Sharks Love Chocolate!
The Spring Easter Candy sale is on from now through Feb. 23. Catalogs & order forms were handed out in homeroom and the sale is online this year. You will enter in your order and then send payment into the school. The candy sale is the only fundraiser we hold for Athletics. The proceeds help pay for some of the extras for our teams. Your participation is greatly appreciated. Please contact Mrs. Rooney if you have any questions about the sale. Thank you for your support and Go Sharks!

Under the Sea Father Daughter Dance
Last week for Under the Sea dance tickets! (formerly Father Daughter Dance) Online, via form or in person during lunch 2/5. Ticket price increase effective 2/7! See the link for details...
https://www.sacredheartacademy.org/apps/pages/father-daughter-2020

Raffle Tickets - DUE February 7
Next week is the last week to turn in raffle tickets to be entered into the drawing. Send in the completed ticket stubs and money to the school office by Fri., Feb. 7. The drawing will take place at the SHA Coffee House on Tues., Feb. 11.

Remember - you can pay online now and have your tickets generated for you by using this link: www.sacredheartacademy.org/apps/pages/raffle. As an incentive for the girls to turn their tickets in, the class with the highest percentage of tickets turned in will receive an ice cream treat during lunch the following week. If you have any questions please contact Lori Hurley at lhurley@sacredheartacademy.org or 834-2101 ext. 316. Thank you!

February Calendar
The February 2020 calendar is attached for your information.

Clean Out your Bookshelf & Help Others
Soph., Paige Duggan, is partnering with For Every Little Handprint to help them launch their literacy program by holding a book drive at SHA until February 28. Gently used or new books that are below a fifth grade reading level are being collected and will be dispersed to less fortunate children throughout Buffalo. Books can be dropped off at the school Main Office. Thank you in advance!

Coffee House 2020
All are invited to attend this year’s edition of Coffee House - 'I Love you a Latte!' - a casual & relaxed evening of music, poetry, and dance -performed by our many talented SHA students. The Coffee House will take place on Tues., Feb. 11th from 7-9 pm at our new location - Daemen College Wick Social Rm.! Admission is $10 for adults/$5 for students & includes hot beverages and treats. What a great way to beat the winter 'blahs'! The Sandstone Raffle winners will be picked at this event as well! We look forward to seeing you there!
Parents of AP Students
If your daughter is enrolled in an AP course(s), she received the Bulletin for AP Students and Parents this week. Please review with your daughter. If there are any questions, please contact Jeanette Piscitello at 834-2101 ext. 315. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Upcoming Music Events - Please Save the Dates
February
11 SHA Coffee House & Musical Desserts (7-9 pm) @ Daeman College (CS, OR, WE, MT)
17-21 Winter Break
26 Mass - Ash Wednesday (MM)

March
18 Reconciliation Services
20 No Classes - PD Day
20-21 All-County Festival JH @ Akron
27-28 All County Festival SH @ UB North Campus

Day of SHAring
A highlight of our year is our Annual Day of SHAring - it's a school-wide day of service where we put our Franciscan values into practice by sharing our gifts and talents with the greater WNY community. The key to the success of that day is parent involvement. Simply stated, we need Y-O-U!

We are looking for parents who would be willing to spend the day, in service with their daughter and her classmates. Can't give the entire day to DOS? We need need for lots of volunteers in other ways in order to make the day happen: people who would be willing to drive to & from, but can't stay; people to help with the post-service celebration, etc.

Please consider helping us make our 15th Day of SHAring the best one yet - join us on Friday, April 24, 2020. You can sign up via this link: https://www.sacredheartacademy.org/apps/form/DOS-2020-Adult-Volunteer-Form or by printing & filling out the Day of SHAring Parent Interest Form attached to this email. Questions? Please call or email Bridget McGuinness 834-2101 ext. 312 (bmcguinness@sacredheartacademy.org) or Maria Clare 834-2101 ext. 335 (mclare@sacredheartacademy.org).

Senior Art Exhibit
Senior Artists are exhibiting their works on the 2nd fl. boards at Sacred Heart through Feb. 13, during school hours. Please stop in & be inspired by the beautiful works our Senior Artists have created.

Cheer Purse Drive
The SHA Cheerleading Team is collecting gently used purses to donate to the PUNT foundation. The PUNT foundation is an amazing organization founded by retired Bills punter Brian Moorman & wife directed towards helping the children in WNY who suffer from pediatric cancer. Any donation is greatly appreciated by the SHA cheerleaders & will be going to help those affected by child-cancer in our very own town! Every day purses, wristlets, tote bags and designer bags can be brought to the main office or the donation box outside Room 104. The last day to turn them in at SHA is February 14th. Thank you in advance!

Amherst Girls Softball League Registration
Please see the attachment for details on the Amherst Girls Softball League and its upcoming registration.

