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Shickley Public Schools - Preparing Students for Success

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events:

August 10th
Teacher Work and In-Service Day.

August 10th
First Day of Football and Volleyball Practices.

August 11th
Teacher Work and In-Service Day.

August 12th
First Day of School for K-12th Grades with 1:00 pm Dismissal.

August 12-13th
Initial PK Home Visits.

August 14th
2:30 Dismissal.

August 17th
First Day for PK Students.

August 26th
School Pictures.

The Grind with Mrs. Coffey

I hope you have had a chance to review the “Shickley Strategy for the Return to Fall;” if not, it is available online through the *daily announcements* or a copy can be picked up at the school. We want to make sure we are doing everything we can to provide a safe and healthy environment for ALL our students and staff.

Shickley Public Schools will continue to do what’s best for kids and provide our students with high quality teaching and learning environments.

Where have we been?

Shickley Public Schools:

- initiated eLearning the day after statewide school building closures
- implemented minute for minute services for students with disabilities and other student services (Title, Student Assistance Team, etc.)
- held a successful outdoor graduation for immediate family and provided striv for our community and other family members
- successfully held summer school for multiple students
- put plans in place to allow for summer ball, weights, conditioning, and open the pool
- continued to offer daycare services
- stepped up and made a difference for our students’ education and health during a pandemic

Where are we going?

Shickley Public Schools will Feed the Good and Keep Moving Forward

Students: Continue to rise to the challenges that you will be presented with. The tenacity you develop during this time will certainly help you improve yourself moving forward.

Parents and Community: Thank you for continuing to entrust Shickley Public Schools with your children. We are so grateful to have the support of our parents and community; especially during these unknown times.

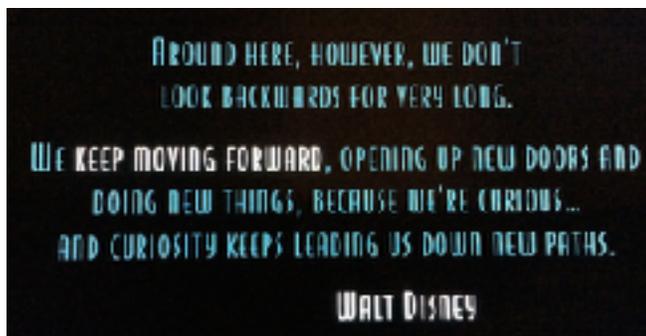
Staff: Continue to prepare each student for success. Never forget that every student is one caring adult away from being a success story. Every Student - Every Day - The Shickley Way!

My challenge to Shickley Public Schools' students, parents and community, and staff is to live *Feed the Good and Keep Moving Forward* each and every day at our school, at activities, and within our community and beyond as you represent Shickley Public Schools and the Shickley community.

May we all be kind, show grace, and have faith.

Feed the Good, and Keep Moving Forward!

Mrs. Sadie N. Coffey, Superintendent



Non-Public Consultation Notice

On August 10th at 5:00 pm, a meeting conducted by Shickley Public Schools will take place in the Superintendent's office at Shickley Public Schools. The purpose of the meeting will be to provide an opportunity for parents who have parentally placed their child in an approved and/or accredited nonpublic school or exempt home school and representatives of nonpublic schools to participate in the development of a plan for providing special education services to children with disabilities who attend an approved and/or accredited nonpublic schools and exempt home schools which are within the Shickley Public School district for the 2020-2021 school year. Parents of a homeschooled child or a child attending a nonpublic school who has been or may be identified with a disability and attend an approved and/or accredited nonpublic school within the boundaries of Shickley Public Schools, are urged to attend. If you have further questions pertaining to this meeting, please contact Sadie N. Coffey at (402)627-3375.

Parents of Student Athletes

There will be a variety of papers sent home with your student athlete that we need you fill out and send back to the front office or their respective coach. In the upcoming couple of weeks please ask your student athlete about these forms.

