



# WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER

INFORMATION FOR SEPTEMBER 11 - 15, 2023

## UPCOMING EVENTS

See what's happening this month.

#### NASIS PARENT/STUDENT PORTAL

Access assignments, grades and more.

# PARTNERSHIP FOR STUDENT SUCCESS HANDBOOK

Discover what's new in the **handbook**.

## SFIS DAILY BULLETIN

Stay in the know.

#### COVID MITIGATION CENTER

View mitigation information and updates

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2023-24 School Calendar

Student Fee & Other Payments

## September's Core Value: Respect

Showing consideration for and valuing everyone's needs, perspectives, and opinions.

#### Week At A Glance

TODAY (Friday, 9/8): C-Team & JV Lady Braves Volleyball Invite. (Day 1)

#### Saturday, 9/9:

- HS & MS Running Braves/Lady Braves XC @ Jemez Valley.
- MS Lady Braves Volleyball @ Memorial Invite.
- C-Team & JV Lady Braves Volleyball Invite. (Day 2)

#### Sunday, 9/10:

#### Monday, 9/11:

#### Tuesday, 9/12:

- Lady Braves Soccer vs. ATC.
- Lady Braves Volleyball @ Bosque Prep.

#### Wednesday, 9/13:

- MS Braves Football @ Espanola.
- MS Lady Braves Volleyball vs. Taos.

#### Thursday, 9/14:

#### Friday, 9/15:

- Early Release @ 2:00 p.m.
- Varsity Lady Braves Volleyball @ Capital High School.
- HOMECOMING GAME: Braves Football vs. McCurdy @ 7 p.m.

#### Saturday, 9/16:

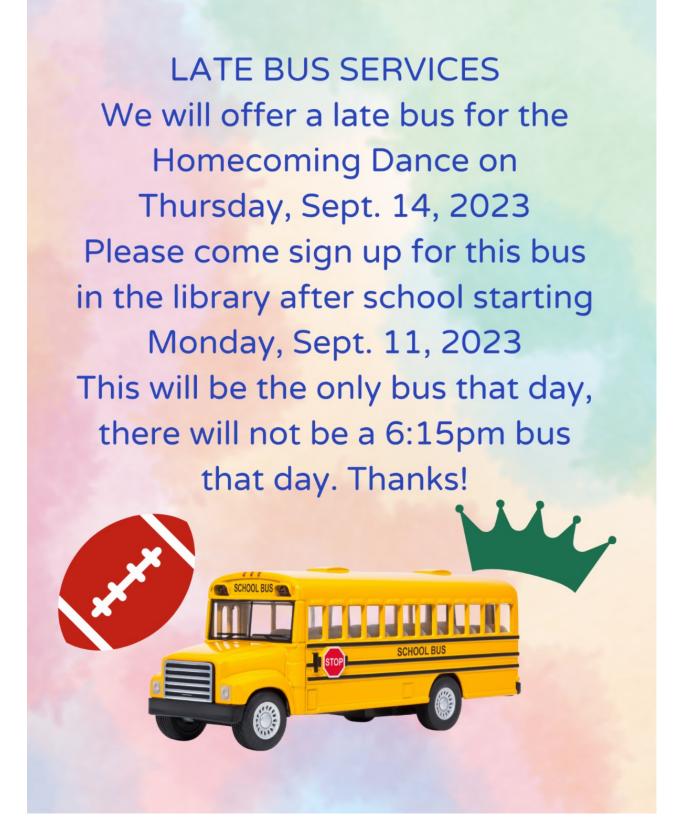
 HS & MS Running Braves/Lady Braves XC @ Laguna Acoma.

Please click on the "Upcoming Events" link for game times.





Late Bus Services



Please contact our Late Bus

Monitor if your student signed up
for the late bus, and got picked
 up by a parent/guardian.
 LB Monitor

Christina Leno 505-629-2521
21st Century Coordinator

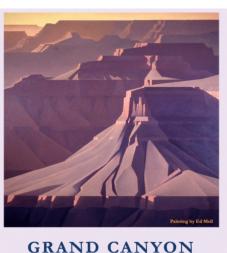
Mr H. 505-720-6906
Thank you!



