



Catamount Messenger 9.15.24

Catamount Families,

This Friday is a teacher workday and there is no school for students. Here is some important information for you:

PC Homecoming Dance

Our Homecoming dance, The Golden Hour, will be held at Panther Creek on Saturday, 10/12 from 7:00-10:00 pm. Tickets will be on sale from 7:00 am on 9/19 through 2:30 pm on Friday, 9/27 (or until tickets are sold out). Tickets may be purchased through SchoolCash Online beginning 9/19 and are \$20 each. We anticipate tickets selling out for this dance. Tickets are nonrefundable and nontransferable. Non-PCHS guest forms are due to Room 2606 by 2:30 pm on 10/2. Students can locate guest forms and other Homecoming information at go.pcstuco.org/dance.

Student Attendance and Enrollment

The 20th day of school is September 24, 2024. Any student who has not reported to school by that date will be withdrawn. Students who are withdrawn must be re-enrolled upon their return to school. If you know your student will not be returning to PCHS or has moved, please notify our Data Manager, Leslie Nelson at lnelson@wcpss.net

Reflections- PTSA contest

Attention all PCHS Students! The PTSA Reflections Contest is here, and we want YOU to join in! How to Enter:

1. Choose a category: Visual Arts, Literature, Photography, Dance, or Music.
2. Create something inspired by this year's theme: "Accepting Imperfections"
3. Submit your work by October 15th using this submission form: [PCHS Art Reflections 2024-25 submission form](#)

View the rules here: [Reflections information for students](#)

For more info contact us at: reflections@panthercreekpts.org

Let's make this year amazing! #PTSAReflections #ShowYourTalent #GetCreative

Stock the Lounge

Panther Creek High School has 175 faculty members with several staff workrooms between the school and 5 Modular trailers. We need your help to stock the lounges with snacks and drinks that they can grab in between classes for a quick pick me up. Help us show our teachers and staff how much we appreciate all they do! Please drop off donations by Thursday, September 19th. Click this link for the Sign Up Genius: [Panther Creek PTSA: Stock the Lounge](#) Thank you!

Si necesita servicios de traducción gratuitos para comprender los procesos escolares, llame al (919) 852-3303

إذا كنت بحاجة إلى خدمات الترجمة المجانية للتعرف على سير العمليات بالمدرسة، اتصل بالرقم (919) 852-3303

Si vous avez besoin de services de traduction gratuits pour comprendre les procédures scolaires, appelez le (919) 852-3303

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학교/교육 과정에 관한 무료 번역 서비스가 필요하시면 다음 번호로 연락하여 주십시오 (919) 852-3303

Nếu quý vị cần sự thông dịch miễn phí để hiểu phương pháp trường học, xin vui lòng gọi số điện thoại (919) 852-3303

如果您需要免费翻译服务来了解学校流程，请致电 (919) 852-3303



PTSA Membership

Join the PTSA and make a lasting impact at Panther Creek! By becoming a member you'll help support student programs, teacher appreciation efforts and school wide events that enhance the experience for everyone. Your involvement strengthens our school community and ensures PC continues to thrive. Sign up today and be part of something great!

panthercreekptsa.givebacks.com/store

REMINDER: Advisory Monday Schedule

Our school will have an Advisory period EVERY MONDAY. The schedule that we will follow is listed [HERE](#) along with the bell schedule for Tuesdays-Fridays. Please make sure you are aware of the different start time for 2nd period if your student has late arrival.

REMINDER: Tardy Sweeps

Students have the most success in school when they are in their classes and receiving instruction for the entire class period. Being in class on time is an important first step, however tardies continue to increase throughout all class periods. To reduce tardies, school administration will begin to implement tardy sweeps this week. Teachers will close their doors when the tardy bell rings. Administration will assign those students not in class when the bell rings to an alternate learning space for that period. This tardy will count towards a student's accumulated tardies for that period. [Here is the link](#) to the PCHS Tardy Policy for your reference.

REMINDER: Picture Day- Grades 9th- 11th

Students in grades 9-11 will take their pictures during 2nd period on September 24th. Please click [HERE](#) for more information on picture day.

REMINDER: Yearbook Sale

You can purchase a Panther Creek High School yearbook now for \$95.00. This price will increase after September 27th, so purchase now to get a discount. Yearbooks sell out, so make sure you purchase yours soon at [this LINK](#).

SENIOR Information

Seniors that are currently out of compliance with receiving the mandatory meningococcal booster or have not submitted proof of the booster to school have received a letter last week. Those Seniors need to send proof that they have received the booster to Christina Erexson at cerexson@wcpss.net or bring a copy to Student Services by **Friday September 27th**. After this date, they will not be able to return to campus until they are in compliance. If your Senior received one of these letters, please make this a priority. Thank you.

Save the date: SENIOR SUNRISE on September 27th from 6:30 am- 7:35 am. Seniors must wear their Senior t-shirt (t-shirts are part of Senior dues) as a class photo will be taken.

Upcoming Dates

Please visit the school calendar on the PCHS website:

<https://www.wcpss.net/Page/14077#calendar27844/20240908/month>

9/20: Teacher Workday: NO SCHOOL for students
 9/24: School pictures for students in grades 9-11 (2nd period)
 9/27: Senior Sunrise (6:30 am- 7:35 am)- must wear senior t-shirt
 10/3: Teacher Workday: NO SCHOOL for students
 10/12: Homecoming Dance
 10/9: PSAT administration at PCHS for students 9-11 who registered
 10/14: Teacher Workday: NO SCHOOL for students

Administrator/Counselor Contact

Administrator	Students (Last Name)	Counselor
Ms. Monica Click mclick@wcpss.net	9th grade: A-He	Deborah Davis A-Ma
Ms. Jeorgine Trevithick jtrevithick@wcpss.net	9th grade: Hi-Pa	*Students with last names Hi-Ma will work with Deborah Davis. Students with last names Mb-Pa will work with Michael Smith.
Mr. Joseph Biggs jbiggs@wcpss.net	9th grade: Pe-Z	Mr. Michael Smith msmith21@wcpss.net Mb-Z
Ms. Casey Otten cotten2@wcpss.net	10th-12th grades: A-F	Mr. Mario Jones mjones13@wcpss.net
Mr. Dion Mapp amapp@wcpss.net	10th-12th grades: G - L	Ms. Akanksha Jain ajain@wcpss.net
Mr. Grey Mangum tmangum2@wcpss.net	10th-12th grades: M-Ri	Ashley Mathes amathes@wcpss.net



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Ms. Crystal Locus (clocus@wcpss.net)	10th-12th grades: Ro – Z**	Ms. Angela Spangler (aspangler@wcpss.net)
Dean of Students		Ms. Shernita Telfair (stelfair@wcpss.net)
Student Assistance Program Counselor		Ms. Jasmine Iverson (jiverson@wcpss.net)
School Principal		Dr. Gregory Decker (gdecker@wcpss.net)

Thank you for your continued support of Panther Creek High School!