

Good evening Shark Nation!

(Please note that there will be no phone call this week due to many of our families observing the holidays).

A special **SHARK SHOUT OUT** to River's **THREE National Merit Semifinalists** this year **Alec Beylus, Devyn Bernstein, and Simmone Sallo**.

SENIORS! Herff Jones will be on campus during lunches in the gym lobby on Thursday, September 28th and Friday, September 29th for you to purchase graduation items such as caps and gowns! Bring your payment and go see the rep!

Join us for Spanish River High School's College Night, being held on Monday, October 23d at 6pm. Learn more about the college admissions process and building a strong high school experience. Breakout sessions will cover topics including standardized testing, financial aid, state college admissions, and more. Presented by Milestone College Prep, PTSA, and the SRHS school counseling department. We hope that you all will save the date and join us for this event!

In Honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, our Latin American and Latinos In Action Clubs are creating an assembly performance for the community on Thursday October 5th at 6pm in the Theater. Tickets are on sale at GoFan. If you have any questions, reach out to Mr. Torres at Frank.torres@palmbeachschools.org. We would love to see you all there!

Tickets are now on sale for the musical, The Addams Family! The show opens Thursday October 26th and runs through October 29th. Seats are already going fast so please go to www.spanishrivertheater.org to get your tickets today!

Parents can still preorder the 2024 Tiburon Yearbook as well as purchase a senior ad dedication page by visiting: www.yearbookordercenter.com. Senior pictures must be taken by December 1st if you want to be able to select the picture you want for the yearbook. Senior pictures taken before December 17th will still appear in the yearbook, but will be selected by the studio. Pictures not taken on or before December 17th WILL NOT appear in the yearbook. MAKE SURE YOU MAKE YOUR APPOINTMENT WITH CADY STUDIOS ASAP.

UNDERCLASS PICTURE RETAKES are scheduled for September 29th in the Gym Lobby. Any 9th, 10th or 11th grade student who did not take their picture OR bought a picture package and wants to retake their picture, please plan on taking it on October 6th. Any questions, please email Mr. Delaney at sean.delaney@palmbeachschools.org

Girls soccer tryouts are just around the corner. If you are interested in trying out, join the Google classroom using the code 67bpe5b. You will need to complete the 2023 Tryout Information Google form, and have all paperwork and tryout fees electronically submitted via Aktivite.com. You cannot try out unless the site has cleared you. Paperwork must be completed by October 10th. Tryouts will be October 16th to 18th on the northeast field at Patch Reef Park from 3:30 pm -5 pm. Shin guards are required to try out. Bring water. If you have any questions, contact kevin.turner@palmbeachschools.org

Our **Spanish River SGA** has created a **SHARK SPIRIT dress up schedule** for our football home games this season. Below is the schedule for school AND game attire we encourage all students and fans to wear to support our Shark football team:

- On Friday 9/29: away game at Saint John Paul II. Camo is both the in-school theme and the game theme.
- On Friday 10/6: away game at Boca High. Pink Out is both the in-school theme and the game theme.
- On Thursday 10/19: Homecoming game vs. Santaluces. Class Colors is the in-school theme (pep rally that day as well. Game theme is a White Out.

- On Friday 11/3: Home game vs. Suncoast. Blue Out is both the in-school theme and the game theme.

The boys and girls swim teams swam hard against their biggest rival, Boca High, this past week. The girls came out on top against Boca High with a score of 96 to 68. On the boys side, our Sharks came up a bit short, losing a very close meet 92-80. Many of our swimmers came in first place in their individual events and relays. The swim team also celebrated our seniors at Senior Night following the meet. We are excited to swim against Belen Jesuit next week.

Quick Glance this week at River - SPORTS

- **Monday, September 25th** - *NO SCHOOL*
- **Tuesday, September 26th** - Girls Golf vs. Calvary Christian (Southwinds GC, 3:30 pm)
- **Wednesday, September 27th** - Boys Golf vs Park Vista (Indian Spring CC, 3:30 pm); Volleyball Triple Header (Away @ Boca High - Fresh 5 pm, JV 6 pm, Varsity 7 pm); JV Football (Hosts Olympic Heights in the Shark Pit, 6pm)
- **Thursday, September 28th** - Bowling vs. Boynton Beach (AMF Boynton, 3:30 pm); Volleyball Double Header (Home vs. Garcia, JV 6 pm and Varsity 7 pm)
- **Friday, September 22nd** - Football (Away @ Pope John Paul II, 6:30 pm)
- **Saturday, September 23rd** - Swim (Away @ Belen Jesuit, 10 am)

Quick Glance this week at River - College Visits and Other School-Wide Events**

Monday, September 18th - *NO SCHOOL*

Tuesday, September 19th - University of Georgia (virtual visit, 9am), Vanderbilt University (1pm in room 1-153A)

Wednesday, September 20th - *Nothing Scheduled*

Thursday, September 21st - Palm Beach State College (9am in room 1-153A), Johnson and Wales (10am in room 1-153A)

Friday, September 22nd - *Nothing Scheduled*

**Instructions to attend our college visits: Juniors and seniors can sign up for college visits by joining the College Counseling Google Classroom. The code to join is *zfhborc*. Please complete the Google Form for the visit(s) you wish to attend.

Let's make it a great week, Sharks!

Your proud principal, Mrs.Castellano