

Sabetha High School
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January 8, 2018, BOE Report

Congratulations to Coach Michael and Wyatt Byer for being selected to coach/play in the Shrine Bowl this summer in Pittsburg for the East Squad.

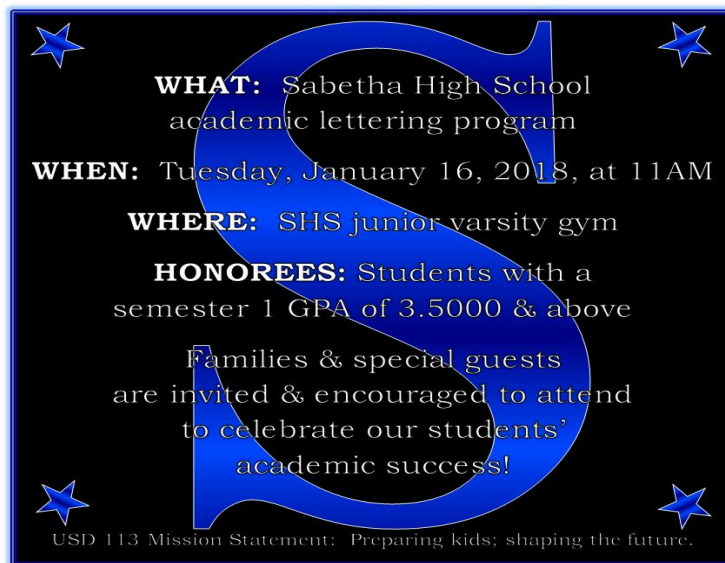
I would like to extend a special thanks to Mike Rokey for donating his time to make picture frames for our school wide expectations that are posted in the main entrance of the high school.

Semester 2 begins January 4. Students were asked to finalize schedules before the Winter Break. In addition, as part of the TASN process, we will be revisiting our school wide expectations with students on 1.4.18 and 1.5.18 during Jay Time to help kick off the new year with a fresh start.

Be Positive - Be Respectful - Be a Learner

Upcoming events:

- In-Service – January 15



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WHAT: Sabetha High School
academic lettering program

WHEN: Tuesday, January 16, 2018, at 11AM

WHERE: SHS junior varsity gym

HONOREES: Students with a
semester 1 GPA of 3.5000 & above

Families & special guests
are invited & encouraged to attend
to celebrate our students'
academic success!

USD 113 Mission Statement: Preparing kids; shaping the future.

- Academic Lettering Program - January 16 at 11:00 am in the JV Gym (see below)
- District Leadership Team - January 18
- Site Council Meeting – January 23, at 5:00 pm
- SHS Variety Show - January 27 @ 7:00 pm and January 28 @ 2:00 pm



- P/T Conferences - February 5 & 7 from 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm (SHS will be moving to student led conferences this year utilizing the information from student Individual Plans of Study - Career Cruising)

8th Grade Transition to High School

Below is communication from Mrs. Evans and Mrs Michael to help with the transition from middle school to high school:

Friday, 2.9.2018; 1:30PM-3:25PM at Sabetha Middle School

Mrs. Michael and I will be meeting with 8th grade students to go through the 2018-2019 Enrollment Handbook and to help with the creation of each student's four-year-plan. **NOTE:** The 2018-2019 Enrollment Handbook and four-year-plan sheet will be provided in hard copy to your child *and* are available online at <https://sites.google.com/a/usd113.org/school-counselor-information/2018-2019-enrollment-information> (the online documents are available yet curriculum decisions are awaiting final approval; please return to the site in mid-January for final versions of the documents). I encourage you to examine these materials carefully with your child. Both items can be a bit overwhelming to an eighth grader as they contain lots of information, but it is important to have the resources to make informed decisions. For the four-year-plan, the freshman level course requests need to be as accurate as possible; the subsequent years need to be filled out based on academic strengths and career interests with the realization that these are subject to change.

Friday, 2.23.2018; seminar at Sabetha Middle School—*follow-up*

Wednesday, 3.14.2018; 7:15AM-9AM at Sabetha High School

Parents/Guardians are encouraged to attend this event with their 8th grade child. Some *potential* items to be discussed include: Student Health Information; Technology Information; Life at Sabetha High School; Academic Information; Club/Organization Information; and much, much more! Most parent information will be presented from 7:15AM-8AM; at this time, parents/guardians are free to leave if they choose. Students will remain at SHS until 9AM.

Friday, 4.13.2018; arrive at Sabetha High School via bus or drop off no later than 7:50AM; concludes at 9AM

Students will be divided into groups to observe classes at Sabetha High School. During this time period, it is anticipated that 8th grade students will be escorted by upperclassmen to various freshman level classes.

Please mark your calendars now for these events. While the January preparations are nearing finalization, the March and April events are still “under construction”; therefore, more reminders and specific schedules will follow at a later time.

