



# SHARON SPRINGS CENTRAL SCHOOL



*Home of the Spartans*

*Weekly Bulletin*

*May 25, 2023*

**\*Schedule subject to change\***

**Sports schedule updates can be found at:**

<https://www.schedulegalaxy.com/schools/511>

**Thursday, May 25, 2023**

STEAM Expo 3-5:00pm

Last Day of After School Program

**Friday, May 26, 2023**

**SCHOOL CLOSED**

**Monday, May 29, 2023**

**MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVED - SCHOOL CLOSED**

Memorial Day Parade 11:00am

Class of 2026 Chicken BBQ 11:00am - 1:00pm

**Wednesday, May 31, 2023**

MS Honor Society Field Trip - Bailiwick Animal Park

Kindergarten Registration 8:00am - 3:00pm

Sports Awards Banquet 6:00pm

**Thursday, June 1, 2023**

Kindergarten Registration 8:00am - 3:00pm

USHAG Regents 8:00am

SUNY Cobleskill Tour

**Friday, June 2, 2023**

Sports Physicals 8-11:30am

Elementary Grades 1-5 Awards Ceremony 1:20pm

**Monday, June 5, 2023**

8th Grade Science Test -Written Exam 8:00am

**Tuesday, June 6, 2023**

Kindergarten Visitation Day #1 8:00am

Grades 6 - 11 Awards Ceremony 1:20pm

Elementary Spring Concert 7:00pm

**Wednesday, June 7, 2023**

Kindergarten Visitation Day #2 8:00am

4th Grade Trip to Farmer's Museum 8:00am

PTO Meeting - Library 6:00pm

**Thursday, June 8, 2023**

Kindergarten Visitation Day #3 8:00am

Head Start/UPK Parent Committee 9:30am

**Friday, June 9, 2023**

1st & 2nd Grade Field Trip - SUNY Oneonta

Kindergarten Field Trip - Sharon Springs Firehouse

Spanish Club Field Trip to Crossgates 3-8:00pm

Diamond Dance Center Performance 6-9:00pm

**Saturday, June 10, 2023**

Diamond Dance Center Performance 9:00am-2:00pm

Alumni Banquet 5-7:30pm

**Monday, June 12, 2023**

Board of Education Meeting 7:30pm

## Principal's Message

This week our school community focused on a review of the 24 character strengths and the Other People Mindset. This was linked, of course, to our observance of Memorial Day next Monday.

Over the course of this year, we have gained an understanding and appreciation of the 24 character strengths that are in all of us. Every 1-2 weeks we learned about a different character strength or Other People Mindset element. This knowledge has helped us build strong relationships with other people and become our best selves. People who have strong positive relationships do five things consistently - these are the five practices of the Other People Mindset. 1. Recognize the good in other people, 2. Recognize that everything you say or do affects other people, 3. Support others when they struggle, 4. Cheer people on when they succeed, 5. Remain present when giving people your attention. People who have a strong Other People Mindset are able to build and maintain strong, positive relationships with others.

This year, by deliberately and consistently teaching students that relationships are important and that positive relationships are cultivated through character and the Other People Mindset. Our school community has experienced firsthand how positive relationships help us become happier, healthier, and more resilient.

To practice and encourage the character strength of perspective with your child, please visit the Positivity Project's [P2 for Families](#) (password: P2), where together you will watch a video, read a quote, and talk about the answers to three questions.

Have a wonderful weekend - we're all thankful for the freedoms we are afforded because of the sacrifices of those who serve and have served in the military, especially those who paid the ultimate price.

## **Student Focus**

The last day for the **After School Program** will be **Thursday, May 25th, 2023**. Beginning Tuesday, May 30th, students will be dismissed at 3:00pm according to what the school district has on file for a dismissal plan. A reminder that if you need to make a dismissal change, send a written note to the Main Office by 9:00am.

Starting on Tuesday, May 30th, there will no longer be a daily 5:00pm Late Bus Run for the remainder of the school year. The Thursday 4:00pm Late Bus Run will continue to run for students on Thursdays only who may need to stay after for club activities through June 8th. Students still need to sign-up at the Front Desk by 3:00pm if they need to take the Thursday 4:00pm Late Bus.

