



Superintendent's Message



The beginning of the school year is upon us once again. It seems as if it was only yesterday that I walked through the doors to begin my superintendency at Sherburne-Earlville. Finally, the big yellow school buses have arrived, along with the sounds of children in the halls and the hustle and bustle of the first few weeks of school. We have found our rhythm and a renewed sense of purpose. With this new school year, the District is experiencing some change in administration, as well as a large group of new teaching staff. We all anticipate a great school year filled with successes and challenges. It is a time of great optimism and promise as the school year stretches before us.

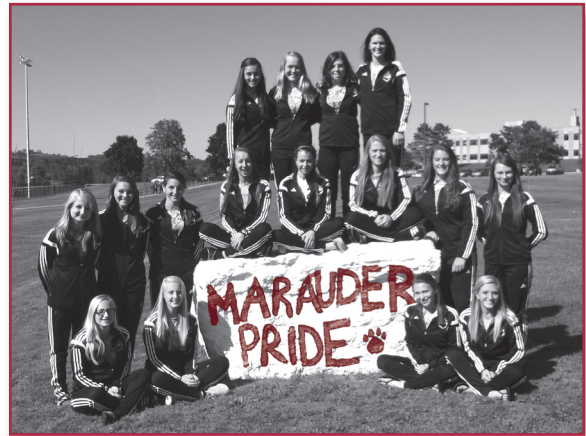
As we continue to strive to meet the new Common Core State Standards, the District has chosen literacy as our primary focus. With common K-12 district goals, we plan to create a solid foundation of literacy skills and a culture that embraces and nurtures the importance of helping each student to attain the necessary skills to be successful in the 21st Century. This is not an easy undertaking, but I ensure you that our Sherburne-Earlville family is up for the challenge.

When we speak of college- and career-ready, we must not let the political verbiage puncture the mission: it is one child at a time; it is about the quality of the relationships with caring adults; it is about affirmation and challenge; it is about building resilience. As it is often said, "It takes a village to raise a child." Everyone in our community plays a vital role in the development of children from the moment they step on the bus to the moment they safely arrive home. By all of us working together, we can surely make a difference in the most valuable resource we have . . . our children.

I look forward to a year filled with building relationships with you, your children and my staff.

— Eric A. Schnabl, Superintendent

Marauder Pride



The Girls' Varsity Soccer Team is pictured showing their MARAUDER PRIDE around *The Rock*. Be on the look out for *The Rock* to change throughout the year depending on the events happening at our school!

Thank You!

Last year the Elementary School earned over \$4,000 dollars collecting General Mills Box Tops! Wow! Please keep clipping them and sending them to the Elementary School. Let's see if we can top \$5,000 dollars this year!

— Nancy Roth



HS Principal's Message

Welcome to the 2014-15 school year! If you stop into the High School this year, you are going to see our **SEHS** focus. I have challenged each and every student to do the following this year.

Strive for excellence.

I challenge all students to strive to be the very best they can be. Excellence can be defined in many ways. **Every single student should strive for his/her personal best.** Students need to set goals for themselves and then work to achieve them, whether those goals are a certain grade point average, passing a class, or turning in homework every night. There is a famous quote that says, "Shoot for the moon; even if you miss, you will land among the stars." Everyone should make progress, move forward and be proud of his/her accomplishments.

Sherburne-Earlville Central School

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Expect the best.

I challenge all students to have a positive mindset and expect nothing but the best. Expect that your relationships with peers and teachers will be positive and beneficial. Expect others to be at their personal best, both in and out of the classrooms. Do not let negativity bring you down; instead try to lift each other up. Let us ensure that **SEHS** is a positive place for everyone. Come to school expecting to have a great day every day.

Have confidence in yourself.

I challenge all students to be self-confident. Being a teenager can be tough as you try to find your path in this world, but never doubt that you are a unique and wonderful person. If you want to join a new club, try a different class, or try out for the musical—do it! People rarely regret what they did in life, only what they did not do.

Succeed through hard work.

