

February 16, 2021

News and Announcements

Today, you will receive a letter via email with information regarding our in-person and virtual options for next year. PC will continue to offer a virtual program next year. To learn more click here. Check out our new commercial airing this week.



Virtual Back to School Night is TONIGHT! This chart has a Zoom link for each teacher by block. Just check out your student's schedule on FACTS Family (or just ask them for it!) and Zoom in on time to meet your student's teacher and hear about each class he/she is taking this term. The times for each block are also on the chart! Block 1 begins at 6:00; block 2 at 6:20; Block 3 at 6:40 and Block 4 at 7:00. Each session will last 10 minutes, leaving time for teachers to get ready and start the next Zoom session. We hope you have a great virtual BTS Night.





Conferences for term 2 begin this week. Please review the process for Virtual Parent-Teacher Conferences.

Please review PC's Guide to Lent to see how we will be incorporating prayer, fasting, and almsgiving during this holy season. Please note that ALL students will be provided

a modest meatless meal on Ash Wednesday (tomorrow) at no cost. You do not have to order it online. Please see the quide for more details.





Coastal Virginia Magazine Best of 2021 Voting is Open. It's time to show Hampton Roads, once again, that PC is the Best! In 2020, we received the reader's choice award for Best Private School in Hampton Roads in the Gold Category with the highest number of votes overall in the entire Tidewater area. Thank you! Let's see if we can do it again this year. Voting ends March 15. Click here to place your vote.

School Advisory Board Nominations Now Open.

Nominations are now being accepted for candidates wishing to be considered for our School Advisory Board. The School Advisory Board is open to PC alumni, families (both past and present), and members of the business community. Click here for a brief overview of the responsibilities and here for the nomination form. Applications will be accepted until March 15, 2021. For questions, contact Jenny Franklin.





Only one month left to re-enroll before Monday, March 15. The March 15 early re-enrollment deadline is quickly approaching. There is still time to get your name entered in the drawing for a \$1,000 tuition credit for 21-22.

Need assistance with online re-enrollment? Appointments are available by phone, Zoom, or in-person. Contact **Alyson LeMaster** to schedule.

Flexible Tuition Applications are being accepted for the 21-22 school year.

Apply here

FACTS Application Submission Date On or before March 1, 2021 On or before April 1, 2021 On or before May 1, 2021 After May 1, 2021 Within 2 weeks

History does repeat itself, our Commemorative Brick Program is back! It is our pleasure to offer the seniors of the Class of 2021 an opportunity to purchase a commemorative brick. They are available in two sizes, 4"x8" and 8"x8", and will be placed in the Meditation Garden at Peninsula Catholic. Each brick purchase will include a commemorative replica tile keepsake. Orders will be accepted online until Monday, March 15, 2021, so the bricks can be in place for graduation. Click here to place your brick order today! For questions, contact Robin Thomas.





Service Hour Reminder: service hours were reduced for this school year (2020-2021) only. 10 hours for two-parent households; 5 hours for a single-parent household. Donations of purchased goods can fulfill service hours for the 20-21 school year only. Purchasing \$5 or more of goods per event is equivalent to 1 service hour. Any hours not served by Monday, May 31, 2021, will be assessed \$15 per hour for uncompleted time. An outstanding balance will preclude the

release of report cards, transcripts, and/or diplomas. Parents are responsible for entering their own service hours in FACTS Family online. If you are unsure of **How to enter Parent**Service hours the instructions can be found on the parents' page on our website. You will see Parents Service Hours on the right-hand side.

Substitute Teachers Needed! Since teachers are asked to stay home at the slightest symptoms and with regular cold and flu season here, we would like to have a few more subs to call on. If you are interested in substitute teaching either for pay or volunteer hours, please contact Mrs. Strickland.



Everything in the Spirit Shop is 25% - 50% off the month of February. Help us make room for new styles and designs. The Spirit Shop is conveniently located in room 131. Click here for more details. Questions? Contact Mr. Wiley.



If we can get more subscribers on our YouTube Channel, we will be able to stream more events so you can see them from home. We currently have 244 subscribers. Have you taken a moment to subscribe to the PCHS YouTube Channel? Feel free to subscribe to any and all of your email addresses. Thanks for your help!





Student newsletter: Knights Round Table was sent to all students on Friday, February 12. Check out the latest **issue** with news on athletics and student activities.

Auction News

Auction Sponsorships Still Available! We still have auction Sponsorships available. There are 2 ways to become a sponsor: as a family or as a business. Check out the benefits of each and consider supporting PC through sponsorship for our upcoming event in March. Follow these links to learn more about **Family Sponsorship** and **Business Sponsorship opportunities**. Once you decide which level is best for you, complete this **form** and send it to the Development Office. For more information, contact **Robin Thomas**.



Parent Organizations



Calling All Used Uniforms. Parents, it is a new year and that means Spring Cleaning is right around the corner. If your child has outgrown their uniforms, please consider donating them to Home & School to be used for our Annual Used Uniform Sale. We will gladly accept uniforms at any time of the year. Clothing may be dropped off in the Main Office. Thank you for your support of PC and Home and School.

Home & School Email List: If you would like to be on the direct email list for Home & School (for information on service hour opportunities that may come up between meetings as well as occasional updates), please enter your information in this form.





Bingo Volunteers are Needed! The Knights of Columbus Council 5480 is in need of adults who are comfortable working with the public under the current social distancing guidelines.

-- Masks and gloves will be mandatory for volunteers.

--Volunteers are needed from 5:30 pm - 10:30 pm on Thursdays.

-- It is a NON-smoking environment.

-- Students are NOT permitted to volunteer at this time.

Help us support The Knights of Columbus who make a significant investment in Peninsula Catholic each year, allowing us to keep tuition affordable. If you can volunteer for bingo on a Thursday in the future, please contact **Patrick McFadden** to secure your spot. It is a great way to satisfy your family's volunteer hours. Thank you for your support.

Please Note Some pictures were taken prior to March 13, 2020.





