

KNIGHTLINE

July 11, 2022

New Updates and Announcements

Meet PCHS New Assistant Principal:

Mrs. Ashleigh Lewis

Ashleigh Lewis has been an educator for 17 years.

She earned her Bachelor's Degree from Christopher Newport University and her Master of Education degree from Liberty University.



Born and raised here on the Peninsula, she currently lives in Seaford with her husband, 2 sons, and 2 dogs.

On weekends you'll find Ashleigh and her family camping, on the boat, swimming, or at sporting events. Welcome to the PC Family, Ashleigh!



Bus Transportation

If you will be utilizing bus transportation for the 2022-2023 school year, please fill out this [form](#). If you have any questions about bus transportation, please contact [Ms. Tucker](#).

Is Your Student Current on All Vaccinations?

In the coming months, we encourage you to make an appointment with your student's health care provider to get your

student's vaccinations completed if you have not done so already. Encourage your student's health care provider to use the Virginia Immunization Information System and any vaccination records you have for your child to determine which vaccines your student may need. If your student does not have a healthcare provider, please contact your local health department to determine if your student is eligible to receive vaccinations at the health department. Local health department contact information can be found [here](#).



Please be aware that each school year, your student's vaccination records will be reassessed to ensure that he/she is sufficiently vaccinated. If sufficient documentation is not submitted to Ms. Silcox, School Nurse, for your student, he/she might be required to stay home from school until proper documentation is provided.

Rising Seniors are required to have at least one dose of Meningococcal Vaccine (effective date July 1, 2021) A 12th grader will need a menACWY dose at 16 years or older regardless if they had one previous dose before 16 years old.

If you have any questions regarding vaccinations, feel free to contact [Ms. Silcox](#).

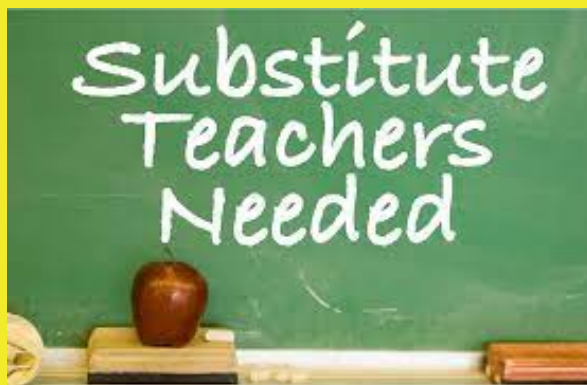


Calendar for 2022-23 School Year

For your convenience, the significant dates for the 2022-23 school year are on the Calendar of Events which is available on the homepage of the PC website. Additionally, the At-a-Glance Calendar has been updated through the parent page using your FACTS SIS Parent Portal credentials.

Substitute Teachers Needed!

If you are interested in substitute teaching, for either pay or service hours, please contact [Mrs. Lewis](#). Application for Employment can be found [here](#).





Changes to PCHS Dress Code

For the upcoming 2022-2023 school year PCHS is now using Tommy Hillfiger as our uniform vendor. Please see the attached form [here](#) for a detailed explanation of our updated dress code/uniform compliance guidelines. This form must be read and signed by each student and parent. For more information, please contact [Heather Whitchurch](#).

Upcoming Events

Save the Date

When: Tuesday, August 16, 2022 at 5:00 PM

PC will be offering sports physicals to our athletes on Tuesday, August 16th. There will be a \$20 fee. For more information, please contact [John Jackowski](#).



Mark Your Calendars!

PCHS book vendor, BNC will have free shipping on all orders over \$99.00 beginning August 2, 2022 - August 8, 2022. For more information, please visit this [website](#) or contact [Mrs. Padilla](#).

Bingo is heating up this Summer!

Are you looking for ways to beat the heat this Summer? Consider helping out our partners at the Knights of Columbus in Newport News. They need volunteers at Bingo on a Monday or Thursday evening in their non-smoking hall. It is a great way to get a head start on your service hours for the coming school year.



When our PC families, friends and teams are there to help, it makes a big difference in the amount of money the Knights are able to donate to the school. Check out this [SignUp Genius](#) to choose the nights that work for you. For more information, contact [Patrick McFadden](#), our Booster Club President. Thank you.

Sign up NOW to volunteer and to shop!

BACK TO SCHOOL SALE

The Home & School Association's Annual Back to School Sale (formerly the Used Uniform and Book Sale) will be held on Saturday, August 6, 2022 from 10AM – 1PM. We need help from returning PCHS families to set up and staff the event. If you've attended the sale before, you know it's a really fun event, and an

easy way to get some volunteer hours knocked-out early. **For interested volunteers, please sign up [here](#)**—there are opportunities available for all ages and abilities.

For all shoppers, sign up [here](#) for your time slot to check out our selection of new swag items and get some great deals on gently used uniforms and books. There are 12 slots available every 15 minutes. Please bring a copy of your student's schedule with you to the sale. This year's schedule will be mailed to your home in the next few weeks. If you are unable to attend the sale, you can arrange for another PC parent to shop for you. If you have any questions, please contact our HSA Treasurer, **Staci Davis** or HSA Secretary, **Holly McGuire**.