Supply Lists for 2020-2021 School Year

Mrs. Erickson's Supply List for Preschool

1 package of 200 piece google eyes
 1 package of 70 count paper plates
 2 rolls of colored masking tape
 1 package of 100 count pompoms
 3 cans of Playdough (4 oz)
 1 package of 100 stickers (kid's choice)
 1 folder (2 pocket folders)

1 paint smock or old t-shirt (for new preschoolers only)
 1 water bottle (to be kept at school, sent home to wash on your child's last day of the week)
 1 small blanket for nap time (to be kept at school, sent home to wash on your child's last day of the week)
 1 package Expo 8 count dry erase markers (any color)
 1 regular sized book bag (must hold child's artwork, folder, and spare clothes)

Mrs. Schultz's Supply List for Kindergarten

2 packages (4 each) of Expo dry erase markers (bullet tip)
 1 paint shirt
 1 water bottle with a lid
 1 large box of Kleenex
 1 container Lysol disinfecting wipes
 1 backpack
 1 box of Ziplock bags (boys bring gallon, girls bring quart)
 2 boxes of 8 Crayola crayons

20 #2 pencils
 1 large pink eraser
 12 Elmer's glue sticks
 1 yellow highlighter
 1 pair of earbuds
 1 pair of children's scissors
 2 containers of Playdough
 Your choice of 2 packages of the following craft supplies:
 glitter glue, pompoms, small stickers, or sequins

Mrs. Nelson's Supply List for First Grade

10-12 sharpened pencils (#2 work the best, please do not bring mechanical pencils)
 3 big erasers (the pink or tan ones work great)
 1 box of 8 crayons (put name on the box)
 1 small box of sharpened colored pencils (choose the fewest pencils possible, name brand sharpens best)
 1" hard binder (any color)

1 box of Kleenex
 1 container of disinfecting wipes
 Pencil box (5" x 8" work great, put name on box)
 1 folder for take-home papers or notes
 2 packages of 4 count dry erase markers (8 total markers)
 A filled water bottle each day
 Old shirt for art - please put name on it

Mrs. Mosier's Supply List for Second Grade

10-12 pencils
 2 pink erasers
 A box of 24 crayons
 A box of classic colored markers
 2 glue sticks
 1 box of Kleenex
 A paint shirt with child's name on it for art
 A small pencil box

4 sturdy folder with pockets on the inside - any design
 School book bag
 Earbuds for library and classroom (put child's name on them)
 1 container of disinfecting wipes
 2 boxes of dry erase markers (put name on box)
 Water bottle
 4-5 pictures about your summer

Miss Johnson's Supply List for Third Grade

24 - #2 pencils, no mechanical
 1 box of Kleenex
 Scissors
 Colored pencils - 24 count
 Highlighters - 4 pack
 12 markers - classic colors
 2 large erasers
 2 glue sticks

Dry erase markers - 4 count
 Pencil box
 2 single subject notebooks (wide ruled)
 2 pocket folders
 Pack of Post-It notes
 2 containers of Clorox disinfectant wipes
 1 pair of headphones

Mrs. Dickson's Supply List for Fourth Grade

24 #2 pencils
 6 glue sticks
 1 box markers (any size)
 6 dry erase markers (any color)
 1 package of white college-ruled loose leaf paper
 1 pencil box or bag

2 large boxes of Kleenex
 1 large or 2 small containers of disinfectant wipes
 1 box of zip bags (any size)
 2 pair of earbuds or headphones (one for the classroom and one for the library)

Mr. Schlegel's Supply List for Fifth Grade

Pencils (mechanical or #2)
 Pens (need black, can bring any colors)
 Dry erase markers (at least 4)
 2 big pink erasers

3 or 4 one subject notebooks
 Scissors
 Earbuds or headphones
 Water bottle

Mr. Schroeder's Supply List

5th Grade Social Studies

1 binder
 1 notebook
 1 folder

Loose leaf paper
 1 brown paper bag

6th Grade Supplies

3 - 1 inch binders
 4 bottom pocket folders
 Loose leaf paper - wide-ruled for all subjects
 3 one subject notebooks (math one needs to be at least 120 pages)
 2 boxes of Kleenex
 #2 Pencils (mechanical or regular)
 Pens (black or blue for work, no gel pens)
 Red pens for grading
 Pencil box or bag

3 large brown paper bags for covering books
 1 package of markers
 1 package of crayons (24 is plenty)
 12 inch ruler

Optional items

1 pillow for around the room to read on
 Water bottle
 Hand sanitizer

7th Grade Math Supply List

120 page notebook (college-ruled)
 Loose leaf paper
 1 binder

#2 pencils
 Pen for grading (not black)
 1 brown paper bag for covering book

Mrs. Snyder's Supply Lists

<u>Math 8</u> Lined Paper for homework Pencils for doing homework Pens for grading homework	Paper sack for making a book cover Calculator (scientific so you can use for the following years - phones will NOT be allowed)
<u>Algebra I and II, Advanced Math, Calculus, Math Standard</u> Lined Paper for homework Pencils for doing homework Pens for grading homework	Paper sack for making a book cover Scientific calculator (phone NOT allowed)
<u>Geometry</u> Lined Paper for homework Pencils for doing homework Pens for grading homework	Paper sack for making a book cover Scientific calculator (phone NOT allowed) 3" x 5" or 4" x 6" notecards