I challenge all students to try their best to be successful. Effort can be the difference between passing or failing, making the honor roll or falling short, and winning or losing a game. Regardless of how you define success, aim to achieve at your top level. A good work ethic will help you not only as a student, but in *the real world* after high school. Develop good habits now and you will reap the benefits in the future.

As a community of parents, teachers, staff and administration, we can help our students accomplish these four challenges. I look forward to working cooperatively with all stakeholders to ensure the success of **SEHS** students for many years to come. Please do not hesitate to contact me personally with any concerns or questions.

Sincerely,
Ms. Julie Thompson
High School Principal

Strive for excellence.

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Have confidence in yourself.

Succeed through hard work.

Library Etiquette

In the Elementary Library we circulate hundreds of books each school day. We issue books to students for two weeks and expect that students who want to keep books longer than two weeks will renew them. We do not use date due cards or stamps, so we rely on students to remember when they took out their books. We can quickly and easily show students how many books they have out at any time and if any one of their books is overdue by using the computers at the circulation desk. Each week we place overdue notices in teachers' mailboxes for distribution to students, and we hope that they are taken home and shown to parents. Parents can also call us at 674-7346 to find out how many books their children have taken out of the library and if any one of the books is overdue. We can even email you overdue notices, if you provide us with your email address.

Every day in school our students practice being safe, being respectful and being responsible. Students can practice being respectful and responsible in the library setting in several ways, by treating each other and adults in a proper manner, by not messing the shelves up when looking for books to take out, by not taking out more books than they can keep track of, by returning books promptly so that others may use them, by making sure that books taken home are not damaged by pets or siblings (especially toddlers!), by turning pages properly (yes, there is a proper way to do it!), and, in general by, treating books as the precious objects that they are.

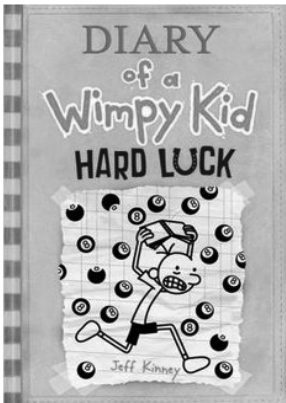
We pay considerable sums of money for our books; the color illustrations in many children's books make them particularly expensive. We usually purchase books with special hardcover

library-reinforced bindings, which we hope will withstand the wear and tear they will experience in a children's library. We work hard to convey to students the difference between borrowing a book from a school or public library and buying a book in a bookstore. If your children bring library books home, you can help us out by ensuring that the books are cared for in your house and are returned in a timely manner.

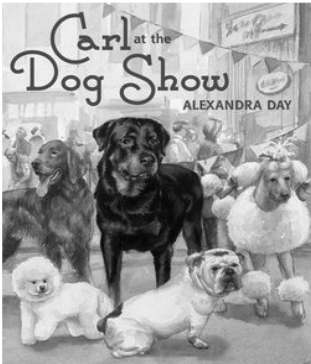
Some phrases from a typical overdue notice

- Please take this list home and ask for help finding the book(s)!
- Remember, until you find that overdue book and return it, no one else can read it!
- Be responsible with library materials!
- Renew books you want to keep longer than two weeks.
- Return books as soon as you are done reading them.
- Remember, borrowing books is not the same as owning them!

— Ted Pfohl



Hard Luck
Kinney, Jeff
Price: \$16.29
Series: Diary Of A Wimpy Kid Vol. 8
To purchase this item, you must first create or open a list.
Annotation: After being dumped by his best friend and having a hard time finding new friends in middle school, Greg decides to change his luck and turn all his decisions over to chance.
Catalog Number: #75727
Binding Type: Perma-Bound (from Original Hardback)



Carl At The Dog Show
Day, Alexandra
Price: \$17.36
Series: Carl
To purchase this item, you must first create or open a list.
Annotation: Carl explores the dog show in which his brother Gamble competes, in a mostly wordless format.
Catalog Number: #57881
Binding Type: Perma-Bound (from Original Hardback)

Examples of books offered at the Elementary Library—not only are they expensive and should be taken care of, but there is also a wide selection for students to choose from.

