



Shorewood students in a leadership workshop held after the January 9<sup>th</sup> Martin Luther King, Jr. Assembly that kicked off a special week. See [page 8](#) for more. Photo by Paul Villanueva.

## Register for AP Exams February 2-13

See [page 5](#). This is the only time for registration, which must be done online.

## Author Marissa Meyer to Visit Shorewood

On February 24<sup>th</sup>, many of our students will have the opportunity to attend a presentation by popular Young Adult Author Marissa Meyer, local author of fairy tale adaptations *Cinder* and *Fairest* (of the *Lunar Chronicles* series.) [page 10](#)

## Senior Spree Tickets: Buy by February 13

The price of Senior Spree tickets goes up after Mid-Winter Break, so if you have a senior, buy now if you haven't already! [page 6](#)

## Plan Ahead!

Students: take the new SAT Prep class offered here at Shorewood [page 3](#); learn how to find local scholarships [page 3](#); think ahead to registration [page 4](#); learn about the difference between AP Physics 1 and AP Physics 2 [page 5](#); work on your resume and interviewing skills [page 9](#); attend the robotics event [page 10](#).

Parents: attend and/ or help with the March 14<sup>th</sup> Booster Auction [page 7](#); get caught up on state educational news [page 5](#); read about *Preparing for the Big Launch* parent education event (a.k.a. how to thrive during your student's senior year and early adulthood) [page 3](#); update your calendar [page 10](#).

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Shorewood Gymnasts are the new District Champions! Photo by Susan Riley.

## 2014–15 PTSA Board

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## Student Directories

*Amy Grady, PTSA Membership Director*

Directories were distributed in your student's 2<sup>nd</sup> period class the week of January 19<sup>th</sup>. Directories are given to anyone who joins the PTSA and donates \$10 to Pass the Hat. If you don't have a directory and think you should have received one, please email us at [membership@shorewoodptsa.com](mailto:membership@shorewoodptsa.com). If you haven't joined the PTSA, there is still time. Go to our website [www.shorewoodptsa.com](http://www.shorewoodptsa.com) to download a membership form or join online via PayPal. If you donate \$10 you will receive a student directory. Thank you for your support!

## PTSA/ Principal Coffees: 2/27, 3/20, 4/17

Please join the PTSA and Principal Bill Dunbar for informal monthly meetings held at 8:30 a.m. in the small conference room to the right of the library entrance. The discussion is open-ended, but if you have a topic suggestion, please email PTSA President [Patty Sanders](mailto:patty.sanders@shorewoodptsa.com). Sign in at the office before proceeding to the meeting, and bring your own coffee if desired. Any parent/ guardians are welcome to attend and participate.



Basketball vs. Lynnwood January 30<sup>th</sup>. Photo by Wayne Pridemore.

## PTA Survey Recap

*PTSA President Patty Sanders & Vice President Lisa Surowiec*

Thank you to all who took the membership survey in December. Your input helps us adjust our organization to fit the needs of as many of our members as possible. The following is a brief summary of the information gathered.

### PTSA goals are on track

Both the membership and staff support our stated goals; suggestions included family/parent education events and advocating for less stress.

### You support our program choices

Membership ranked After Shorewood and SAT Prep the highest; staff rated Homework Club, Summer School scholarships and SAT Prep top of the heap. Membership would prefer innovative volunteer recruiting to a reduction in our programs.

### You read *The Signal*

Both staff and membership use *The Signal* for most information and communication needs. Membership also goes to the school website and prefers email communication; staff also gets information from Principal Dunbar.

### What does it all mean?

Look for a parent education event on March 11<sup>th</sup>: *Preparing for the Big Launch* with Dr. Laura Kastner. Mark your calendars! [page 3](#)

We will promote job sharing and attempt to pair incoming parents with experienced PTSA volunteers.

We will advertise for volunteers using emails from the membership database and *The Signal*.

We will support the school's efforts to find tutors; we are hoping with the new SAS period and changes to Homework Club, we will be able to help fund a tutoring component.

We will investigate ways to fund SVL scholarships in addition to those we already support, and/ or will advocate for the district to do so.

