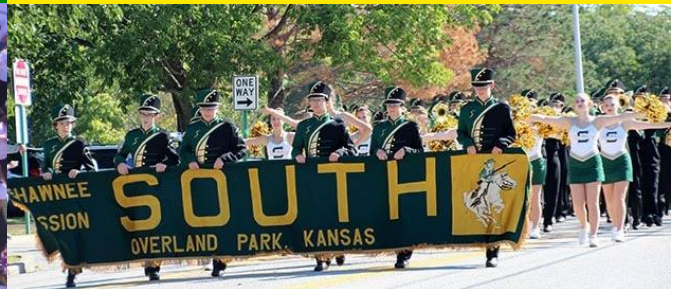


SM SOUTH



Values

We care about ALL students.

Beliefs

We believe ALL students can and will learn.

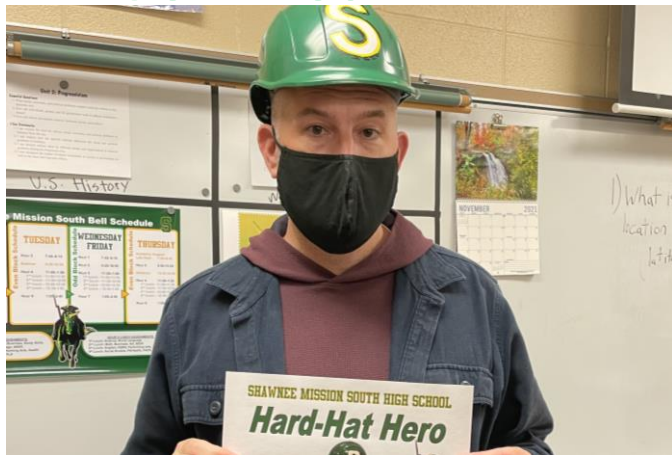
Vision

All means ALL! Personalized Learning for ALL students.

Hard-Hat Hero

Staff member of the week

Seth Peck



Tweet of the Week!



Theresa Love @TLoveEDU · 51m
Apple Pie Contest Time!! #theSMSD
#OurSouthStory #SMSouth



Follow Dr. Dain on
Twitter@SMSouthTDain
Instagram@SMSouthTDain

Seth Peck teaches special education at South, and was nominated by his colleagues: "Seth always offers to help out when we are short substitutes and in any other way he can. His team attitude makes scrambling for subs so much easier. I have never asked for help from Seth and had him say he was too busy or had too much to do. He is such an asset to South and is awesome to work with. Thanks Seth for being such a great team player!"

Email Dr. Dain to nominate a South staff member for the Hard Hat Hero Award

SM SOUTH CALENDAR

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
NOV 8 Traditional Schedule	NOV 9 Even Block	NOV 10 Odd Block	NOV 11 LATE START Even Block	NOV 12 Odd Block
NOV 15 Traditional Schedule	NOV 16 Even Block	NOV 17 Odd Block	NOV 18 LATE START Even Block	NOV 19 Odd Block
NOV 22 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	NOV 23 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	NOV 24 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	NOV 25 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break	NOV 26 NO SCHOOL Thanksgiving Break
NOV 29 Traditional Schedule	NOV 30 Even Block	DEC 1 Odd Block	DEC 2 LATE START Even Block	DEC 3 Odd Block
DEC 6 Traditional Schedule	DEC 7 Even Block	DEC 8 Odd Block	DEC 9 LATE START Even Block	DEC 10 Odd Block
DEC 13 Traditional Schedule	DEC 14 Even Block	DEC 15 Odd Block	DEC 16 LATE START Even Block	DEC 17 Odd Block 7 TH Hour FINAL
DEC 20 Even Block 2 ND , 4 TH , 6 TH Hour FINALS	DEC 21 Odd Block 1 ST , 3 RD , 5 TH Hour Finals Early Dismissal	DEC 22 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 23 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 24 NO SCHOOL Winter Break
DEC 27 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 28 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 29 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 30 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	DEC 31 NO SCHOOL Winter Break
JAN 3 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	JAN 4 NO SCHOOL Winter Break	JAN 5 Traditional Schedule	JAN 6 LATE START Even Block	JAN 7 Odd Block

COUNSELOR'S CORNER



Follow @counselingSMS on twitter
Facebook 'Shawnee Mission South Counseling'