Area All-State



Each year, HS Chorus students prepare solos for the NYSSMA (New York State School Music) Festival and are evaluated by NYSSMA judges. Their scores are then submitted to Area All-State Committees and those with high achievement scores are selected to perform in an Area All-State Performing Group. Four talented Sherburne-Earlville music students were selected for this honor: **Rachel Taylor, Alissa Van Steinburg, Marie Moren and Vinny Taylor.** They will join dozens of other accomplished musicians from the Central New York region for two days of rehearsals on November 21 and 22, culminating with a concert performance at SUNY Oneonta on November 22, at 3:00 p.m. Congratulations to our talented vocalists!

Congratulations

to our amazing students!

And the Winners are . . .

Last spring, student work was entered in the Desktop Publishing Category for the 37th Annual DCMO BOCES Media Festival. Students in the 7th grade Computer Class created magazine covers in Microsoft Word by choosing their own topic and relevant stories and making all text and graphic layout decisions following classroom instruction. There were five students who received recognition for their work in Entry Level 3 for Desktop Publishing. **Sergio Rapp** and **Trace Pierce** received participation awards. **Dalton Yerton** and **Patric Harter** tied for 3rd place. **Curtis Howard** placed 1st in this category and also received a Best of Show plaque for his magazine cover titled, *Guitar Weekly*. Out of 212 total entries, that is pretty impressive. Way to go, Curtis!

— Suzanne Winton



The students pictured are now 8th graders, (l.-r.): Dalton Yerton, Curtis Howard, Patric Harter, Trace Pierce and Sergio Rapp

Pinwheels for Peace



The Elementary School participated in Pinwheels for Peace, an international event celebrated by school children all over the world in celebration of peace.

Students made pinwheels in Ms. Titus' and Ms. Roepnack's

art classes. The colorful artwork created a beautiful display to brighten the foggy morning! The children sang a song and concluded the event by placing their pinwheels around the school flag pole. The original project was started by two art teachers in Florida. As of last year, 4.5 million pinwheels were spinning in thousands of locations such as the United States, Europe, Asia, Australia, Canada, the Middle East, Africa and South America (pinwheelsforpeace.com).



Student Art Award Winners

Sherburne-Earlville was well represented this year at the Chenango County Fair as well as Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival.

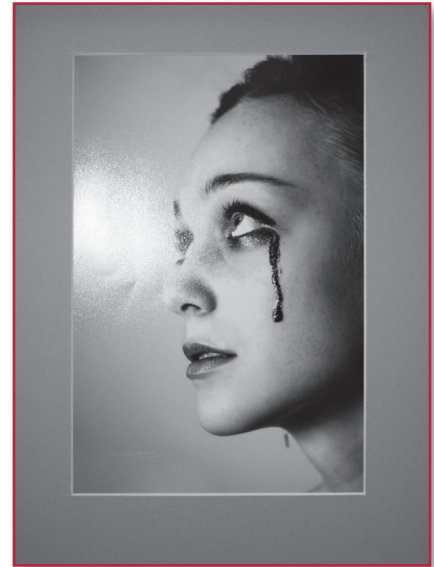
Chenango County Fair

Local youth, grades K-12, had the opportunity to display their art creations for the community during the Chenango County Fair, which occurs each summer in early August. Categories for this year's contest included drawing, painting, graphics/computer art, pottery and sculpture, mixed media and crafts. This year's contest was separated into four grade divisions: beginner (grades K-3); intermediate (grades 4-6); junior high art (grades 7-9); and senior high art (grades 10-12). All work needed to be original to the creator and been produced in the last year. A best in show award was also presented. This juried art show provides an opportunity for youth to get their artwork displayed in a public venue. This year's show was one of the largest in recent

history. Sherburne-Earlville has participated since 1985.

