

NAUTICAL

NEWS

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Nautical News

2023 Sailor Graduates

Congratulations to the Class of 2023! You have reached a milestone with a solid foundation as you enter college, the military or the workforce. Your foundation will provide you many opportunities for achieving many more great things. Always remember if you can dream it you can achieve it. Good luck on your next steps in all your new adventures.

For the parents of the soon to be graduates, as a school we say *"Thank You"* for supporting and encouraging your child(ren). It's been a pleasure to get to know and watch our seniors through their educational experiences grow into fine young men and women.

School Dismissal

The last day for students will be May 17th at 11:30 a.m. The teachers' last day will be May 23rd.

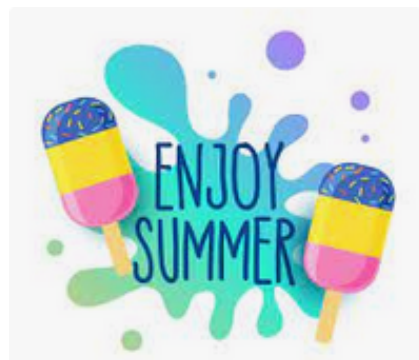
Flew By

It doesn't seem that long ago that we were welcoming students into the building for the start of the school year and now the school year is almost over. What a great year it's been as I look back at the many successes Sutherland Public Schools has had this year. I can't wait to see what next year will bring. We are confident there will be many future successes for the district to experience.

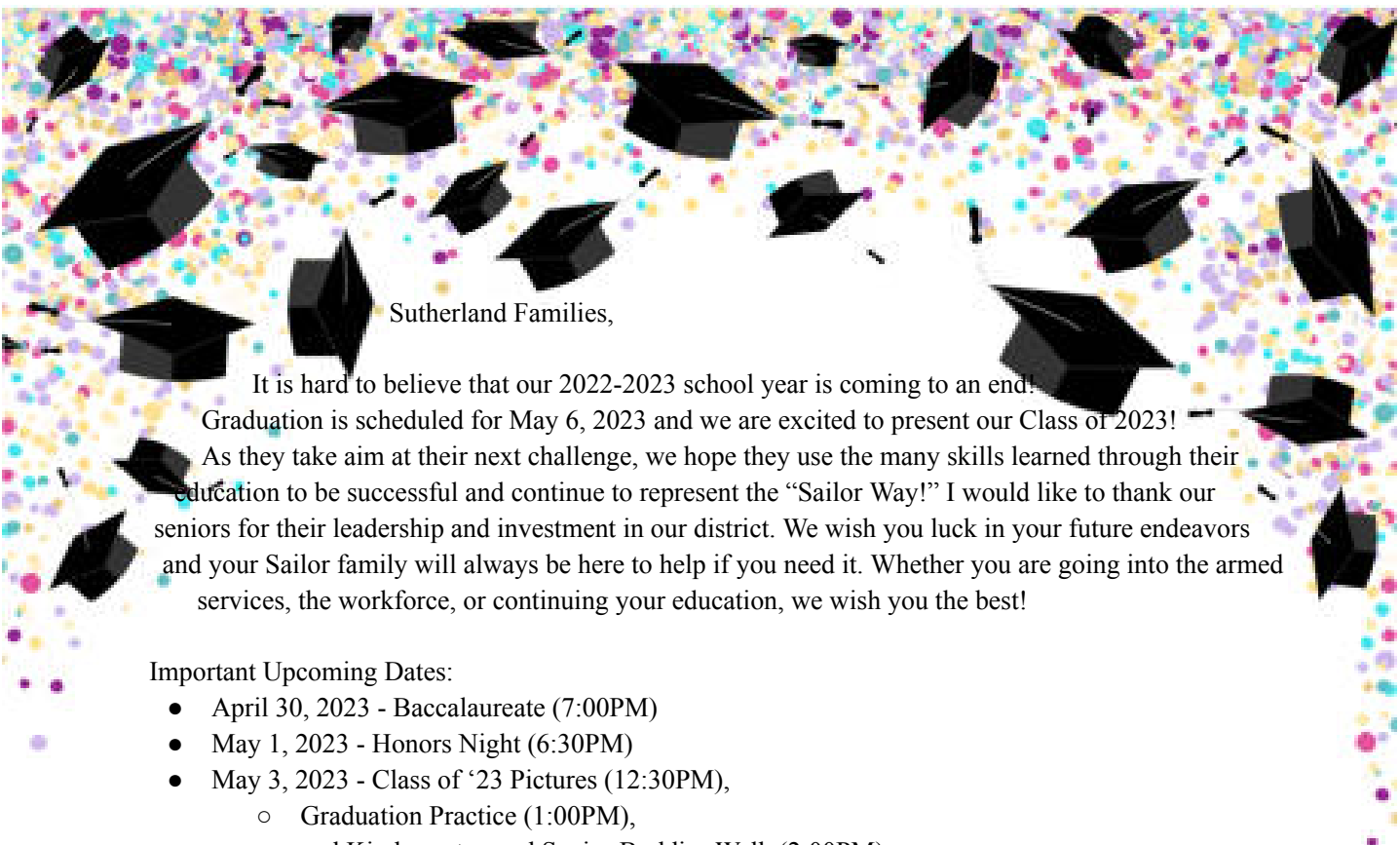
Go Sailors - we will write again in August!!!

