

**Souderton Area High School
Parent Participation Meeting
November 29, 2023
9:30 AM, Student Center**

11 parents were present.

Program:

- **Asynchronous Keystone Days** – Sam Varano asked those present for their thoughts on the possibility of, in the future, making the Keystone testing days asynchronous learning for all students not testing. Therefore, students taking the test would be able to complete the test in one day with a morning session, lunch, and an afternoon session. This would reduce the number of days affected by testing from twelve each year to six. Parents made a number of comments, mainly to the contrary of changing the way testing is scheduled. The primary concern was test weariness for the students taking the entire assessment in one day.

Events:

- **SAVE Presents Santa in the Greenhouse & School Store – December 9th, 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM** – FBLA advisor, and now dean of students, Stu Marjoram, promoted the cash or check sales in the School Store for this event.

Miscellaneous:

- **Inter-Club Council (ICC)** – Advisor, Amy Tarlo, presented about the resurgence of the ICC, which is a group of student leaders from the school's many clubs, with the intent on fostering commitment, communication, and leadership among all of the school's organizations. The group meets once a month.
- **Athletic Leadership Council (ALC) Conference** – Dennis Stanton, athletic director and advisor of the ALC explained the conference, which will occur on the morning of December 13th. Approximately 27 other schools are sending representatives to the conference, giving SAHS's ALC members an opportunity to cultivate their leadership skills.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Band Concert	December 1, 6:30 PM
Literature Keystone Testing	December 6 and 7
Combined Jazz Concert	December 8, 6:30 PM
SAVE Presents: Santa in the Greenhouse School Store 20% Off	December 9, 9:00AM – 1:00 PM
Athletic Leadership Conference	December 13, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Choir Concert #1	December 14, 6:30 PM
Student of the Month Breakfast	December 15, 7:25 AM
Choir Concert #2	December 15, 6:30 PM
Winter Workshop	December 19, 20, 21
No School – Christmas/Winter Holiday	December 25 through January 1
Algebra Keystone Testing	January 3 and 4
Biology Keystone Testing	January 9 and 10
No School – Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday	January 15
Final Exams	January 18 and 19
Student of the Month Breakfast	January 19, 7:25 AM
Winter Ball	January 20, 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM
No School for Students – Teacher In- Service Day	January 24
Parent Participation Meeting	January 25, 9:30 AM

Respectfully submitted by,
Sam Varano