We will begin to develop ways to communicate more effectively with staff.

We will investigate a volunteer shifts idea.

We will continue to advocate for teachers through our Legislation activities.

We will continue to bake cookies; they can be requested via our e-volunteers.

**Thank you** for your feedback! We welcome continued conversation and look forward to serving our students and school community in the best possible way.

## Affordable SAT Prep

Looking for an affordable, convenient SAT Prep course? This spring, Shorewood will hold its own SAT Prep course taught on-site by Shoreline School District teachers. The course consists of four Saturday morning sessions, 8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m. on March 21 and 28, April 4 and 11. Cost: \$125/student. Limited scholarships available through the counselors. The class will use the College Board SAT Prep Book; curriculum included in price. Questions? Contact Rebecca Emanuel [rebbecah.emanuel@shorelineschools.org](mailto:rebbecah.emanuel@shorelineschools.org). Registration open until February 13. Download [registration form](#) from the [PTSA website](#).

Sponsored by Shorewood PTSA.

## Coming March 11:

### Dr. Laura Kastner

Parents of Juniors and Seniors, would you like some expert advice on this next stage of parenting? Learn how to help your student figure out the next steps after high school, how to handle the crazy application season, how to handle possible minefields in these next stages, and more.

Dr. Kastner is an internationally known speaker and the author of *The Launching Years*. For more information, see:

[laurakastnerphd.com](http://laurakastnerphd.com)

[www.launchingyears.com](http://www.launchingyears.com)

Outline of presentation on [Documents page](#) of [www.aftershorewood.org](http://www.aftershorewood.org).

## After Shorewood



A resource for all Shorewood families, run by PTSA volunteers in cooperation with the Shorewood Administration, Counseling Department, and Career Center. We support families as they help their students figure out life After Shorewood, whether the goals involve college, vocational school, or a career.



January 24<sup>th</sup> Cheer Clinic for local kids. Photo by Wayne Pridemore.

## PSAT to SAT

Most sophomores received their PSAT scores recently. Wondering how to transition your decent PSAT scores into great SAT scores?

- Doing well in your classes is excellent preparation. Close reading and any kind of problem-solving are especially applicable.
- Don't stress. Test scores are only one part of a college application, and there are increasing numbers of [test-optional or test-flexible colleges](#).
- There will be a [new SAT exam](#) starting in 2016. This change will generally not affect present juniors, but will affect current sophomores.
- For information on PSAT > SAT, SAT vs. ACT, and more testing advice, see the [After Shorewood Testing page](#).

If you want to practice to raise your scores, there are several ways to tackle test preparation. Take advantage of free or low-cost opportunities:

- Review PSAT questions in detail to figure out areas for improvement.
- Sign up for the free [Dictionary.com Word of the Day](#) email.
- Free [SAT Question of the Day](#)
- Free [SAT Sample Practice Questions](#)
- Free [Practice Test](#)
- Free [Tutorials from Khan Academy](#)
- Affordable SAT Prep Course
- Other [College Board practice tools](#).

There are also online tools, test prep companies and private tutors. Every option has advantages and disadvantages. Figure out what will fit in your schedule and work for your learning style.

## Find Local Scholarships!

*Lisa Surowiec, ASW Scholarships*

During your scholarship search, you will be attracted to the high dollar, splashy scholarships with big names like Dr. Pepper and Foot Locker. The top prizes for these scholarships would easily take care of at least a year of your tuition, no matter where you chose to go. Unfortunately, these big national awards are really tough to win. Apply anyway, but focus most of your efforts on scholarships with a smaller pool of applicants.

"Local" narrows your competition. First is money offered to Washington State students. BECU is one; a lot of others start with "Washington State" such as Washington State PTA or Washington State Opportunity. Next up, Puget Sound scholarships. Look for scholarships like Kohl's Cares or Sound Credit Union. Shoreline/King County scholarships like AWC Center for Quality Cities (City of Shoreline) or Sno-King Retirees scholarship reduces the competition even further. Shorewood has about 8 scholarships just for you and your classmates. And last are local, school-specific scholarships like Shoreline Community College Foundation or Berol-Shindell (UW for Jewish undergrads).

