



SECSd WELCOMES NEW STUDENT RESOURCE OFFICER



Don't let the uniform fool you. Sergeant Ted Ellingsen is more than just an officer in the Sherburne-Earlville Central School District.

"My primary job is the physical safety of the kids at the school," Ellingsen said during his second week as S-E's School Resource Officer in early December. "It's not just being a cop in the school for security, though. It's also to work as a mentor, a role model and a counselor. I want kids in school to look beyond the badge and to come talk to me about anything."

Ellingsen brings plenty of experience to the position, which requires regular foot patrols of district grounds and daily interactions with students and staff members alike when school is in session. The 1987 South New Berlin graduate and former three-sport athlete (baseball, basketball and football) recently completed his 20th year of service with the Chenango County

Sheriffs Office and jumped at the opportunity to start his retirement as part of the SECSd community.

"When I hit 20 years in May this past year, Sheriff (Ernest) Cutting approached me and asked if I wanted to become the full-time School Resource Officer at Sherburne-Earlville," said Ellingsen, who also has a military background that includes a tour in Afghanistan. "Sheriff Cutting wants to put a police officer in every school district in Chenango County, which I think is an absolutely phenomenal idea."

SECSd Superintendent Eric Schnabl said Ellingsen is the perfect fit for a district recognized on the School Administrators Association of New York State's short list of Culturally Responsible Schools this past summer.

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Superintendent's Message

Let's focus on literacy, relationships in 2019



With the new year upon us, we tend to take time to reflect upon the past year's accomplishments and formulate resolutions to become the best versions of ourselves. Many of our resolutions may focus on diet/exercise or taking other measures to improve our general wellness and happiness. If you would allow me, please consider my suggestion to focus on literacy and relationships for the new year.

Research clearly shows a direct correlation between academic success and a student's ability to read on grade level by third grade. Students who are not reading at grade level by that time tend to struggle academically thereafter and are at a higher risk to potentially drop out in high school. It is also noted that a child who has had a thousand books read to them before they start school will have a tremendous academic advantage over peers who have not been exposed to ongoing reading. A thousand books sounds like a lot, but this is easily accomplished with one book before bedtime each night leading up to the first day of kindergarten. One's ability to read at and above grade level will, and always has been, the best indicator of academic success and a solid foundation for success as an adult.

Social media has taken our society by storm. It seems as if everyone is linked to at least one social media account these days, including the Sherburne-Earlville Central School District. We have found sharing information on our social media pages to be very effi-

cient, instantly reaching thousands of Facebook and Twitter users on a regular basis. Of course, part of the reason this is such an effective way to communicate is because many of us—including our children—are *plugged in* all the time.

If you would allow me to make another suggestion for a New Year's resolution, please consider replacing some screen time with face-to-face time. Encourage your children to become more active in social activities such as clubs, athletics, music, etc. Replace some social media time with actual social time. Play board games. Play outside. Engage with your children through conversation.

Social activities and face-to-face interactions help develop the cognitive, physical and social skills that social media cannot. Let us resolve to use social media for positive means. Let us also resolve to not allow social media to replace extra-curricular activities that help kids develop skills to become the best versions of themselves. It is the relationships we forge today that will create stronger family and community ties tomorrow.

The start of the school year has brought many great things to our Sherburne-Earlville school community, such as one-to-one devices for all students, the new Agricultural Science program with the rebirth of the FFA and renovations to our buildings. I am excited for the start of 2019 and look forward to many new accomplishments and successes. Here's to a happy and prosperous new year for everyone!

—Eric Schnabl, School Superintendent
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School Resource Officer Welcomed (continued from front page)

"He's definitely a man of action," Schnabl said of Ellingsen, a firearms instructor who still teaches a basic firearms safety course in his spare time. "He's developing relationships and reaching out to kids, and I like the guy. He has a good head on his shoulders."

The feeling is mutual.

"The administration has been great and the teachers I've met, they're all very interactive with the kids," Ellingsen said. "They're interested in what the kids do, and not just how they do in school, but their mental health as well. They're very engaging with the kids. I think the staff members here have a very good feel as to what the kids are doing, and the kids are very receptive."