The Last Laugh

As my grown daughters tell me, dad jokes are awful. Oh well, here is a dad joke for you. There are 26 letters in the alphabet "I only know 25, I don't know 'y'????"



AMANDA HUEBNER, HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL



Sutherland Families,

It is hard to believe that our 2022-2023 school year is coming to an end!

Graduation is scheduled for May 6, 2023 and we are excited to present our Class of 2023!

As they take aim at their next challenge, we hope they use the many skills learned through their education to be successful and continue to represent the "Sailor Way!" I would like to thank our seniors for their leadership and investment in our district. We wish you luck in your future endeavors and your Sailor family will always be here to help if you need it. Whether you are going into the armed services, the workforce, or continuing your education, we wish you the best!

Important Upcoming Dates:

- April 30, 2023 - Baccalaureate (7:00PM)
- May 1, 2023 - Honors Night (6:30PM)
- May 3, 2023 - Class of '23 Pictures (12:30PM),
 - Graduation Practice (1:00PM),
 - and Kindergarten and Senior Buddies Walk (2:00PM)
- May 3, 2023 - 7-12 Music Concert (5:30PM)
- May 6, 2023 - Graduation @ 10:00AM


Thinking ahead to next year, we will continue to have Sutherland Cleanup Days - one time per semester, so start thinking of tasks that our students in grades 7-12 can help with. If you are able to come up with tasks for our students, please email me at amanda.huebner@spssailors.org. Our goal is to reinforce the importance of service and pride within our Sailors, so please help us to give back to our community.

Finally, I want to thank our many teachers, coaches, sponsors, and students for their time and hard work within the classroom and the many extracurricular activities. Thank you for committing your time to classwork and school activities throughout the year. You have represented Sutherland Schools well and we are proud of the many accomplishments made. Thank you Sailors and Finish Strong!

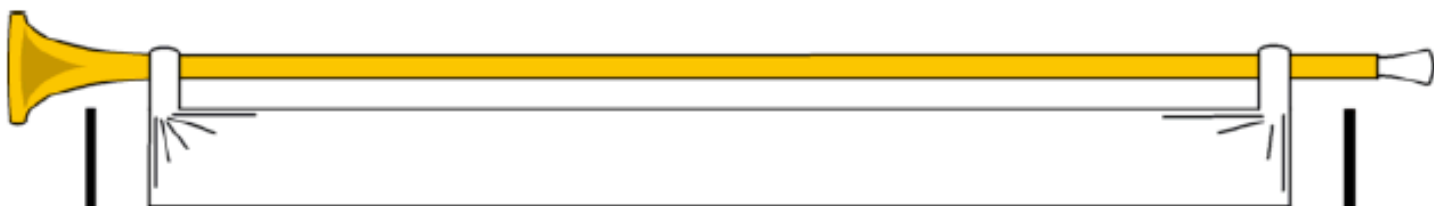
Sincerely,

Amanda Huebner

7-12 Principal, Sutherland High School
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AMANDA HUEBNER, HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL....CONTINUED

*Secondary Recognitions:*

- *JH Speech*
 - *Team - 3rd Place at Maxwell Meet*
 - *OTD:*
 - *Vivienne Johnsen, Bryden Redden, and Lyla Mann- 5th*
 - *Memphis Goodwin, Macradee Lantis, Maleah Vasquez, Bryer Brown- 4th*
 - *Serious:*
 - *Vivienne Johnsen- 5th*
 - *Bryer Brown- 3rd*
 - *Humorous:*
 - *Maleah Vasquez- 6th*
 - *Marley Reeves- 2nd*
 - *Persuasive:*
 - *Eliana Dyer- 1st*
 - *Entertainment:*
 - *Easton Dancer- 1st*
- *Track*
 - *25 PR's at April 22, 2023 Mike Troxel Meet*
- *Attorney General's Leadership Conference Winners*
 - *Charlee Weber*
 - *Glory Naughtin*
 - *The leadership conference was held at the Nebraska State Capitol Building on Tuesday, April 18, 2023. Only a handful of students from across the State of Nebraska were chosen to attend this event.*
- *Golf*
 - *Perkins County Invite Results*
 - *Ryker Copeland - 86 - 6th*
 - *Grady Dempcy - 87 - 9th*
 - *Harmon Johnsen - 95*
 - *Kason Bruns - 100*
 - *Chayce Crump - 104*
 - *Team - 368*

