



EAGLE NEWS – May 13, 2016

## TOP “5” ACADEMIC SENIORS HONORED



Matt West, Christian Streets, Gary Simmons, Sydney Cargill, Rasha Abouelsaadata

Congratulations to our “TOP 5” graduating seniors for being honored at the Academic Excellence Banquet during a ceremony held at Adelphia’s Restaurant last week. Our students celebrated and shared their academic achievement with all high schools across Gloucester County.

### SENIOR PICNIC!!!

Dear Senior Parents,

We need your help! The end-of-year **Senior Picnic** is quickly approaching and we are in need of donations. The picnic will take place on **Wednesday, June 15th from 12:00pm - 2:00pm**. The class advisors will provide all paper products, hot dogs, hamburgers, condiments, and rolls. Please use the **Sign-up Genius** link below to sign-up to donate a food or drink item for the picnic. We want the seniors to have a great time at this event as it is one of their last activities as a class together. It is important that we gather as many donations as we can. Please consider contributing.

Link to Sign-up Genius:

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10CoB4AAAAB2CAoFDo-senior>

Questions? Email Mrs. Falcone ([jfalcone@wdeptford.k12.nj.us](mailto:jfalcone@wdeptford.k12.nj.us)) or Mrs. Holloway ([jholloway@wdeptford.k12.nj.us](mailto:jholloway@wdeptford.k12.nj.us)).



## FINE ARTS NEWS:



Congratulations to Maryn Pantisano for winning second place in the Antonelli Institute Unforgettable Faces Photo Contest. Thousands of images were submitted by hundreds of high school teachers and Maryn won second place overall! A representative from Antonelli will be coming in to give her an award. Congratulations!

## PROM NEWS:

West Deptford High School's **2016 Junior-Senior Prom** and Pre-Prom will be held Friday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at Auletto's Caterers! It will be a night to remember starting with Pre-Prom Reception by the lake at 5:30 pm, followed by the prom from 7:00pm to 11:00pm. Ticket prices are \$70.00 per person and will be on sale from April 25<sup>th</sup>, to May 6<sup>th</sup>. Photographers will be at Auletto's Caterers for pictures and forms can be found in the Athletic/Activities office.

## WORLD LANGUAGE NEWS:

The World Language Department welcomed 43 new members into the World Language Honor Society. Members must be enrolled in their third year of language study and must have maintained an A-average. A welcome breakfast was held April 22 during Homeroom. Congratulations to all of the new members!

## MARKETING ED NEWS:



The Sports Marketing class and DECA students participated in a trip to Citizens Bank Park and got a behind the scenes look at how the stadium is run and possible careers in the sports industry.



## FROM THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT:

- Summer School information will be sent home next week to families of students who are in danger of failing a course for the year. Registration information will also be posted on the high school homepage. Please contact the guidance office with any questions.
- Seniors are reminded to turn in their Final Plans Sheet along with any info on any scholarships they may have earned. We would like to recognize you for your accomplishments!
- GCIT will be here on Thursday, May 19th to talk to seniors who may be interested in pursuing career training through their Adult Education Program. Training is available for the following career: HVAC, Welding, Carpentry, Electrical, Plumbing, Auto Collision, Automotive Technology, Cosmetology, Nail Technician, Culinary arts, and Baking/Pastry Arts. Interested students should sign up in the Guidance Office.
- A former West Deptford student (Griffin Crowley) will be here on May 27th to discuss the benefits and obligations of ROTC programs in college and how they can financially assist students with tuition costs. Interested students should sign up in the Guidance Office.

## **GSA NEWS:**

The GSA (Gay-Straight Alliance) fundraised for the Dream Center at the talent show this past Friday. The students sold food and drinks at the concession stand during intermission. The students also collected donations by providing cards for the audience to write words of encouragement and support that were given to the talent show participants at the end of the show.

The proceeds from the concession stand and the donations collected totaled \$101.00 for the Dream Center. The Dream Center provides food, clothing, and other support to families in need in the area.

The GSA (Gay-Straight Alliance) will attend a Hawaiian themed dance at Delsea Regional High School to meet other members of GSA clubs in the tri-county area on Friday, 4/29. The students had a fantastic time!

## **WDHS MARCHING BAND NEWS:**



The West Deptford High School Marching Band begins spring rehearsals on Thursday, May 5th from 6pm to 9pm. Students currently in grades 7 through 11 are invited to come out and join. Membership opportunities include color guard, drumline, keyboard percussion, brass and woodwind sections. The WD Marching Band rehearses on Thursday evenings throughout the month of May. Please go to the band's website for the complete schedule: <http://www.wdhsmusic.org> New members are welcome!