## **Music Department**

Five current and former SFIS music students participated in the recent 40<sup>th</sup> annual Grand Canyon Music Festival. A concert featuring their original music was performed on Sunday, September 3, and broadcast on Arizona PBS television.





MUSIC FESTIVAL

The 40th Anniversary Season September 1 - 16, 2023 Under the leadership of Arlene Huber and the SFIS Gifted and Talented Program, students Matthias Nabahe, Mateo Poncho, Ziinos Miranda, Ethan Haceesa, and Jireh Garcia studied music composition in January 2023 with Raven Chacon, the 2022 Pulitzer Prize recipient in Music.

The five joined students from across Arizona and New Mexico as part of the NACAP - Native American Composer Apprentice Project. More information can be found

here: <a href="https://grandcanyonmusicfest.org/">https://grandcanyonmusicfest.org/</a> native-american-composer-apprenticeproject/

Congratulations to our talented music students!

#### Middle School Academics



#### **SFIS Middle School Fall Sports**

## September 2023

# **Braves Football**9/6 @ Taos 4pm (A) 9/13 @ Espanola 4pm (A) 9/20 vs. Memorial 6pm (H)

9/27 vs. Milagro 6pm (H)



#### Lady Braves volleyball

9/6 vs. Pecos 4pm (H)

9/7 vs. St. Mikes 4pm (H)

9/9 @ Las Vegas Memorial TBA (A)

9/13 vs. Taos 4pm (H)

9/18 @ Estancia 5pm (A)

9/20 vs. El Dorado 4pm (H)

9/23 @ Aspen 9am (A)

9/28 @ Mandela 4pm (A)

#### **Cross Country**

9/2 ATC invite (Santa Fe) 8am 9/9 Jemez Valley Invite 8am 9/15 Laguna Acoma Invite 3:30pm 9/23 Rio Rancho Jamboree 9am 9/30 Capital City (SF High) Invite 9am



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	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						Dorms Close @ 6pm	2 XC Acoma Feast Day
	3	Dorms open @ 4pm	Sign up for EP class 6:30pm	Spirit Day! Study Hall 6:50pm-7:50pm	7 LAS Testing Scrub/ CC	TGIF Full day	9 <b>*XC</b> •
)	Dorms open @ 4pm	Game Night  Comp 6pm  EP Session #1  4pm - 5pm	12 National Ants on a log Day! 6:30pm	Spirit Day Homecoming Assembly 2:50pm "Crown out court" Omecoming We	14 Homecoming/Bday Dance at Abeyta @ 6pm-8pm Day students wel- come Scrub/ CC	15 Pep Rally 12:30p - 2pm Class colors/ Crazy Hair Day HS Football Game 7:00 pm	16
	Dorms open @ 4pm	18 EINGO 6pm  EP Session #2 4pm - 5pm	19 8th grade field trip to Laguna Pool Tournament 6:30pm—8pm Sign up on floors	Tailgating at the Football field 5pm	21 National Pecan Cookie Day! Cookie baking 7pm-8pm Sign up on floors Scrub/ CC	Open House at Academics 4pm - 5:30pm Early Release 2pm	23 <b>&gt;XC</b> -
•	MSD Open House Dorms open @ 4pm	Need for Speed 6Dm EP Session #3 4pm - 5pm	26 National Pancake Day! Pancake Making 6:30pm	Spirit Day! SFIS Convocation	National Good Neighbor Day! Make your neighbor (suitemate) a card 4pm Scrub/ CC	TGIF	30 <b>&gt;XC</b>

#### Study Hall:

**Monday:** 6:50pm—7:50pm

Tuesday: 3:50pm—4:50pm

Wednesday: 3:50pm—4:50pm Thursday: 6:50pm—7:50pm

Sports Study Hall:

Monday—Thursday:

6:50pm—7:50pm

#### Upcoming events:

9/7—LAS Testing (8th Period)

9/11-9/15 Home coming week

9/11 EP starts

9/17—9/19 Tailgate donations will be accepted

9/19 8th grade field trip to Laguna

9/20 Tailgate party at football field

9/22 Open house at academics

4pm—5:30pm

9/24 Dorm open house

9/27 SFIS Convocation

#### \*\*TAILGATE DONATION LIST\*

Peggy (2nd floor boys) - Watermelo Ashley (1st floor boys) - Gatorade

Nkki (2nd floor girts) - Soda

Thank you for your donations

#### MID SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Dear SFIS Family and Friends,

The month of September is going to be a very busy and exciting month for our students. Be on the lookout for our monthly calendars and newsletter's to keep you up to date on important academic dates, sporting events, and dormitory activities. This is a great way for you to stay informed and connected to your students daily school and activity schedule.

