

## Catamount Messenger 5.4.21 – Information for Seniors

### Class of 2021 Calendar of Events

**May 4<sup>th</sup>** – Welcome Speech Application information posted on the PCHS Website.  
Application can be found at this link:

<https://www.wcpss.net/cms/lib/NC01911451/Centricity/Domain/18890/2021%20Criteria%20for%20Selection%20of%20Welcome%20Speaker.pdf>

**May 12<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup>** – Online voting will occur for the Farewell Address. The candidates for the Farewell Address are identified from the top 3% of the Senior class. Those students are eligible to decide if they want to be on the ballot.

**May 13<sup>th</sup>** – Virtual Senior Information Session – We will release a video with detailed information.

**May 26<sup>th</sup>** – Mandatory Graduation Rehearsal for all Seniors participating in the stadium graduation.  
(This is an asynchronous remote learning day.)

**9:00am – Students with last names A-L**

**11:00am – Students with last names M-Z**

**Check-in will start 30 minutes prior to the rehearsal time at the PCHS Stadium.**

Seniors must be present during their rehearsal session in order to participate in the commencement ceremony on June 11<sup>th</sup>. Seniors will be issued their tickets for graduation and their stole at the conclusion of the rehearsal.

### Class of 2021 Graduation – Location: PCHS Stadium

#### **Friday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – 8:00am – Graduation Ceremony – Students with Last Names A-L**

Seniors must arrive to PCHS by **7:00am**

Families and guests will be admitted at **7:15am\*\***

Ceremony begins promptly at **8:00am**

#### **Friday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – 11:00am – Graduation Ceremony – Students with Last Names M-Z**

Seniors must arrive to PCHS by **10:00am**

Families and guests will be admitted at **10:15am\*\***

Ceremony begins promptly at **11:00am**

**\* Each student will receive 4 tickets to graduation.**

**\*\* Only ticketed guests will be allowed on campus and admitted to the stadium.**

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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

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### **Drive-thru Diploma Pickup**

For students who do not wish to participate in the graduation ceremonies in the stadium on June 11<sup>th</sup>, we will host a drive-thru diploma pickup on Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – 12:00pm. Students and family members can drive through the main parking lot and pickup their diploma.

### **Senior End of the Year Final Transcripts**

*All seniors will be responsible for sending their final transcripts to the school they will be attending in the Fall.* In - state schools: Students will send their transcript using [www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org) . Out-of-State schools: Students will send their transcripts using [www.wcpss.net/transcripts](http://www.wcpss.net/transcripts) . If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your alpha Counselor. *Note: every senior will receive an unofficial copy of their transcript through the mail, however, seniors must send an official copy of their transcript to their selected school via [www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org) or [www.wcpss.net/transcript](http://www.wcpss.net/transcript). Transcripts will be ready on June 18, 2021.*

### **Senior Exit Survey**

All seniors are expected to complete the senior exit survey to be cleared for graduation. This information is reported the state of North Carolina and is used to capture the post-secondary plans of all graduating seniors. The form is located on the Student Services

Weebly <http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/seniors.html>

### **Senior Scholarship Reporting Form**

We want to recognize the **Class of 2021** scholarship achievements! Please report the scholarships you have earned, whether you accept the scholarship or not. Last year's graduating class of 2020 earned over \$6,000,000.00 in scholarships. Our goal this year is **\$8,000,000.00**. We currently have \$2,774,845 reported. It's your time to shine! Complete the scholarship report form on the Student Services Weebly site! <http://pchsstudentservices.weebly.com/seniors.html>

### **Class of 2021 Class Rank**

A Senior Honors rank is calculated and awarded in accordance with Policy 3450, Class Rankings. For students graduating at the end of eight semesters, all high schools will determine senior honors using the GPA at the end of the 1st semester of the graduating year (semester 7). If any student believes that their last semester courses will impact their honors status, they can request that the school review their transcript and final grades. If final semester grades are likely to result in a new / different recognition, the school will honor that recognition. Please note that updates to honors status will only be able to be changed in the graduation program up until a certain date as those are printed well before graduation. No student who earns graduation honors will have their status altered if their final GPA falls in the last semester of study. For students graduating midyear, the school will use this same system for determining graduation honors using the weighted GPA from the last completed semester of study. The principal shall have final approval of honors designations.



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