



Knightline 3.2.20

News and Announcements

- **Please read this VERY IMPORTANT letter regarding the Coronavirus** from Kelly Lazzara, Superintendent of Catholic Schools. Click [here](#) to read the letter.
- **Change in Mass Schedule.** Mass this week will be on Thursday, March 5 at 8:00 AM.
- **Two weeks left before the Re-Enrollment fee increases!** Re-enroll by March 13th to take advantage of the early bird pricing AND for a chance to win a \$1,000 tuition credit! For more information please contact [Alyson LeMaster](#), Director of Enrollment at 757-596-7247.
- **The calendar for the 2020-2021 school year is here!** View the calendar at www.peninsulacatholic.org. While this is a tentative calendar, the first and last day of school, exam dates, vacation dates (Christmas and Easter); Kairos, and graduation (Memorial Day Weekend this year!) are set in stone! Please review these dates and ensure your vacation planning works with these dates. Please remember that absences for vacation that exceed one day will not be excused.
- **Primary Mock Election.** The AP Government classes will be hosting a Primary Mock Election on Tuesday, March 3rd for the entire school. They will compare the results from PC students to voters in Virginia. Students will need an ID to vote, such as their school ID, driver's license, military ID, or any federal or state issued ID with a photo, as to mimic actual Virginia voting procedures.
- **Please join us for a Celebration of the Arts** at PCHS on Friday March 6th. Doors open at 6pm and performances begin at 6:30pm. This event is free and open to the public. There will be a student art show judged by ODU art professor, Richard Nickel, musical & theatrical performances, and a middle school art show featuring art from our feeder schools.
- **Be part of the fastest growing sport in America, Boys Volleyball!** BVB Open Gym! Learn and Play! Wednesdays 3:15-4:30 pm, starting March 4 in the Aux Gym. See Ms. Gomez to sign up!
- **Exam Day Lunches.** During midterm examinations our usual cafeteria service is suspended. Lunches on these days, **Thursday March 19, 2020** and **Friday March 20, 2020**, will only be available by advanced order using this [link](#). This link will also be available in the *Parents* section of the website. No other food will be served these days. **The Deadline for online orders is Wednesday, March 18, 2020 at NOON.**
- **Honor your graduate with a page that will display special memories and commemorate this momentous occasion.** SENIOR ADS will only be available through

Tuesday, March 31. Ads submitted after Tuesday, March 31 will be subject to space available and may incur an additional fee. Click this link to submit your Ad today. For questions please contact [Marie Hernandez](#).

- **Newport News Department of Human Services will be presenting 4 life skills workshops.** They are open to students aged 14-21. See this [flyer](#) for more information.

Auction Update

- **Auction Tickets to our Great Gatsby Night are still available.** Tickets are \$100 until Friday March 6, 2020. To purchase tickets please click the [link](#) or contact [Robin Thomas](#), Director of Development and Marketing at 757-596-7247 Ext. 117. Our event is filling up quickly so get your tickets today.
- **Place your bids before attending the auction.** The Online Auction is open to bidders near and far. Please use this [link](#) to view our Online Auction and place your bid on select items. The Online Auction will be open from noon March 2 – noon March 12, for your convenience click [here](#) to view instructions on how to set up your bidding account. Please contact [Cody Wiley](#) at 757-596-7247, Media and Alumni Coordinator with any questions. Happy bidding!
- **Interested in Volunteering at our Great Gatsby Event?** We have a limited number of spots for PCHS students and parents to volunteer before, during and after our event on March 14. Click [here](#) to sign up. Thank you for your support.
- **Our Fund-An-Item is a new electronic sign for Harpersville Road.** An electronic sign will help keep everyone informed with customizable messages such as school updates and upcoming events. You do not have to attend our Great Gatsby Night to support this project. If you would like to contribute to our Fund-An-Item, please click [here](#)
- **Last week to turn in Great Big Raffle Tickets.** This is the last week to turn in Raffle tickets to earn individual and homeroom prizes. All tickets and monies are due no later than Friday, March 6. Selling/purchasing Raffle tickets not only increase your chances of winning but are also one of the many ways your family can fulfill their obligation. You can purchase Great Big Raffle Tickets [here](#). Contact [Robin Thomas](#) or [Cody Wiley](#) if you have any questions.
- **Get ready to raise your paddle for these Live Auction items.** We have experiences everyone will want to enjoy. Click the link to find out more and preview our Live Auction.
- **Are you more of a quiet bidder then the Silent Auction is for you.** Conveniently browse our array of Silent Auction items at your leisure. Here are a few of the exciting items in store.

Bowling at AMF Yorktown with Heather Whitchurch

Golfing at the James River Country Club with David Penrod

Tech Theatre Workshop and Audition Workshop with Elizabeth Wigley - 2 separate experiences

Home and School

We have **many** volunteer and donating opportunities available below, please take a look to see where and if you can help in the many ways we need.

- **After Prom Wish List**

This Wish List is for gift cards and raffle prizes for the juniors/seniors attending After Prom this year. This gives parents an opportunity to look and decide if/what they would like to donate before After Prom with pre-approved gift choices. Follow this [link](#) for gift ideas.

- **After Prom Volunteer List**

Please follow this [link](#) to many After Prom volunteer opportunities this year.

- **Book Sale Committee**

Volunteers are needed to form a team to spearhead the annual HSA Book Sale. Jackie Yau, the current Book Sale coordinator, is available to answer any inquiries about this new team. During the next few months, Jackie will meet periodically to slowly prepare this team to run the Book Sale. Please reach out to [Jackie Yau](#) or at any HSA meeting if interested

***** **PLEASE NOTE** *****

The Book Sale is the HSA's ONLY fundraiser, and we need a team of individuals who can pull it all together with many available volunteers at your side. The money raised from the Book Sale goes towards ALL the years events and activities that the HSA sponsors for the students, teachers, staff, faculty, and parents.

- **New Treasurer**

A new Treasurer - in training - will be able to work with Jackie Yau until the end of the school year so the transition from one Treasurer to another would be seamless. In the event that a New Treasurer ballot is not filled by the March HSA meeting, the Board will follow through with interested individuals as the year progresses.

Once an inquiry and acceptance is made, a Board vote will take place and a final approval will be made by the Principal for a new Treasurer. We would like to have everyone involved in this voting process and to do that, we need people to volunteer for this. Please contact [Gena Petersen](#) with any inquiries.

- **Friendly Reminder**

Our next HSA meeting is Thursday, March 12, 2020, at 5:30 pm in the PC library. We hope to see you there!

Volunteer Opportunities

- **The PC Booster Club is looking for parents to become active volunteers as concession stand and floor worker staff** at Thursday night Bingo sessions at the Knights of Columbus. Please email [Will Robertson](#) to sign up.