For a list broken down by potential local offerings, look at [Local Scholarships!](#) from the main page archives on [www.aftershorewood.com](http://www.aftershorewood.com) for February of last year. Be aware that the dates are from last year and may have changed. Visit [Naviance](#) and/or the [ASW scholarship page](#) (which designates LOCAL scholarships next to the title).

Happy applying!!

## Counselors' Reminders

*Pam Richards, Counseling Department Chair*

### All Grades - Happy start to 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

It's official: we've made the turn into 2<sup>nd</sup> semester. Your student's semester grades are final on his/her transcript. Every class passed equals .5 credit. 22.5 credits are required to graduate. Thanks for supporting your students' success.

**Taking AP Classes?** Read about AP Exam signup on [page 5](#).

**Caring Community:** Our Lifesavers (suicide prevention) Club provided peer-taught presentations in all first semester 9<sup>th</sup> grade health classes in January. Students were given information on stress management, depression, and how they can help save a peer's life by following three simple steps. Ask your student what the three steps were and what resources they learned about!

Resources: 1-800-273-TALK; 1-800-4-U-TREVOR; 1-866-4CRISIS.

[www.crisischat.org](http://www.crisischat.org) [www.crisistext.org](http://www.crisistext.org)

**Middle School classes for High School Credit** Did your student take World Language and/or advanced Math in middle school? If yes, he/she has the option to put the courses on SW's transcript. It is not required to do so, and we recommend students wait until Junior year to be sure the grades earned will help his/her GPA in high school. Colleges want to see what the highest level of Math and World Language students get to in high school (such as French IV, UW PreCalculus), so there's no need for them to see the middle school credits and grades on SW's transcript from those middle school courses. If your student's middle school grades will help his/her GPA, there is a simple blue form in the counseling office that you and your student sign giving permission to put the credit on the transcript. Let us know if you have any questions.

**SW Registration for next year starts 2/25!** Forms are due March 9<sup>th</sup>.

Information will be given to students on 2/25 in classes, and the Registration Guide will be available online starting that week. Thank you for helping your student make thoughtful decisions. The selections made are commitments to take those courses; there is not flexibility to change schedules in August since we are always tightly staffed, and the master schedule is created based on what students sign up for on their registration forms. We encourage students to carefully read the guide, talk to current teachers to ask for next year course recommendations, talk to the teachers of courses they are interested in, and also talk to peers, parents and counselors for input. Students should keep in mind their goals after SW. What courses does their dream college want to see on their transcript? These decisions can make a significant difference in students' lives, both present and future, so encourage your student to choose wisely.

**9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> grade:** Counselors have met with all 9<sup>th</sup> graders regarding high school requirements, 4 year course planning, and other high school basics. We also just finished up meeting with all 10<sup>th</sup> graders to give them their transcripts, review [graduation requirements](#) and college admission requirements, and distribute PSAT scores. In February, we will be in all 11<sup>th</sup> grade English classes to give out transcripts, graduation requirement checklists, review Junior "to-dos" such as signing up for SAT/ACT, progressing on college and other post-SW planning, and making sure they can fit all of their required credits into their schedules by next June. Ask your student about his/her [graduation requirements](#)! Your student has the information and tools to know what courses he/she has taken and what credits remain.

## Contact Your Counselor

We encourage students to drop in during their free time, including before school, breaks, lunch, and after school. Students can also sign up on our clipboards, and we will send them a note to class.

### A-Fo + 10<sup>th</sup> grade AVID

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## Seniors

It's the final semester! Please contact us with any questions about your senior's graduation status and/or post SW planning. Counselors and Ms. Spellman in Career/College center are here to help.

## 2014-15 SAT/ ACT Dates

Register for the SAT and ACT directly, not through school. Shorewood is a testing site as long as you sign up early. Fee waivers are available for students eligible for free/ reduced lunch; see your counselor.