- Another FAFSA completion event will be at Shawnee Mission West on November 10th, 3:00-6:00pm. Come for help with the FAFSA and get a better understanding of financial aid.
 - Link to sign up - [FAFSA Assistance](#)
- JUNIORS- Sign up is open in Skyward custom forms for the March 1st FREE ACT @ SMS. This is only for students in grade 11. ** This is in the **student's skyward account**.
- Pre-ACT (9th Grade) and Practice ACT (10th and 11th Grade) National Testing Day results will be distributed at the end of November. PSAT results should be available early December.
- Counselors are currently taking valid requests (missing a period, repeated course, missing a graduation req, Honors to Regular, injury hindering you from taking the course, etc.) for adjustments to 2nd semester schedules. Most SM2 classes are at capacity so course options are extremely limited. Requests must be made by the student via the [Schedule Adjustment Request Form](#)
- Seniors who were not present for the Scholarship Shawnee Mission Distribution should pick up their packets in the Counseling Center as soon as possible.
- Is your child struggling in a class? Academic First Tutoring is available after school. Reach out to your child's teacher or their counselor for more info.
- Our College Adviser, Lucycoopman@smsd.org, is happy to assist all families with the FAFSA and their college application process.
- 9th and 10th graders who may be interested in taking a SMSD Signature Course in the future should contact tracijohnston@smsd.org for more information. View [SMSD Signature Programs](#) and [SMSD Career Technical Education](#) for more information
- Is your company/business willing to allow high school students to job shadow? If so, please email tracijohnston@smsd.org
- In need of some help? Fill out the [Family Assistance Request Form](#) or simply call 913-993-7530 to talk with a social worker.
- Visit [Johnson County Mental Health Center](#) and [Johnson County Family Resources](#) for family/adolescent support.
- Recursos en Español- [El Centro](#) [JoCo Salud Mental- se habla Español.](#)

Social Workers: South has 2 School Social Workers available to support your student's mental health. Johanna Fredenberg works with students with the last name A-K and Erin Burvee works with students with last name L-Z. We are here to support your student's mental wellness!

Updates From the Health Office

November 2021



SMSD requires a mask be worn at all times in any SMSD building. We may not like them, however, we all want to stay in school. This is a requirement to be in the building, just like wearing Shirts, Pants and Shoes. Please wear your own masks and bring extras.

Parents, Please do not send your student to the health office to be called out. If your student has texted you to be picked up or go home, please call them out from attendance. **993-7545**. Leave a message and allow 20 minutes for the message to reach your student.



REMINDER~~~~~

Keep an extra pair of clothes in your locker or car. We don't have extra clothes in the health office, due to space and sizes.

Angie York
SM South Nurse
913.993.7516
soyork@smsd.org





Respectful to Others
Initiates Change
School Pride
Empowered Learner
#RaidersRise

1 or less unexcused absences
1 or less tardies
90% attendance rate
0 discipline referrals
No Fs



Congratulations to our
November
Raiders R.I.S.E.
Under Armour winners:

9th – Emme Hansen
10th – Kaelyn Schroeder
11th – Justin Johnson
12th – Emily Moreira

PURPOSE

Monthly reward raffle
for qualifying students
who help Raiders RISE
above expectations and
develop an accepting
and safe culture.
#RaidersRise



R.I.S.E
September 6
October 4
November 1
December 6
January 10
February 7
March 6
April 3
May 1



Upcoming Virtual College Visits to South

College visits are virtual for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are interested in attending a specific virtual visit, please contact Mrs. Ross, Counseling Secretary, at christinaross@smsd.org.

November

November 9	Cleveland University, Kansas City	1:05
November 17	Texas A&M University	9:20



ACADEMICS FIRST TUTORING

Faculty and staff provide academic support

We offer in person and virtual tutoring. More information is available on the Academics first canvas course

Open Monday - Thursday

Monday 7:00-7:30 am Rm 264

Monday 3:30- 4:30 pm virtual on webex

Tuesday 2:50-4:00 pm Rm 264

Wednesday 7:00-7:30 am Rm 264

Wednesday 3:30-4:30 virtual on webex

Thursday 2:50-4:00 pm Rm 264



Raider Report 11.5.21

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OyTdfZp2Cac>



TECH TIPS

TALKING TO YOUR STUDENT ABOUT

YOUSCIENCE

YouScience is a tool where students in high school complete a series of brain games that uncover where students' aptitudes, interests, and personalities meet. The purpose of this program is to gather specific information about student interests and talents to help guide them through college, career, and life choices.

