

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SFES?

2019 - 2020

FOR MORE DETAILS ON ANY OF THE PROGRAMS BELOW, FEEL FREE TO CALL US AT 410-313-6900

AUGUST

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT/ TITLE I ANNUAL MEETING

AUGUST 29..... PRE K & KINDERGARTEN @ 6:00 – 7:30PM
GENERAL SCHOOL INFORMATION @ 6:00
PRE K PRESENTATION @ 6:30
KINDERGARTEN PRESENTATION @ 6:30

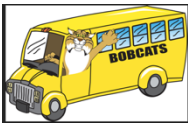
SEPTEMBER 16 ...GRADES 3, 4 AND 5 @ 6:00 – 7:30
GT ORIENTATION @ 5:30
GENERAL SCHOOL INFORMATION @ 6:00
GRADE 3 PRESENTATION @ 6:30
GRADE 4&5 PRESENTATION @ 6:30

SEPTEMBER 19...GRADES 1 & 2 @ 6:00 – 7:30
GENERAL SCHOOL INFORMATION GR 1 & 2 @ 6:00
GRADE 1 PRESENTATION @ 6:30
GRADE 2 PRESENTATION @ 6:30

Parents, you are invited to meet your child's teacher(s), hear about what your child is doing in school, and see their classroom. Learn about the school day schedule, general objectives, behavior rules, and homework expectations.

Learn ways you can educate your child at home, how to volunteer within the school, as well as how to join our School Improvement Team. Learn more about the PTA, Title I, and help make decisions about parent involvement programs, Title I budgets, School/Family Compact and Plan, and staff development.
Transportation/childcare/interpreters available upon request

SEPTEMBER



SNOWBALLS & FAMILY FUN SEPTEMBER 12, 6:00 {RAINDATE SEPT. 13} SFES Playground

This is a wonderful "welcome back" celebration! It's fun and it's FREE! We'll have snowballs, and activities for the kids. Bring a picnic dinner or purchase food at a visiting food truck. This is a great way to get to know our SFES community.

REFLECTIONS ART PROGRAM SEPTEMBER 8 - NOVEMBER 8

Calling all artists!!! Reflections is a PTA-sponsored art contest encouraging students to reflect on a theme and respond through various forms of art. This year's theme is "Look Within". Students can interpret their thoughts through visual arts, film production, dance composition, photography, literature and music composition. Submissions will be judged and the top three advance to the county competition.

PRE K PLAYGROUND PLAYDATE SEPTEMBER 28, 11:00am SFES Playground

This is an opportunity for children and parents, both, to meet new friends. It's a fun way to get together and enjoy the day!

OCTOBER

>>INVITATION ONLY<< CAMINO A LA UNIVERSIDAD OCTOBER 2, 7:00pm at SFES

This meeting is targeted to our Spanish-speaking parents. Useful information for academic success in elementary school and some college readiness topics will be explored.

OAKLAND MILLS FALL FESTIVAL OCTOBER 5, 11:00AM – 4:00PM

Come to the Oakland Mills Fall Festival at the Other Barn for family fun and a chance to support your PTA. We'll be selling hot dogs, drinks and snacks.

>>INVITATION ONLY<< PRE K LEARNING PARTIES

OCTOBER 10.....4:05 – 5:30pm
OCTOBER 15.....4:05 – 5:30pm
OCTOBER 22.....4:05 – 5:30pm
OCTOBER 29.....4:05 – 5:30pm

This program is once a week for four weeks, with snacks provided each week. Parents and children will learn about wonderfully, positive social and emotional skills and how to encourage the use of these skills. Each week families will take home materials and games to use at home in order to reinforce these skills.

KINDERGARTEN FAMILY MATH & READING ORIENTATION NIGHT OCTOBER 15, 6:00 – 7:00pm

Join the Kindergarten teachers to learn ways to help your child become a reader and play number sense/ counting games with your child. Kindergarten expectations for reading and math will be shared. Each family will receive a book and math game materials to take home!

Transportation, childcare, and interpreters available upon request

DISCIPLINE & COMMUNICATION PARENT WORKSHOP

PART ONE ~ OCTOBER 17, 6:00-8:00pm

This workshop will help you understand how to set the stage to create positive behavior; proactively prevent misbehavior and communicate effectively with your child.

PART TWO ~ OCTOBER 24, 6:00-8:00pm

This workshop will help you learn how to teach your child self control and problem solving techniques, as well as helping you develop appropriate rules and consequences. Leave with practical strategies to implement immediately!

OCTOBER TRUNK OR TREAT OCTOBER 25, 6:00PM SFES Parking Lot

Another FREE event! Join us in decorating your car and handing out Halloween treats to student trick-or-treaters. Or just bring the family for some safe Halloween fun.



NOVEMBER

MATH & READING DETECTIVE FAMILY NIGHT "EXPLORE YOUR WORLD" NOVEMBER 7... 6:30 – 8:00

Math and reading are everywhere! Join us to find out how you can help your child learn math and reading in their daily lives. The whole family will work together to practice math and reading skills. Families will leave with ideas that can be used at home.

STRINGAPALOOZA NOVEMBER 12, Time TBD

This event will be held at Oakland Mills High School. It includes all the 4th and 5th grade String Instrument Programs that will go to Oakland Mills Middle School as well as the OMMS and OMHS orchestras.

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES NOVEMBER 25, 26, 27

This is an important time to meet with your child's teacher so you can hear about their progress and ways to help them excel in school. You will review your child's academic goals, as well as have an opportunity to provide feedback on the SFES Parent/Teacher/Student Compact. Information on the upcoming MAP and PARCC assessments will also be shared.

Transportation/childcare/interpreters available upon request

DECEMBER FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT DECEMBER 6, 6:00 – 8:00PM

Bring the whole family and enjoy a SFES family movie night. You bring the blankets and we'll supply the hot chocolate and popcorn for free!



ALL YEAR LONG MONTHLY PTA MEETINGS 2nd Tuesday of each month 6:30pm, Media Center

Any and all are welcome to attend! We would love to hear your ideas, as we work together to help our students and teachers.