### SAT & SAT Subject Tests

Test	Sign up by
March 14	February 13
May 2	April 6
June 6	May 8

register at [sat.collegeboard.org](http://sat.collegeboard.org)

### ACT

Test	Sign up by
April 18	March 13
June 13	May 8

register at [actstudent.org](http://actstudent.org)

## PTSA Educational News

Suzanne Gugger, PTA Legislative Dir

### Fix No Child Left Behind Law?

Local school boards in Washington are encouraging the U.S. Congress to amend the No Child Left Behind Law because it penalizes school districts that need the most help. The Shoreline School Board passed a resolution along with more than 150 other state school boards. See: Washington State School Directors' Association [1.16.15 Press Release](#). Senator Patty Murray's recent column in the [1.22.15 Seattle Times](#). [Rewriting No Child Left Behind: Competing Views](#) *Washington Post*.

**PTA Focus Day** was Monday, 1/19.

Some folks from Shoreline went along with a big showing from Seattle and Northshore. The legislature is beginning to work on the budget and education funding mandates.

**I-1351 Class Size Measure** I-1351 could add \$6 billion in new costs, so both sides are likely to try to find a way out of it. That leaves two options—getting a two-thirds margin in both houses to stop the law from going into effect or putting a funding package together to reduce class sizes, which would need to get voter approval again.

**Taxes** Gov. Inslee has proposed capital gains and carbon taxes, but they are unlikely to pass since the majority in the state senate passed a procedural rule requiring a two-thirds vote to take up a new tax.

**Speak Up** Legislators will hear a lot about minimum wage, paid sick leave, and neighborhood control over development. They need to hear about education too. It is not too late to send a letter to our [legislators in Olympia](#), letting them know what you think. You can also leave a note in the PTA Letters box in the SW office and we will send them together.



Girls Basketball ready to take on the Shorecrest team. Photo by Wayne Pridemore.

## Student taking an AP Course? Register for the Exam

Pam Richards, Counseling Department Chair

A.P. (Advanced Placement) courses have year-end tests in May at the Shoreline Center. Because these tests are standardized nationwide through the College Board, students must sign up independently to take them. Here is information about registration: Register to take an AP exam online anytime from February 2<sup>nd</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup>. Registration is a two-step process:

Step 1: Register online at: [www.TotalRegistration.net/AP/481166](http://www.TotalRegistration.net/AP/481166)

Step 2: Print confirmation receipt, attach payment and bring to Shorewood Business Office

Two Payment Options:

1. Pay by cash or check at Shorewood Business Office
2. Pay by Credit Card at [www.shorelineschools.org](http://www.shorelineschools.org), go to [Online Payments](#).

February 13<sup>th</sup> is the *absolute last day* to register and pay for an AP exam. If you do not register and pay for your test by this day, you will not be taking an AP exam.

The fee for each test is \$91. Full payment is due at registration and there are no refunds. If you qualify for financial assistance or special testing accommodations, please contact your counselor ASAP!

## AP Physics Clarification

On the AP Page of the [January 2015 Shorewood Signal](#) (view on the PTA website), we listed AP Physics, but starting in 2015-16, AP Physics will become *two* AP Physics courses. The following text is from the College Board and the links connect to further course information:

**AP Physics 1** includes topics such as Newtonian mechanics (including rotational motion); work, energy, and power; mechanical waves and sound; and introductory, simple circuits.

**AP Physics 2** covers topics such as fluid statics and dynamics; thermodynamics with kinetic theory; PV diagrams and probability; electrostatics; electrical circuits with capacitors; magnetic fields; electromagnetism; physical and geometric optics; and quantum, atomic, and nuclear physics.



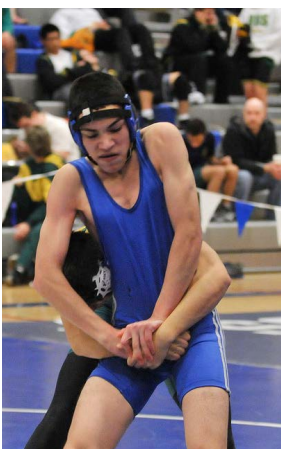
Shorewood DECA students at their Area 2 Conference at the Lynnwood Convention Center on January 13<sup>th</sup>. 37 Shorewood students are advancing to State, which will be held in Bellevue in March. Photo courtesy of Damon Oliveto and Shoreline Schools.

