



# Shawnee Mission Northwest News

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A SMNW PTSA Publication

## SMNW Calendar

### August

- 11 First Day of School - Freshman
- 11 Sports Physicals Available 6:00 – 8:00
- 12 First Day of School – All Grades
- 12 Freshman Mixer 6:30 – 8pm
- 18 Back to School Night @ 6:30 PM
- 22 Fall Sports Meeting @ 6:30 PM
- 25 Freshman Stuco Elections

### September

- 1 Thursday Late Start Begins
- 1 Bonfire @ 7:00 PM
- 2 **NO SCHOOL**
- 5 **NO SCHOOL**
- 29 Fall Orchestra Concert @ 7:00 PM

## PTSA Update

### From the PTSA Vice President

Another school year is upon us and PTSA is excited to welcome everyone back. We will continue to put this monthly newsletter out to the community, but our SMNW Admin have been busy this summer creating a new weekly newsletter that will keep everyone up to date.

As always PTSA extends the offer for students, parents, and staff to join the PTSA community. Memberships for parents are \$25 each and \$15 for students and staff. Joining is easy, just head over to the SMNW PTSA webpage:

<https://www.smnwptsa.org/home>

\*\*Join in August to be eligible for prize drawings\*\*

### 2022-2023 PTSA Meetings:

Wednesday, September 14 @ 6:00 PM  
December TBD – Site/PTSA Joint Meeting  
February TBD  
May TBD – Site/PTSA Joint Meeting

### Newsletter Deadlines:

E- mail submissions to [smnwptsa@gmail.com](mailto:smnwptsa@gmail.com) by the 25th of the preceding month.

### Yard Signs/Spirit Wear:

Yard Signs are for sale until September 9th. You can order on the same site memberships are ordered:

<https://www.smnwptsa.org/home>

Order SMNW shirts, car decal stickers and license plate frames all on the PTSA webpage.

### Amazon Smile:

You can support your SMNW PTSA EVERY TIME you shop on Amazon! Simply use the link on our PTSA homepage and bookmark the page when you log in to Amazon. (Just under your Amazon search bar, you should see "Supporting SMNW PTSA") A portion of every purchase will come back to our PTSA.

Thanks for supporting PTSA!  
Erin Cecil, SMNW PTSA Vice President  
[smnwptsa@gmail.com](mailto:smnwptsa@gmail.com)

### Freshman Mixer

StuCo will be hosting their annual freshman mixer on Friday, August 12 from 6:30 – 8:30 pm. The dance is free for all SMNW Freshman. There will be food, coupon giveaways, and a dance on the track (or inside in case of inclement weather). We would love to see everyone there!

### Freshman StuCo Elections

Elections for freshman representatives are on August 25<sup>th</sup>. Freshman can pick up their contracts from August 15 – 19. Campaigning for elections begins on August 22-25. We encourage all interested freshman to run for this elected position.

If you have questions, comments or suggestions for Student Council please contact a representative of the StuCo sponsor: Sarah Dent (nwdents@smsd.org).



### Athletic Season Pass

SMNW Sports Fans: The 2022-2023 Athletic Passes are available now. There are two types of passes:

1. Individual Pass: \$60 and admits one for all home events that are not tournaments or post-season KSHSAA events.
2. Family Pass: \$150 admits up to four people (no more than two adults) and are good for all home events that are not tournaments or post-season KSHSAA events.

Mrs. Alvey, athletic administrative assistant, will sell passes during normal business hours from 7:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Passes may be secured by paying with cash or through check, which may be made out to "SMNW Athletics."

Don't miss your best opportunity to purchase **Northwest Spirit Wear!**

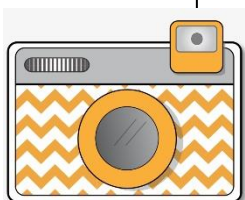
**August 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**(Back to School Night)**  
**Northwest Mall Area**  
**5pm – 6:20pm**

If you sponsor a NW Club / Organization and would like a table at this event - Contact Mrs. Alvey for a form.  
[VictoriaAlvey@smsd.org](mailto:VictoriaAlvey@smsd.org)

### SMNW Sports:

Want to cheer on our Cougars...follow this link to see all sport schedules:

<https://www.sunflowerleague.org/public/genie/403/school/9/>



### SCHOOL YEARBOOK PHOTOS

**August 12 &15!**

*Please see the attached photo package information.*

# SMNW YARD SIGNS

**Orders Due SEPTEMBER 9**



**Sign: \$50**

**Riders: \$10**

**To order:**

**[www.smnwptsa.org](http://www.smnwptsa.org)**