Mrs. Monica Noel's Supply Lists

<u>Junior High English Supplies</u> 1 2 inch 3-ring binder Package of page dividers (need at least 5 dividers) College-ruled loose leaf paper	Black, blue, and red pens Package of 3x5 notecards (lined or unlined) 1 set of multi-colored dry erase markers
<u>7th Grade Study Skills</u> 1 2 inch 3-ring binder Package of page dividers (need at least 5 dividers)	College-ruled loose leaf paper Blue, black, and read pens
<u>Senior College Readiness</u> 1 2 inch 3-ring binder Package of page dividers (need at least 5 dividers)	College-ruled loose leaf paper Blue, black, and read pens

Mrs. Morrison's Supply List for Junior High Vocal

1/2-1" binder 5 tab dividers	Loose leaf paper Pencil
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Mrs. Bonnie Noel's Supply Lists

<u>High School English Classes</u> Earbuds Composition Notebook Choice of writing utensil (pen, pencil, can be colorful, no neon)	Highlighters of many different colors Package of sticky notes 1.5 inch binder 1 package page dividers
<u>Speech</u> Package of lined 3 x 5 index cards 1.5 inch binder	1 package page dividers

Shickley FFA at Fillmore County Fair, by Miss Witte

The Fillmore County Fair took place July 9th-13th, 2020 in Geneva, Nebraska. Even though the fair was different with limited access to the grounds, the shows were streamed live on Exeter-Milligan's STRIV channel. The shows have been archived on E-M's STRIV channel. Shickley's FFA was well represented in all the shows, results are as follows:

Sheep Show:

Cadden Carlson - Champion FFA Showman, purple in breeding sheep, Reserve Champion Breeding Sheep, purple in market lambs

Cloey Carlson - Blue in showmanship, purple in market lambs

Hannah Miller - Blue in showmanship, purple and blue in market lambs

Lauren Richards - Reserve Champion FFA Showman, purple ribbon in breeding sheep, Champion Breeding Sheep, purple in market lambs

Reid Richards - Purple in showmanship, purple in breeding sheep, Reserve Champion Market Lamb

Brock Swartzendruber - Purple in showmanship, purple in market lambs, Champion Market Lamb

Lynley Swartzendruber - Purple in showmanship, purple in breeding sheep, two purples in market lambs

Swine Show:

Adam Alfs - Purple in showmanship, three purples in market swine, Reserve Champion Market Gilt

John Alfs - Reserve Champion FFA Showman, purple in breeding swine, Reserve Champion Breeding Swine, three purples in market swine, Champion Market Barrow, Reserve Champion Market Barrow, Champion and Reserve Champion Market Swine

Regan Alfs - Purple in showmanship, purple in breeding swine, three purples in market swine

Nicole Swartzendruber - Blue in showmanship, blue in market swine

Beef Show:

Adam Alfs - Blue in showmanship, Reserve Champion Market Heifer

Reid Richards - Purple in showmanship, Champion Feeder Calf, purple in market beef

Lauren Richards - Reserve Champion Feeder Calf

Seth Stenge I- Blue in showmanship, purple in breeding heifer

Nicole Swartzendruber - Blue in showmanship, two purples in market beef, Champion and Reserve Champion Market Steers, Champion Market Beef

Lynley Swartzendruber - Purple in showmanship, purple in breeding heifer, blue in market beef

Picture to the right are three FFA members who competed in the round Robin contest: Regan Alfs, Cadden Carlson, and Adam Alfs.

Congratulations to all the FFA members are a great fair!



Incoming 7th and 9th Grade Students Need Immunization Records and Physicals

All incoming 7th grade students are required to submit copies of their up-to-date immunization records and have a physical before the first day of school. All incoming 9th graders that will be participating in sports have to have a pre-participation physical before the first day of practice. All of these can be turned in any time over the summer to the front office.

Parents of Incoming Kindergarten Students, by Mrs. Schultz

Please see the below information regarding required documents for entering kindergarten in the fall. If you are new to the district, we would like to have enrollment information by June 30th, if possible.