[READ MORE](#)

What YouScience Provides



When students complete YouScience during their advisory, this is what the program provides:

- Aptitude assessments that use engaging exercises rather than self-reported surveys.
- Personalized feedback on natural abilities including self-language, tips, and aptitude descriptions.
- Up-to-date information on approximately 500 careers including job forecasts, education investments, and a personalized FIT profile to specific careers.
- Engaging results interface that guides students to build a comprehensive education & career readiness plan.
- Downloadable reports make it easy to share information with counselors and parents.
- Easy to use self-language to improve college application essays, resumes, interviews, and recommendation letters.
- 100% online so that students have access to their profile and the website.
- Continued access to the YouScience Profile for the next 10 years.

Conversation Starters

If you would like to discuss your student's YouScience results with them, here is a list of some conversation starters that were created by YouScience:

1. What is your top aptitude?
2. Are you surprised by any of your strengths?
3. What about your interpersonal style?
4. Can you think of a time when you were working on a team or group and you used those qualities?
5. What are your top 3 interests?
6. Do you think your interests have changed over the past few years?
7. Do you think understanding your aptitudes and interests will help you make decisions about your future?
8. Let's talk about your career matches! What are your top 10 overall careers? Top 10 aptitude-based careers? Top 10 interest-based careers?
9. Did any of your career recommendations surprise you?
10. Which are you most excited to learn about? Why?
11. Based on this information, what are some of the subjects you might like to study after high school?
12. What responsibilities of that career(s) do you think you would most enjoy?
13. Before taking Summit, had you heard of or considered that career(s)? If you had heard of it, but not considered it, why?
14. The "Describing You" section has some powerful information about what makes you great. What three terms and three statements are the most meaningful to you? Why?



**SHARE YOUR IDEAS
& YOUR VOICE!**

2021-2022 CALL FOR ENTRIES



POETRY



ESSAY

for more info, go to smac-pta.org/citizenship

Theme: I Will Make The World A Better Place By...

Please help represent South by submitting your Essay and or Poem!

Entry forms and essay/poem due to Marlene Ridge: bmridge@icloud.com

Email or turn into the school office by December 6!



Congratulations

Shawnee Mission South Reflections Winners

9th Grade grade

Visual Arts - Noah Xiung -
Literature - Abigail E. Dumont
Photography - Isabel De Jong

10th Grade

Visual Art - Thoa Nguyen

Music Composition- Sam Granade

11th Grade

Photography- Sadie Coleman

12th Grade

Photography- Jada Tag

PTSA MEMBERSHIP FORM:

<https://form.jotform.com/212088140882152>

2021-22 PTSA MEETING DATES

All meetings 7:00pm in Library:

- Wednesday, January 5
- Wednesday, February 9
- Wednesday, March 2
- Wednesday, April 6

Pie Day – Thursday, November 18

Please help PTSA celebrate our wonderful staff with Pie Day on November 18th.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090f4caaad2aa64-second>

Attention Senior Parents:

Please join us for our next

Project Graduation Planning Meeting

Tuesday, November 9th

7:00pm

Library

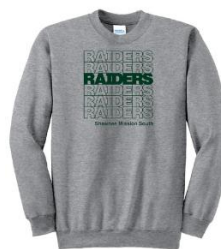
Questions: Amy Polen amyplen1@gmail.com

SM South Spirit Wear!

Just in time for the holidays!

Order SMS spirit wear to show your RAIDER pride! Go to the link below to see ALL of the great options! Online store deadline is **November 15!** Orders will be at South before the holiday break!

<https://smsraiders.itemorder.com>



Questions?

Contact Jennifer Burns jboresow@gmail.com
or Christa Rupp Christarupp1222@gmail.com

2021-22 ACT Test Dates & Registration Deadlines

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline	Location
October 23, 2021	September 17, 2021	October 1, 2021	SM South HS
December 11, 2021	November 5, 2021	November 19, 2021	SM South HS
February 12, 2022	January 7, 2022	January 21, 2022	SM South HS
April 2, 2022	February 25, 2022	March 11, 2022	SM South HS
June 11, 2022	May 6, 2022	May 20, 2022	<i>*Not available at SM South</i>
July 16, 2022*	June 17, 2022	June 24, 2022	<i>*Not available at SM South</i>



