



SC Scoop

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Information deadline for the next issue of the *SC Scoop* is Thurs., Feb. 14 at 9:00 AM. The *Scoop* box is located in the main office.

COAST TO COAST ACCOMPLISHMENT BY SC PARENT

PTSA is proud to announce that our speaker on **Feb. 12** will be Craig Sternagel, a former SC parent. Craig rode his bike across the US last summer to raise funds for a village in Sudan based on his friendship with one of Sudan's "lost boys," a former SC student. Although Craig's original goal was fundraising, he found that the physical and mental challenges of the ride made him realize he was capable of accomplishing things he never thought possible. For those parents who are, or will soon be, empty nesters, Craig's experiences could be the inspiration you need for the next phase of your life. Please join us at 7:00 PM in the SC Library.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- 2-12 PTSA meeting, 7:00 PM, library, see information above.
- 2-15 to 19 No school, mid-winter break
- 2-25 School board meeting, 7:30 PM, Shoreline Center Board Room

MUSIC NOTES

* Wind Ensemble performs at the Eastside Band Festival on Feb. 13, 7:30 PM in SC gym.

PTSA NEWS

* **Just Because We Love You:** PTSA will be bringing a Valentine Surprise to Shorecrest students, teachers and staff on Thursday, Feb. 14 during TAP. Last year's cupcakes were a big success! To do it again we need all the bakers we can get. If you can help by baking two to four dozen cupcakes, please contact Maureen Robertson (lmktdrobertson@hotmail.com; 206-367-8689) or Erin Gordon (ergordon@comcast.net; 206-362-1001). You can either bake or purchase the cupcakes. Please deliver them to the Shorecrest Main Office on Feb. 14 between 7AM and 9AM. If you have a tray you want back, be sure to label it and your student can pick it up from the office the same day. We also need 12 volunteers to help set up and serve.

* **Focus Day:** Parents interested in attending Focus Day on Feb. 13 in Olympia may ride a bus with other Shoreline riders. It will stop at the parking lot on the north side of the Senior Center on NE 185th and 1st Ave NE. The schedule is 7:15 AM departure and 5 PM return. The cost is \$20 per rider. Contact Cliff Hansen at clifford.hansen@verizonbusiness.com or Kendahl Adjorlolo at adjor@gte.net for more information.

* **Nominate Outstanding Educators and Volunteers now!** Here's your chance to honor that volunteer or educator who goes "above and beyond." Nomination forms for the 2008 PTSA Golden Acorn and Outstanding Educator are available in the main office or at the PTSA link on the SC website. Nominations are due Feb. 26, and can be e-mailed to Cheryl McKeon (mckrocker@comcast.net) or dropped in the PTSA mailbox in the office.

* Congratulations to three Shorecrest students chosen as finalists for their Photography entries in the Shoreline Council level of the PTSA **Reflections** Program. We're pleased to announce that out of our 15 finalists represented at the all-District Reflections Reception on Jan. 16, 2008, Kaitlyn May, Richard (Chris) Rice, and Rebecca Webb have had their entries move on to the Washington State level of the National PTA's Reflections Program.

* Next **Scrip** order deadline is Feb 14. Go to <http://www.shorecrestptsa.org/fundraising.html> for the form.

* **State Attorney General**, Rob McKenna, will speak at Shorecrest on Tuesday March 11, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the Shorecrest gym, on the issue: "Teens and Alcohol, and the Liabilities Parents Face." Don't miss the opportunity to hear him and ask questions.

* Don't forget to check the PTSA website to see if you can supply an item desired by a teacher on the **Teacher Wish List**.

* **Ink and toner** cartridges for recycling-and-fundraising can be left in the collection box in the Shorecrest main office. Tell your friends and neighbors! Cya Arroyo is Committee Chair for this project if you have questions (1longhare@comcast.net).

REMINDERS TO THE SENIOR CLASS AND SENIOR PROJECTS

* **Seniors:** Join 100 of your closest friends and register for Senior Spree, the all night graduation celebration. Register by Feb. 29 and be eligible to win one of two American Express pre-paid gift cards. All students who are signed up will be entered into the drawing. Ticket price is \$160.

* **Senior Projects:** Research paper due Feb. 11. Log Sheet 4 or 10-15 page final draft will be due Feb. 25.

COLLEGE OUTLOOK AND CAREER CENTER

* Continue to check out **scholarship** opportunities on the Career Center Website (Shorecrest – Dept –Career Center – Documents – Scholarships). They are updated every week.

* The **Summer** opportunities document has also been recently updated for 2008 and is worth a look.

* A Spring **college fair** is scheduled for March 15 at Seattle University's Connolly Center from 12-3 PM. More than 120 colleges and universities will be represented.

* A representative from **Shoreline Community College** will be in the Career Center on March 4 at both TAP and lunch. He will present an overview of community colleges in the area and why a community college might be the right choice.

