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Weekly Bulletin: November 6, 2026

Calendar of Events

All Sporting Events are updated at Sharon Springs.org under Athletics (www.ScheduleGalaxy.com)

Friday, November 6, 2026	
Veterans' Day Morning Program/Breakfast	8:20 am
Student Council Red Cross Blood Drive	11:30am
Girl Scout Meeting/Bridging – Doig Gym	3:00 pm
Monday, November 9, 2026	
UPK/Head Start Parent Meeting	8:40 am
Tuesday, November 10, 2026	
Environmental Leadership – Oswegatchie	8:00 am
Wednesday, November 11, 2026	
Environmental Leadership–Oswegatchie Return	4pm
Veterans' Day – No School	
Friday, November 13, 2026	
Science Club to the Bronx Zoo	6:30 am
Saturday, November 14, 2026	
FFA Vendor Fair/Chicken BBQ	10:00am
Monday, November 16, 2026	
Winter Sports Practices Begin	
ASVAB Post Test Workshop	1:30 pm
Board of Education Meeting – Library	6:00 pm
Thursday, November 19, 2026	
SUNY Cobleskill Presentation	1:25 pm
Friday, November 20, 2026	
PTO Coffee Fundraiser – Atrium	8:00 am
Grade 5 to Albany Pine Bush Preserve	8:30 am
Klinkhart Arts Dance Assemblies	1:00 pm
Saturday, November 21, 2026	
Klinkhart Arts Dance Workshops	
Monday, November 23, 2026	
Navy Recruiter Visit	10:45am
Tuesday, November 24, 2026	
Teacher Appreciation Day	7:45 am
Financial Aid Night – Sponsored by SUNY Cobleskill – Library	4:30 pm
Wednesday, November 25, 2026	
Head Start/UPK Family Engagement Event	11:00 am
½ Day Dismissal	11:30am
Thursday-Friday, November 26 – 27, 2026	
Thanksgiving Recess	
Friday, November 27, 2026	
GV Basketball @ Stamford v/s Duanesburg	7:00 pm

Principal's Message

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Happy November! This month we are showing our gratitude for everyone who supports us. The students practice and demonstrate appreciation through simple, daily actions, such as compliments and showing empathy towards one another. When students actively see adults modeling thankful behavior and encourage children to notice what is going on around them, their social-emotional skills are strengthened. These positive habits not only reduce classroom disruptions, they also make every student feel valued and teach each other how to recognize and celebrate the good in others within and outside of our school doors.

Please remember to sign up with your child's teacher for parent teacher conferences, either on November 24th or November 25th.

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With Election Day behind us and Veterans Day ahead, November offers an opportunity to reflect on gratitude; for our country, for those who have served, and for our Sharon Springs school community. We are thankful for the students, families, and staff who make SSCS a small school with a big heart.

November is also a busy month, with field trips, vendor fairs, and the start of basketball season. Amid the excitement, please help us keep academics a priority and communication strong. Use Schoology regularly to stay up to date on grades and assignments, and reach out to teachers with any questions or concerns. Together, we can help students enjoy all that November brings while staying focused on their learning.

Reminder- In observance of Veteran's Day, school is closed on Wednesday, November 11th, 2026.

Sharing & Caring Program at SSCS

The Sharing & Caring Program is once again offering food baskets for the upcoming holidays as well as assistance with essential clothing. The purpose of the program is to support Sharon Springs Central School students and families who may be struggling financially during the holiday seasons. The Sharing and Caring program is made up of faculty and staff from SSCS who raise money in a variety of ways throughout the year to support this effort. The Holiday Need form is attached to this bulletin. Please complete and return to the Main Office **no later than November 12th,** if your family needs support or contact Michelle Keaney at mkeaney@sharonsprings.org. All information is kept confidential

To the Parents of the Senior Class of 2027

It is hard to believe that we are talking about Graduation already! Please be advised that we recently sent a list to the Senior Homeroom requesting they submit their names as they will appear on their diplomas. We have urged our Seniors to discuss this with their parents before writing their name on the list. We encourage you to discuss this with your Senior so everyone will be satisfied with what is on the diploma. Thank you.

Tech Valley High School Lottery

The Tech Valley High School lottery for 8th graders will be approaching soon for the 2027-28 school year enrollment. Video and brochure links, the application, and other informative materials are available for interested families at https://www.techvalleyhigh.org/admissions/.

Family information sessions will be held both in-person and online via Zoom. Information Session dates, links, and campus check-in instructions available at Tech Valley's website: https://www.techvalleyhigh.org/admissions/information-sessions/. If interested, reach out to Lindsay Blowers, SSCS Guidance Counselor for more information.
Email- lblowers@sharonsprings.org or by phone at 518-284-2267 x112.