Our Core Value for the month is Respect and our Foundational Topic is Education. The Health and Wellness focus is SRS Anti-Bullying campaign—"We are Braves not Bullies". Please take some time

and talk about what respect is with your student, respecting staff, teachers, peers, etc.

Congratulations to all the students who have made a commitment to being a Brave/Lady Brave!

Football, Cross Country, Volleyball, and Soccer athletes are working hard attending practice every-day and keeping up with school work. While they are working hard on the field, course, or court, our dorm staff will continue to keep them on track. Please join us for all of their home and away games and help us cheer on our Braves and Lady Braves!!

Our tailgate party is on September 20th. Please come join us as our Mid school Braves football team will host Memorial. Game time is 6pm but tailgate will begin at 5pm. Mid school dorm staff will be at the north end of the football field firing up the grill. Join us for some good food as we cheer on our Braves! Because this event is getting bigger each year we would like to ask our families for help with drinks and melons donations. Please see \*Tailgate Donation List\*

Count week begins on Sunday September 24th through October 14th. It is important that your student is present in the dorms for this time. Our dorm program receives funding based on our student attendance. There will be an incentive for those students who meet the attendance requirement.

A friendly reminder to parents and guardians to please check your student in before 9pm any day of the week per the SFIS handbook. Also, when dropping off any items/food for your student please drop it off before 9pm. Please encourage your student to eat at the cafeteria for breakfast, lunch, and dinner, our cooks here at SFIS work hard to provide everyone with a hot delicious meal everyday. Also, a reminder for early release days, students are allowed to ride the 2:52pm train and the regular 4:20pm train. A bus transports them to the RR station at South Capital and on Sundays a bus picks up students at 7:50pm. Please inform your students SLA/RA by Wednesday if your student will be riding the train. If you have any questions regarding any activities or events, please feel free to contact your students SLA/RA or Jeri the Rec & Prevention specialist at (505) 372-9709

#### <u>July Birthdays</u>

Ventura G. 7/1

Lucia C. 7/8

Christian R. 7/10

Jacqueleen N. 7/14

Sean D. 7/15

Alyse L. 7/17

Tehya C. 7/25

Santiago S. 7/25 Anneli K. 7/26

#### August Birthdays

Darren P. 8/5

Evangeline S. 8/8

Isaiah M. 8/10 Arivanna Q. 8/18

Kailani S. 8/18

Abrianne L. 8/18

Yahnozha A. 8/26

Delaney G. 8/29

#### September Birthdays

Kendall T. 9/1

Gabriel D. 9/2

Ariahliya R. 9/3

Toni R. 9/3

Keola P. 9/5

Laneya G. 9/11

Kadynce V. 9/15

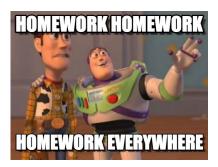
Jaidyn L. 9/18

Kingston C-S. 9/20

Briella G. 9/24

## Homework Help

Research has shown that tutoring is a highly effective method for students to enhance their academic performance, specifically in test scores. By providing a tailored approach to learning, tutoring can cater to your unique learning style and individual needs. You can submit a tutor request by scanning the QR code on the flyer.





### Parent Advisory Council (PAC)

About: The Parent Advisory Council (PAC) supports and serves in a liaison capacity to the Superintendent and the Board of Trustees. The PAC sponsors various activities on campus and is a valuable resource and support network for both day and residential parents.

Membership: The Parent Advisory
Council has seven members with the
following representation: two members from
the Eight Northern Pueblos, two members
from the Middle Rio Grande Pueblos, two
members from the Southern and Western
Pueblos, and one At-Large member. PAC
members serve voluntarily, and SFIS
encourages parents and guardians of
enrolled students to serve as members of
the PAC.

