



Catamount Messenger 11.23.20

Catamount Families,

We hope you all are doing well and have a safe and happy holiday break!

2nd Semester Virtual Academy Confirmation Letters

Confirmation letters were sent through the School Messenger system a week ago for all students signed up for our PC Virtual Academy during the 2nd semester. If a student is not signed up for Virtual Academy, they will be automatically enrolled for in-person instruction 2nd semester based on the plan/rotation structure that WCPSS approves. If you have questions about your VA or in-person enrollment for 2nd semester, please contact Eric Rosen, Assistant Principal, at erosen@wcpss.net.

PSAT Information

Please remember that the PSAT NMSQT ordering window is currently open and closes on December 4th. Here is the link to register: <https://forms.gle/WxLyQS2yYQaKjsVt6>

Students who are unable to participate in the Jan 26 administration (middle school students, 9th, 10th and 12th graders) can do official PSAT practice tests on their own and get the diagnostic information that can be used to improve future performance.

These tests can be found at <https://collegereadiness.collegeboard.org/psat-nmsqt-psat-10/practice/full-length-practice-tests>. Please note the practice tests do not count toward scholarship opportunities.

Panther Creek's Got Talent

Panther Creek's Got Talent! is a virtual talent show to showcase the diverse talents of the Panther Creek student body and staff! Audition information is available at www.panthercreekchorus.com Audition materials are due no later than Tuesday Nov. 24. The show is sponsored by the PCHS Choral Boosters and will air on an online event hosting site on Tuesday December 8th at 7pm.

Early Release/Late Arrival for 2nd Semester

Eligible Juniors and Seniors who would like to apply for early release or late arrival should complete the form and send the accompanying documentation to the Student Services email address:

panthercreekhsstudsv@wcpss.net

The form can be found on the main page of our website at this link:

<https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/Early%20Release%20Late%20Arrival%20form%2020-21%20fillable.pdf>

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



WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

Final Exams

Exam week for 1st semester will be January 11 – 15.

Please see the schedule here:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1d4HHAykhrcUhBYnot0GewXduMovrn2_3/view?usp=sharing

Please note that teacher-made exams will be administered remotely and state exams will be administered in-person on campus. More details about exams and the plan for in-person test administration will be provided soon.

Catamount Coffee – December 7

Please see this flyer regarding our Catamount Coffee sessions on December 7 – we will host an afternoon and an evening session.

<https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/6295/December%20Catamount%20Coffee%20flyer.pdf>

Student Services Information

The 2021-2022 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is now open and can be found at fafsa.gov. If you would like more information or assistance completing the FAFSA, please contact our Financial Aid Advisor, Sabrina Waters. Her contact information can be found here: <http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/paying-for-college.html>

Wake County Public School System continues to provide social and emotional support to our students and families while we are in these unprecedented times. The first in the series of wellness and self-care services for students and families are now being offered. Visit Panther Creek Student Services website to learn more about how to participate in the Community Resiliency Model Wellness Training and Restorative Practice Circle Sessions. Flyers and information can be found here: <http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/community-resources.html>

Free (no cost) Winter Break Meal Bundles will be provided by WCPSS Child Nutrition Services on December 21st from 10:45 - 12:45 at specific locations.

Families must **sign up online by December 1st**.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfbJJKliQl3LnXjzKOBrr7Vu1dvVNyaUg5MVq4s6kTk5NrzQ/viewform>

PTSA Information

Donations needed! The Panther Creek PTSA works hard throughout the year to provide for teacher appreciation, classroom resources (like lab equipment, media center furniture, an online program for science) and student enrichment. We encourage parents, students, and teachers to join us at this link: <https://www.panthercreekptsa.org/membership.html>

As we move into this season of giving, please consider making a donation to support our PTSA. **Help show our teachers how much they're appreciated and show our students how proud we are of all their hard work.** Donations can be made to the PTSA by clicking here:

<https://panthercreekptsa.new.memberhub.store/store/items/26728>

Support our School! With Black Friday just around the corner, this is a great time to support Panther Creek PTSA through AmazonSmile. Use this link smile.amazon.com/ch/06-1782944 to shop online and AmazonSmile will donate to our PTSA at no cost to you!



**WAKE COUNTY
PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM**

Dates to Note

November 23-24 – Remote Learning Days (same structure as Asynchronous Learning Days)
 November 25 – 27 – Holiday – No school for students
 December 2 – Asynchronous Learning Day / Interims
 December 11 – Remote Learning Day
 December 16 – Asynchronous Learning Day

Administrator/Counselor Contact

Administrator	Student Group (Last Name)	Counselor
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Thank you for your continued support of Panther Creek High School!