SOUTH RAIDERS



**WINTER SPORTS BEGIN MONDAY,
NOVEMBER 15TH FOR
BOYS AND GIRLS BASKETBALL
BOYS AND GIRLS WRESTLING
BOYS SWIM**

**BOYS AND GIRLS BOWLING TRYOUTS
NOV. 29, 30 AND DEC. 1**

**A CURRENT PHYSICAL DATED AFTER
MAY 1, 2021 MUST BE ON FILE IN THE
ATHLETIC OFFICE BEFORE A TRYOUT OR
PRACTICE MAY OCCUR.**



Sports Passes
for sale in the main office
7:00am - 3:00p
Adult \$40.00 K-8 \$15.00



WATCH RAIDER ATHLETICS ALL YEAR LONG!!

Watch the **RAIDERS** on the NFHS Network!
The NFHS Network is your home for LIVE
Shawnee Mission South athletics.

Get unlimited access to watch all RAIDER events this year on the NFHS Network. We've invested in new technology that will bring you every game (VARSITY THRU SUB VARSITY) from our field and gym LIVE.

Full access to ALL content on the Network:

- All of your school's live and on-demand sports broadcasts
- All other sporting events from around the Nation



NFHS NETWORK

Watch from anywhere



iOS



Android



Any browser

Subscription Options for Raider Fans

Annual Pass- \$69.99

Month Pass- \$10.99/month

Visit www.NFHSnetwork.com – Search for Shawnee Mission South High School, then Subscribe and Follow

We Are Collecting...

Clothes

men's, women's and children's clothes,
coats, shoes, scarves, handbags,
wallets, fashion accessories, ties,
belts, backpacks, etc

Household Textiles

bedding, comforters, blankets,
sheets, towels, linen tablecloths,
curtains, pillows, etc

Please gather clothes and household textiles in **30-gallon bags**

All items must be clean and in sellable condition

Come to SMS circle drive and Orchestra Students will unload your items!



Need more room in your closet?

South Orchestras are
raising funds by collecting
bags of soft items to
donate to Savers

ORCHESTRA CLOTHING DRIVE

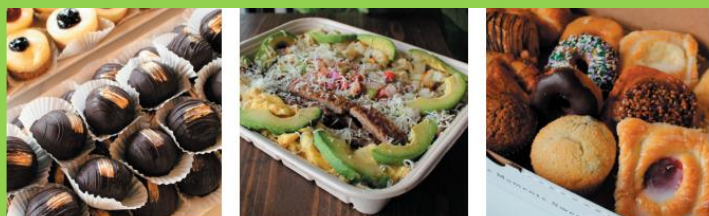
Sunday, November 7th

Shawnee Mission South Circle Drive

AM drop off: 6:30am - 8:45am

PM drop off: 1:00pm - 4:00pm

See back of slip for accepted items and details



CATERING FOR CASH!

Support Shawnee Mission South Band

Whether you need small plates for a party, a full spread for lunch at your office, or desserts for an event, let us handle the food for you! McLain's will work with you to provide a customized menu of sweet & savory items complimented with a variety of drink options! We can deliver the food to you or you can pick it up. We will work to meet all of your needs. Let's talk!

\$50 minimum order | 15% of the proceeds will go back to SMS Band

Don't forget to mention Shawnee Mission South Band
prior to placing order.

**Offer valid October 1 - November 30, 2021*

Email esther@mclainskc.com to order today!

MCLAINSKC.COM

> YOUTH EQUITY STEWARDSHIP (YES!)

STUDENT LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY

- > *Looking for Leadership Training and Development?*
- > *Passionate about ways to add your voice to your building leadership and our district leadership circles?*
- > *Interested in collaborative learning opportunities with other students across the district?*



YES! Is for you. An experiential, arts-based process focused on engaging youth and adults as advocates for building soulful, inspired, and inclusive learning environments.

Learn more and apply!



SHAWNEE MISSION
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Congratulations to this year's Shawnee Mission South National Honor Society.

All NHS members must attend the initiation ceremony on Mon, Nov 8th at 700 pm in the Auditorium. Please check the NHS Canvas classroom for details.

