



WEEKLY E-NEWSLETTER

INFORMATION FOR
SEPTEMBER 16 - SEPTEMBER 25
2022

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Santa Fe Indian School HOMECOMING

FRIDAY 9/16
TWIN DAY
LADY BRAVES
PINK CLASSIC @ ECPP

SATURDAY 9/17
PINK PRIDE
PINK CLASSIC
- ALL DAY

MONDAY 9/19
PAJAMA DAY
KARAOKE
DURING LUNCH

TALENT SHOW 630PM
CHAVEZ PAVILLION

TUESDAY 9/20
SWITCH IT UP DAY
MUSICIAN'S COLLECTIVE
ROCK BAND
DURING LUNCH

HS POWDER
PUFF GAME
BASEBALL FIELD 630PM

MID-SCHOOL
MOVIE NIGHT
ABEYTA GYM 630PM

WEDNESDAY 9/21
SPORTS JERSEY DAY
COUNTRY MUSIC
DURING LUNCH

HOMECOMING COURT ASSEMBLY
230PM

ICE CREAM SOCIAL 325PM@ECP

THROW BACK THURSDAY
9/22
MUSIC & GAMES
DURING LUNCH

HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING DANCE
630PM - 9PM

MS HOMECOMING DANCE 6 - 8PM

FRIDAY 9/23
CLASS COLOR CRAZY HAIR DAY
SPIRIT BAND & DRUM LINE
DURING LUNCH

PEP RALLY! 2 - 330P
& CLASS COMPETITIONS

HOMECOMING GAME vs ESPANOLA SUN DEVILS 7PM

FREE FARMERS MARKET & OPTIONAL TAILGATE 4PM



ALBUQUERQUE INDIAN SCHOOL SANTA FE INDIAN SCHOOL

Week At-A Glance

TODAY, Friday, 9/16

Odd Schedule

Lady Braves Volleyball Pink Classic

Saturday, 9/17

Braves Football @ McCurdy

MS Lady Braves Volleyball @ Mandela Invite

Runnin Braves/Lady Braves X-Country @ Rio Rancho

Jamboree

Lady Braves Volleyball Pink Classic

Sunday, 9/18

Monday, 9/19

Laguna Pueblo Feast Day

Tuesday 9/20

Wednesday, 9/21

MS Braves Football @ Las Vegas Memorial

Thursday, 9/22

Lady Braves Volleyball @ Mora

Friday, 9/23

Braves Football vs Espanola

Lady Braves Soccer @ Santa Fe Prep

Saturday, 9/24

Lady Braves Soccer vs Rehoboth

Runnin Braves/Lady Braves X-Country @ Capital City Invite

Sunday, 9/25

Residential Count Weeks (9/25-10/15)

MS/HS Student Living Open House - Potluck





SANTA FE INDIAN SCHOOL

Office of the Superintendent

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September 14, 2022

Dear Parents -

I am excited to share information about our all-school (grades 7 - 12) trip to Taos San Geronimo Feast on Friday September 30, 2022. Our Pueblo Convocation approach guides this important experience, and will reinforce our Core Value of Respect and make the connection that our traditions are the foundation of our education. Both of these concepts are the focus of September's Health & Wellness classes and are reinforced in our academic and student living programs.

Please read this letter carefully because this trip requires some important changes to our regular schedule. At the end, there is specific information for parents of dorm students and parents of day students. I am requesting all parents [complete this form by September 20](#) so we can finalize meals and ensure each student has a seat on the bus to Taos. September 30 is a regular school day, and school policy will be followed regarding student absences. Please note that due to the complexity of taking the whole school to Taos, **there are no individual scheduling accommodations for students to be on campus**; for example, if a student has a doctor's appointment on September 30, they must be out the entire day, and will be excused per school policy.

Students and staff will arrive at Taos Pueblo at 10:30am and will depart at 4:00 pm so students can experience Taos Feast's trade fair and pole climb. This means that some day buses will be on a later pick up and drop off schedule. It also means dorm students have an expected arrival time back on campus between 5:45 pm - 6:00 pm. The exact transportation schedule for September 30 will be posted no later than September 20 on our [SFIS website News & Announcements](#).

Students should dress in layers with current weather in mind; taking a warm sweater is advised. We encourage students to bring their own water. SFIS will provide snacks and lunch, but students may wish to bring spending money as there will be food vendors onsite. **Because this is a sacred day, cell phones are not allowed and will be confiscated.** If phones are confiscated, they may not be returned. In particular, no photographs or recordings of any type are allowed. Students are asked to be mindful that not all village homes are shops, but many are private homes and not to enter unless invited. Please see Taospueblo.com for details regarding expectations for all visitors.

Love,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Christie Abeyta".

Superintendent Christie Abeyta

Friday September 30 Special Information for Parents of Dorm Students

Schedule for September 30:

7:15 am HS/7:30 am MS: Dorm students follow the regular schedule for leaving the dorm and eating breakfast on campus.