**Buy Now! Senior Spree Price Increase February 14**  
**Spree Tickets are available at the early bird price of \$150 through February 13<sup>th</sup>.** A \$50 non-refundable deposit will hold your spot and your price with the balance due May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Ticket prices will go up to \$175; buy now and save \$25! Scholarships are available: contact your counselor for more information.

**What is Senior Spree?** Spree is a parent-sponsored and chaperoned, all-night, substance-free graduation party held after the commencement ceremony for the new graduates. It is facilitated by Grad Nights, professional party planners, who provide security and handle logistics. Students are bused to two different memorable venues where they enjoy a full night of food and entertainment. Spree is not sponsored by Shorewood or the PTA, but cooperates with them.

**Details, paperwork, and payment details** on the [Spree page](#) of the Shorewood website.

**Questions?** Contact Paula Testerman 206.234.5825 or [Donna Gronvold](#) 206.300.4083.



Shoreline Invitational January 10<sup>th</sup>.  
 Photo by Wayne Pridemore.



[Shoreline Invitational Recap](#) on the Shoreline Area News.

## Shoreline PTA Reflections Finalists move on to State!

*Kathy Henderson, PTA Reflections Chair*

These Shorewood PTA Reflections Finalists advancing to the State Reflections Contest were honored at a reception January 8<sup>th</sup> at Shoreline Center.  
 High School Photography: Jamie Walker "Hands Up"; Sara Tieu "Waimea Canyon"  
 High School Music Composition: Roger Yung Cheng "Set Me Free"

## DECA Students to State

### Entrepreneurship Innovation Plan

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Kabir Khan  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Owen Juell/Kayla McArthur

### Sports/Entertainment Promotion Plan

1<sup>st</sup> place - Umer Khan/Abadir Mahmoud  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Drew Gustafson

### Advertising Campaign

1<sup>st</sup> place - David Kao  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Brian Serwold/Simon Forinash

### Food Marketing

5<sup>th</sup> place - Alex Albrecht

### Hospitality Management Team Event

1<sup>st</sup> place - Danyel Anwar/Steffen Storgersen  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Makenna Kraft/Sam Awuah

### Entrepreneurship - Independent Business

1<sup>st</sup> place - Sean McCurdy

### Entrepreneurship - Franchise Business

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Alec McAbee

### Travel and Tourism Management Team Event

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Gabby Grant/Sophie Sando  
 5<sup>th</sup> place - Scott Latz/Nicko Latz

### Buying/Merchandising Management Team Event

3<sup>rd</sup> place - Harrison Jacobs/Elisabeth Lapham

### Sports/Entertainment Management Team Event

1<sup>st</sup> place - Kyle Berquist/Riley Smith

### Business Services Marketing

4<sup>th</sup> place - Jelena Bojic

### Fashion Merchandising Promotion Plan

1<sup>st</sup> place - Madison Cohee  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Britt Blomso

### Human Resource Management

4<sup>th</sup> place - Adam Hoopes

### Marketing Communications Management Team Event

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Jenny Ahn/Bethany Butay  
 4<sup>th</sup> place - Elli Allen/Emily Wright

### Marketing Management

2<sup>nd</sup> place - Cameron McDowell  
 5<sup>th</sup> place - Andrew Seger

### Sports/Entertainment Marketing

5<sup>th</sup> place - Lauren Neroutsos

## Winter Athletic Update

Vicki Gorman, Athletic Director

Winter Sports and Activities GPA's

Boys Basketball	3.26
Girls Basketball	3.61
Boys Swim	3.68
Gymnastics	3.67
Wrestling	3.22
Cheer	3.82
Drill	3.61
Flags	3.6
Hip Hop	3.58

## What Does Boosters Fund?

Booster President Karen Berquist recently spoke about the wildly successful annual event. The Booster Auction raises about \$100,000., which, minus the cost of a great party, all goes to student groups at Shorewood. Sports teams, performing groups, musical groups, clubs, class groups, and all other Shorewood student organizations use the Booster Auction as their primary fundraiser. Without the auction, we would all be bombarded by smaller fundraisers that would not yield close to what the auction raises, either in terms of % profit or overall take.