Ellingsen already has worked in a classroom setting, making a guest appearance during one of Jonathan Sherry's Civics classes in late November. His ability to share real-life experiences helped students gain a new perspective during their unit on understanding violence in America.

"I still think I'm doing very valuable police work and I still feel like I'm making a difference, but in a different way now," he said. "It's important to the Sheriff and to the Undersheriff (Daniel Frair) that I'm doing this, but it's important to me, too. I want to help out whatever way I can."



Board of Education Meetings

All Board of Education meetings are held in the Elementary Library Classroom at 6:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted.

Remaining Meetings

- January 28
- February 11
- March 4
- March 18
- April 1
- April 24 (Wednesday): Special VOTE Meeting-vote on BOCES admin, budget, Board Members and Board Meeting
- May 13: Board Meeting and Budget Hearing
- May 21 (Tuesday): Vote on Budget (no board meeting)
- June 3
- June 17



Holiday

☆ October 31: A look back at Halloween



Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School celebrated the spooky season with its annual Halloween Parade on a beautiful, sunny afternoon Wednesday, October 31. The "Boo Band" led our little marchers around the loop before students headed back inside for treats.

A few days earlier, S-E Middle School students got into the spirit by dressing up for their annual Halloween Dance in the gymnasium.

Thanks to everybody who helped turn these special days into fun-filled memories for our kids!

☆ December 13: The art of family fun



The Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School Art Department hosted a family fun night December 13.

Second-grade students were invited to decorate clay ornaments for the holiday season with their families. Students used a variety of shimmering paints and embellishments to personalize their ornaments and make them extra special, like the one **Alexis Davis** is holding in the picture.

—Mrs. Greer & Mrs. Addison, Art Teachers

☆ November 9: A day to honor our veterans



The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District hosted a Veterans Day Celebration in the MS/HS Auditorium on Friday, November 9, to thank the brave men and women of America. The event included a band performance and honored guests.

Thanks to Staff Sergeant Wasielewski for taking the time to speak to students in Jonathan Sherry's Economics class and an extra-special thank you to all of our veterans for their dedicated service to our country.



Journal

☆ December 14: True holiday spirit!

Thanks to everyone who helped make Sherburne-Earlville Central School District's annual Holiday Bazaar a huge success in mid-December!

Former Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School secretary Maggie Fitzpatrick and her crew of fellow retired staffers and volunteers accept donations all year long to give students a chance to shop for their families during the holidays.

New and gently-used items are stored on campus until the days leading up to the Holiday Bazaar. These donations are then organized by table according to family member (i.e. mom, dad, brother, sister, etc.) and sold for 50¢ each. Proceeds are deposited into an account that feeds back into the program.

"This started a million years ago with a group of parents," Maggie said Friday, December 14, in a room buzzing with holiday shopping excitement. "Donations come from community and staff members because everyone knows this is a special day for our students."

SEES accepts Holiday Bazaar items and monetary donations throughout the year. For more information on how you can help, call the main office at (607) 674-7336.



☆ December 21: 2018 ends with a fun-filled day

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District celebrated the last day of school in 2018 in style on Friday, December 21, from the annual Elementary School Sing-Along to a UPK performance to a Pep Rally in the HS gymnasium.

The school-wide Sing-Along featured holiday songs, band performances and a staff version of Family Feud. At the same time, our UPK students performed for parents at the Elementary School and competition was the name of the game during a Pep Rally in the HS gymnasium. Students wrapped staff members in toilet paper, engaged in hula-hoop relay races and played a basketball game of knock-out before the final bell of 2018 sent kids on their merry way.

Thanks for a great 2018 and best wishes for a new year filled with fun and learning!



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. Supt.	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	Building 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 Contact Numbers

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

AG Club

Thanks for helping us grow!

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District would like to acknowledge the contributions of senior Nathan Mizrahi to the district's ever-growing Agriculture program. SECS District Superintendent Eric Schnabl said Nathan was instrumental in helping to resurrect the Agriculture Club with classmates Daniel Misch and Edward Geier. The Ag Club, which officially started back up four years ago, served as the foundation for the Chobani Greenhouse for Sherburne-Earlville, an Agriculture Science Program and an official charter from the National Future Farmers of America Organization.