8:30 am SFIS Buses leave campus for 10:30 am arrival time in Taos.

5:45-6:00 pm SFIS Buses return dorm students to campus.

Notes:

Weekend bags cannot be taken on the bus to/from Taos. Students must pick up their weekend bags from the dorms prior to going home on Friday evening. The last Railrunner train south leaves the South Capitol station at 6:51 pm on Friday. Dorm students may stay overnight at the dorm on September 30. We ask that 5 Day students who stay overnight September 30, leave Saturday morning, October 1. Students may return as normal on Sunday, October 2.

Students are not allowed on campus from 8:30 am - 5:45 pm on Friday September 30. This is because academic and student living staff are accompanying students to Taos.

Special Information for Parents of Day Students

Both morning pick-up and afternoon drop-off times will vary by community. The exact schedule will be available by September 20 on the [SFIS website News & Announcements](#).

Students are not allowed on campus from 8:30 am - 5:45 pm on Friday September 30. This is because academic and student living staff are accompanying students to Taos.

Use the links below to complete the
All Student Field Trip form by Sept. 20th

Taos Pueblo Field Trip Form

Office of Admissions Information

Registration Reminder

A reminder for parents. Registration is required for all new and returning students for the 2022-2023 school year. The registration will update your student's information in the NASIS system however, the information will not be changed until the registration is Approved/Posted as complete by the Office of Admissions. A completed registration has all information tabs complete and all required documents uploaded (physical, immunization record, COVID vaccination card, and insurance (private, Medicaid or let us know if you use IHS exclusively and do not have a card)).

If you are unsure if your registration is complete or, please contact the Office of Admissions to confirm. We can be reached at 505-989-6370. Thank you.

Office of Emergency Management

Effective immediately, and until further notice. (Includes Staff, Students, and Visitors)

SFIS is moving to "Indoor Masking Recommended", as per the SFIS Masking Policy. This is because currently, all counties in New Mexico have community COVID levels at low or medium.

I want to be clear that this could change based on increases in community COVID levels in any of

the NM Counties that are represented at SFIS. (Sandoval, Santa Fe, Bernalillo, Taos, McKinney, San Juan, San Miguel, Rio Arriba, Lincoln, Cibola and Valencia Counties). If one of the mentioned counties reverts to high levels, we must revert to “ Indoor Masking Required”.

The CDC updates this county data every Thursday evening, therefore I will update the SFIS community on Fridays, IF any changes occur that require us to adjust the masking requirements.

Masking is a personal choice, we encourage you to make this decision in consideration of those around you, both at home and at school, and remember that masking is still recommended. Be sure to respect others decisions regarding masking – there is no right or wrong answer here.

If you are symptomatic in any way, be aware that the Guidance Tree clearly states the requirement for continued masking

additionally if you were positive for COVID in the last 10 days and have completed your isolation period you are still required to mask indoors until you are outside the 10 day window

IF you would like to review the map of NM County Community COVID Levels please use the link below:

[https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view?
list_select_state=New+Mexico&data-type=CommunityLevels&list_select_county=35049](https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#county-view?list_select_state=New+Mexico&data-type=CommunityLevels&list_select_county=35049)

Food Delivery Information

Dear SFIS Parents/Guardians,

Our policy regarding food deliveries for SY 22-23 has changed. Below is the new guidance regarding this policy:

1. **Parents/Guardians may deliver food to their students between the hours of 6:30pm-8:30pm.**
 2. **No 3rd party delivery services** (UberEats, DoorDash, Dominoes Delivery, etc.) – any drivers that arrive at SFIS from any 3rd party with a food delivery will be turned around at the gate.
 3. **No food deliveries during the academic day** (There is one exception to this rule as noted in #4).
 4. **Birthday Exception:** Parents may deliver cake, treats, or food on students' birthday during the students' lunch period, or after 4:00pm. Parents **MUST** coordinate this with the ACADEMIC OFFICE for lunch period deliveries, or with the STUDENT LIVING OFFICE for afterschool deliveries before 6:30pm.
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Middle School Information

Dear MS Parents/Guardians,

On Thursday, September 22nd MS Students will participate in the Julia Robinson Math Festival at SFIS. Students were given a Parent/Guardian Release from to take home for your signature. Ask your child for the form or print using the link below.

Please review the form, sign it and have your child return the form by **Monday September 19th** to their Brave Connections teacher. Thank you.