Chenango County Fair Award Winners—10-12 Division

- Elise Neumann**—Best of Show,
1st place painting
and 1st place drawing
Hannah Westbrook—
1st place graphics
Madeline Dubois—
1st place mixed media
Marissa Doing—
1st place sculpture
Elise Neumann—
2nd place painting
Coleen Bradley—
2nd place graphics
**Madeline DuBois, Madelyn
Fetzko and Eleni Brantley**—
2nd place sculpture
Matte'a Gully—
3rd place painting
Janelle Ayers—
3rd place sculpture
Erin Lawrence—
3rd place photography



Hanna Westbrook, "Goodbye"

7-9 Division

- Elizabeth Bachman**—
1st place painting
and 1st place sculpture
Josh Kwasnik—
2nd place painting
Carley Britton—
2nd place sculpture

4-6 Division

- Zakari Goerndt**—
2nd place painting
Katrina Jackson—
3rd place painting

Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival

Colorscape is a outdoor juried exhibition of fine arts and crafts, as well as a student art competition. Colorscape has been held the 1st weekend after Labor Day for the past 20 years in downtown Norwich. This year the student art show was moved to The Artist Palette. Organizers of this event are dedicated to providing a show of the highest quality in an interactive atmosphere featuring demonstrations, educational activities,



Lilly Berg, "By the Light of the Moon"

live entertainment and creative food vending. Colorscape attracts an estimated 14-16,000 visitors each year. Sherburne-Earlville has participated since the festival's inception.

**Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival
Award Winners—High School**

Madelyn Fetzko—Best of Show:
graphite drawing self-portrait

Lilly Berg—1st place: tempera
painting, *By the Light of the Moon*

Elizabeth Bachman—2nd place:
acrylic painting, *Tiger*

Lukas Fetzko—4th place:
watercolor painting,
Still Life with Bottles



Elise Neumann—1st place:
pen and ink drawing,
Midnight Encounter

Madeline DuBois—3rd place:
pen and ink drawing, *22 Past Two*

Sabrina Bard—4th place:
graphite drawing *Summer 2013*

**Madelyn Fetzko, Eleni Brantley
and Madeline DuBois**—1st
place: Vans shoe design,
Evolution of Art

Elizabeth Bachman—2nd place:
paper mache, *Octopus*

Alexis Roalef—3rd place:
paper mache, *Fox*

Marissa Doing—4th place:
Classical Music Shoe

Colleen Bradley—3rd place:
black and white
photography, *The News*

Shayla Sullivan—4th place:
blue toned, black and white
photography, *Dreamer*

Middle School

Joshua Kwasnik—4th place:
watercolor painting, *The Cheetah*

Honorable Mention

**Paige Scott, Madeline DuBois,
Elise Neumann, Molly Bachman,
Matte'a Gully, Marissa Geier,
Marissa Doing,
Hannah Westbrook
and Elizabeth Bachman**

The student's art is presently
on display in the Barbara Rabig
Gallery, located in the Middle
School/High School Auditorium
entrance.



Paper Mache



Shayla Sullivan, "Dreamer"



Zakari Goendt

Yearbook News



The yearbook staff is already hard at work creating the 2015 edition of the *Archivon*. Five staff members took time out of their busy summer schedules to attend a four-day yearbook workshop at Gettysburg College: **Laura Alishauskas, Olivia Clark, Colleen Eggers, Molly Karaman** and **Shanae Wright**. The ladies won one of the coveted Excellence in Theme awards. Congratulations!

Dates to Keep in Mind

- We will start taking yearbook orders in October (dates to be announced). HS books are \$55 (MS \$25) until December 19 (December 31 if you are ordering by mail) and \$60 (MS \$30) beginning January 1. Orders will be taken until January 31. Only students who order a book will be guaranteed one. There will be some extra available in June, and will be offered to seniors first.
- Senior options: Seniors may order a name stamp (\$7) or a name plate (\$5) for their books. They may also order a supplement (\$5), which will include activities and events that occur between March and June. Stamp and plate orders are due no later than January 31.
- **Retake day** for student photos is scheduled for **October 28**. The photographer will be here until 2:45 p.m. All students must be photographed. You do not have to order a package to have your picture taken. Students should report to the auditorium during a free mod or during lunch.
- **Senior pictures** and **baby pictures** must be submitted by **November 3** to be included in the senior section. Senior pictures must be head and shoulder shots, or be able to be cropped to head and shoulders—no hands showing and no hats or props. Photos other than these will not be included in the senior section.

