

Happy Friday Summerville Community,

This is Brett Christopher and Michael Merrill with your Weekly Campus Update for January 20, 2023.

Weekly Staff Recognitions:

Classified Staff – This week we are recognizing and thanking our outstanding, and newest addition, to our custodial/maintenance team, Chris Sullivan. We love his positive attitude and his great work ethic keeps our campus safe and clean. Thank you Chris for all your hard work!

Certificated Staff – This week we are recognizing Mr. Favell, our stellar History and English teacher. Mr. Favell's classes are run with rigor while also maintaining a fun learning environment for all students. We appreciate him for not only being a great classroom instructor, but also as someone who makes great connections with our students. Thank you Mr. Favell!

Counseling Corner—Mrs. Nelson

BEARS,

Did you know a panic attack is not the same as an anxiety attack? A panic attack tends to be more intense and usually occurs out of the blue without an obvious trigger. An anxiety attack intensifies over a period of time and symptoms may be persistent and very long-lasting.

Stop by and see me in the office if you want to talk.

Be well Bears!

Sober Grad:

Sober Grad Needs YOU: Sober Graduation is a fun, all-night event for graduates and their friends that is put on by parents and the community immediately following the graduation ceremony. The committee needs YOU to get involved, especially parents of 10th, 9th, and 11th graders. The next Sober Graduation Committee meeting will be **Wednesday, February 1st at 5:30pm in the library** (meetings are the first Wednesday of every month, with the exception of January, when we are meeting the second Wednesday). For more information contact us at summervillesobergrad@gmail.com

Sharing Campus News:

Upcoming Events:

Winter Semi-formal Dance January 21

January 25: Board Meeting 6:00 pm

See 8to18 on the Summerville website for information about sports schedules.

ASB:

Winter Semi-Formal Dance is January 21, 2023 from 8:00-11:00 pm in the Summerville High Gym.

ASB and the Student Body of Summerville High School are participating in the American Heart Associations - American Heart Challenge. Students have the opportunity to provide their own links to compete for prizes for hitting fundraising goals. Whether you have or not or know a student that is participating please feel free to donate to our community page.

Get ready! The American Heart Challenge is starting on Friday, January 20th! We're excited to learn about physical and emotional well-being while having FUN and CHANGING LIVES. Donations raised help to fund research to improve treatments and survival rates for tiny heart heroes.

[Community Donation Link](#)

Athletics: Thank you to our coaches for providing these team updates.

Wrestling

Bears wrestling competed well in the Tim Brown memorial with Reece Wynne making Day 2 posting a 2-2 record. The team suffered 2 close losses to both Bret Harte and Amador on Wednesday night. Saturday the team travels to Sonora for the Hatler tournament and next Wednesday to Calaveras. Wrestling is 2-2 in League.

Boys Basketball

Varsity Boys: are now 3-1 in league with big wins over Amador and Bret Harte last week and also defeating Argonaut on Tuesday
We play at Sonora tonight please come out and support!

Girls Basketball

The two Maddie's, Maddie Weigold and Maddie Meyers had strong games for the bears in a loss to Argonaut on Tuesday night. The previous Friday against Bret Harte, Faith Burciaga and Ciera Bustamante led the bears efforts.

Girls Soccer

Girls Varsity soccer won both games against Bret Hart and yesterday at Amador.

Come watch our bears in action. Go Bears!

See schedules on our 8to18 website.

Connections Advisory Board:

The Connections Advisory Board meeting will be held on January 31 at 4:30 pm in the Library.

Upcoming Connections events:

--February 4: Jazz Festival at school

--February 23-25: the play *Almost, Maine* in the theater at school

--February 26: Jazz@8 fundraiser at the Armory in Sonora

--Our Spring Showcase date has been changed to Sunday, May 7. Add it to your calendar now!

--See the attached events schedule for performances and events scheduled in 2023.

Updates will continue weekly to keep our community informed.

Have a great day and we will see you all on Monday.