## **SD43 Enterprise Wireless Networks**

There are three distinct wireless networks, often referred to as SSID's, implemented in our networks:

- **SD43** for school/district owned wireless computers
- SD43Learn for personally owned wireless devices (laptops, ipods, etc.) used by students or staff
- **SD43Guest** for visitors (people that do not have a network account with us)

Access to the **SD43** wireless network is automatic on District laptops once your IT person adds the laptop to your school's wireless computer list.

Access to **SD43Learn** requires some setup by the owner of the wireless device. Although IT does not provide support for personally owned devices, we have created some detailed FAQs (instructions) to assist in the setup. These FAQs may be accessed here:

- Detailed Instructions on Setting up and Connecting to SD43Learn (Windows XP)
- How do I setup my privately-owned laptop to access a school or District wireless network (simple instructions)
- How to connect to the SD43Learn wireless network from Vista Generic Instructions
- How to connect to SD43 printers and shares from the SD43Learn wireless network

To access **SD43Guest**, visitors require the login id and password for the guest network. Currently this is static (does not change). As well, you may have found that users of **SD43Guest** could log in with their own network id and password. We will be making some changes, beginning in November, as follows:

- Restricting SD43Guest so that only the proper guest id and guest password allow use
- Restricting SD43Guest so that only access to Internet resources is possible
- Resetting the SD43Guest password once a week, emailing it to the school office
- Requiring schools to use a guest user sign-in book where visitors would sign-in, agreeing to a
  brief acceptable use statement, and then be given the login in information (I will be drafting a
  form for you to use/modify for your school)