

Catamount Messenger 2.22.21

Catamount Families:

WCPSS Calendar Changes for 2nd Semester

As you likely heard, the WCPSS 2nd Semester calendar was changed at the last Board meeting. Please carefully review the new calendar at this link as several things have changed (effective 2/16/21):

<https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/19/20-21%20Sem%20%20TRAD%20RL5.pdf>

In-Person Cohorts and Virtual Academy

We welcome Cohort 3 (C) this week for in-person learning on Monday, Thursday and Friday.

Information about how to find your cohort in PowerSchool:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kYAj3lD9bARXGnC0v2g7FFMiunu6B2s6/view?usp=sharing>

Notes about February 23 and February 24

Since many of our teachers will be involved with ACT testing, Tuesday, February 23, will be a Remote Learning/Asynchronous day for all students. Only Juniors will report to campus that day to take their ACT test. All learning activities for the day will be asynchronous – there will be no live sessions.

Wednesday, February 24 was already designated a district Remote Learning day. All students will be learning remotely at home, but there will be live sessions each period with their teachers.

ACT Testing Rooms for Juniors

Please see the room assignments for ACT Testing on February 23:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1k2dDMBASkG2aQDbvsC2EKD5_BV3EmGv2/view?usp=sharing

As a reminder, Ms. Stallworth, our Testing Coordinator, has also been sharing information directly with Juniors through their WCPSS email account.

Student Accountability and Health Protocol Form – Signature needed to be on campus

Here is the link to the entire document that you will need to review:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rMRADijrakBbrhXlbrm9p5XqQbA_JEE1XXF3eLtcRQk/edit

Here is the link to just the signature page that the student and parent/guardian must **complete and return (if not already done)**:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1PMaiNTtSJ20UlcyyodeQ2w6iNSPiNIKv0rjquQIUqmg/edit>

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



Options for completing/returning the form:

-Print, sign, and then scan/take a picture of the form. Email to pchs@wcpss.net

-You may pick up a paper copy from the table outside the main entrance doors during business hours (7:00-3:00). Completed copies can also be returned to the bin on this table.

Presentation about the Return to Campus for In-person Cohort Rotations

Here is the link to the Return to Campus presentation slides for families to review:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/19YOC-TUas7Gye3ECe3iAoDww2kvy4sDe/view?usp=sharing>

Here is the link to the same presentation but in video format with voiceover:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1A_qPbw5uRGM1nYJ6fObC-ovoIAXgvaQI/view?usp=sharing

Interims

Last week was interim week – please make sure that you have reviewed your child’s progress in PowerSchool. Any questions about grades should be directed to the specific teacher. If you do not have a Parent Portal account for PowerSchool in order to review your child’s grades and would like to sign up for one, please contact our Data Manager at lnelson@wcpss.net.

Student Services Information

Thursday, March 18 during SMART Time - Virtual NCAA Eligibility Session - Students will learn about NCAA Eligibility updates for the 2021-2022 school year. Students will receive information on how to create an NCAA Eligibility account and what steps they need to take each year of high school to prepare to play sports at the collegiate level (DI, DII and DIII Schools). This session is open to any student who is interested in playing sports at a post-secondary institution. The Google Meet link is here: <https://meet.google.com/qse-nend-duw>

Thursday, March 25 during SMART Time - Virtual Scholarship Session - A scholarship is an award of financial aid for a student to further their education at a private or public post-secondary college, university, or other academic institution. Students will learn about the different types of scholarships available and ways to research them. All students are welcome to attend. The Google Meet link is here: <https://meet.google.com/hon-cjmw-rou>

Athletics – Live Streaming Information

Please see this flyer regarding information about purchasing live streaming for many of our PCHS teams’ games:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1dvOPXE0ZmZWByHZUFCiQ2lmRC92YWXCq/view?usp=sharing>

Yearbook Information

Please review this information about student portraits in the yearbook:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1KW0FuocualjU_jxq3kKZt0wxdbYzfEhF/view?usp=sharing

Please see this video for additional yearbook information: <https://youtu.be/OnL1ir-Tu0Y>

PTSA Information

Academic Award Letters

There are two more days scheduled for students to pick up their Academic Award Letter. The dates are February 24, 2:30-4:00, and March 10, 10:30-12:00. This will be a drive through event at the main entrance. Please note, March 10 will be the last drive-up opportunity.



Dates to Note

February 23 – Asynchronous/Remote Learning Day – ACT Testing for all Juniors on campus

February 24 – Remote Learning Day – all students learning at home – live sessions

March 25 – End of 3rd Quarter

April 14 – PreACT Testing for all Sophomores on campus

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