- **Club and Activity pictures** are scheduled for **January 13 and 14**.
- **Senior ads** are due no later than **January 31**.

In the event that you would like to order a yearbook by mail, please use the forms in this newsletter to do so. Mail the completed slip, along with a check or money order. Holiday gift certificate forms are being mailed out in the first report card mailing or you can download one from the website (www.secsd.org—click on High School or Middle School, then click on Yearbook).

If you would like to pay with a credit card (HS books only), go to <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com>. Our yearbook ID code is 10700715.

Finally, if you own a business and would like to support the *S-E Archivon* by purchasing an ad, please contact Joanne Blenis at 674-8424, or email yearbook@secsd.org.

Many Thanks Hamilton Lions!

Once again, the Hamilton Lions have most generously donated many items to help out our children! We received backpacks to support the Backpack Program and to help those who could not buy one. We were able to help the nurses out with socks and underpants for the occasional accident. And we were given supplies to help fill the Literacy Bags that are given to all of the incoming kindergarten families at Kindergarten orientation!

What a wonderful service they have provided to us! We are so very grateful for the Hamilton Lions' generosity! Thank you!

High School Yearbook Order

Check here if you are ordering as a gift and would like a gift certificate.

Name of high school student: _____ grade _____

Your name, mailing address, and phone number:

Mail this slip & payment to:
S-E Yearbook • 13 School St. • Sherburne, NY 13460

NOTE Please note: the price of the book increases to \$60 January 1st and **NO** orders will be accepted after January 31st. Orders received by mail after Jan. 31 will be returned.

Your order:
____ book (\$55 thru 12/31)
____ *senior stamp (\$7) or plate (\$5)
____ senior supplement (\$5)
____ total enclosed

**If ordering a stamp or plate for a senior, print name as you would like it to appear.*

Middle School Yearbook Order

Check here if you are ordering as a gift and would like a gift certificate.

Name of middle school student: _____

Your name, address, and phone number:

Your order:
____ book (\$25 thru 12/31)
____ total enclosed

Mail this slip & payment to:
S-E Yearbook
13 School St.
Sherburne, NY 13460

NOTE Please note: the price of the book increases to \$30 January 1st and **NO** orders will be accepted after January 31st. Orders received by mail after Jan. 31 will be returned.

18 Years?

SETA's Annual Holiday Book Give-Away

Just a reminder that the Sherburne-Earlville Teachers' Association will be sponsoring the 18th Annual Holiday Book Give-Away on Saturday, December 6, following the Holiday Parade. The Book Give-Away will be held at the Sherburne Firehouse from 1:30-2:30 p.m. where students can select books for family members and enjoy Christmas cookies. Gift-wrapping for your selections will be available.

Currently, donations of new or gently used books are being accepted at the Elementary School. Once again, we thank you for your continued support.

—Liz Swistak



Healthy Eating



HEALTHY HABITS FOR HEALTHY COMMUNITIES

One in three children in the U.S. is overweight or obese. Childhood obesity puts kids at risk for health problems that were once seen only in adults, like type 2 diabetes, high blood pressure and heart disease.

The good news is that childhood obesity can be prevented. Encourage your family to make healthy changes together.

- Make healthy meals and eat at least five fruits and vegetables per day.
 - Stop by your local Farmers Market or farm stand and try some locally grown produce.
 - Try the three bite rule. Offer new fruits and veggies different ways and try at least three bites each time—it can take 7-10 tries before you like a new food.
 - Add some veggies to foods you already make like pasta, soups, casseroles, pizza or rice.
 - Don't overcook vegetables. Most people prefer crunchy foods over mushy ones. Enjoy them fresh or lightly steamed.
 - Kids love to dip cut up fruits and veggies and dip in low-fat salad dressing with yogurt or peanut butter.
- A diet rich in fruits and vegetables provides vitamins and minerals important for supporting growth and development and for optimal immune function.