Class of 2020 Senior Parents
Please see the attachment for important details on appropriate attire for upcoming Sr. events.
Under the Sea
SHA’s Annual Maroon & White Dance
(Formerly Father Daughter Dance)

Friday, February 28th @ 6:00pm
The Atrium @ Rich’s
1 Robert Rich Way, Buffalo

SHA Students & male role model (Dad, Stepdad, Grandpa, Uncle, Older Brother, etc..) are invited to join us for an evening of dinner & dancing

NEW this year- location w/on-site parking, 4 course dinner & DJ, Toy Entertainment!
Photographer available throughout evening

Reservations accepted until 2/10/20; Price increase as of 2/7/20
Online reservations available @ sacredheartacademy.org
Click on: Parent tab @ top of page

If reserving online, this form will be completed at that time (paper copy not needed)
If submitting printed form, please drop with payment in Main Office.
Questions? Contact Jeanne Christiano @ shamaroonandwhitedance2020@gmail.com

Student’s Name ___________________________ Grade ___________________________

Phone ___________________________ Email ___________________________

☐ Significant dietary restrictions: _____________________________________________

☐ Yes! I’m attending. The cost for one (1) student ticket & (1) one adult ticket totals $120* by 2/6 or $130* starting 2/7

☐ I need to purchase additional student tickets. # Addtl: ________ @  $60* by 2/6 or $65* on 2/7

*Financial assistance available.

Please choose one:
☐ I’m sitting @ a reserved table. Last name of my table ‘leader’ is: ___________________________

☐ I am the ‘table leader’ & last names of students sitting @ my table (MAX 12- NO EXCEPTIONS) are: ___________________________

☐ Please sit my daughter & me with other members of our class

If paying with credit/debit card please order online (see above). Checks payable to Sacred Heart Academy & forms may be dropped in box @ Main Office. Tix will be distributed @ school week of 2/24.

Received: ___________________________ Processed On: ___________________________ Filled On: ___________________________
Class of 2020
Appropriate attire for Prom, Graduation, Baccalaureate, & Alumnae Masses

Below is a listing of appropriate attire for your Senior year ceremonies and events – Prom, Baccalaureate, Alumni Mass and Commencement 2020. Please make appropriate choices.

Baccalaureate Mass, and Alumnae Mass: Dress up!! Attire should be Modest and appropriate. Students who do not dress appropriately will NOT be able to participate in the ceremony. (Follow school uniform guidelines.)

★ No strapless or spaghetti strap dresses
★ No excessively short skirts or dresses
★ No bare midriff or excessive cleavage are to be shown
★ No low-slung pants
★ No shorts
★ No jeans – denim or corduroy
★ No slits to thigh

Prom: Gowns should be selected with modesty and the following criteria in mind.

★ No slits to thigh
★ Strapless gowns may be worn if well supported
★ No deep plunge openings back or front, nothing cut lower than the shoulder blades in back
★ No sheer layered materials that reveal undergarments

Graduation: ALL DRESSES MUST BE APPROVED BY MRS. MODICAAMORE. YOU WILL SUBMIT A PICTURE OF YOURSELF WEARING YOUR DRESS.

★ All selections must be WHITE – not ivory, not light pink, not embroidered with pastel or metallic threads or beads. (Beading must be white or clear.)
★ All selections must have at least spaghetti straps – NO strapless gowns, nothing cut lower than the shoulder blades

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★ Selections must be floor length or ankle length – nothing shorter. NO tea length dresses.
★ No slits to thigh
★ No deep plunge openings back or front, nothing cut lower than the shoulder blades in back
★ A white pant suit, with flowing pant legs, using the same guidelines is also acceptable.
★ DRESS SHOES must also be white. No gym shoes.
★ Photos are required prior to graduation to determine appropriateness

NOTE: If ordering a dress online, a picture must be provided prior to ordering the dress for approval by Mrs. ModicaAmore

Please see Mrs. ModicaAmore, Senior Class Moderator, if you have questions or need clarification regarding prom or graduation dresses.

Contact information: gmodicaamore@sacredheartacademy.org
Agsl Softball Promotes:

- Self esteem
- Dealing with adversity
- Goal setting
- Time management skills
- Experiencing teamwork
- Leadership skills
- Exercise and good health
- Having FUN!

Amherst Girls Softball League

Registration Open for
The largest and best all girls sports organization in WNY!
Fields located across from the Northtown Center in Williamsville, NY

Register now @
https://www.amherstgirlssoftball.com

(Dates & locations for in person registration will be found on our website)

Register by March 15th, so that we can honor requests to play with friends.

For Girls Grades K-12
(season varies by level, April to July)

FREE* Registration for Single A (Grades K /1)

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*$40 Fundraising fee (per family charge added to the player in the highest school grade)