Klinkhart Hall Arts Center- Save the Date

Klinkhart Hall Arts Center presents the Sharon Springs Dance Festival which begins Friday, November 20th with assemblies for SSCS students. Community Classes are offered on Saturday, November 21st, 2026, with a variety of classes for kids and Adults from 10:00am to 5:00pm. No experience is necessary.

Join us for an extraordinary evening of contemporary dance as New York City based TAKE Dance Company takes the stage at the Sharon Springs Dance Festival on Saturday, November 21st at 7:00pm. All are welcome!

The dance performance and all classes are free and open to the public. All events take place at Sharon Springs Central School.

Class registration is encouraged, so please visit www.Klinkhart.org to reserve your spot and learn more about the festival. We hope to see you there!



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 3:00 p.m. on Tuesdays to weeklybulletin@sharonsprings.org.



2026 Sharing & Caring Holiday Need Form

The Sharing and Caring Program sponsored by Sharon Springs Central School Faculty and Staff is once again providing assistance to those households in need for the upcoming **Thanksgiving and Christmas Holiday Season.** This year the program will be providing food baskets to families in need for both the Thanksgiving and/or Christmas holidays. Additionally, the program is offering to provide essential clothing to eligible children residing in the household, ages **Birth-12th grade.**

If your family has a need and meets the following requirements, please fill out the form below and **return to the Main Office no later than November 12th, 2026. Please make sure you can commit to the pick up days BEFORE you submit your application.**

* A Resident of Sharon Springs Central School District.
* Have school-aged children living in your household.
* One (1) application, one basket per household.
* You must include a contact phone number and email address.
* Application deadlines will be strictly adhered to – NO EXCEPTIONS.

*** DEADLINE to submit: Thursday, NOVEMBER 12th by 3:00pm to the MAIN OFFICE ***

***PICK DAYS/TIMES: For Thanksgiving Food Baskets- WEDNESDAY, November 18th, 2026- 7:30AM-4:30PM**
For Christmas Food Basket/Clothing- WEDNESDAY, December 16th, 2026- 7:30AM-4:30PM
PICK-UP LOCATION: SSCS FRONT DESK/VISITOR ENTRANCE

* If you have questions, please contact Michelle Keaney by phone at 518-284-2266 ext. 106 or email to mkeaney@sharonsprings.org

Family Household Name: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____ **Email Address:** _____

Circle Yes or No

Does your family need a Food Basket for the 2026 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY (Basket Pick-up on Wednesday, November 18th, 2026)? YES NO

Does your family need a Food Basket for the 2026 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY (Basket Pick-up on Wednesday, December 16th, 2026)? YES NO

Would you like to request essential clothing for your children ages Birth-19 residing in the household? (Clothing items will need to be picked up on Wednesday, December 16th, 2026) YES NO

IF YES- COMPLETE THE INFORMATION on the REVERSE SIDE

The Sharing & Caring Program will do their best to meet needs; however, please indicate on a *scale of 1-8 with 1 equalling Most Needed and 8 equalling Least Needed.*

Child #1 First Name: _____ Age: _____ Male ____ Female____

CIRCLE Clothing Size Category for each needed item:

INFANT TODDLER CHILD/YOUTH ADULT

Snow Pants Size: Need Rank:	Jeans/ Pants Size: Need Rank:	Shirt/ Top Size: Need Rank:	Sneakers Size: Need Rank:	Socks Size: Need Rank:	Boots Size: Need Rank:	Gloves/ Mittens Size: Need Rank:	Underwear Size: Need Rank:

Child #2 First Name: _____ Age: _____ Male ____ Female____

CIRCLE Clothing Size Category for each needed item:

INFANT TODDLER CHILD/YOUTH ADULT

Snow Pants Size: Need Rank:	Jeans/ Pants Size: Need Rank:	Shirt/ Top Size: Need Rank:	Sneakers Size: Need Rank:	Socks Size: Need Rank:	Boots Size: Need Rank:	Gloves/ Mittens Size: Need Rank:	Underwear Size: Need Rank:

Child #3 First Name: _____ Age: _____ Male ____ Female____

CIRCLE Clothing Size Category for each needed item:

INFANT TODDLER CHILD/YOUTH ADULT

Snow Pants Size: Need Rank:	Jeans/ Pants Size: Need Rank:	Shirt/ Top Size: Need Rank:	Sneakers Size: Need Rank:	Socks Size: Need Rank:	Boots Size: Need Rank:	Gloves/ Mittens Size: Need Rank:	Underwear Size: Need Rank:

Please use an additional form if you have more than 3 children in your household. Contact Michelle Keaney at (518) 284-2267 x106 by phone or email mkeaney@sharonsprings.org for additional forms.

Completed Forms need to be turned into the Main Office by 3:00pm on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 12th.