

Welcome Members!

So glad you are here!



Step 1: Attendance at our monthly meetings is mandatory. Make sure you sign in here OR using the QR code on the purple papers. 😊



Attendance
Form



Congratulations!



You have been selected for admittance into St. Pete HS National Honor Society! We hope you are excited about your NHS journey this year!

Meet Our Executive Board



Co-Presidents: Sofia Hahn and Jocelyn Starling

Co-Vice Presidents: Kingsley Bond and Shayla Nguyen

Secretary: Pamela Toomey

Historian: Ena Trakilovic

Treasurer: Valentina Travaglini

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Purpose of NHS

To create an enthusiasm for **scholarship**, to stimulate a desire to render **service**, to promote worthy **leadership**, and to encourage the development of **character** in all students at SPHS.

Stay Updated!



- Meetings – 2nd Tuesday during lunch (main aud)
- Remind – @sphsnhsjr
Check settings – be sure you are receiving notifications!
- Social Media
 - Facebook @NHS SPHS
Find upcoming events and volunteer opportunities, submit hours
 - Instagram @stpete_nhs
Find reminders, upcoming events , and volunteer opportunities

Reach out to our board members or Ms. Robinson with any questions or concerns (robinsonhea@pcsb.org).

NHS Induction Ceremony – REQUIRED EVENT

Induction
rehearsal is
12/10 at 2pm

- Who: YOU and Your Families
- What: Ceremony to celebrate our new members
- When: Wednesday, December 18th at 6pm
- Where: SPHS Auditorium
- Why: You have shown evidence of scholarship, character, service, and leadership
- How: Dressing up (white top, black bottom), pledging by candlelight, eating cookies, and celebrating your NHS journey

NHS Requirements

- Attend and participate in monthly meetings
- Pay \$20 dues
- Participate in at least **TWO** NHS events per year
- Earn 20 points of community service by the spring of senior year



Log all community service points using the NHS Form on FB
(date, photo, contact info)

Monthly Meeting Dates

Meetings will typically take place in the main auditorium due to the size of our club (over 200 members!). *Take note of the dates, but check Remind in case of any changes!*

Tuesday, 1/14/25

Tuesday, 2/11/25

Tuesday, 3/11/25

Tuesday, 4/15/25

Tuesday, 5/13/25

Dues by 12/18

\$20/year – this pays for NHS national dues and various purchases we make for the club



In February of your graduation year, we'll collect \$38.50 to purchase your honor regalia.

Winter Service Project

- All members expected to contribute (so far 24 members have donated)
- Earn up to 3 points for your donations (1 donation = 1 point)
- YOU personally do not have to purchase the donations – ask your family members, neighbors, community members to assist you with this project



**SPHS
NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY'S
HOLIDAY
UNDERWEAR & SOCK
DRIVE**

NOVEMBER 18 – DECEMBER 20TH

Benefiting Suncoast Voices for Children
The mission of Suncoast Voices for Children is to provide
for the unmet needs of abused and neglected children in
Pinellas & Pasco Counties



**SUNCOAST
VOICES
FOR CHILDREN**

**ALL KIDS SIZES NEEDED
NEW UNDERWEAR &
SOCKS ONLY**

**Drop off donations to
Ms. Robinson in the Media Center**

**St. Pete Shopping Company will be delivering
the donations to Suncoast Voices for Children**



**ST. PETE SHOPPING
COMPANY**

Annual Service w/KPB



Let Ms. Robinson know if you would like to be on the committee that heads up the KPB clean ups! This is a great leadership opportunity!



Our contract with Keep Pinellas Beautiful requires us to participate in 4 clean ups per year at Gulfport Beach. All members are expected to participate in at least one per year.

Additional Service Opportunity for December



**Call for
VOLUNTEERS!**

**Reading Opens
the World**

Help organize and give away free books
at Johns Hopkins Middle School!

Friday, 12/13 4:30pm-7pm
Saturday, 12/14 7am-10:30am
Sunday, 12/15 10:30am-3pm

 <http://bit.ly/3Z3Uktw>



How Else Can I Earn My Service Points?

- What matters to you?
 - What problems do you see in the community?
 - How can you help?
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- Volunteermatch.org
 - Dosomething.org
 - Celebrate Outreach
 - CAS Projects
 - Keep Pinellas Beautiful
 - Other clubs (Key, Rojans, Interact)
 - Other non-profits



Probation/Dismissal



- 3+ unexcused meetings
- Lack of community service hours (<5 is grounds for dismissal)
- GPA falls below 3.0/3.5
- Chooses not to uphold the character tenets of NHS

Unrelated Yet Shameless Plug as Your NHS Adviser AND Media Specialist...



Desperately Seeking Two Reading Teams:

- 1) Group of 3-4 guys to read ONE book and participate in the district competition in January. Join Remind @sphsguys
- 2) Group of 3-4 to read 3ish books and participate in the district competition in April. Join Remind @sphsbob

Who Are My NHS Contacts?

Executive Board

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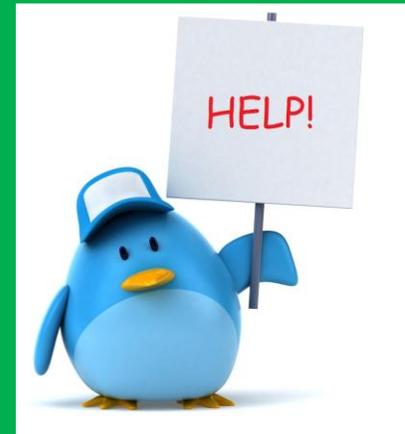
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QUESTIONS/COMMENTS