Busy Friday

We have a lot to learn and share

Friday, December 7, was a super-busy day at the SECS!



- David Krivit's sixth-grade English class welcomed American poet Rachel Guido deVries. The professional writer has visited SECS English classes for years to introduce students to poetry and help develop their skills. Rachel, who has eight published books, returned the following week to work with Melissa Krivit's seventh-graders.

- Karen Mulligan's High School Foods class went head-to-head in the Cupcake Wars Challenge to practice different decorating techniques they have learned. The SECS staff voted for their favorites.

- The Elementary School's Parents as Reading Partners (PARP) program offered free books to students in the library. That's free, as in FREE!

- SECS also was the place for building blocks, boots, technology and smiles December 7.

Visit our Facebook and Twitter pages daily to stay up to date on everything S-E. Keep up the good work everybody!

Kindergarten

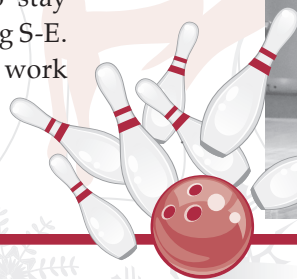
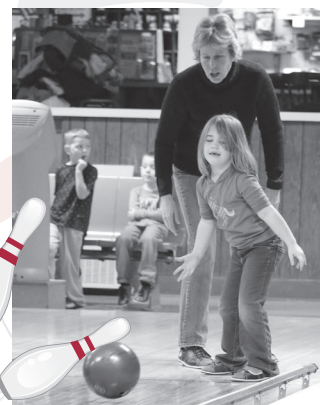
This is how we roll



A big thank you to Mrs. Claus and the folks at Hi-Skor Lanes in Earlville for hosting our kindergarten kids Friday, December 14.

These students recently completed a physical education unit on bowling and had a chance to show off what they learned at Hi-Skor Lanes, which is home to Sherburne-Earlville Central School District's undefeated bowling teams this season.

Here's looking forward to more high rollers in the future!





MUSIC NOTES

Special guests help middle-school musicians

Sherburne-Earlville Middle School welcomed two special musical clinicians in November to work with students of Music Teacher and Band Director Joe Roche.

S-E thanks woodwind specialist Mrs. Maryann Snow and percussion specialist Randy Waterman for taking the time to help its middle school musicians learn and improve through small-group instruction.



Marauders march in Macy's parade

Congratulations to **Adam Aldrich**, **Allie Kellogg** and **Matt Ryan**, who had the privilege to march in the 2018 Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade!

Adam (left) and senior classmate **Matt** (right) joined sophomore **Allie** in representing the Sherburne-Earlville Central School District during the annual parade, which took place November 22 in New York City.

Students must submit video auditions of prepared solos that demonstrate their music-playing and basic marching skills to be considered for the parade.



Yearbook News

Order deadline is February 1

We are taking *Archivon* yearbook orders until February 1, 2019. Cost is \$55 for HS yearbooks and \$30 for MS yearbooks.

All students who place an order are guaranteed to receive a yearbook. Extras will be available in June and will first be offered to seniors who did not pre-order.

Seniors may order a name stamp (\$7) or a name plate (\$5) for their yearbooks by February 1. Seniors also may order a supplement (\$5), which will include activities and events that occur between March and June.

Club and activity pictures are scheduled for January 24 and 25. Senior ads are due no later than January 31.

To order yearbooks by mail, please complete the form in this newsletter and mail it with a check or money order. Credit cards may be used to pay for high school yearbooks online at <https://ybpay.lifetouch.com>. Our yearbook ID code is **10700719**. This option is not available for middle school yearbooks.

Business owners who wish to support the *S-E Archivon* by purchasing an ad should call the yearbook line at **607-674-8424** or email yearbook@seonline.org.

Bring us your Box Tops

S-E Elementary School and Middle School will again be collecting Box Tops for Education during the 2018-19 academic year. This program helps provide rewards and positive reinforcements for students who exhibit stellar behavior. Simply cut out Box Tops and bring them to one of the main offices.

Middle School Yearbook Gift Certificate Order Form

Yearbooks are \$25 until Dec. 31. January 1 the price increases to \$30. NO orders will be accepted after January 31. We must receive your request by December 20 in order for us to send the gift certificate before the holidays.

