

PANTHER CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

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Catamount Messenger 10.16.20

Catamount Families,

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

Asynchronous Learning Days

Additional asynchronous days have been added for the 1st semester in alignment with our district's directions. Please see this flyer for additional information:

https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Asynchronous%20Days%20-%20Info%20for%20families.pdf

Livestreaming Athletics

There is an online live streaming option that makes games accessible to fans that are not able to attend inperson. Please take advantage of this opportunity as a portion of the proceeds go to the PC Athletic Dept. More information can be found on this flyer:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dvOPXE0ZmZWBvHZUFCiO2lmRC92YWXCq/view?usp=sharing

Message from Jostens about Graduation Products

Although school may look a little different this year, the graduation celebration for the class of 2021 will be more exciting than ever! Thank you to the many PCHS seniors who have already placed your cap and gown order! If you still need to place your order, it's easy! We've extended the deadline for your school's group order pricing until 11/6/2020.

Don't miss out, just click on the link below to go to your school's order page:

https://www.jostens.com/apps/store/customer/1517710/Panther-Creek-High-School/

Yearbook

Students – please see the yearbook surveys at the following link:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xHlfvHNn2wo-gAWarpx BndPkhIR352w/view?usp=sharing

Student Services Appointments

9th - 12th Grade Student Appointments with Counselors: Throughout the remote learning experience this year, we are available for student appointments as well as parent meetings that are requested by email. Students can schedule an appointment with their counselor to address topics such as academics, extracurricular opportunities, the Career and College Promise Program, and postsecondary planning. **Students**: Counselors are available for appointments from 8 am - 2 pm and appointments can be made on the Student Services website - http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/

DO NOT MAKE APPOINTMENTS FOR EMERGENCIES - contact emergency services (911).



Message from PTSA

Class of 2022 T-shirts

They are back!! We are taking orders for the Class of 2022 shirts through Sunday, October 25th. These shirts are a pre-order item only and cost \$15 each. 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) or on the PCHS Updates Facebook group.

Dates to Note

October 22 - End of 1st Quarter

October 23 - Teacher Workday - No school for students

October 28 - Asynchronous learning day

November 3 - Teacher Workday - No school for students

November 11 - Holiday

Repeated Information:

Quarter 1 / PowerSchool

Quarter 1 ends on October 22. Parents – please check PowerSchool regularly to monitor your child's progress in their classes. If you do not have your own Parent Portal account for PowerSchool and would like to get one, please contact our Data Manager, Leslie Nelson at lnelson@wcpss.net.

Yearbook Information

We are going to have a yearbook this year! To get the lowest price of the school year, please go to purchase a yearbook at www.jostensyearbooks.com; in addition, you can call 877-767-5217 to place an order by phone. If you purchase a book **before October 23rd**, not only will you pay **the lowest price \$85**, but you can also get **4 free icons** if you **purchase personalization** on your book!

Attention Parents and Students! Guess what?!! You are our photographers this semester! To help us to create our school's yearbook, please use this link https://images.jostens.com/415464756 to upload your photos immediately to our Yearbook site. One thing is for sure, we can't create our book without your help! Please contact Courtney Black at cblack@wcpss.net with questions.

Senior Ads – please see this link for all the information about purchasing ads: https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Yearbookad.pdf

Class of 2021 - Senior Fees and Graduation Materials

Please review this flyer with important information about senior fees as well as cap/gown/tassel and other graduation product information.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ePEzwemyrAfpX2Isi1Y0hy5F4NcGL gb/view?usp=sharing

Student Services Information

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CFNC NC Countdown to College - North Carolina's annual campaign to support college access is during the month of October and is named NC Countdown to College. Activities during the month support high school seniors in completing three important college enrollment steps: residency, FAFSA, and applications. What is traditionally called College Application Week has been extended to two weeks this year: October 19 - 30th, 2020. During these weeks, many NC colleges and universities waive their application fees. Panther Creek will be having activities during the month of October.



October is National Bullying Prevention Month. Slides will run on scrolling announcements describing ways staff and the student body can get involved: Monday, October 5th (Wear blue for World Bullying Prevention Day.), Wednesday, October 21st (Wear orange for Unity Day.), and the annual WCPSS student video contest.

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