

Weekly Bulletin | October 6, 2025

SHELBYVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

FAFSA AVAILABLE

The FAFSA application is now open!

Senior students should complete the 2026-27 FAFSA application at studentaid.gov. State of Illinois funding is limited and is based on the student's FAFSA application date, so we recommend students complete the FAFSA as soon as possible.

If you are thinking about attending Lake Land College, they have a financial aid team that is committed to helping your student navigate the FAFSA process. If you have questions regarding FAFSA, please contact the Financial Aid Office at financialaid@LakeLandCollege.edu or (217) 234-5231.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

My teacher thought I was smarter than
I was – so I was.

The quote from this week highlights the profound impact a teacher's belief can have on a student's self-perception and achievements, often referred to as the "Pygmalion effect" or "self-fulfilling prophecy" in psychology. A teacher's encouragement and belief can open doors, encourage students to take risks, and shape their life paths in significant ways.

WELLNESS WORD OF THE MONTH: **COMMUNICATION**

Parents. If you are a facebook user, I would encourage you to check out the page titled: Officer Gomez. Officer Gomez shares real-world tips with parents to help protect kids from online dangers, social media risks, and digital pitfalls. Don't be too alarmed - just situationally aware.

Since 2008, EX Program by Truth Initiative has collaborated with the Mayo Clinic Nicotine Dependence Center. The web-based tool provides evidence based quitting approaches and the most established online quit community.

<https://www.exprogram.com/>

Mother Teresa Poem – **Do It Anyway**

People are often unreasonable, illogical, and self-centered;

forgive them anyway.

If you do good, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives;

do good anyway.

If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies;

succeed anyway.

Honesty and frankness make you vulnerable;

be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight;

build anyway.

If you find serenity and happiness, there may be jealousy;

be happy anyway.

The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow;

do good anyway.

Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough;

give the world the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis, it is between you and God;

it was never between you and them anyway.

Monday, October 6, 2025

- School Picture Day
- Senior Seminar: Blood Drive Recruitment
- FREE After School Tutoring & Homework Help | 3:00pm-4:00pm
- PSAT-NMSQT Informational Meeting in the Library | Homeroom
Bring your Chromebook!
- Greenhand Quizbowl practice will be Monday-Friday in Black's homeroom.
This is open to all freshman or sophomore first-year FFA members. If you are interested in learning more, email Mrs. Black for a pass.

Tuesday, October 7, 2025

- NHS Lunch Meeting
- Academic Enrichment Committee: 3:00pm in Office Conference Room
- FREE After School Tutoring & Homework Help | 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Wednesday, October 8, 2025

- ~~Freshman Focus | HOMEROOM~~
- NHS Induction Ceremony in the Auditorium

Thursday, October 9, 2025

- Book Club in the Library | HOMEROOM
- Ukulele Club | HOMEROOM
- Class Sponsor Meeting | 3:00pm in the Office Conference Room

Friday, October 10, 2025

- Kindergarten Grandparents Day | 1:30pm in the Auditorium
- Chess Club in the Library | HOMEROOM
- Game Club in the Library | 3:00pm - 5:30pm

[SHS Sports Program](#)