

SOPREP ANNOUNCEMENTS October 24- November 5, 2016

Last Week's Highlights:

- The Soldotna Stars football team was well represented on the 2016 Alaska Football Coaches Association Medium Schools All-State Team. SOHI received three of the top honors with Brenner Furlong being named the Offensive Player of the Year, Wendell Tuisaula the Defensive Player of the Year, and Kyle Marcuson the Lineman of the Year. First team honorees included Brandon Crowder, Brenner Furlong, Andy West, Kyle Marcuson, Bryce Martin, Wendell Tuisaula, Aseli Finau, and Jace Urban. Soldotna players on the second team included Austin Schrader and Alex Goodermote.
- The Soldotna Stars' volleyball team defeated Seward 3-0 (25-9, 25-14, and 25-15) on Tuesday, October 18th at Soldotna Prep. SOHI was led by Shaylynn Zener (12 service points), Taylor Earl (11 service points), Cally Christianson (9 service points and 9 assists), Kodi McGillivray (9 service points and 3 kills), Itua Tuisaula (6 service points and 6 kills), Drewe Zeek (5 kills and 2 blocks), and Aliann Schmidt (5 kills and 2 blocks). The Stars are now 11-3 in non-tournament play (6-3 in conference).
- The SOHI wrestling team competed in the Homer Rumble Duals on Friday, October 21st and the Homer Round Robin Rumble on Saturday, October 22nd. In Friday's duals, SOHI defeated Nikiski (49-30). On Saturday, the Stars finished third overall in the round robin tournament (124 points). SOHI was led by Gideon Hutchison (120 pound champion) and Bechler Metcalf (152 pound champion).
- The SOHI cheer squad participated in the Alaska Spirit Coaches Association State Competition on Saturday, October 22nd at Bartlett High School. Seryn Sproul won 4th place and a \$250 scholarship in the individual competition. Soldotna earned 2nd place in the 5-person stunt team competition (members of the stunt team included Seryn Sproul, Cara Jean Gibbons, Ari Hiler, Alexis Osborn, and Jennifer Morris). The Stars won 1st place in the small varsity team routine.
- On Wednesday, October 19th, SOHI athletes competed in the annual Speed and Strength Training competition at Kenai Central High School. Individual champions for the Stars included Brenner Furlong (Fight Gone Bad – 11/12), Sawyer Tugan (broad jump and kneeling jump – 9/10), Danica Schmidt (broad jump – 9/10), Trevor Witthus (kneeling jump – 11/12), Jacob Wiley (kneeling jump – 9/10), Austin Schrader (vertical leap – 11/12), and Ella Stenga ("T" test – 11/12).
- Soldotna High School's James Harris was named as one of the three finalists for the Alaska Teacher of the Year award presented by the Alaska Department of Education and Early Development. Mr. Harris has taught English at SOHI for seven years, chairs the English department and professional development at Soldotna, and is involved in the local community.

Monday, October 24th

- After school tutoring with Mr. Chervenak Rm 10 2:30- 3:30
- Robotics Club meets 2:30 – 5:00 in Room 19

Tuesday, October 25th

- After school tutoring with Mr. Gundunas Rm 30 2:30 – 3:30
- Volleyball @ Kenai
 - C-team – 3:30 pm
 - JV – 4:30 pm
 - Varsity – 6:00 pm

Wednesday, October 26th

- **Early Release**

Period	Time	Minutes	Passing
1	7:35 – 8:18	44	8
2	8:26 – 9:10	44	3
3	9:13 – 9:54	41	3
4	9:57 – 10:42	42	
Lunch	10:42 – 11:12	30	5
5	11:17 – 11:59	42	3
6	12:02 – 12:45	43	

- Eligibility Check – Quarter 1
- PICTURE RETAKES PERIODS 1 & 2
- Robotics Club meets 2:30 – 5:00 in Room 19

- Nordic Ski begins

Thursday, October 27th

- *No School – Parent-Teacher Conferences (Noon to 3 and 4-7)*
- Swim @ Region Meet (Kodiak)

Friday, October 28th

- *No School – In-service*
- Wrestling @ Jerry Palmer Invitational (Bartlett)
- Swim @ Region Meet (Kodiak)

Saturday, October 29th

- Volleyball vs Nikiski (Senior Night)
 - C-team – 12:00 pm
 - JV – 1:00 pm
 - Varsity – 2:30 pm
- Wrestling @ Jerry Palmer Invitational (Bartlett)
- Swim @ Region Meet (Kodiak)

Monday, October 31st

- Happy Halloween!!!
- After school tutoring with Mr. Chervenak Rm 10 2:30- 3:30
- Robotics Club meets 2:30 – 5:00 in Room 19
- First practice for Nordic Ski

Tuesday, November 1st

- After school tutoring with Mr. Gundunas Rm 30 2:30 – 3:30

Wednesday, November 2nd

- After school tutoring with Mr. Chervenak Rm 10 2:30- 3:30
- Robotics Club meets 2:30 – 5:00 in Room 19

Thursday, November 3rd

- After school tutoring with Mr. Gundunas Rm 30 2:30 – 3:30
 - Robotics Club meets 5:00 to 7:00 in Room 19
- Volleyball @ Region tournament (Wasilla)
- Swim @ State meet (Juneau)
- Hockey hosts the Peninsula Ice Challenge (Soldotna Sports Center)
 - Soldotna vs Houston (8:00 pm)

Friday, November 4th

- Volleyball @ Region tournament (Wasilla)
- Swim @ State meet (Juneau)
- Wrestling @ Colony Invite
- Hockey hosts the Peninsula Ice Challenge (Soldotna Sports Center)
 - Soldotna vs Homer (5:30 pm)

Saturday, November 5th

- Volleyball @ Region tournament (Wasilla)
- Swim @ State meet (Juneau)
- Wrestling @ Colony Invite
- Hockey hosts the Peninsula Ice Challenge (Soldotna Sports Center)
 - Soldotna vs Kenai (3:45 pm)