STEM Santa Fe Julia Robinson Mathematics Festival

Santa Fe Indian School
Thursday September 22, 2022

Parent/Guardian Release Form

Parent/Guardian Release Form

Student Name (printed): _____

Parent/Guardian Name (printed): _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

- In order for my child to participate in this JRMF program, I release, waive, indemnify, hold harmless, and discharge STEM Santa Fe, Santa Fe Indian School, and STEM Santa Fe JRMF sponsors, from all claims, damages, and liability arising from my student's participation on September 22, 2022.
- I understand that the images and recordings may be published in local newspapers or may be used and shared by STEM Santa Fe on social media outlets or may be used by STEM Santa Fe in other marketing material without payment of fees. Names and other private information such as addresses, phone numbers, or email will NOT be published. I give permission for such images and recordings to be used in this manner.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Release form must be received no later than _____



Download September Calendar

Learning Media Center Information

BIG READ SANTA FE

SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER
BIG READ. CULMINATING
EVENT WITH AUTHOR
TOMMY ORANGE AT
SANTA FE INDIAN
SCHOOL ON NOVEMBER
5TH

There



A novel

There



Tommy Orange



"TOMMY
ORANGE'S
WONDEROUS
AND SHATTERING
NOVEL FOLLOWS
TWELVE
CHARACTERS
FROM NATIVE
COMMUNITIES:
ALL TRAVELING
TO THE BIG
OAKLAND
POWOW, ALL
CONNECTED TO
ONE ANOTHER IN
WAYS THEY MAY
NOT YET
REALIZE."

SANTA FE PUBLIC LIBRARY IS HOSTING A CITY-WIDE READ
WITH SUPPORT FROM A NEH GRANT
SFPL PROVIDED SFIS WITH BOOKS FOR ALL HIGH SCHOOL
STUDENTS AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONVERSATIONS
WITH THE SANTA FE COMMUNITY

**PARENTS! IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO
READ WITH US, PLEASE CONTACT
MS. LONGETEIG AT
LLONGETEIG@SFIS.K12.NM.US
AND WE WILL ARRANGE TO GET
YOU A COPY OF THE BOOK.**



SCAN THE QR CODE TO LEARN
ABOUT UPCOMING EVENTS OR
VISIT:
[HTTPS://SANTAFEREADS.WEEBL
Y.COM/](https://santafereads.weebly.com/)

Student Living Information



STUDENT LIVING OPEN HOUSE

Kick off to Residential Count Weeks

4pm-5pm Family Fun/Run Walk

5pm-6pm Dinner @ Cafeteria

6pm-7pm Caseload Showcase &
Raffle



SEPT. 25, 2022

4PM-7PM

Residential Count Weeks: Sept. 25, 2022-October 15, 2022.

Students need to be in the dorm for these three weeks.

Student absence's from the dorm will need to be accompanied by a letter from a medical provider, or Governor.

For more information call:

Middle School Student Living : 505-989-6334

High School Student Living: 505-989-6380

Community Information

SFIS invites all farmers and parents to the
Farmer's Market on September 23rd.

For more information, please contact Patrice
Chavez, HS Dean of Students,
at 505-699-3058

FARMER'S MARKET

Homecoming

September, 23rd

4 PM
Set Up

Braves Football

Santa Fe Indian School

The poster features a green arched sign with 'FARMER'S MARKET' in red and white. Below it, 'Homecoming' is written in large yellow letters. The date 'September, 23rd' is in black. A central graphic shows a golden scale with '4 PM Set Up' written on its beam, flanked by two footballs. Below the scale, 'Braves' and 'Football' are written in black. At the bottom, there is a row of colorful illustrations including a cornucopia, a corn cob, a pumpkin, and a circular logo with 'SFIS' in the center. The entire poster is enclosed in a dark red border.



Attention Ohkay Owingeh Students

Tutoring begins Tuesday, September 27th from 5:00 pm -7:00 pm at the P'oe Tsawaa Community Library for Ohkay Owingeh for students in grades K-12.

**OHKAY OWINGEH DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION**

TUTORING PROGRAM

- ✿ **K-12TH GRADES**
- ✿ **ONE-ON-ONE INSTRUCTION**
- ✿ **SCHOOL SUPPLIES PROVIDED**



**ARE YOU IN NEED OF TUTORING? WE
ARE OFFERING A FREE TUTORING
PROGRAM FOR THE 22'-23' SCHOOL
YEAR FOR OHKAY OWINGEH STUDENTS!**

✿ **BEGINNING
SEPTEMBER
2022 (5PM-7PM)**

✿ **P'OE TSAWARA
COMMUNITY
LIBRARY**

**FOR
MORE
INFORMATION
&
APPLICATIONS**

**PLEASE CONTACT
US AT:
505-852-3477**

AILEEN_LOPEZ@EDUCATION.OOCS.ORG

Mentorship Opportunity



What is HOT?

The Healers Of Tomorrow (HOT) is an 8 month mentorship program where students explore health careers, are provided with college preparation, and develop leadership skills.

Monthly in person meetings.

Paired up with a college mentor, get exposed to various medical professionals and traditional healers.

Each of our students creates and implements a youth-led health project to improve their community.

Up to \$300.00 stipend with completion of this program.

This program offers a supportive environment to explore the interests of health careers and community service.

Virtual option only available for those who live 30+ min. outside of Albuquerque, NM.



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