

THE CHRONICLES



From the Principal

A Word from the Executive Director

This winter season has presented some challenges of late, and I would like to thank you for your patience and cooperation as we monitored weather events and made decisions based upon student safety first and foremost. I am grateful for our Principals, bus providers, and main office personnel as well as our teachers and staff for their responsive communication and positive collaboration managing these weather situations. I also want to acknowledge our parent's cooperation in adhering to our established pickup and drop-off procedures as these are in place to ensure the safe arrival and dismissal of all of our students.

February marks Black History Month and we will be honoring and celebrating the many contributions of African Americans to our communities, our country, and our world. We were deeply moved and inspired to continue our equity work following the wise and generous and courageous participation of our guests who served on our first equity conversation panel, and we look forward to future opportunities to learn and grow as more inclusive and just persons and professionals. As the great writer, James Baldwin, reminds us, "Not everything that is faced can be changed, but nothing can be changed until it is faced."

Thank you!

Sincerely,
Carl Schlueter

FAMILY DINNER NIGHT FUNDRAISER THIS SATURDAY

Seven Hills will host a Spaghetti Dinner at Fat Lorenzo's on Saturday, February 9, from 4:00 - 8:00 pm. Join with our community to celebrate and support Seven Hills. All proceeds support SHPA extracurricular funding. Your meal includes: Pasta, garden fresh salad and artisan focaccia bread. Fat Lorenzo's is located at 311 West 84th Street, Bloomington (Behind the Cub Foods).

Please refer to this [Flyer](#) about the event and ticket information. *Due to our extreme weather, anyone that comes to the Spaghetti Dinner with the pre-order flier will get the pre-order rate of \$6.00 per meal.*

Pre-sale Tickets: \$6 Adult/Child
At-the-Door Tickets: \$8
(children ages 4 and under are free)

DATES AHEAD

February 9, 2019

Spaghetti Dinner
4:00 – 8:00 pm
Fat Lorenzo's

February 18, 2019

No School
Presidents' Day

February 26, 2019

Community Fair

March 1, 2019

No School
Teacher Workshop

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March 21, 2019

Early Release 1:30
Evening Conferences

March 22, 2019

Conferences

March 24-29, 2019

Spring Break

May 9, 2019

Spring Music Concert
6:30 pm

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School Board Report

Next School Board Meeting:

Monday, February 11, at 6:00 p.m. Room 28 at
SHPA Bloomington Campus

SHPA school board meeting minutes:

<http://sevenhillspreparatoryacademy.org/about-our-school/board-of-directors/#executive>

Meet a Board Member:

Mark Quistad

Parent Member

Current term: winter 2013-summer 2019

Committees served on: Public relations, Facilities
Committee

Connection to SHPA: Our daughter attended Seven Hills K-8 and was part of the first SHPA 8th grade graduating class. Our son has also attended since kindergarten and will graduate as an 8th grader this spring.

Fun Fact: I love spending time with my family as we ski, snowboard, rollerblade, wakeboard, dirt bike and mountain bike together.

Community Fair - February 26th

Civitas 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

- Multicultural Fair
- Literacy Activities
- Science Fair
- Math Games
- Latin Bee

PTA Update

K - 5 Family Dance: Once again the PTA will be sponsoring the K-5 Family Dance for all SHPA families. This year the dance will be on **Friday, February 15th from 6:00 to 8:00 PM.** Look for more information to be provided over the next few weeks.

Box Tops: Don't forget to continue to be collecting Box Tops. There will be a collection period in February! Do date we are at \$850 towards our goal of \$2,500.

Get more PTA updates by visiting <https://sevenhillspta.org> or join our Facebook page at Seven Hills PTA.

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