SAMANTHA PAVELKA, ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL



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Mrs. Pavelka's ELEMENTARY NEWSLETTER



SMART START SAILOR

ATTENTION: BIRTH – KINDERGARTEN PARENTS!

On April 25th, Sutherland Public Schools will be hosting a “block party”. From 5:30 – 7:30 pm families will take part in a variety of block activities. This event is sponsored by Tasha Wolf from the UNL Extension Office. Please come join us for some block fun!

TESTING SEASON

Testing season is upon us. Students in grades 3rd – 8th grade will embark on NSCAS Spring testing. The testing window goes from April 3rd – May 12th. It is essential that students are well rested prior to testing.

LITTLE SAILORS PRESCHOOL PARENT MEETING

The PreK and Junior Kindergarten parent meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, May 3rd from 5:30 – 6:30 pm CST. Please bring your child’s immunization records and birth certificate to this meeting.

KINDERGARTEN PARENT MEETING & KINDERGARTEN ROUND UP

The Kindergarten Parent meeting is scheduled for Thursday, May 4th from 5:30 – 6:30 pm CST. New Sailor parents should bring your child’s immunization records and birth certificate to this meeting. If you have completed the kindergarten physical and eye exam, please bring that paperwork as well. Kindergarten Round Up will take place on Friday, May 5th from 9:00 am – 10:30 am CST.

AR CELEBRATION

Sutherland Public Schools will be hosting an Accelerated Reader celebration on Tuesday, May 16th for students who reached 100 points or made their AR goal 3 out of the 4 quarters

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Congratulations to our March Students of the Month! Rylee Mraz, 3rd Grade and Camry Rasby, 3rd Grade

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 25 – Block Party

May 3 – PreK Parent Meeting

May 4 – Kindergarten Parent Meeting

May 5 – Kind. RoundUp

May 8 – Track & Field Day

May 16 – AR Party

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It has been another great year of learning and growth for the Sutherland TeamMates Chapter. We are excited to continue growing even as we graduate several TeamMates. The winners of our authentic Tom Osborn signed football were Becky, Caydence, Abby, Ryan, and Luke. Please contact me if you ever have questions or concerns regarding TeamMates or would like to enroll in the TeamMates program. Enjoy your summer! ~ Jessica Rasby

RASPBERRY PEACH SMOOTHIE

Ingredients:

- 1 cup frozen raspberries
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup chopped fresh peach
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup vanilla Greek yogurt
- $\frac{1}{3}$ cup vanilla almond milk

Instructions:

1. Place all ingredients into blender (liquid ingredients first).
2. Blend on high for 2 minutes or until smooth. Scrape down sides and blend for another 30 seconds.
3. Serve and enjoy!



Don't Forget!

PK & JK Parent Meeting and Open House - Wednesday May 3 @ 5:30pm

K Parent Meeting - Thursday May 4 @ 5:30

K Roundup Friday May 5 @ 9:00am

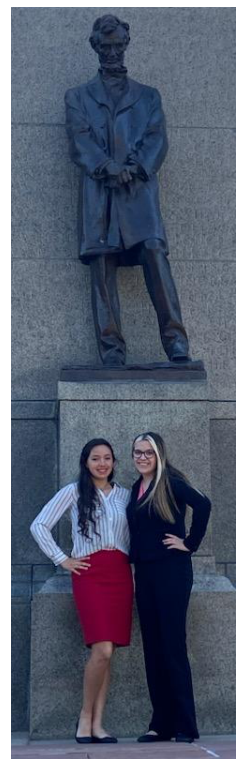
Junior High FPS Team Goes to State!



This year, the seventh-grade Future Problem Solving (FPS) Team of Vivienne Johnsen, Shaydyn Rasby, Bryer Brown, and Keagan Kershner earned their way to the State FPS competition. The State Bowl was held at the University of Nebraska at Kearney on April 15th. Competitors had two hours during the morning session to complete their problem-solving booklet on the topic, "Throw Away Society." Competitors then had just under two hours to develop a skit that detailed their action plan which was part of the competition booklet. The team had to make costumes and act out their skit for judges during the skit competition in the afternoon.