You will need to bring **your child's official birth certificate (with raised seal) and an up-to-date immunization record to school**; we can then make copies to keep at school. State laws require that for your child to come to school, we must have a copy of their **official birth certificate (we cannot accept a copy from you; instead we must make the copy from the official form), updated immunization record, a current physical, and a vision exam**. Vision exams can be completed by your physician during the physical. Your physician will have a physical form to fill out. A **dental exam** is not required, however, it is recommended. **These documents must be turned in by the first day of school in August**. If you would like to turn them in once completed, feel free to drop them by the school throughout the summer.

Fillmore and Thayer County Clinics are both available and running for scheduled physicals and immunizations. York Urgent Care is able to do physicals, however, they do not administer immunizations. Each facility asks that you call ahead for a COVID-19 screening before arrival.

Note: If your child has a birth certificate on file with Mrs. Erickson, you should not need to bring a new copy, as she will just pass it along.

Exemptions to the vaccination requirement can be found at: <http://dhhs.ne.gov/Pages/School-Immunization.aspx>

If you have any questions, please contact the school or Mrs. Schultz, gschultz@longhornpower.org.

BDS Families, Patrons, and Communities

The following outlines the potential challenges and changes that could occur as a result of COVID-19.

BDS Athletics: All BDS athletic schedules, gym capacities, and use of masks will be determined by the current Directed Health Measure (DHM). BDS Athletics will be utilizing the Public Health Solutions risk dial, press releases, and guidance as well as the risk dials and determining factors of other health districts (when applicable) in making these determinations.

Capacity: For the safety of our athletes, families, patrons, and communities, the capacity of gymnasiums for spectators may be limited with the potential of games being made available by Striv only. All home games will continue to be on Striv for all to view. All away games will also be subject to capacity limitations.

Masks: For the safety of our athletes, families, patrons, and communities, the use of masks may be encouraged or required to attend athletic events home and/or away.

Communication: Please check social media, i.e. Facebook or Twitter, and/or the school announcements and bulletins to get the most up-to-date information. Since things can unexpectedly change quickly, we urge you to get the most up-to-date information before leaving to attend an athletic event.

Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

BDS Administrative Team

Dear Shickley Students and Families,

It is with great excitement that I am writing this letter of introduction to all of you as the new Pk-12 Principal here in Shickley. I am extremely fortunate to have the opportunity to work with the wonderful staff, students, and parents of the Shickley Public School District.

I graduated from Overton Public Schools and went on to attend Doane College where I pursued a teaching degree in History. I played football for four years and met my lovely wife Ashley. She played volleyball while getting her degree in elementary education and early childhood education. Since graduating with my bachelors degree I have obtained my masters degree in 7-12 administration. I am currently pursuing my specialist degree from Doane University which will give me the pk-6 portion of my administrative degree.

My career has consisted of teaching Social Studies for the past 9 years. I started my career at Anselmo-Merna Public Schools where I taught 7-12 Social Studies, I was also the head girls basketball coach and an assistant for the football team. Then I taught at Pender where I taught Social Studies, P.E., and Weights. I also ran the weight room during the summers. I was the head football coach and coached a myriad of junior high sports as well. For the past 5 years, I have taught Social Studies at Centennial Public School. I have coached football and basketball with a season of wrestling during my 5 years there.

Ashley will be going into her 6th year of teaching preschool at Centennial. She has also taught 1st and 2nd grade in her 11 year teaching career. She graduated from Exeter-Milligan Public Schools. My son, Morely, will be going into 3rd grade. He loves sports, music, and Star Wars. My daughter, Makrae, will be starting her first year of preschool. She loves music, reading books, and playing with her big brother.

I also want to take this chance to communicate with you about our plans on becoming members of the Shickley community. Since Mr. Sokol accepted a position a little bit later than normal, my wife and I have decided to live in Utica for the upcoming school year. Our intention is that Ashley will begin looking for a teaching position within the area in the spring. Then we will be moving to Shickley in the spring. So I will be commuting during this first school year.

With all of that being said, I am extremely excited to have this opportunity. I can't wait to get the school year underway so I can continue to learn about Shickley Public Schools and the community of Shickley. I am also looking forward to meeting and working with your children. If you ever have any questions please do not hesitate to come in and visit.

Sincerely,

Joshua L. Warren
Pk-12 Principal