NHS CURRENT MEMBERS

Lillian Aldeguer	Taylor Helm	Hannah Poe
Vincent Antista	Lisset Hernandez	Annalie Polen
Alex Barland	Vazquez	Porter Rammer
Lucas Beach	Joselyn Hernandez	Jessi Renberger
Avigail Blackstock	Abarca	Coco Ridge
Megan Bogner	Benjamin Holler	Grace Rood
Macy Brassell	Neely Hopkins	Hank Salsbury
Haley Carter	Sydney B. Johnson	Dorian Sanders
Audrey Cauton	Sarah Keller	Samantha Santibanez
Margaret Chandler	Owen Kerrigan	Mohammed Saradih
Madison Chopp	William Kersting	Taylor Schierbeck
Miriam Clapper	Lincoln Knowles	Braden Schmidt
Stella Clayton	Anna Kreamer	George Schneck
Mason Close	Juliana Lanfranca	Holden Schroeder
Lillian Cooper	Molly Legg	Jack Shaw
Chloe Cox	Emilio Lopez	Marleigh Sikes
Ben Danaher	Sophia MacDonald	Annemarie Smith
Bryn Davis	Jazmin Martinez	Lily Smith
Norah Dietzel	Mojica	Noe Stroer
Lila Dobbelaere	Josie Mayabb	Margaret Summers
Lloyd Dodson	Margot McClain	Caden Swanson
Jaimes Donovan	Alyssa McDonald	Lauren Swift
Kathryn Early	Elisabeth McGee	Emma Thurston
Madeleine Enko	Miles McKenna	Nathan Tompkins
Joshua Eppenauer	Hudson Mock	Crystal Ugalde Martinez
Addison Foley	Grace Morris	Jackson Underwood
Petra Frans	Matthew Musson	Hanna Velicer
August Fritton	McLain Neal	Taylor Venable
Katherine Gerritz	Natalie Neher	Finnegan Wilson
Zakaiyah Gillom	Iris Nemecek	Molly Wright
Sydney Glendening	Melanie Orr	
Sofia Grace	Ryan Owens	
Leila Green	Katherine Parks	
Emily Haines	Robert Pavlu	
Cristian Hampton	Kaleah Peterson	

NHS NEW MEMBERS

Greta Albrecht	Hayes LaVergne	Matthew Wilson
Evan Allison	Jack LaVergne	Tanner Wilson
Carolyn Armstrong	Ian Lyle	Haden Witbrod
Ella Blackstock	Isabella Macpherson	Havely Wolff
Mary Claire Bradley	Alexander Maret	Calvin Beechner
Campbell Brown	Noel Mohamed	Benjamin Brandt
Daniel Burns	Justine Morris	Sydney V. Johnson
Noah Campbell	Luke Olson	Ava Moon
Hadley Carson	Macey Pace	Jaden Murff
Graelen Carter	Harper Pack	Lilliann Nelson
Cameron Chopp	Chabelly Palacio	Natalie Perez
Mia Ciaramitaro	Sofia Patino	Mason Price
Katelyn Colwell	Grace Peterman	Avery Reardon
Maxwell Coughlin	Jayne Pickering	Reese Woods
Dominic Dawson	Abby Rasmussen	
Mary Donovan	Irene Rues	
Raquel Estes	Samantha Ruiz-	
Veronica Fast	Behrends	
Lettie Featherston	Gretchen Schmierer	
Megan Flint	Knust	
Sally Foley	Julia Schnittker	
Lydia Gish	Evan Schulz	
Sofia Giuliani	Courtney Setty	
Gabriella Granoff	Sana Soureshjani	
Adam Gray	Setareh Soureshjani	
Marek Gregory	Ella Stallbaumer	
Lauren Gunter	Jonathan Swanberg	
Evan Hadenfeld	Kate Swift	
Caroline Hiebl	Maureen Tuohey	
Graham Hopkins	Sara Vasquez	
Melanie Interiano	Eliot Wagner	
Benjamin Jacobs	Andrea Walters	
Fletcher Knowles	Katherine Warford-	
Eleanor Krause	Grow	
Harper Larsen	Kami Wilderman	

2022 SENIOR TRIBUTES SHAWNEE MISSION SOUTH HERITAGE

CONTACTS

Tucker Love

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Senior Tributes Managers

Katie Gerritz
Madeleine Enko
smsyearbookads@gmail.com

School Address

Shawnee Mission South
5800 W. 107th Street
Overland Park, KS
66207

TRIBUTE DEADLINES

October 29 and December 10 are the two senior tribute deadlines. Payment is due by the deadline date to be accepted for pricing. Pictures and message for all tributes are due by December 10.

