Issue 7

Newsletter for the SHS Very Interested Parents



Message from the SHS V.I.P. Booster Club

Per the Farmer's Almanac, March comes "in like a Lion, out like a Lamb". However, this year, it seems that March is coming in more like a Polar Bear! Regardless, SHS VIP is continuing to be busy!

Upcoming Events

March

13 Career Expo at SHS

21 Dine-to-Donate at Pita House Restaurant

24 Shotokan Karate Tournament

April

- 2 VIP Meeting, 7 pm
- 4 Job Fair at SHS
- **9** Dine-to-Donate at Village Tavern
- **13** Spring Cleaning Savers FUNDrive
- **22** Dine-to-Donate at Lou Malnati's

May

4 Prom

7 VIP Meeting, 7 pm

- Prom Fashion Show was a great success and the kids and parents loved it! It was a fun night! We appreciate those of you who donated to the raffle. Thank you to Lori Murray and her cast of VIP volunteers in another successful show.
- Dine to Donate nights. Robi Vollkommer continues to find great options for our SHS families and friends to dine and enjoy. Check out this month's locations to support SHS VIP and our community sponsors!
- PROM is coming! PROM is May 4! SHS VIP will be sponsoring Post Prom—a cruise on the Odessey. Post Prom tickets are \$55 per person or \$110.00 per couple, and tickets will be sold online from April 1 to 15.
- Spring Cleaning Savers FUNDrive is April 13 with collection at in the SHS parking lot from 9am to 3pm. Get a start on spring cleaning by bringing what you don't need to our SAVERS donation drive. SHS VIP earns based on the weight of our donations. Easy way to clean up on fundraising??!!

Although the end of the year is still months away, we close this letter with a request for your participation next year. SHS VIP will have open positions on the Executive Board and on committees. We encourage you to reach out now to learn how SHS VIP works to support our students. You may find that you will enjoy it.

We thank our graduating parents for their contributions over the years.

The following positions will need to be filled for the 2019-2020 school year:

Executive Board: Co-President and Treasurer

Committee Chairs: Membership, Concessions, 50/50, Blessings in a Backpack, Septemberfest, Craft Fair and Post Prom. Also considering adding a committee chair for Community Outreach.

Contact us for further information. SHS students benefit from the work that SHS VIP work—thank you! Think spring!

Warm Regards,

Kathy Pyde and Carolyn Trinka Co-Presidents

March 2019





Schaumburg High School Very Interested Parents Club

Township High School District 211 1100 W. Schaumburg Road Schaumburg, IL 60194

2018-19 SHS V.I.P. Executive Board

Co-President: Kathy Pyde
Co-President: Carolyn Trinka
1st Vice President: Kirti Parmar
2nd Vice President: Brandy Wilson
Treasurer: Stacy Ruscheinsky
Recording Secretary: Amy Ciminello
Corresponding Sec: Robi Vollkommer

Contact the SHS V.I.P. at schaumburgvip@gmail.com

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SHS V.I.P.

http://adc.d211.org/vip

Facebook

fb.me/SHSVIParents

Twitter

https://twitter.com/SHSVIParents

Join SHS V.I.P.! Membership is open to SHS families and members of the community.

Readers for SHS VIP Scholarships

Scholarship applications are in! We need readers to read and rank the responses.

Sign up to help rank the scholarship responses.

Sign up here: https://goo.gl/forms/0qRb71IrJFjcXBqn1

All evaluations must be completed by April 5.

SHS VIP puts a large portion of its fundraising efforts toward providing scholarships. Scholarships will be awarded to this year's recipients on May 7.

Following are the scholarships being awarded to the Class of 2019:

Academic Scholarships: One \$1,250.00 Academic Scholarship, three \$1,000.00 Academic Scholarships, and five \$750.00 Academic Scholarships will be awarded to students who have demonstrated their success at Schaumburg High School and in the community.

<u>Jean Bajko Volunteerism Scholarship:</u> One \$1,000.00 Volunteerism Scholarship will be awarded to a student who has demonstrated their volunteerism at Schaumburg High School and in the community.

<u>Special Education Scholarship:</u> One \$1,000.00 will be awarded to an outstanding special education student who has demonstrated their success at Schaumburg High School and in the community.

Please contact Michelle Tunquist, mtunquist@gmail.com if you have any questions.

Scholarship Committee Co-Chairs, Sonya Mortell & Michelle Tunquist



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Support V.I.P. Activities—Dine-to-Donate

Throughout the year, Dine-to-Donate events are scheduled with local restaurants.

How to make your meal count—

Print this page or show an image of the flyer.

