

SHS Daily Announcements - Friday, October 1, 2021. Today is an A Day.

1. Friday STRIVE Shout-Outs!

- a. First, to Mr. Elmore, who was nominated by Mandy Powell!
- b. Freshman STRIVE winner, Joslayn Matthews, nominated by Ms. Keller!
- c. Sophomore STRIVE winner - Mandy Powell nominated by Faith Powell!
- d. Junior STRIVE winner - Bella Fields, nominated by Sarah Carter!
- e. Senior STRIVE winner - Shellie Simmonetti, nominated by Deasiah Hankins!

2. Congratulations to Storm Varsity Volleyball for their 3 to 0 victory over Waynesboro last night!

3. Seniors: your makeup Senior Portrait date will be Wednesday October 6th, which is next week.

Please stop by the front office and sign up for your time slot if you still need to have your senior portrait taken. This picture will be used for the yearbook so make sure you get this done!

4. Attention Storm Theater Tech Crew: There will be no set building tech call this Saturday. Next week we will determine who is on running crew for Cyrano de Bergerac. Please see Mr. Fregosi if you are interested.



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6. Attention Seniors: The SHS Counseling Department will be hosting two FAFSA nights in October to help families with completing the necessary forms. The first FAFSA night will be held Thursday October 7th 5:30-6:30pm and the second night will be held Monday October 18th 5:30pm-6:30pm. We will have a short presentation on college applications, financial aid and

scholarships. Afterwards there will be staff available to help families complete their FAFSA or at least start on the process.

If you are interested please complete this [Form](#), so that we can plan accordingly and provide interested families with more specific information.

- 7. Seniors: If you would like to buy a Senior Class t-shirt for \$10, please see Ms. Knoxville or Ms. P. by Wednesday, Oct. 6**
- 8. Forensics Interest Meeting:** Interested in Forensics? And no, not the science. If you enjoy public speaking, performing thetically, take an interest in politics, or general oratory, the Forensics team may be right for you! Forensics team offers a chance to prove yourself independently while still getting the camaraderie of a team...not to mention it is a great resume stuffer! **There will be an interest meeting after school on Monday, October 4th in Mr. Dobrin's room, room 423.**
- 9. The yearbook is looking for your pictures. Students and parents who want to share pictures to be considered for us in the 2022 yearbook can submit using the following link: <https://images.jostens.com/416695951>**
The SHS Media staff prefers to use candid, unposed pictures.
If you have questions, please email us at shsmedia@staunton.k12.va.us.
- 10. Boys varsity soccer will start open gyms on Monday, November 1st @ Bessie Weller gym.** If you are trying out this spring you should attend these sessions unless you are playing winter sports. You should have physicals & Covid paperwork on file before attending. If you have any questions please contact coach Tehrani at htehrani@staunton.k12.va.us
- 11. Prospective student-athletes in grades 8 through 12 that are interested in trying out for baseball this spring are encouraged to fill out this [sign-up sheet](#).**
Open Field workouts and conditioning dates will be announced by the end of this week. In order to workout, you must have an updated physical and proper paperwork for this school year on file. Last year's physical will not count toward this year's eligibility.
- 12. STAUNTON STORM GIRLS SOFTBALL OPEN GYM WORKOUTS/SCRIMMAGES**
9/27/2021-5:30-7:30pm Montgomery Hall Park
10/06/2021-5:30-7:30 pm Montgomery Hall Park
10/11/2021-5:30-7:30pm Montgomery Hall Park

10/20/2021-5:30-7:30pm Montgomery Hall Park

10/27/2021-5:30-7:30pm Montgomery Hall Park

If you have any questions, please contact Coach Robinson (540-280-5703), must have a completed, current VHSL physical to attend!

13. Remember to wear your masks properly at all times, except when eating or drinking!



14. Staunton High School would like to recognize one staff member and one student per grade level each week who are *striving to succeed*. We are asking for nominations from both staff and students. You can nominate someone different each week. Staff can nominate a colleague and/or a student. Students can nominate an SHS staff member and/or a fellow student. Each week we will review the nominations and select one staff member and one student per grade level to recognize on the Friday announcements and present a T-shirt! Please use this [STRIVE Nomination Form](#) to nominate someone each week!

STRIVE stands for:

Safety first

Together we can

Respect always

Invest in your future

Visualize greatness

Elevate your mind