**Be a Role Mode—
Snack on Fruits and Veggies!**

Enterovirus D68 (EV-D68)

Information for Parents and Guardians

Recent news reports have shared that a virus called Enterovirus D68 (EV D68), has been found in school-aged children in many states. It is now in New York. This is not a new virus and not all people who get this virus will get really sick. There is no treatment for illness caused by EV-D68. The virus can be found in saliva and nasal mucus.

It spreads from person to person through coughing, sneezing, or touching surfaces.

Mild symptoms may include fever, runny nose, sneezing, cough, body and muscle aches. Most of the children who were very ill with EV-D68 infection had trouble breathing and some had wheezing. Many of these children had a history of breathing problems due to asthma or cystic fibrosis.

If your child develops a fever, runny nose, sneezing, cough, body and muscle aches, please do not send your child to school until he/she does not have a fever, is not taking any medicines to reduce the fever and is well enough to stay in class all day and learn. Until then, please allow your child to rest and get better at home. If your child is not having serious breathing problems, you can use over-the-counter medications for pain and fever. Aspirin should not be given to children. If your child is having breathing problems you should contact your doctor or health care provider immediately.

To help protect your child please remind them to do the following:

- Wash their hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds
- Avoid touching their eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands
- Avoid kissing, hugging, and sharing cups or eating utensils with people who are sick
- Cover their nose and mouth when coughing or sneezing—using a tissue if possible

Hand washing with soap and water is the best method for cleaning hands. If soap and water are not available, alcohol based hand sanitizers (concentration 60% or greater) may be used. We recommend you supervise your child when using hand sanitizer. Some students are sensitive to hand sanitizer products and if this occurs please notify the school. District staff is reminding students to cover their mouths when coughing and sneezing, throw their tissue in a trash can, wash their hands, and not share any personal items. Areas that students touch frequently will be given additional attention. Thank you for your cooperation.

Please call the health office with any questions/concerns.

- Elementary Health Office, Peg Jessup, School Nurse, 674-7389
- MS/HS Health Office, Kathy Steward, School Nurse, 674-7314

Potential Pesticide Application Notice and Registration for Pesticide Application Notice

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District is required by the Neighbor Notification Law, Laws of New York, 2000, Chapter 285, section 409-h to advise stakeholders of the following points: Pesticide products may be used periodically throughout the school year; name of school representative(s) to contact for further information (see below); and, that "Schools are required to maintain a list of staff and persons in a parental relation who wish to receive forty-eight hour prior written notification of pesticide applications at relevant facilities." To register, and be on the Sherburne-Earlville Central School District list, please fill out the information below, and return to the Principal's office. **Please note that this form is not required to be returned if you do not wish to be placed on the register.** For any additional information regarding registration, please contact Frederick Wright, Head Custodian at 607-674-7329. Only one application form per family is necessary.

I, _____ (staff member, parent or guardian)
(Name) (Circle one)

wish to be notified in writing, as put forth in section 409-h of the Education Law, 48 hours prior to any pesticide application. In the event an emergency application is necessary to protect against an imminent threat to human health, a good faith effort will be made to supply written notification to those on the 48 hour prior notification list. The following pesticide applications are not subject to prior notification requirements:

- A school remains unoccupied for a continuous 72 hours following an application;
- Anti-microbial products;
- Nonvolatile rodenticides in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Nonvolatile insecticidal baits in tamper resistant bait stations in areas inaccessible to children;
- Boric acid and disodium octoborate tetrahydrate;
- The application of EPA designated biopesticides;
- The application of EPA designated exempt materials under 40CFR1 52.25; and
- The use of aerosol products with a directed spray in containers of 18 fluid ounces or less when used to protect individuals from an imminent threat from stinging and biting insects including venomous spiders, bees, wasps and hornets.

Home Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email and/or fax: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

Date Sent to Maint. Dept. (Attn. Frederick Wright): _____

Date Received by Maintenance Department: _____

"Did You Wash Your Hands?"

How many times did you hear that today? Probably a lot. But why are adults so hung up on hand washing? Why are they so in love with lather?