Please complete this form and mail along with a check or money order payable to SE Yearbook.

Name of MS Student _____

Your name, address and phone number:

Mail slip and payment to:

S-E Yearbook • 13 School St. • Sherburne, NY 13460

☐ Check this box if you are using this as an order form and do not need a gift certificate.

Questions? Call the yearbook line at 674.8424 or email yearbook@seonline.org

High School Yearbook Gift Certificate Order Form

Yearbooks are \$50 until Dec. 31. January 1 the price increases to \$55. NO orders will be accepted after January 31. We must receive your request by December 20 in order for us to send the gift certificate before the holidays.

Please complete this form and mail along with a check or money order payable to **SE Yearbook**.

Name of HS Student _____

Your name, address and phone number:

Mail slip and payment to:

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Questions? Call the yearbook line at 674.8424 or email yearbook@seonline.org

Claudia's Closet accepting donations

Claudia's Closet is a fund in memory of Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School nurse Claudia Bigelow, who helped organize holiday baskets and provided students with weather-appropriate clothing throughout the school year.

Claudia's Closet continues to accept donations of new or gently-used items and is specifically seeking the following:

- Waterproof gloves/mittens for school-age students and adults;

- Boots in all sizes EXCEPT size 3 boys (high need for men's and women's sizes 6-and-up);
- Snow pants in all sizes for school-age students and adults;
- Winter coats for adults; and
- Sneakers in all sizes for school-age students and adults.

Claudia's Closet also accepts checks and other monetary donations. Checks should be made payable to Sherburne-Earlville Central School, include Claudia's Closet in the memo line, and mailed to:



Arlene Wade, c/o Sherburne-Earlville Central School District, 15 School Street, Sherburne, NY 13460.

Archivon 2019

Family & Friends Ads

Express friendship, love and congratulations to the special senior in your life by recognizing him/her with a Family & Friends message in the yearbook.

There are 18 blocks on a page. One block is approximately 2.75"w x 1.5"h. Once you have decided how many blocks you would like, you may personalize the message with your own copy. You may also submit a photo (or more than one photo) depending on the size of the ad. You can submit actual photos, photos on disk, or email photos (to yearbook@seonline.org). All photos will be returned. Simply fill out the form below and submit it by January 31. Remember, ads are in **FULL COLOR**.

Complete and return the slip below. All submissions are due by **January 31**.

<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Blocks</u>	<u>Price</u>
1	\$25	9	\$225
2	\$50	10	\$250
3	\$75	12	\$300
4	\$100	15	\$375
6	\$150	18	\$450
8	\$200		

YOUR FULL COLOR AD

Your name & phone number(s) _____

Name of the senior _____

How many blocks would you like? _____

Message: _____

Mail this slip along with a check or money order made payable to SE Yearbook to: SE Yearbook
13 School Street
Sherburne, NY 13460

Questions? Call yearbook advisor Jessica Czachowski at 674.8424 or email at yearbook@seonline.org.

Boys Soccer

Resiliency defined Marauders boys soccer season



Resiliency is defined as follows: the capacity to recover quickly from difficulties; toughness.

If I was challenged to pick only one word that best characterized this group of Marauder soccer athletes, it would definitely be resiliency. It is a word that I heard several times throughout the course of the season from opposing coaches and soccer fans alike describing the character of this collection of young men. Character of this caliber is not something that just happens, it is a result of a long path of failure and success, hard work and patience, camaraderie and belief.

In five of its seven wins this season, this team had to come from behind to win. The same can be said of this team's only tie against an Adirondack team that had handily beaten the Marauders in their initial encounter. In a sectional game against the eventual Class B sectional and state champions, the Westhill Warriors, the Marauders gave their best display of the word resiliency, leading Westhill Coach Tom Etoll to say that "... your boys played their hearts out!"

Several Marauder soccer players earned tournament and league honors for the 2018 soccer season.

Owen Rodriguez, Conor Ryan and Noah Posson made the All-Tournament team after leading S-E to a second-place finish during the Marauder Soccer Tournament on Labor Day weekend.