Upcoming Dine-to-Donate events are as follows:

March 21 (Thursday) Pita House Restaurant

April 9 (Tuesday) Village Tavern April 22 (Monday) Lou Malnati's





YOU'RE INVITED TO A "DINE-2-DONATE" EVENT on Thursday, MARCH 21!

20% of your pre-tax bill donated to SHS VIP BOOSTER CLUB!

FOR: Schaumburg High School (SHS) VIP (Very Interested Parents) Booster Club DAY: Thursday DATE: March 21 TIME: All Day (11am-10pm)

<u>Dine-2-Donate Event Location</u>: PITA HOUSE RESTAURANT 300 W. Higgins Road * Schaumburg, IL (847) 352-4750 * Web: https://www.pitahouse.com/

- This flyer must be turned in or shown on phone to your server at the time of payment along with a copy of your bill in order to receive credit for the donation.
- 20% of the pre-taxed bill, minus any discounts will be donated back to the organization including carry-out orders, food & drinks.

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OU'RE INVITED TO A "DINE-2-DONATE" EVENT 20% of your pre-tax bill donated to SHS VIP

Tuesday, April 9 AT VILLAGE TAVERN!

Thank you for assisting SHS VIP in their efforts to raise funds with our "Dine-2-Donate" event.

 20% of the pre-taxed bill, minus any discounts will be donated back to the organization including carry-out orders, food & ANY drinks (including alcohol).

FOR: Schaumburg High School (SHS) VIP (Very Interested Parents) Booster Club DAY: Tuesday DATE: April 9 TIME: All Day (food only until 10pm)

<u>Dine-2-Donate Event Location</u>: VILLAGE TAVERN & GRILL 901 W. Wise Road Schaumburg, IL 60193

(847) 891-8866 * Web: www.Village-Tavern-Grill.com

• This fiyer must be turned in or shown on phone to your server at the time of payment along with a copy of your bill in order to receive credit for the donation. Once you've left the building you may not return with a fiyer to apply to a bill. FLYETS MAY NOT be distributed on premise!!!!!!! Although groups may request sitting in the same section when booking the event, it is not necessary to receive the donation. We may not be able to grant all seating request.

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Website: http://adc.d211.org/vip

The SHS VIP helps bring the home and school into a closer relationship, provides support and funding to student activities, and awards annual scholarships.



Question: What pops up around Schaumburg in Spring? Answer: Senior Yard Signs!

You can still get one! Link to the order form is on p. 6.



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Help Us Fundraise! Spring Cleaning Savers FUNDrive



SHS VIP Spring Cleaning Savers FUNDrive

Date of event: April 13 from 9am to 3pm

Drop-Off Location: Schaumburg High School Southeast Parking Lot (in front of school)

We earn funds for: Clothing, shoes, bedding and towels, accessories, CDs and DVDs, Electrical items (household), toys and games, kitchen items, knick-knacks and sporting goods.

All items must be in good, clean and sellable condition.

Items NOT accepted: Mattresses, baby gear, appliances, large furniture, auto parts, building materials, cleaning products, tires, flammable materials





SHS VIP support the activities of Schaumburg High School students and staff.

Membership is open to parents and members of the community.

Committee News

Volunteers and Leaders Needed

We anticipate several openings for next year's SHS V.I.P. board and committees. If there is an area that interests you, please contact us. Watch this space for specifics on upcoming needs.

We are also looking to add to our fundraising efforts with new, innovative ideas to support our Students, Clubs and Community. If you have experience, and would like to be part of a great group of parents, we invite you to join our efforts.

Hospitality

The hospitality committee provides support for the following events. If you would like to volunteer to setup tables, serve refreshments or check coats for the following events in 2018 – 2019, please contact Kirti Parmar at parmarkirti@yahoo.com or Josie Zakariya at zzjazz@comcast.net for more information.

- World Language Awards April 11, 2019 (4 volunteers)
- V.I.P. Scholarship Awards May 7, 2019 (2 volunteers)

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Calling For Volunteers!

Signing up is easy! Go to http://signup.com/go/gKVccMD



Saxon Spirit Wear

If you missed the Saxon Store Online, it's ok! You can get Saxon Spirit Wear at the school store located near the auditorium. Saxon Gear is still available for purchase on Tuesdays and Thursdays 10:30am to 1:30pm. Acceptable forms of payment are cash, credit/debit and check payable to SHS VIP.

If you have ideas or requests for spirit wear items, please send it to us at schaumburgvip@gmail.com.

Prom Fashion Show

Thank you to The Ladies Room, 410 S Main St., Lombard (630) 613-9593

and Formally Modern Tuxedo at 510 E Golf Rd, Schaumburg (847) 884-8080

and all of the Juniors and Seniors for modeling!!