<u>PAC monthly meetings</u> are open to all parents who would like to attend. Meetings are in person and Zoom on the third Friday

You are invited to be a



#### SFIS PAC MEMBER

Looking for representation from the Southern and Western, and the Middle

**Rio Grande Regions** 

NEXT SFIS PAC MEETING: September 15, 2023, 1:00pm SFIS CAMPUS

- Help us to support SFIS strategic initiatives and parent associated with school improvements.
- Provide feedback regarding the operations from SFIS parent's perspectives.
- Opportunity for parents to meet regionally.
- Serve as role models for the SFIS school community.

## **Community Information**







Santa Fe Indian School

# HOMECOMING FARMERS MARKET

Friday, September 15, 2023 4:00pm to 7:00pm Free Community Vendor Spaces Check In- 3:30pm to 5:30pm Thomas Atencio Field Parking Lot

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
MATT PECOS-505-699-6372 OR
SHYANNE EUSTACE- 505-709-8727

#### **Events**

## Bring Your Child to Work Day

On Labor Day, the staff had an all-day workday, and they were encouraged to bring their children to work. During the day, the children had the opportunity to spend time with their parents in their work environments and participate in a variety of activities on campus, such as cupcake decorating, decorating SFIS water bottles with stickers, scavenger hunts, outdoor

activities, and more. It was a fun-filled day that ended with a snowcone treat. Thank you to all the staff who made this a successful day for our future Braves and Lady Braves.

## Welcome to the SFIS family!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to the new staff members who joined us at the end of the previous school year, as well as those who have recently joined us for the current school year. We are thrilled to have you all on board and are excited for the wonderful 2023-2024 school year ahead!

- Julianna Arquero, MSA Receptionist
- **Jerry Crespin,** MSA ELA Teacher
- Zachary Quintana, MS Residential Living Advisor
- Cordell Baker, Clinical Counselor
- Kelli Trueblood-Graves, Clinical Counselor
- Perry Chavez, Security Guard
- Michael Bancroft, Middle School Math
- Khadijha Jackson, Head Girls Basketball
- **Kianna Lovato**, Family Engagement Coordinator
- **Brenna Martinez**, Custodian
- Phyllis Mayfield, Middle School SPED Teacher
- Monica Romero, Asst. Girls Basketball Coach
- **Thomas Sullivan**, Middle School Science
- Adrian Tortalita, High School Residential Advisor

- Kanisha Chavez, High School Residential Advisor
- James Snyder, Academic Data Specialist & Instructional Coordinator
- Nicholas Cashmere, Head Soccer Coach
- Theresa Aguilar, High School Residential **Advisor**
- Jamilah Pacheco, High School Residential Advisor
- **Elaine Pino**, High School Reading Teacher
- **Regis Pecos**, Leadership Institute Co-Director
- Jaden Othole, IT Tech-Tier I
- Rosita Dasheno, Administration Receptionist
- **Jeffery Honawa**, Bus Driver
- **Iesha Pacheco**, High School Culinary Arts Teacher
- Savannah Reeder, Middle School Residential Advisor
- Pearlita Begay, Middle School Residential Advisor
- Lonna Valdez, Student Wellness Director
- Jacob Weisberg, High School PASS Teacher

## **SFIS Employment Opportunities**

#### **Benefits Coordinator**

Department: Human Resources

Post Date: 09/01/2023 Close Date: 09/17/2023

#### Residential Advisor (SY 23-24)

Department: MS Student Living

Post Date: 08/21/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

#### Residential Advisor (SY 23-24)

Department: HS Student Living

Post Date: 08/21/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

#### **HVAC Technician**

Department: Facilities Management

Post Date: 08/18/2023

#### Clinical Counselor

Department: Administrative Services

Post Date: 08/18/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

#### Administrative Assistant I (Tribal Broadband & SFIS IT Dept)

Department: Information Technology

Post Date: 08/18/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

#### Substance Abuse (LADAC) Counselor

Department: Administrative Services

Post Date: 08/18/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

## All Substitutes - Multiple Vacancies for each

position

Close Date: Open until filled

**Security Guard** 

Department: Security Office Post Date: 08/18/2023 Close Date: Open until filled Post Date: 08/18/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

#### Bus Driver (SY 23-24)

Department: Transportation Post Date: 09/07/2023 Close Date: Open until filled

**SFIS Job Application** 

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