## **CARDIAC PROGRAM:**

Deborah Hospital is sponsoring a Sudden Cardiac Arrest Screening for students at nearby Monongahela Middle School, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., on Saturday, May 21, 2016. Monongahela Middle School is located at 890 Bankbridge Road, Sewell, NJ 08080. The event is open to students ages 12-19 years old. More information can be found at the end of the eagle news.

Register online at [www.deborahfoundation.org](http://www.deborahfoundation.org).

**NHS NEWS:**

**Community Service Opportunities:** Community Service is beneficial to students for many reasons. It can boost a student's resume. It can help them to gain new skills. It can enable them to network and meet new people. It can promote personal growth and self-esteem. It can strengthen the community. If your child is interested in completing some community service hours on their own, they should see Mrs. Davis in room 16.

Ronald McDonald House of South Jersey is looking a few West Deptford High School students to serve on their Teen Advisory Council. There is an application process and the initial application is due April 30, 2016. Please contact Mrs. Davis if your child is interested in applying.

Also, Ronald McDonald House is holding a Ronald House 5K run, 1 mile walk, and tot trot on Saturday, June 11th at Riverwinds. Students, parents, family and friends, can participate individually or create a team. Visit <http://ronaldhouse-snj.org/> to register.

On June 16, 2016 the National Honor Society will be hosting our 4th annual Children with Hair Loss and St. Baldricks event! We will be raising money to help cure childhood cancers and collecting 8 inch or longer ponytails to create hair-pieces for children suffering with hair loss. Please encourage your student to participate. Family and friends are invited to participate as well!! Please email Jennifer Stuart [jstuart@wdeptford.k12.nj.us](mailto:jstuart@wdeptford.k12.nj.us) to schedule an appointment or volunteer if you have a stylist license.

**Children With Hair Loss Permission Slip**

**Children With Hair Loss** is a non-profit organization that provides hairpieces for children who suffer from alopecia or have hair loss to due cancer treatment. <http://www.childrenwithhairloss.us>

On June 16, 2016, the WDHS National Honor Society will be organizing a 'Cut-a-thon' at WDHS. To contribute, you must donate 8 inches of hair or more. Professional Stylists will be providing free haircuts for anyone donating to CWHL on 6/16/16. The donation guidelines from CWHL are attached. If you plan to participate, please complete the following permission slip. If you change your mind before 6/16/16, please let Mrs. Davis or Mrs. Stuart know so that we keep an accurate count of participants. This will help us gauge how many stylists we will need. Thank you for joining us!

**Permission Slip- Please return by June 16, 2016 to Mrs. Davis or Mrs. Stuart**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, plan to donate 8 inches of hair or more on June 16, 2016 at the WDHS CWHL cut-a-thon. I understand that my hair will be cut by a licensed stylist. I have read the CWHL donation guidelines. My parents support my decision. I understand that the media may be on campus to cover this event and that I may be photographed or filmed. If you do not wish to be photographed, please attach a signed note stating this.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Student name printed)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Student signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Parent name printed)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Parent signature)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Date)



## **Participant Agreement** Mandatory for All Organizers, Volunteers, Shavees, Children & Families Touched by Cancer edited 9-6-2013

I understand that the name St. Baldrick's, the logo, and the leprechaun icon are registered trademarks of the St. Baldrick's Foundation ("SBF"). I agree that the use of such registered trademarks in any printed materials or advertising requires the prior written approval of SBF. I also agree that I will not allow or participate in the use of a razor to shave the head of anyone at the activity benefitting SBF (if head-shaving is taking place), and that I will review and abide by SBF procedures regarding the proper handling of financial donations and assist SBF in clarifying and recognizing any and all donations collected by me as a representative of and volunteer for SBF, as described on SBF's website.

### **PUBLICITY CONSENT & RELEASE**

I hereby irrevocably grant SBF permission to use my name, biographical and occupational description, and business and personal information as provided by me to SBF. In addition, I hereby irrevocably grant permission to use and waive any rights of compensation or ownership of any pictures, film footage, likenesses, voices, or any or all of them in a greeting card, recording, print ad, motion picture film, television production or reproduction, direct mail piece, newsletter, website article, website event, social media event or article, event donation page, press release, sound track recording film strip, or still photograph related to my participation in this event/activity, used for purposes of furthering the charitable aims of SBF.