**2023 Attorney General's Leadership
Conference attendees
Glory Naughtin and Charlee Weber -
April 18, 2023 in Lincoln, Nebraska.
(Pictured above with Attorney
General Mike Hilgers)**





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The Sutherland Public School K-6 Elementary Track Meet will be held on Monday, May 8th. The entire meet will be completed in one day. Field events will be held in the morning beginning at 9:30 am. Each student will compete in nine different events throughout the morning. At 12:00pm there will be a 45 minute lunch break. For lunch, students may bring their own lunch or order a school sack lunch from the school. At 12:45 pm running events will begin. Students will compete in an individual race and a relay. The meet will conclude between 2:30 and 3:00. Students can leave with their parents at the conclusion of the event. We are looking forward to a fun filled day with your child competing in multiple events! If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact Mr. Geier at the school (308)-386-4426 or via email brendan.geier@spssailors.org.




Calendar

May 1, 2023 - Honors Night 6:30pm
May 2, 2023 - Best of Midwest Track @ SPS 3:00pm
May 6, 2023 - Graduation 10:00am
May 8, 2023 - K-6 Track & Field Day 9:30am
May 10, 2023 - Retirement Party 5:00pm
May 11, 2023 - District Track
May 15, 2023 - School Board Meeting 7:00pm
May 17, 2023 - Last day of School for Students (Dismissal @ 11:30am)



May 2023 ACTIVITIES

SUTHERLAND PUBLIC SCHOOL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 2nd Grade Field Trip to North Platte HONORS NIGHT 6:30PM	2 Best of the Midwest Track @ SPS 3:00pm	3 DIBELS Spring Testing (K-6) PK and JK Parent Mtg & Open House 5:30pm 2:30 Dismissal 7-12 Spring Concert 5:30pm	4 DIBELS Spring Testing (K-6) Golf @ North Platte 10:00am JH Track @ Kimball K Parent Mtg 5:30pm	5 K Round-Up 9:00am Track @ Elm Creek 9:00am	6 GRADUATION 10:00am
7	8 Elementary Track & Field Day 9:30am	9 Golf @ SPS 10:00am	10 3rd Grade Field Trip to Ash Hollow 2:30 Dismissal Retirement Party 5:00pm	11 District Track @ Southern Valley	12 K Field Trip to North Platte 5th Grade Field Trip to Camp Comeca	13 JH Dance 7-10pm
14	15 Drug Free Program 3:00pm Board Meeting 7:00pm	16 Elementary Accelerated Reader Celebration - 12:00PM	17 End of 4th Quarter Last Day of School - Dismiss @ 11:30am	18 Teacher Inservice Day PK Advisory Meeting 8:00am	19 Teacher Inservice Day State Track @ Omaha WR Camp 6pm	20 State Track @ Omaha WR Camp 10am
21 WR Camp 10am	22 Teacher Inservice Day	23 Teacher Inservice Day	24	25	26	27
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31 			

May 2023 MENUS

**SUTHERLAND PUBLIC
SCHOOL**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Cereal, Trix bar, juice, fruit, milk. Super nachos, salad bar, milk. (Beef in Schools)	2 Breakfast sandwich, fruit, juice, milk. Chicken strips, potato patty, churros, salad bar.	3 Sausage, waffles, fruit, juice, milk. Sloppy joes, chips, salad bar, milk. (Beef in Schools)	4 Cereal, muffin, fruit, juice, milk. Chicken or cheese quesadilla, salad bar, milk.	5 Cereal, pop tart, fruit, juice, milk. Corn dogs, baked beans, salad bar, milk.	6
7	8 Cereal, Trix bar, fruit juice, milk. Tacos, salad bar, milk. (Beef in Schools)	9 Breakfast burrito, juice, fruit, milk. BBQ rib sandwich, chips, salad bar, milk.	10 French toast, ham, fruit juice, milk. Italian dunkers, salad bar, milk.	11 Cereal, muffin, fruit, juice, milk. Pizza burger, salad bar, milk. (Beef in Schools)	12 Cereal, pop tart, fruit, juice, milk. Burritos, salad bar, milk.	13
14	15 Cereal, Trix bar, fruit, juice, milk. Hot ham & cheese, salad bar, milk.	16 Cook's choice, fruit, juice, milk. Sack lunch: Hot dogs, cookie, chips, fruit, milk. (No salad bar)	17 Pop tart, juice, milk. NO LUNCH SERVED	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31 	Milk is Served With Every Meal: *1% White *FF Chocolate *FF Strawberry	This Institution is an Equal Opportunity Employer & Provider	