Booster Auction Chair Janelle Jacobs, who has led the effort for four years (she is ready for a successor!), explains that her favorite thing about the auction is that, by and large, it is "money made from nothing" since the donors give what they already have. People donate: services they can provide; tours of where they work; time at a family vacation home; food or goods from their company; cuisine from their family heritage; labor for dirty jobs; and much more. Whatever you can do or make, someone else cannot and would pay for it!

Without the Boosters, we would not have band uniforms, a grand piano, new benches, AV equipment, or scores of other items that outfit our kids and enable their achievements.



Congratulations to our District Champion and State-bound Gymnastics Team! On January 24<sup>th</sup>, the team won the district title at Cascade Elite Gymnastics in Mountlake Terrace. The Gymnastics State Tournament will be held at the Tacoma Dome February 20-21. Photo courtesy of Coach Susan Riley.

## Shorewood Booster Auction Next Month

**Buy a Ticket!** The annual auction is on Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>! Print, complete and send in your ticket order soon: [2015 Shorewood Booster Auction Invitation](#).

**Donate** Since all students benefit from Booster fundraising, every family can participate. Here are some [donation ideas](#) and the [donation form](#), which was officially due February 1<sup>st</sup>, but act soon and contact Chair [Janelle Jacobs](#) to let her know that your donation is coming. Families and students/ student groups are encouraged to donate in this community-wide effort.

**How the Auction Works** Most donations go into the silent auction, which is held before the live auction. Attendees wander several rooms at the Shoreline Center and write bids for the items on display. The highest bidder when the room closes gets the item. After the silent auction rooms close, attendees enjoy the live auction and a dinner catered by Shorewood Culinary Arts.

**Help with the Auction** Please contact Auction Chair [Janelle Jacobs](#) to find out how you can help with the auction, or Boosters President [Karen Berquist](#) to find out about general Booster needs. Perhaps the biggest need is people to learn about how the auction is done and to make the event happen next year! Participate in this lively group and support every student in our school.

**Auction Theme: Mardi Gras!** Dress according to the theme if you wish.

See the [Shorewood Boosters website](#) for more details on this 501(c)(3) organization and its many activities.



Hip Hop Team excited for State competition! Photo by Coach Alisan Tucker-Giesy.



Shorewood Drill will compete at State March 26-28 in Yakima. Photo courtesy of Coach Bugai.

## Martin Luther King, Jr. Care Week

*Paul Villanueva, ASB Advisor*

For the Martin Luther King, Jr. Assembly January 9<sup>th</sup>, we had guest speaker [Houston Kraft](#). His theme centered around courage, fear, and love. He connected it to Martin Luther King, Jr.'s message about loving others no matter what and having the courage to stand up and speak out for others. The assembly and a leadership workshop we had with Houston set us up well for MLK Care Week January 12-16. We had discussion questions, challenges, and themes for each day of MLK Care week. The discussion happened for at least the first few minutes of SAS time each day. Other activities included secret hidden goodie bags on Thursday and white shirt signing with compliments on Friday. The week was ramped up compared to what we have done in years past with Care Week. The awesome assembly set us up for a great week.

## Teams to State

Both Hip Hop and Dance & Drill are going to State! Congratulations to all students involved.

### Hip Hop Team 2014-15

Captains

Maolin Curato  
 Richelle Sivankeo

Lieutenants

Song Mei Doran  
 Rebecca Samuel  
 Cindy Yuong

Team

Lily Apple  
 Ruthy Bangsberg  
 Jarod Carreon  
 Alex Holland  
 Gabe Jalipa  
 Tyler King  
 Robin Sass  
 Ryan Seang  
 Ai Sellers  
 Karina Sioson  
 Richmond Sivankeo  
 Johnny Villegas  
 Leah Yemane  
 Gerum Zewdie

