	3:30 PM	Away	Fort Myers
February 14th	3:30 PM	Home	Estero
February 16th	3:30 PM	Away	East Lee
February 21st	3:30 PM	Home	Dunbar
February 23rd	3:30 PM	Away	Cypress Lake
February 28th	3:30 PM	Home	Cape Coral
March 2nd	3:30 PM	Away	Bonita Springs
March 8th	4:00PM	Home	Naples
March 9th	3:30 PM	Home	Island Coast
March 14th	3:30 PM	Away	Ida Baker
March 28th	3:30 PM	Home	Gateway
March 30th	3:30 PM	Home	Lehigh
April 7th	3:30 PM	Home	Oasis
April 12-14	8AM	Three Oaks Park	Districts

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February 14th

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March 7th

FAFSA HELP (DURING SCHOOL)

April 5th

FAFSA HELP (DURING SCHOOL)

April 19th

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GRADUATION

Saturday, May 20th, 2023 at 10:00 am. Held at the Alico Arena @ FGCU.

