SHES PTO FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

The second annual SHES PTO Family Movie Night will be on Friday, October 19 on the SHES School Lawn. Admission is free. Just bring your lawn chair or a blanket to sit on.

PTO will be selling hot cocoa, popcorn, nachos, soda, water, candy, Frito chili pie and hotdogs.

Concessions open at 5:45 and the movie starts at sunset. Children MUST be accompanied by an adult.

Volunteers are needed for this event. Please contact Kristen Powell at 785-338-8899 or kpow03@gmail.com

PARENT TEACHER CONFERENCES

Teachers are looking forward to meeting with all parents regarding student progress at our upcoming parent/teacher conferences on October 25 and 26. We strive for 100% participation in this essential collaboration and appreciate your dedication to making this time a scheduling priority. If you are unsure of your scheduled conference time, please log in to Signup Genius for verification.

How can you help? The PTO provides meals for our busy teachers during conferences. If you wish to contribute, please contact Lessa Crouch at lessa.crouch@bcbs.com.

HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES AT SHES

As outlined in our calendar handbook, we will have a Halloween parade and classroom parties from 9:15—9:45 a.m. Wednesday, October 31st. Room parents in charge of the party will be allowed into classrooms at 8:45 a.m. for set-up. We encourage all parents to provide healthy snacks such as cheese slices, fruit, veggies and other nutritious snacks.

Students may wear costumes that are family friendly, and may not be obstructive, offensive or violent. The costumes may not contain any weapons that resemble or could easily be mistaken for an actual weapon. Students may choose to wear their costumes for the remainder of the day or they can bring a change of clothes. Regular classroom routines and learning will proceed at 10:00 a.m.
STUDENT COUNCIL SELECTED

Student council for the first semester has been selected to represent our students with school and community service projects. We appreciate their willingness to serve and their dedication to making our school even better. Please join us in congratulating these students: Hannah Strole, President; Gracie Morrissey, Vice-President; Jasmine Villalobos, Secretary; Lakelyn Morris, Treasurer. Our classroom representatives are Brooklyn Hummer, Noelle Barajas, Kassidy Brown, Haileigh Dykstra, Addy Crouch, Porter Flott, Laura Sobba, Caleb Franke, Gavin Bellquist, Jersey Gallegos, Natalie Moore, Reece Taylor, Brad Grotbeck, Kendalyn Brown, Danielle Hubbard, Imani Akins and Ellie Delier.

STUCO, in conjunction with Washburn University, will be hosting a food drive to benefit Harvesters from October 16 through October 24. Canned goods and non-perishables will be collected each day before school in the front hallway. Totals will be counted and announced at the Washburn University football game versus Emporia State on Saturday, October 27 at 1:00 pm.

UNITED WAY WEEK

United Way Week is Thursday, October 4 through Friday, October 12. Our kick-off will be Friday, October 5 coinciding with the Shawnee Heights Homecoming. It will be spirit day so students and staff are encouraged to wear their favorite team shirts. We will be “Banding Together for United Way” by selling purple (K-State), blue (KU) or red (Shawnee Heights) spirit bracelets in the front hallway before school on Friday. Winners will enjoy seeing Mrs. Hummer in their team’s spirit wear at the end of quarter assembly on Friday, October 19! Will Mrs. Hummer continue to sport Jayhawk spirit wear, become a Wildcat for the day or maybe even a T-Bird? Be sure to donate to support our community and find out!

UNITED WAY SPIRIT DAYS:

- **Monday** — Students will be encouraged to “Take Note” of needs in our community by donating $1 for a small notepad and/or $1 for a pencil. Donations will help others with food, healthcare and education.

- **Tuesday** — Students will be re”MARK”able by donating to United Way! Fun bookmarks will be for sale for $1 each. Donation buckets will be available at the vocal program Tuesday evening.

- **Wednesday** — Wacky “Way” Wednesday brings an opportunity to wear wacky beads for the day. Strands will be $1 apiece.

- **Thursday** — Tattoo Thursday! Our very own, newly elected Student Council members will be temporarily tattooing students in support of United Way. $1 per tattoo/$1 more to have it applied to a cheek or hand. Limit of 4.

- **Friday** — Fun Friday! All extra items from the week will be for sale in the front hallway before school! $1 each. Donation buckets will be available during Donuts for Dads that morning.

We have never won the coveted Student or Staff trophy at SHES. Let’s change this and donate more than the other district elementary schools! If we do, Mrs. Hummer will complete a fun challenge such as reading on the roof! Let’s raise Mrs. Hummer up to the roof!