Furthermore, I hereby grant to SBF, its clients, successors, assigns and/or anyone acting under the authority or permission of any of them, the right to make originals of any of the items referred to in the preceding paragraph, to use such items in advertising and publicity in any and all publications and other media without limitation or reservation for any lawful purpose, to reproduce in any form or manner, and to copyright any such items in connection with the charitable aims of SBF.

I understand that neither I nor my business shall receive any compensation for my or my business' appearance in SBF promotional materials or activities. I hereby agree to hold SBF harmless and to indemnify SBF and its volunteers, contractors, agents and employees, and anyone acting under the authority or permission of SBF, from any and all claims arising out of, or resulting from, the use of any unauthorized images provided by me to SBF or shared by me on the SBF website.

### **AGREEMENT ON CONDUCT**

I understand that in participating in an event or fundraising activity benefitting SBF, I am responsible for conducting myself reasonably and with due regard for the safety and welfare of others. I understand that my commitment of time and funds to the Foundation does not in any way grant me the authority to act on behalf of SBF, and understand that I cannot sign contracts or make other agreements on SBF's behalf, including but not limited to agreements with other charities or fundraisers, even with respect to the event/activity benefitting SBF. I understand that I have a duty to cooperate with SBF in all regards.

### **FITNESS FOR EVENT**

I agree not to participate if, at the time of service, I know or have reasonable grounds to believe that I am not physically capable of participating in the event/activity, or if I have a communicable disease which could reasonably be expected to be transmitted during the course of this event/activity, including receiving barbering services, if applicable. I will inform SBF of such communicable disease prior to my participation in the event/activity and/or receiving barbering services, if applicable. Such diseases include, but are not limited to: cold, influenza or other respiratory illness, streptococcal pharyngitis ("strep throat"), purulent conjunctivitis ("pink eye"), pertussis ("whooping cough"), varicella ("chicken pox"), mumps, tuberculosis, impetigo (bacterial skin infection), pediculosis (head lice), scabies ("crabs") and any other disease that could reasonably be transmitted during the course of the event/activity, including receiving barbering services. I understand that certain diseases may prevent me from being able to participate in the program, and that SBF reserves the right to prevent me from participating in the event/activity if it determines that there is a reasonable possibility that my participation may result in the transmission of a communicable disease to other participants.

### **HOLD HARMLESS, WAIVER, AGREEMENT ON CONDUCT, & ASSUMPTION OF RISK:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, an individual, have freely and voluntarily chosen to participate in this event/activity benefitting SBF. I understand that there are certain risks associated with participating in any event/activity and participation is not without risk to myself, my employees, members of my family, or guests who may attend. I understand such risks include, but are not limited to, personal injury, property damage or loss, and death.

In consideration of and as inducement to SBF's acceptance of my, or my child's entry for this event/activity benefitting SBF, I expressly assume any and all risks of such damage or injury occurring to me, my child, or my business at this event/activity, any other function benefitting SBF, or within the surrounding area thereto, and I hereby release and agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless SBF, and all its related

entities, employees, directors, officers, members, volunteers, beneficiaries, venue hosts and agents from any and all liability of any nature, causes of action, debts, claims, and demands of every kind and nature, whatsoever, for injury or damage, which I or any member of my family or any other person accompanying me to this event may incur, or for which I may be liable, and which arises or is alleged to arise in connection with my or their participation in an event/activity benefitting SBF, whether occurring on the event grounds or the surrounding area thereto, or while traveling to or from such grounds or surrounding area. This release includes, but is not limited to, any claim for personal injury, property damage, wrongful death, and any and all fees and expenses related thereto whether the same shall arise by negligence, active or passive, or otherwise while I engage in this event/activity benefitting SBF or which may accrue thereafter in

connection with the event/activity benefitting SBF, or in connection with any fundraising activities which I may conduct before or after the event/activity benefitting SBF.

I have read and understand this Agreement, and am aware of the legal consequences of signing this Agreement, which I agree is governed by the law and jurisdiction of the State of New Jersey, United States of America, regardless of where I live, where the Agreement is signed or where the event/activity benefitting SBF takes place. I agree that this Agreement will continue in full force and effect after the termination of the event/activity benefitting SBF, whether such termination is by agreement by operation of law or otherwise. I agree that if any provision of this Agreement is held invalid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction the remaining provisions will continue to be fully effective. I agree that a photocopy of this Agreement will be sufficient to demonstrate that I signed the Agreement and that an original need not be retained by SBF. I understand and agree that I may not participate or continue to participate in the event/activity benefitting SBF unless I have read and signed this Agreement, and that my execution of this Agreement binds both me and any business participating in the event/activity benefitting SBF of which I am a principal owner, or agent. I understand and agree that this Agreement contains the entire agreement between the parties, and supersedes any prior oral or written agreement concerning the subject matter.

**PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS:**  Male  Female |  Adult  Minor\*

Please print name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Did you already register online?  Yes  No

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Event location/venue: \_\_\_\_\_

I am a(n):  Organizer  Shavee  Volunteer

Child touched by cancer  Parent of a child touched by cancer

Are you a returning SBF shavee, organizer or volunteer?  Yes  No

**\* IF PARTICIPANT IS A MINOR (UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE), A PARENT / GUARDIAN MUST COMPLETE THIS SECTION**

I understand the nature of the SBF event and believe my minor child's ("the Minor") experience and capabilities to be such that the Minor is qualified to participate in the SBF event. I or someone designated by myself, shall (i) accompany the Minor at all times during the Minor's participation of the SBF event], (ii) inspect the premises, facilities, and equipment to be used or with which the Minor may come in contact and (iii) instruct the Minor to immediately leave the area and refuse to participate further in the SBF event in the event anything is unsafe.

I fully understand and will instruct the Minor that the activities at the SBF event may be dangerous and participation in the SBF event involves risks, including, but not limited to, risk of personal injury, property damage or loss, and death. I consent to the Minor's participation in the SBF event. I have read this Agreement, and understand that by signing it, I give up substantial rights I and/or the Minor would otherwise have.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

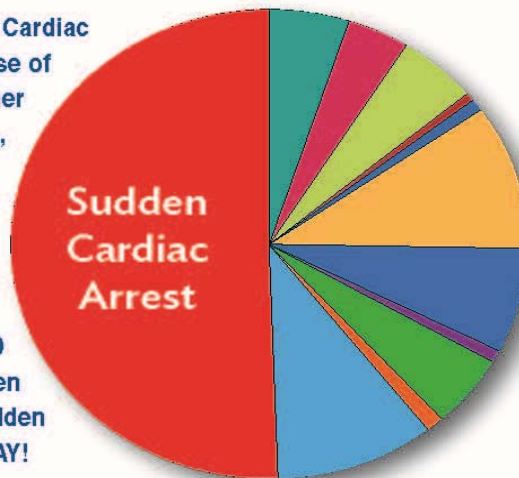
## Requirements for Donating Hair

Help us "Cover Young Heads to Heal Young Hearts." In order to do so please follow these requirements:

- ✔ Hair should be at least 8 inches in length or longer is preferred.
- ✔ Hair must be clean and dry, pony-tailed and/or braided (this keeps the hair in one direction).
- ✔ Place rubberband or pony tail holder on each end.
- ✔ Non-chemically treated hair is preferred (but any hair in good condition will be accepted).
- ✔ Gray hair is accepted.
- ✔ Print hair donation form.
- ✔ Place donation form and hair in ziplock bag and mail to Children with Hair Loss
- ✔ Donors are given a certificate in appreciation for their kindness.

# Sudden Cardiac Arrest: #1 Cause of Death in the USA!

Based on a 2014 update, Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA) remains the leading cause of death in the United States and other countries. In the United States alone, approximately 424,000 people of all ages experience EMS-assessed out-of-hospital non-traumatic SCA each year and 401,000 or (9 out of 10) victims die. The report further suggests that, nearly 1,100 people, including 24 children (12-18 yrs), die from Sudden Cardiac Arrest per DAY!



- Alzheimers
- Assault with firearms
- Breast cancer
- Cervical cancer
- Colorectal cancer
- Diabetes
- HIV
- House fires
- Motor vehicle accidents
- Prostate cancer
- Suicides

*Causes of death (SOURCE: American Heart Association, Sudden Cardiac Arrest Foundation)*



## YOUR HEART

Deborah's Sudden Cardiac Arrest Screening  
GET SCREENED FOR LIFE.

**May 21, 2016 • 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.**  
**Monongahela Middle School**  
**890 Bankbridge Road • Sewell, NJ 08080**

All Students  
Ages 12 – 19 Years Old

You Must Register On-Line.  
Go To [www.deborahfoundation.org](http://www.deborahfoundation.org)

For additional information or questions call 800-223-0135