Coach: Alisan Tucker-Giesy

Choreographer: Jaime Lopez

### Drill Team

Elly Anderson  
 Denise Aragon  
 Heleine Aragon  
 Kathleen Aragon  
 Bethany Butay  
 Megan Catey  
 Danaya Chen  
 Teresa Cheng  
 Avery Davis  
 Celia Dube  
 Gabby Easthouse  
 Eeva Horst  
 Aly Jatta  
 Celine Jumawan  
 Julie Lee  
 Kathrina Marapao  
 Segen Michael  
 Karina Moon  
 Shinha Moon  
 Dana Nunez  
 Laura Quero  
 Christina Riff  
 Violet Schermer  
 Vanessa Seymour  
 Amelia Wang  
 Symone Williams  
 Rebecca Yared  
 Javaria Yousof



## Free Parent Workshops by Shoreline Police

From the *Shoreline Area News*  
Beginning Thursday, February 5, 2015, Shoreline Police Community Service Officer Dahlia Corona will host a series of workshops for Shoreline and Lake Forest Park parents on "Nurturing Trust - With Family, With Community."

Sessions will take place at Shoreline City Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, 17500 Midvale Ave N, 98133, from 6:30 to 8:15pm on February 5, 12, 19, 26, and March 5.

The workshops are free, but registration is requested. Call 206-801-2719 or [email Office Corona](mailto:OfficeCorona@shoreline.wa.gov) with your name and phone number.

For full details, including guest speakers, see the *Shoreline Area News*.

Thursday, February 5: Positive Discipline and Effective Communication Styles

Thursday, February 12: Domestic Violence and Child Abuse Awareness

Thursday, February 19: Bullying

Thursday, February 26: Dealing with Mental Illness and Cognitive Disabilities

Thursday, March 5: Drugs in our Community



Swim Meet vs. Shorecrest. Photo by Wayne Pridemore.



Boys Swimming recognized team Seniors on January 29<sup>th</sup>. Photos by Wayne Pridemore.



## Teens, Find Your Future

Looking to land a job this summer? Plan ahead and learn the skills you need to set yourself apart with this *free*, three-part resume building and interview skill class offered by the Richmond Highlands Rec Center. Sessions Thursdays 3:30–4:30 p.m. in February at the Rec, 16554 Fremont Avenue North. Sessions are free but you are asked to register. Call 206.801.2600 to sign up for course #68014.

2/5 Resume Building  
2/12 Interviewing Skills  
2/19 Resume & Interview Review  
2/26 JOB FAIR 3:30–4:30 p.m.

Questions? Contact Austin  
206.801.2643

## Test Drive a Car to Help the Shoreline Foundation



Campbell Nelson is including us in their Test Drive 4 Kids program!

Now through March 31<sup>st</sup>, Campbell Nelson is pledging \$100/ test drive to [Shoreline Public Schools Foundation](http://ShorelinePublicSchoolsFoundation.org), for anyone who brings a Golden Ticket to the dealership, up to a total of \$10,000 (there are only 100 golden tickets)! How to get your Golden Ticket and earn \$100 for Shoreline students during your test drive:

1. Contact us at [shorelinefoundation@shorelineschools.org](mailto:shorelinefoundation@shorelineschools.org) and we will mail you a Golden Ticket.
2. Take your Golden Ticket to Campbell Nelson when you take your test drive, and give it to your salesperson.
3. Be sure to take your test drive before March 31, 2015.

Note: Limit one Golden Ticket per household.



## February 2015

2/2-3/18	Intent to Run forms available for ASB & Class Offices <a href="http://swasb.com">swasb.com</a>	
2/2-2/13	Senior Spree Tickets on Sale for earlybird price <a href="#">page 6</a>	
2/3 TUE	PTSA Board of Directors Meeting (Career Center)	7:00 PM
2/3 TUE	Westside Band Festival (Shorewood Gym)	7:30 PM
2/7 SAT	SKMEA Solo & Ensemble Contest (Edmonds-Woodway)	all day
2/10 TUE	District Orchestra Festival (Spartan Gym)	7:30 PM
2/12 THU	Intent to Run forms for ASB Offices due <a href="http://swasb.com">swasb.com</a>	10:00 AM
2/12 THU	Spanish Language Common Core and Smarter Balanced Information Night (Shoreline Center)	6:30 PM
2/13 FRI	Imprints Poetry Slam (Library)	7:00 PM
2/13 FRI	DECA Winter Bash	9-11:59 PM
2/16-2/20	No School: Mid-Winter Break	
2/24 TUE	ASB Primary Elections begin <a href="http://swasb.com">swasb.com</a>	school hours
2/24 TUE	Author Marissa Meyer visits Shorewood (contact SW Library for schedule)	
2/27 FRI	Principal Coffee (Library Conference Room) <a href="#">page 2</a>	8:30 AM