Another runner-up finish, this time at the CVA Tournament, resulted in tournament All-Star honors for **Noah Posson, Owen Rodriguez, Peter Peschel and Layne Sulton**.

The Center State Conference recognized **Owen Rodriguez** and **Noah Posson** as Division I All-Stars and selected **Edward Geier** and **Conor Ryan** as honorable mentions. **Owen Rodriguez** also earned Athlete of the Week accolades from *The Evening Sun* as one of the top goal scorers in Chenango County this season. Additionally, the Marauders were recognized yet again as a Scholar-Athlete Team by the Center State Conference, with a team average above a 90.

Looking ahead, S-E will bring back the bulk of its defense, led by **Noah Posson, Jacob Sutherland, Gavin Zbicki, Brogan Winton and Peter Peschel**. Nathan

Morgan, Keegan Kane and Dan Scholl will bring experience to a depleted offensive unit as 23 of its 28 goals scored this past season will leave with the 2019 graduations of **Owen Rodriguez** and **Edward Geier**. **Andrew Fern's** mentorship as a playmaking center midfielder will be counted on next season as the responsibility of managing the offense will fall on his shoulders.

The Marauders would like to thank all of our parents, soccer fans, teachers, administrators, bus drivers, custodial field managers and soccer officials for making our season special. It could not happen without your support and hard work!

— *Michael Rodriguez*,
Varsity Boys Soccer Coach



Seniors, left to right: Andrew Schaefer, Owen Rodriguez, Caleb Larchar, Coach Michael Rodriguez, Conor Ryan, Curtis Howard and Edward Geier



S-E Tournament All-Stars, left to right: Noah Posson, Conor Ryan and Owen Rodriguez

Field Hockey

Thank you, Sports Boosters!



The Sherburne-Earlville field hockey program would like to thank the Sports Boosters for our new scoreboard. We truly appreciate the generous gift, which we were fortunate to use for all three levels of play throughout the

season. Varsity is convinced it is our lucky charm as we never lost when it was keeping score for us!

—Christina Layman,
Varsity Field Hockey Coach

S-E continues to beat the odds



UNIVERSITY
AT ALBANY

State University of New York

The University at Albany recently recognized Sherburne-Earlville as one of seven odds-beating schools in New York. Focused on college and career readiness, S-E was among the school districts highlighted in early December as following the “Four Cs” to inspire, inform and improve within the district.

According to the presentation, the Four Cs of Odds-Beating Schools are:

1. Co-constructing a humanizing school environment
2. Collaboratively defining and achieving success
3. Cultivating culturally-responsive and inclusive leadership
4. Customizing innovative programs and practices

Alfred-Almond, Crown Point, Freeport, Malverne, Maple Grove and Port Chester also were recognized as odds-beating schools.

SECSD accepting Athletic Hall of Fame nominations

Sherburne-Earlville Central School District is seeking nominations for its inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame class, which will be inducted June 19, 2019, in the MS/HS Auditorium.

Nominations will be accepted through March 1, 2019. Athletes, coaches, administrators and contributors who brought pride and distinction to the Sherburne-Earlville Athletics Program through commitment, sacrifice and dedication may be nominated.

Nomination forms and by-laws are available online at <http://www.secsd.org/AthleticHallofFame.aspx>.

Each member of the Class of 2019 will receive a plaque during the Induction Ceremony, which will take place during our End of Year Athletic Awards Night. The 2019 awards night is scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 19.

Athletic Hall of Fame inductions will take place on odd years beginning in 2019, alternating with Academic Hall of Fame inductions (even years). All Athletic Hall of Fame nominees will be considered for the first class. Nominees who are not inducted this June will remain eligible for future Athletic Hall of Fame classes.

For more information, visit our website at www.secsd.org, email Athletic Director Brad Perry at perryb@seon-line.org, or call our Athletics Office at 607-674-8433.

S _____ Sherburne-Earlville Central School _____ E _____ Athletic Hall of Fame _____

Today's Date: _____

Application Due Date: March 1, 2019

Nominee can be an individual athlete, a coach, trainer, administrator or a team

Nominee's Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Graduating Class: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email address: _____

Nominating Person: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Phone Number: _____ Email address: _____

Role of person making the nomination: (Circle one)

Staff **Coach** **Parent** **Community Member** **Other:** _____

Nominations for Hall of Fame Candidates are accepted from September through March. Candidates must be out of high school for at least five years before becoming eligible for consideration. All candidates for induction must be formally nominated.