**Attention:** Friday, May 26, 2023 there will be **No School**. This is for the return of an unused snow day.

As we approach the end-of-the-school year, it is very important to stay focused on your start-of-the-year goals. With finals and Regents approaching, along with the natural fatigue of the end-of-the-year, it's important to remember short term sacrifices are necessary in order to accomplish goals. With that said, talk, email and Schoology-message your teachers for opportunities to review. Additionally, here are some scheduled review opportunities:

***Regents Review with Mr. Cornwell (Room 117)***  
***Review Classes run from 3-5PM***

### **Algebra**

- Wednesday May 31
- Friday June 2
- Tuesday June 6
- Monday June 12
- Wednesday June 14

### **Geometry**

- Tuesday May 30
- Thursday June 1
- Wednesday June 7
- Thursday June 15

### **Algebra 2**

- Monday June 5
- Thursday June 8
- Tuesday June 13
- Tuesday June 20

**DL Regents Review with Mrs. Insogna (Rm 309)**  
**Review Classes run from 3-5PM**

### **Living Environment**

- Thursday June 1
- Monday June 5
- Thursday June 8
- Tuesday June 13

### **Chemistry**

- Tuesday May 31
- Tuesday June 6
- Monday June 12
- Wednesday June 14
- Thursday June 15

### **Krispy Kreme Sales**

The students in grades 8 - 12 will be selling Krispy Kreme donuts and coffee from May 22nd until June 1st. Prices are as follows: a dozen glazed donuts for \$10 a box, half a dozen chocolate glazed or filled (raspberry, kreme, and lemon) donuts for \$10 per box, and 12 oz bags of their house blend regular and decaf coffee for \$10 each.

There is an order form at the front desk if you would like to purchase anything! The pick-up date will be on June 7th from 2:40 to 4:00 in the school atrium.

Thank you for your continued support! We appreciate you!



**MEMORIAL DAY CHICKEN BBQ & BAKE SALE**  
**MONDAY, MAY 29TH - 11:00 AM-1:00 PM**  
**CHICKEN HALVES only - \$9.00**

**Parade line-up at 10:40-Chestnut St Athletic Field**  
**Parade starts at 11:00am**



### **Computers Available**

If your household qualifies for free or reduced school lunch and you would like a computer for your household, please contact Tom Reynolds at [treynolds@sharonsprings.org](mailto:treynolds@sharonsprings.org) or 518-284-2266.

# KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION



This year's registration and screenings will be held on **Wednesday, May 31st & Thursday, June 1st 2023** in the Sharon Springs Central School Auditorium.

New York State regulations state that a child may enter Kindergarten if the child attains the age of five years on or before December 1st of that school year. An amendment to New York State Compulsory Education Law, signed by the commissioner in June, 1992, clarifies that children who turn six during the school year must attend school at the start of classes in September. Any child who has his/her 6th birthday on July 1st or after must be enrolled in school.

Even if you are undecided at this time about enrolling your child, if you have a child who will be 5 years old on or before December 1st, 2023, please contact:


Ashley Puding at (518) 284-2266 EXT 114  
email- [apuding@sharonsprings.org](mailto:apuding@sharonsprings.org)



Springs Clay Target League, along with The American Legion, volunteered their time to place flags for Veterans in three local cemeteries.

### Weekly Bulletin Submissions

SSCS will continue to produce this document each week as a service to the SSCS community. Similar to last year, classified ads, such as advertisements for the sale of items, help wanted ads, etc., will no longer be accepted. Advertisements will only be accepted if it relates to a potential educational benefit for our students or it has the potential to benefit the Sharon Springs community. SSCS reserves the right to edit any submission. For consideration, please email by 3 p.m. on Tuesdays to [weeklybulletin@sharonsprings.org](mailto:weeklybulletin@sharonsprings.org).



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# SENIOR BUCKETS

**Now Accepting Donations  
for 21 Senior Bucket Items  
for the Class of 2023!**

Each graduating senior will receive a "Senior Bucket" filled with donations and gifts from the community, local businesses, families, etc! If you are interested in donating, contact the SSCS PTO between now and June 14, 2023!

### Community Focus *A service to the Sharon Springs Community*

#### Sharon Springs Food Pantry

Need help stretching your food budget?  
The Sharon Springs Food Pantry is open to all!  
Open every Thursday from  
9:00am-10:30am and again at 5:00pm-6:30pm  
Or by appointment.  
Located at the Sharon Springs Methodist Church  
511 Highway Rte 20, Sharon Springs, NY  
(Across from the School)

***LAST WEEKLY BULLETIN FOR THE  
YEAR WILL BE ON JUNE 8th.***