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# Catamount Messenger 9.8.20

Catamount Families,

We hope you are all doing well - here is some information for you and your child.

#### **Student Services – Competitive Scholarships**

The competitive scholarship presentation is available on the Student Services weebly site under the tab Paying for College. Students are encouraged to review the presentation and apply for scholarships. Please adhere to Panther Creek deadlines for school nominated scholarships. http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/

# <u>Student Services - Financial Aid Presentation and WCPSS Financial Aid Advisor</u> September 17 at 6:00 pm - Live Presenter: Mrs. Serita Broadway; Senior Regional CFNC Representative

Google Meet code: <u>https://meet.google.com/fwe-gxoa-kmf</u>

Financial aid is money that is used to help students pay for post-secondary education. The money can come in the form of scholarships, grants, loans, or work-study. Applying for financial aid is an important step in the post-secondary planning process. The financial aid advisor for Panther Creek High School is **Mrs. Sabrina Waters.** She will be available to meet with families to answer questions regarding completing the FAFSA form, using the NC Residency Determination Service and helping to navigate the financial aid process. More information regarding financial aid can be found by viewing the video on the "Paying for College" tab of the Student Services tab. Mrs. Water's contact information can be found on the Student Services site: <u>http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/paying-for-college.html</u>

# **Student Services – Senior Meetings**

**September 1 - October 9:** Senior Meetings are in progress. Students, please make sure to make an appointment with your alphabet counselor on the Student Services website.

# **School Pictures**

Fall school picture days are coming soon! Don't miss this opportunity to capture this year's memory. Lifetouch will be at our school on **September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, and 25<sup>th</sup>**. Students in 9-11<sup>th</sup> grades can schedule a time to come in to have a picture done. Please click on the links below to schedule an individual appointment and to place your order. Please note that you must have an appointment in order to sit for a picture and just because you have a picture made doesn't mean you must make a purchase; this picture will be in this year's PCHS Yearbook.

https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Email%20Flyer%20-%20Panther%20Creek%20HS%20-%20Fall%202020.pdf

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\*Make-up Senior Portraits at PCHS will take place in early October or you can always schedule an appointment at the Lifetouch Studios. Additional information to follow.

Picture Days - September 23rd, 24th, and 25th. **Schedule an Appointment:** <u>https://booknow.appointment-plus.com/cxhkghhs/</u> (Everyone must have an appointment, walk-ins not permitted)

# **Order School Pictures:**

www.mylifetouch.com PCHS Picture Day ID - **EVTHVKTDD** 

# Spirit Wear

Purchase your Catamount Pride 2020 gear here! https://www.bsnteamsports.com/shop/uKZP4zELmB

# **Student-Initiated Club Information**

All information related to student-initiated clubs is now on the main page of our PCHS website. You can find club meeting information on the scrolling announcements which are on the main page of our PCHS website on the lower left.

#### **PSAT**

At this time, the PSAT will be administered on Tuesday, January 26. More information to come.

# Catamount Coffee (Virtual)

We'll hold our first virtual Catamount Coffee with the principal on Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 – 2:00pm. Please see the flyer for sign-up information and how you can contribute a question for the discussion.

https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Catamount%20Coffee%209.15. 20.pdf

# Panther Creek Athletic Boosters

The Panther Creek Athletic Booster Club is now actively recruiting volunteer parents to become candidates for all Board positions. This is a great way to get involved and continue to grow athletics at Panther Creek High School. Please consider making a difference for our student athletes and fill out the google form information with link provided. Thank you!

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/138dxmP0YISEnCer6IXuRr7B2vh0GjU9-r-T0fmSMYyY/edit

# PTSA - Class of 2024 T-shirts

Class of 2024 t-shirts are on sale now! These shirts are a pre-order item only and cost \$15 each. The order deadline is Sunday, September 13th. Buy them online at <u>panthercreekptsa.memberhub.store</u>. More information can be found on the PTSA website at <u>panthercreekptsa.org</u> (under announcements).

# **School Meals**

Please review this important information related to school meals for the 20-21 school year: <u>https://www.wcpss.net/Page/45287</u>

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#### **School Communication**

https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Schoolwide%20Communication %20flyer%201.pdf

#### **Guides to Technology**

Please review this site designed by WCPSS to support student use of technology: <u>https://www.wcpss.net/techguides</u>

#### WCPSS Website and Updates

The district maintains a return to campus website with all the latest information posted there. All the information they send in their messengers is also included on that website. Please visit <u>www.wcpss.net</u> and click on "Update for 2020-21 School Year" in the header tab. You can also go directly there using this link: <u>https://www.wcpss.net/returntocampus</u>

#### Panther Creek HS Website

Please visit the PCHS website frequently for current news, updates and a variety of other information: <u>https://www.wcpss.net/panthercreekhs</u>

As a reminder, if you are accessing the website on a mobile device, you may need to scroll down and expand the "Current News" section to see the items listed there.

Our school's Twitter feed can also be found on the school website if you are not a member of Twitter.

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