



This week's Shen Story focuses on not just Teacher Appreciation Week (officially last week) BUT on Teacher Appreciation Month. [Check out the fun-filled "Happy Camper" themed appreciation treats supplied by the Orenda PTA](#) to support the staff at Orenda. We love our PTA's and thank them for their support of our staff and students.

Some other fun & upcoming themes include:

- Transportation Appreciation Week (May 16-20!)
- Mental Health Awareness Month
- National Military Appreciation Month

Send your stories/photos, etc. to valelind@shenschools.org to be featured!

QUICK LINKS

- [Gr. K-5 Home Learning Resources](#)
- [Food Service Menus](#)
- [Emergency closings, delays](#)
- [Parent/Student Portal](#)
- [Employment Opportunities at Shen](#)

Have a question for the district? Visit the [PlainFacts](#) for answers and to submit your question.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

May 13

[Shatekon Drama Club presents Moana, Jr.](#)

HSW Gr. 9 Semi-formal "Under the Stars"

May 14

[Shatekon Drama Club presents Moana, Jr.](#)

May 16

Okte Spring Concert (Gr. 4 & 5)

May 17

School Budget Vote at Gowana Middle

School (7am-9pm)

Gr. 7 and Gr. 8 Chorus Concert

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SHEN...

- **Use Your Voice. Vote May 17**
- **Come and Test Drive a Bus (and tell your friends!) to learn what being a Transportation superhero is all about on Friday, June 3!**
- **Clifton Park Community Preparedness and Resiliency Program donates \$7,000 to support the Bountiful Backpack Program**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*In addition to yesterday's email notification, please refer to the [COVID Corner](#) if **your student tests positive for COVID-19** and other resources.*