* Juniors: think about taking the SAT or ACT this spring. Prep classes are available in the area (satprep.org).

* **ACT and SAT** upcoming test dates:

SAT	5-03-08 (register by 4-1)	6-07-08 (register by 5-6)
ACT	4-12-08 (register by 3-7)	6-14-08 (register by 5-9)

How to register: Register online at www.collegeboard.com for SAT or www.actstudent.org for ACT.

Shorecrest's website is located at www.shorelineschools.org/Shorecrest

Main Office	361-4286	Counseling	361-4296	Activities Coordinator (Britt Harris)	361-4302
Fax	361-4284	Library	361-4311	ASB/Athletics Accts. (Nancy Velie)	361-4291
Attendance	361-4294	Career Center	361-4312	Drug/Alcohol Counselor (Jennifer Yost)	361-4313
Nurse	361-4308	AD (Lane Loland)	361-4309	Community Service/Senior Projects	361-4285

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SC DAILY SCHEDULE: (A = 1-TAP-3-Lunch-5, B = 2-TAP-4-Lunch-6, C = 1-2-TAP-3-4-Lunch-5-6)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
February	11- C day	12 – B day	13- A day	14 – C day	15 – no school
	18- no school	19-no school	20-C day	21-B day	22-A day
	25 - C day	26 – B day	27- A day	28 – B day	29 – A day

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

* Time sheets for the Presidential Award are due March 8

BOOSTERS NEWS

* Help our students keep the Shorecrest Spirit and join the Boosters. Visit our website (shorecrestboosters.org) to learn more about how we assist in keeping our activities, clubs and sports alive. Become a Booster member, volunteer for the Auction (May 17), attend the auction – it all helps. We have a great time planning this event and sharing the success with the school. We would love for you to join us. Meetings are the first Wednesday of the month. The next meeting is March 5 at the Shoreline Center at 7PM in the Alumni room. Food and drinks are provided.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

* Turn in your **Spring sports packets** for track, baseball, softball, golf, boys soccer or girls tennis by **Feb. 21**. Spring sports begin Mon., Feb. 25. A new packet is required for each sports season, but only one physical exam is required per year. .

* **8th Grade Parent Night at Shorecrest** will be Tuesday, Feb. 26 from 6 - 8:15 PM. Parents of 8th graders will receive complete information.

* Recycle your outgrown, unused, and no longer loved stuff at the Second Annual **Kellogg PTSA Rummage Sale** Saturday, March 15 from 8 – 3 in the Kellogg cafeteria. Donors can drop off items in Kellogg Room 607 on Feb. 28 & 29, March 6 & 7, and March 13 & 14 from 2:30 - 3:30PM, or other times by appointment with Sale Chair Margaret Stoermer (mstoermer@qwest.net).

LOOKING AHEAD...

March 10-13 - WASL testing

March 11- Attorney General Rob McKenna speaks at Shorecrest

WINTER SPORTS - Check the website for the up-to-date schedule: http://schools.shorelineschools.org/shorecrest/asb/athletics/Winter_sports.php

	Date	Day	Who	Opponent	Where	Time
Boys Basketball	2-12	Tues	V	3A Wesco Tourn S3/N2	North #2	7:30
	2-15	Fri	V	3A Wesco Tourn S2/Tue W	S1/N1 Girls #1 Best Win%	6:00
	2-19	Tues	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 1-4	Higher Seed	7:30
	2-21	Thurs	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 5-6	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	2-22	Fri	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 7-8	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	2-25	Mon	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 9-10	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	2-27	Wed	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 11-12	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	3-1	Sat	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 13	Arlington	6:00
	3-5	Wed	V	3A State Tournament	Key Arena/UW (Mar 5-8)	
Girls Basketball	2-12	Tues	V	3A Wesco Tourn S3/N2	North #2	7:30
	2-14	Thurs	V	3A Wesco Tourn S2/Tue W	North #1 Boys	6:00
	2-15	Fri	V	3A Wesco Tourn S1/N1	North #1 Girls	8:00
	2-20	Wed	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 1-4	Higher seed	7:30
	2-23	Sat	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 5-6	Arlington	12/2/6/8:00
	2-26	Tues	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 9-10	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	2-28	Thurs	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 11-12	Arlington	6:00/8:00
	3-1	Sat	V	3A Dist Tourn Games 13	Arlington	8:00
	3-5	Wed	V	3A State Tournament	Key Arena/UW (Mar 5-8)	
Gymnastics	2-15	Fri		State Tournament	Tacoma Dome	
	2-16	Sat		State Tournament	Tacoma Dome	
Boys Swim/Dive	2-15	Fri		3A State Swim/Dive	KC Aquatics Center	
	2-16	Sat		3A State Swim/Dive	KC Aquatics Center	
Wrestling	2-15	Fri	V	3A Mat Classic	Tacoma Dome	
	2-16	Sat	V	3A Mat Classic	Tacoma Dome	