## March 2015

3/2-3/6	Support Staff Appreciation Week	
3/2 MON	First Day of Spring Sports	
3/2 MON	Incoming Parent Night for Current 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Parents (Theater)	6:00 PM
3/3 TUE	PTSA Board Meeting (Career Center)	
3/3 TUE	Band Concert (Theater)	7:30 PM
3/4 WED	Orchestra Concert (Theater)	7:30 PM
3/5-3/16	Cheer Tryouts	
3/5 THU	Westside Choral Festival (Shorewood Gym)	7:00 PM
3/7 FRI	Big Band Dance (Commons)	7:30 PM
3/7-3/8	Northwest Orchestra Festival (Gresham, OR)	
3/9 MON	Registration Forms Due for Shorewood 2015-16 <a href="#">page 4</a>	
3/9 MON	Shorewood Boosters Meeting	
3/10 TUE	Shorewood Wind Ensemble & SCC (Theater)	7:30 PM
3/11 WED	Parent Ed Event: Laura Kastner on the Big Launch (Theater)	7:00 PM
3/13 FRI	Shorewood's Got Talent (Theater)	7:00 PM
3/19 THU	Intent to Run forms for Sr. Class or Senator due <a href="http://swasb.com">swasb.com</a>	10:00 AM
3/20 FRI	Principal Coffee (Library Conference Room) <a href="#">page 2</a>	8:30 AM
3/21 SAT	FIRST Robotics Event	all day
3/23 MON	No School: Staff Workday	
3/27 FRI	World Night (Theater)	7:00 PM
3/30 MON	Pre-Carnegie Hall Concert (Shorecrest Theater)	7:30 PM

### Special Events:

#### Author Marissa Meyer Visit Feb 24<sup>th</sup>

Many students will have the opportunity to attend a presentation by popular Young Adult Author Marissa Meyer, local author of fairy tale adaptations *Cinder* and *Fairest* (*Lunar Chronicles* series.) Her dystopian fiction addresses themes of bioethics, social justice, and abuse of power. Thank you to Ms. Bonallo and the Shoreline Public Schools Foundation for providing this enrichment!

#### Parent Ed March 11<sup>th</sup>

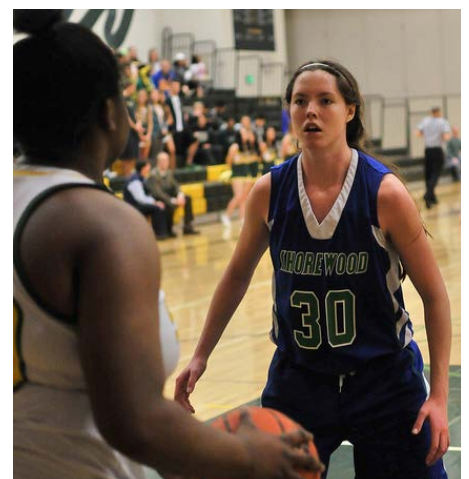
Shorewood PTSA presents: *Preparing for the Big Launch* by Dr. Laura Kastner. Get expert advice for guiding your student through senior year and beyond. Shorewood Theater 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup>. [page 3](#)

#### Booster Auction March 14<sup>th</sup>

If you act very soon, you can still attend and donate. Join in! [page 7](#)

#### Robotics Competition March 21<sup>st</sup>

Shorewood will host one of the seven State regional robotics competitions on March 21<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>. Come watch Team Pronto and several other local high schools compete with their robots. Doors open at 8:00 a.m. Matches begin at 11:00 a.m.



Photos this page from the Shorewood vs. Shorecrest Basketball Hoopalooza on January 24<sup>th</sup>. Photos by Wayne Pridemore.