Washing your hands is the best way to stop germs from spreading. Think about all of the things that you touched today—from the telephone to the toilet. Maybe you blew your nose in a tissue and then went outside to dig around the dirt.

Be honest: Do you always wash your hands after using the bathroom?

Whatever you did today, you came into contact with germs. It is easy for a germ on your hand to end up in your mouth. Think about how many foods you eat with your hands.

You cannot wear rubber gloves all day long, but you can wash your hands so those germs do not get a chance to make you or someone else sick.

So when are the best times to wash your hands?

- When your hands are dirty
- Before eating or touching food (like if you're helping cook or Bake, for example)
- After using the bathroom
- After blowing your nose or coughing
- After touching pets or other animals
- After playing outside
- Before and after visiting a sick relative or friend

Now you have the **when** and the **why** of hand washing. But did you know that a lot of people do not know how to get their paws perfectly clean?

The next time you are told to step up to the sink and scrub up, remember these handy hints:

- Use warm water (not cold or hot) when you wash your hands.
- Use whatever soap you like. Some soaps come in cool shapes and colors or smell nice, but whatever kind gets you scrubbing is the kind you should use. Antibacterial soaps are OK to use, but regular soap works fine.
- Work up some lather on both sides of your hands, your wrists, and between your fingers. Do not forget to wash around your nails. This is one place germs like to hide. Wash for about 10-15 seconds—about how long it takes to sing *Happy Birthday*. (Sing it quickly two times or just once if you go nice and slow.)
- Rinse and dry well with a clean towel.

Reviewed by: Rupal Christine Gupta, MD Date reviewed: August 2014

Claudia's Closet

On March 30, 2003, our Elementary School Nurse Claudia Bigelow was killed in a tragic automobile accident. In her memory a fund called *Claudia's Closet* was established.

The purpose of this fund is to provide the children in the Sherburne-Earlville School District with items of clothing in an emergency or *need* situation.

You can help by making donations of new items of clothing or by writing a check.

Checks may be sent to:

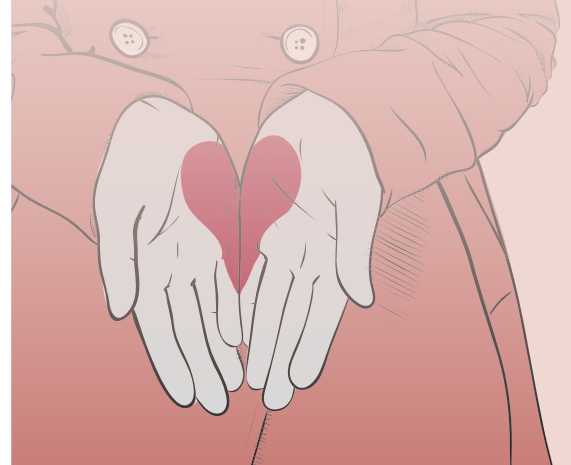
Sherburne-Earlville CSD
c/o Arlene Wade
15 School Street
Sherburne, NY 13460

Checks should be made payable to *Sherburne-Earlville Central School* with *Claudia's Closet* in the memo.

We would like to thank everyone who has donated to Claudia's Closet this year, either through gently used donations or financially.

Currently, we have several community organizations helping to stock our winter supply and we welcome more support. Our S-E family is very appreciative of your support.

Sincerely,
Claudia's Closet Committee
*Amanda Collins, Jacque Buddenhagen
and Teri Currie*





Wall of Fame

Nomination Form

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School Wall of Fame is designed to honor the many S-E graduates and staff members who have made significant contributions to humanity, improved the quality of life, or achieved noteworthy recognition in their career or education.

The District's selection committee invites nominations for future honorees from all members of the Sherburne-Earlville community.

Nominees should meet the following criteria:

- Nominees need not currently reside in the District, but they must be:
 - Graduates of Sherburne-Earlville (or its predecessors) from the class of 2007 or earlier **OR**
 - School personnel who served the district for at least five years.
- Nominees may be deceased.
- Individuals may not nominate themselves.
- A limited number of nominees will be honored each year. If a nominee is not chosen in a given year, he or she will be re-considered in subsequent years. The selection committee and the S-E administration reserve the right to decide which nominees will be honored.