Tribute prices go up following the earlybird deadline, so turning in tribute information early is highly suggested.

TRIBUTE PRICES

Tribute prices listed on the second page reflect a 3.5% service charge for online purchases.

DEAR PARENTS,

Do you want to give your child recognition in an award-winning yearbook? If so, purchasing a senior tribute is a great way to show them how much you care about them. This is a wonderful way to share your own words, pictures and memories with your senior. A senior tribute is also a great parting gift for your senior, and a great way to support Shawnee Mission South's yearbook, Heritage. Students enjoy seeing these messages, words of encouragement, and funny and sentimental photos from their parents, grandparents and other loved ones.

GUIDELINES

- Tributes are not considered as meeting deadline until payment is received.
- **All tribute content (words, photos) must be submitted at time of purchase.** This is different from previous years.
- Please choose photos of good quality and stay within the max photo limit for the tribute size chosen.
- Photos should be uploaded to the Walsworth ad portal, accessible after purchasing your tribute.
- Physical photos may be scanned in at South; please contact us to confirm scanning.
- Heritage is not responsible for any lost or damaged photos.
- We can not accept photos of children without clothing.
- We can not accept photos that have any sort of weapon related paraphernalia.
- Because of copyright, you must secure permission for one time use in Heritage, for any photos taken by a professional.
- We can not accept any song lyrics or poetry that you have not secured the copyright for.
- Heritage already has permission to use photos taken by Inter-State studios.
- If you do not want part of a photo to appear in your child's ad, or have other special instructions, please share a note detailing the requests via email to smsyearbookads@gmail.com.
- Heritage reserves the right to edit for content.
- A digital proof of your ad will be sent to the email address provided on the ad contract. Please contact T. Love or the Ads Managers if a proof has not been sent by February 16, 2022.
- You will be given one week from the date your proof is sent to provide feedback and request changes. After that period, all tributes will be considered final.
- If you need to pay for your tribute with cash or check, please contact T. Love at tuckerlove152@smsd.org

HOW TO PURCHASE

To purchase your senior tribute, please follow these instructions:

- Go to www.yearbookforever.com
- Search for Shawnee Mission South High School in the search bar.
- Select our school to navigate to the Walsworth SMS yearbook store.
- Click "Get Started" in the Create a Senior ad box.
- Provide the requested student information and buyer information to begin the purchase. Click "next" when ready.
- Click "Have the school design my ad".
- Select the tribute size you wish to purchase and click "next".
- Select color as your ad option and then click "continue".
- At this point you will be prompted to add senior tribute copy. In the "headline" box, please type your students name. In the "body" box, please provide the message you wish to have in your senior tribute.
- Click "next".
- You will be prompted to upload your photos. If you don't want photos in your tribute OR plan to bring in physical photos for scanning, please click on that option in the upper right hand corner of the screen.
- Click "next" to get to your shopping cart. You may continue shopping at this point or you can checkout.
- There is a % service fee on every senior tribute purchase
- Complete the purchase by checking out using your credit card information.

SM South Athletics & Activities Calendar November 8-13, 2021

Access all SM South athletics and activity event calendar with real-time updates at www.sunflowerleague.org

Monday, November 8, 2021 –Traditional Schedule

7:00pm [National Honor Society](#) Auditorium

Initiation Ceremony

Tuesday, November 9, 2021 – BLOCKS 2 – Seminar – 4 - 6

7:00pm [South Area Choir Festival](#) Main Gym

7:00pm [Project Graduation Meeting](#) Library

Wednesday, November 10, 2021 –BLOCKS 1-3-5-7

7:00pm [Captain AmeriCAN](#) Auditorium

Thursday, November 11, 2021 -Late Start BLOCKS 2 – Advisory – 4 - 6

TBD [Unified Bowling: IV/V Regional](#) vs. Shawnee Mission-Northwest @ Park Lanes

6:00pm [Football awards night](#) Auditorium

6:00pm [SMS PLS Family Cooking Night](#) Cafeteria

7:00pm [National French Honor Society](#) Library

Initiation Ceremony

7:00pm [National Spanish Honor Society](#) Library

Initiation Ceremony

Friday, November 12, 2021 –BLOCKS 1-3-5-7

7:00pm [Orchestra](#) Cafeteria

Indian Woods Middle School Dance Fundraiser

Friday, November 13, 2021

7:00pm [Choir Cabaret](#) Auditorium