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Yard Signs

Get your 2019 Saxon Senior Yard Sign before they are gone! Signs are \$15 each and are dual-sided, waterproof & include a metal stake.

You can order online at https://goo.gl/forms/ Rt6MzKLIhaNk9al53 until April 13th!!!!



Legacy Pavers

Do you have a 2019 Graduating Senior and looking for the perfect graduation gift? Commemorate your Grad's high school legacy at Schaumburg High School by gifting them a Legacy Brick Paver. It is not too early to get started as we are now taking orders for bricks that will be installed this Spring—right in time for Graduation!

Prices start at \$50 and can be personally engraved with the names, a special message or with a graphic. The possibilities are endless!

If you purchase a brick as a gift, we will send you a certificate so that you can present it to the recipient. What a great way to leave a legacy. This is truly a unique gift!

You can fill out an order form by going to shs.d211.org/parents/Boosts (V.I.P.) and click on Saxons Personalized Bricks on the left-hand side. Hurry! Don't miss out as brick spaces are limited!

To order, download the order form by visiting this link: https://il49000007.schoolwires.net/Page/4781 or contact Legacy Brick Chairperson, Cassie Flowers at Cassie.Flowers@gmail.com or at 847-363-6682.



Choose from several types of pavers and customizations

HOW to purchase
Order your legacy paver at the SHS VIP website.

Proceeds help the SHS VIP and support the many programs we support!



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Join us! (Deadline to join for Senior Scholarship eligibility was December 1, but we welcome new members all year!)

SCHAUMBURG HIGH SCHOOL VERY INTERESTED PARENTS (V.I.P.) BOOSTER CLUB NEEDS YOU FOR THE 2018-2019 SCHOOL YEAR

The SHS V.I.P. Booster Club is a Parent-Sponsored Volunteer (Not-For-Profit Organization) that brings fundraising, events and activities to the SHS Students and its community. Some events include a Fall Arts & Craft Fair, Saxon Store, Concessions, Spring Prom Fashion Show & Post Prom Cruise, Hospitality Homecoming & Winter Formal Dances, and SeptemberFest Booth. All proceeds from these events support Scholarships, Mini-Grants for SHS Faculty & Clubs.

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We	would appreciate your support by becoming a member and/or vo	olunteer for the following com	mittees. Feel f	ree to email this Vo	Junteer Form to SchaumburgVIP@gmail.com
	Arts & Craft Fair: held on the first Saturday in October. Org	anize, help set up, admissior	ıs.		
_	Concession Stand: You can pick an activity, sport, and/or a				
_	 Hospitality: Serve refreshments at the Freshman Parent Ni Legacy Brick Project: Help to promote and fill our legacy b 		and other ever	nts.	
_	Membership: Help log V.I.P. applications and distribute me		nd second hom	e football games of	f season.
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_	Nominating: Find qualified and willing people to serve on the				
_	Post Prom: Help sell tickets, check students on buses, and/ Prom Fashion Show: Solicit vendors; help organize commu		udent models		
_	Publicity: Promote and help VIP get the word out about all t				
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_	SeptemberFest: One three-hour shift on Labor Day (Not-Fo Trivia Game Night: Many opportunities to help with planning	or-Profit Day) selling food at c	ur pooth.	ent	
_	Other: (write your idea/interest)				
	ers are the only way that our organization continues to run. Club, please feel free to contact the Membership Chairperson a				

Make check payable to SHS V.I.P. and mail to:

SHS V.I.P. Booster CLUB, Attention: Membership, c/o Schaumburg High School, 1100 W. Schaumburg Road, Schaumburg, IL 60194

Membership packets will be distributed at the first two home football games (a table will be set up just outside the Home Booth entrance gate through the first quarter of the varsity game & DELUXE SPORTS package members will be able to use the athletic passes that day), and will be distributed at Parents' Night at the school.

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WEDNESDAY MARCH 13, 2019 4:30 -6:30 P.M.

SCHAUMBURG HIGH SCHOOL

1100 W. Schaumburg Rd, Schaumburg, IL 601094

INSPIRE THE NEXT GENERATION

WHAT

- · Expose high school students to career pathways
- Educate the future workforce
- Provide valuable insight into your industry
- Offer career exploration and possible internships, apprenticeships or jobs

WHY

- Connect to our talented, diverse population of 12,000 high school students
- Showcase your career and your organization
- Help students navigate a college major or career choice
- Support the community through corporate outreach initiatives

HOW

Companies complete the google form: www.tinyurl.com/2019D211Expo

Can't attend the Career Expo? Find out about additional ways to get involved by hosting daytime visits, speaking in the classroom, or offering a summer internship (complete the google form: www.tinyurl.com/internshiphost)

For questions: contact Jan Brottman, jbrottman@d211.org



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