Before discussing the nominee, please give us information about yourself:

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone Number: _____

Your Email Address: _____

Date: _____

Nominee Information:

Name of Nominee: _____

Nominee Address: _____

Nominee Phone Number: _____

Nominee Email: _____

Year of Graduation (if S-E alumnae): _____

Dates of Employment in District (if staff member): _____

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Notification Regarding Use of Student Directory Information

Student directory information includes: name, address, photographs, telephone listing, date, grade, place of birth, major field of study, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height (if members of athletic teams) and degrees and awards received.

For purposes of press releases/public relations, only name, photograph, grade, major field of study, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height (if members of athletic teams), and degrees and awards received will be released in our local newspapers.

Sherburne-Earlville Central School will use student directory information in its **yearbooks**, on **school bulletin boards**, **internet web pages**, **educational channel**, **school newspapers**, **school newsletters**

and **media outlets (newspaper, radio, TV stations)**. Captions accompanying photographs on Internet web pages will not identify students by name.

As a parent, legal guardian, or student over the age of 18, you have the right to refuse the release of student directory information, otherwise known as *opting out*.

Disclosure of student information to the military is also an area where you may opt out. (name, address, and telephone number)

If you choose to *opt out*, please sign where indicated below and return this form to the attention of the *School Superintendent, Sherburne-Earlville Central School, 15 School Street, Sherburne, NY 13460*. If you consent to allow this information to be used, you do not need to return this form or take any further action.

Student Directory Information Opt-Out

We/I request that student directory information:

(Check all that apply.)

- Not be used in any publication or media as defined above.
- Will be released for the current year Sherburne-Earlville yearbook ONLY.
- Not be disclosed to the military.

Children's Names

Grade

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Signature

Date

Please return this form to the School Superintendent only if you wish to *opt out*. If you *opted out* last year, you do not need to reapply to *opt out* for the current year.

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Current Resident or

**ECRWSS
 Postal Customer**

Sherburne-Earlville Communications

To help parents and community members know the best way to communicate with the school, we have created a chain of command guideline that should be a helpful resource. By contacting the following people in the order listed, your questions and concerns can be dealt with more efficiently.

For Questions About	1st Contact	2nd Contact	3rd Contact	4th Contact
Academics	Teacher	School Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
Athletics	Coach	Athletic Director	Superintendent	
Behavior	Teacher	Asst. Principal	Building Principal	Superintendent
BOE Policies	District Clerk	Superintendent	Board of Education	
Budget	Asst. Supt.	Superintendent		
Building Use	Head Custodian	Building Principal	Asst. Superintendent	Superintendent
Cafeteria	Cafeteria Mgr.	Asst. Superintendent	Superintendent	
Classroom Procedures	Teacher	Building Principal	Superintendent	
Co-Curricular	Advisor	Building Principal	Superintendent	
Facilities	Head Custodian	Asst. Superintendent	Superintendent	
Health Office	Bldg. Nurse	Building Principal	Superintendent	
Scheduling	Teacher	School Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
Special Education	Teacher	Building Principal	CSE Chairperson	Superintendent
Transportation	Bus Driver	Trans. Supervisor	Building Principal	Superintendent

Important Phone Numbers

Superintendent	674-7343	MS Office.....	674-7350
Assistant Superintendent	674-7365	MS Principal	674-7350
District Clerk	674-7330	MS Asst. Principal.....	674-7350
Head Custodian.....	674-7329	MS/HS Nurse.....	674-7314
Transportation Supervisor	674-7353	MS/HS Attendance	674-7325
Food Service Director	674-7323	Elementary Office	674-7336
Athletic Office	674-7375	Elementary Principal	674-7336
HS Office.....	674-7380	Elementary Asst. Principal.....	674-7336
HS Principal.....	674-7380	Elementary Nurse	674-7389
HS Asst. Principal	674-7380	Special Education Director	674-7347
Special Education Office.....	674-7347		