



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Week 18  
January 10 - January 14

2021-2022  
School Year



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Happy New Year! I hope that everyone had an enjoyable Christmas break, and is excited to be back for all the New Beginnings 2022 has to offer. A few points of interest that you will see more information about in this newsletter include the class picture order form, the 12:30 dismissal this Friday, and Catholic Schools Week. Anyone interested in assisting with Catholic Schools Week should reach out to Ms. Delaney Sullivan for more details. We are also in the midst of our winter Performance Series testing for grades 2-8. If you have any questions about Performance Series testing, please contact your child's teacher. Thank you for your continued support of our school and until next week, stay safe and be blessed. Families should have gotten an email with instructions about re-enrollment for the 2022-23 school year. Please complete the application no later than February 23.

## UPCOMING DATES

**Friday, December 14**

Early Dismissal/Dress Down Day

Pre-K: 12pm

K-2: 12:15pm

3-5: 12:30pm

6-8: 12:45

**2nd Quarter Ends**

**January 17**

No School MLK Day

**January 18 - 21**

Penny Wars

**January 30 - February 5**

Catholic Schools Week

**February 23**

Reenrollment Deadline



Catholic Schools Week is January 30 through February 5. Catholic Schools Week is a national celebration of Catholic education and an opportunity to recognize the importance, the value, and the contributions of Catholic education to the Church and communities they're in. This year, we want to show Danville what an awesome community Sacred Heart is.

We need help from parents and volunteers to make this a great week for our students. Please email Delaney Sullivan ([dsullivan@sheartschool.com](mailto:dsullivan@sheartschool.com)) if you want to join the Catholic Schools Week 2022 Volunteer Committee!

# VIRTUS SESSIONS

Please be sure to sign up for a VIRTUS session if you are a new family or you have not completed the course at SHCS before.

**There will be more volunteer opportunities as the year progresses and we don't want you to miss out on last minute chances to participate with your student!**

You can register for a session by heading to [virtus.org](https://virtus.org) and choosing Diocese of Richmond when creating your account.

## Session Dates:

January 19th- 5:30pm

February 16th- 9:30am

March 23rd- 5:30pm

April 13th- 9:30am

May 4th- 5:30pm

Students are continuing to go outside for recess. Please send your student with appropriate attire to assure that they are staying warm while getting fresh air and sunshine.

This may include: winter jackets (no hoodies), scarves, gloves, and hats.



## HAVE QUESTIONS? CONTACT US!

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Coming soon-- the 2022 Penny War! Start saving your change! In this competition, pennies count as positive points for classes, and they can negate the pennies of other classes with silver coins and dollars (so 100 pennies would be 100 points, but could be negated by 4 quarters or a dollar). Classes will compete for a special prize day at the end, and totals will be announced during Catholic Schools Week!



Picture order forms went home with students Monday. If you would like to order pictures, please have the form filled out and returned no later than Friday, January 28.

**Thank you Knights of Columbus for your support of SHCS!**



# Check out what's happening in the Library...

Before we left for Christmas break, students were able to "taste" our new books! They are now on the shelves for checkout.

## New Books, New Year!

Remember: SHCS has a wishlist on Amazon and at the Dog Eared Page - this is a great way to bring new titles into our school. Each book donated will receive a special donor label on the inside of the book.

## Volunteers Needed

The library is in need of some help each week to shelve books or help with things such as stamping new books.

No experience needed!

Available times to volunteer are Tuesdays or Thursdays in either the morning or afternoon. Sign up here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0F48AFAE2AABFCC-E9-library>

The Book Fair is coming back to SHCS! It will be March 30 - April 8.

More details to come.

## Digital Resources

Are you looking for great, virtual stories for your student? Try Storyline Online - a website that has various stories read by actors and actresses!

<https://storylineonline.net/>

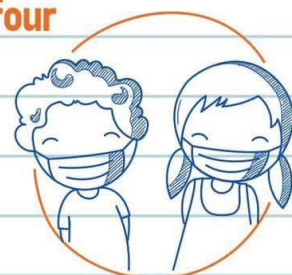






# FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION

In partnership with Danville Public Schools, VDH is hosting four COVID-19 vaccination clinics at the following locations:

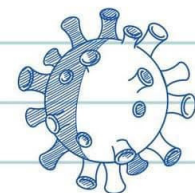


→ Saturday, Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> | 9AM- 11AM | Johnson Elementary  
• 680 Arnett Boulevard • Danville, Virginia

→ Saturday, Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> | 9AM- 11AM | Park Ave. Elementary  
• 661 Park Avenue • Danville, Virginia

→ Saturday, Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> | 9AM- 11AM | Schoolfield Elementary  
• 1400 West Main Street • Danville, Virginia

→ Saturday, Jan. 29<sup>th</sup> | 9AM- 11AM | Gibson Elementary  
• 1215 Industrial Avenue • Danville, Virginia



Community members are welcome to attend. Registration is preferred, but walk-ins are welcome. Minors **MUST** be accompanied by a parent or guardian!



Scan here to register or visit online  
at [tinyurl.com/2p98aa5m](https://tinyurl.com/2p98aa5m)

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