Please elaborate why you feel this nominee should be inducted. Feel free to write about accomplishments, contributions, or any other facet of their athletic career at Sherburne, Earlville, or Sherburne-Earlville on the back of this form. Should you need more space, feel free to provide additional pages. Next, please supply proof of accomplishments for example newspaper article or scorebook, etc. In addition, please submit a photograph of nominee with this form. Once the completed nomination form is received by the Athletic Director, all actions necessary to the selection process shall remain confidential. All information submitted shall be retained by the Athletic Director.

Awards garnered by Nominee: _____

Please submit to: Sherburne-Earlville Athletic Hall of Fame
C/O Brad Perry, Director of Athletics
13 School Street
Sherburne, NY 13460

PLEASE NOTE IN THE SUBJECT LINE OF EMAIL: S-E ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME



Sherburne-Earlville School-Based Health Center

Elementary SBHC : 607-674-8417

High School SBHC: 607-674-8416

Toll-free: 1-844-ALL-SBHC (255-7242)

What is the School-Based Health Center (SBHC)?

The Sherburne-Earlville School-Based Health center is a collaboration between the school district and Bassett Healthcare Network to provide easy access for comprehensive, convenient health care to students in grades pre-K through 12 at the school. For children who already have a primary care provider (PCP), the SBHC staff will work with that provider to care for that child. For children without a PCP, the SBHC staff may become the child's primary source of care.

What services does the SBHC provide?

- Well child care: annual visits (sports or camp physicals), as recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics
- Immunizations, as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control
- Acute care: fevers, sore throats, twisted ankles, bellyaches
- Oral health care: dental exams, cleanings, sealants, fluoride treatments
- Mental health care: depression, anxiety, suicide prevention
- Chronic disease care: asthma, obesity, ADHD
- Health Education: both during visits and through school-wide initiatives



Bassett Healthcare Network
School-Based Health

The gift of reading



The Sherburne-Earlville Teachers Association hosted its annual Holiday Book Giveaway on December 1 at the Sherburne Fire Station. This yearly event promotes literacy, brings people together, and gives the gift of reading. With a wide range of books from which to choose, many children selected books as gifts for their family members.

After SETA members wrapped their books, children and their families, along with other members of the community, enjoyed all sorts of holiday festivities sponsored by the Sherburne Rotary. The event featured cookie, hot chocolate, holiday music by the Sherburne-Earlville Band, face-painting and a special visit from Santa Claus!

SETA would like to thank the Sherburne Rotary and the Sherburne Fire Department for their continued support of this wonderful annual event.

— Lynn
Brockway,
Special
Education
Teacher



Sherburne-Earlville Central School
15 School Street
Sherburne, New York 13460

Sherburne-Earlville is committed to students. By providing an environment of educational excellence which emphasizes the learning of academics and life skills, nurtures self-respect, and fosters life-long learning, we enable our students to pursue challenging individual goals and to become positive, contributing members of society.

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Sherburne-Earlville Marching Band
will be hosting

Doug's Fish Fry To Go

*at the Sherburne-Earlville
Marauder Stadium Parking Lot*

**January 28, 2019
11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.**

*Come enjoy Doug's delicious food
and support the
Sherburne-Earlville Marching Band!*



Important message about snacks

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Many of our students have food allergies and dietary restrictions. This can become a concern when food is provided from home and the ingredients are not known.

In an effort to safeguard the health of our students, homemade snacks will not be shared in our classrooms across the district. This change went into effect Monday, December 10, 2018.

This includes food brought to school for holiday celebrations, snack time, and parties. All snacks/foods that are sent to school for sharing **MUST** be purchased in a store with the legible ingredient label attached. Baked goods, fresh fruit, and yogurt parfaits are also available for purchase from our cafeterias. To check pricing and ordering instructions, use the **Families** link on the S-E website (www.secsd.org).

Thank you for your understanding and help, as we strive to ensure the health and safety of all our students.

—Eric Schnabl, School Superintendent
schnable@seonline.org

