

May 17, 2021

News and Announcements

While the CDC and Governor Northam have lifted the mask mandate for vaccinated individuals, Public and Private K-12 Schools All students, teachers, staff, and visitors must wear a mask over their nose and mouth while on school property subject to section II, subsection E. Page 15 of Amended Executive Order 72.

To clarify, nothing will change between now and the end of this school year regarding mask guidelines that everyone at Peninsula Catholic High School has been following. Also, there are still no changes regarding having guests or visitors in the building unless by appointment. While the news this weekend gives us all a great sense of hope that things will soon be back to normal, we must stay the course for the next few weeks. You all have been amazing and resilient, and we just need to keep going for a little bit longer. We can do it together.

Reminder to all Parents of Spring Athletes, Sports Team, and Individuals photos will be held tomorrow, May 18, 2021, at 2:30 PM. Individual sports portraits will need to be preordered through Hayne Photographers. The option to purchase the team photo will be available after photos have been taken. You need to be sure you have your uniforms and/or warm-ups for both the team and individual photos. If your athlete did not receive an order form, please email Mrs. Padilla.





Academic, Athletic, and Service Awards for juniors and seniors is Wednesday, May 19 after the 8:00 AM Mass. If your student is getting any award, you will be notified and then emailed with the link the day of the ceremony. You may choose to watch it live or watch it later on PC's YouTube Channel. We will be sending parents a commemorative digital copy of the program after the May 19 awards are completed.

PC will be hosting Sports Physicals on May 25 from 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm in the Aux Gym. The cost is \$20.00 cash and checks will be accepted. Checks can be made out to Peninsula Catholic High School. Pages 1,2 and 4 must be fully completed with signature. On page 3 only student name, DOB, and school need to be



completed. All will remain with the Physical Trainer once completed, if you would like a copy of your student's Sports Physical please let her know at that time so that a copy can be emailed to you once all the Physicals are completed that day. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Silcox.



Bus Transportation 21-22. If you will be utilizing bus transportation for the 2021-2022 school year please fill out this **form** below. If you have any questions about bus transportation, please contact **Ms. Tucker**.

Calling all PC Parents: How would you like to give back to your fellow Knight families? There will be an informational Zoom meeting on Thursday, May 20, 2021, at 6:00 pm for more details on how to be a part of the *re-invented* PC Parent Mentor Program! Contact Mrs. Padilla for more information.





Order your student's lunch for the SCA Picnic on Friday, May 21. Though we won't be grilling out as we've done in the past, your student can still enjoy a hamburger or a hotdog - or a veggie wrap - at the SCA picnic. Advanced orders must be placed no later than Monday, May 17. There will be no cost for lunch that day. If you do not order lunch for your student, they should bring their lunch. You will order SCA Picnic lunch the

same way you order your student's everyday lunch through FACTS Family Online.

The SCA is in need of Canopy Tents for the Annual Picnic on May 21. Please contact **Sharon Hyland** if you can loan a tent.





We will be hosting a COVID vaccine clinic for all students and families 12 and older. The clinic will be on May 21. The tentative time will be 7 am - 1 pm. It will be held in the Chemistry lab. Entrance and Exit will be through the side door where the 10th graders enter in the morning. Today will be the final day to Pre Register for the COVID Vaccine clinic. If you are interested and have not done so, you still have time. We

are very excited to be able to offer this opportunity to our PC families and community.

PCHSA Used Book and Uniform Sale. Please see the Used Book Sale Packet for information about the upcoming Used Book and Uniform Sale. This information contains all of the instructions for how to sell your student's books that are no longer needed as well as a list of books that we cannot take back this year. Senior Book Drop Off will take place after school on May 26 and 27 and 8-11th Grade Book Drop Off will take

place on June 2 and 3. The sale will be held on Saturday, August 7th from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Signups will be required and a sign-up sheet will be sent out over the summer. For questions or additional information, please contact **Sharon Hyland**.





Attention Senior Parents: Has your senior been "Adopted"? We would love to see what your sponsor family gave your senior! If your student is one of the lucky seniors who are part of our Home and School Association Adopt-A-Senior Program, take a picture of what your senior received and send it to **Sharon Hyland**. Better yet, post it on Facebook and tag Peninsula Catholic. We look forward to sharing this senior experience.

Do you shop on Amazon? Have you linked your Amazon account to Peninsula Catholic through the Amazon Smile program? Simply log into **Amazon Smile** with your credentials and select Peninsula Catholic as your organization to support. It's that easy! Just remember to shop through the Amazon Smile page and



PC will receive a portion of your purchases. Contact, **Robin Thomas** if you have any questions.



Open Positions for 21-22. This year, our faculty is stretched about as thin as can be due to the unexpected number of late enrollments throughout the year. As we anticipate a *high retention rate and a rise in new enrollment* next year, PCHS is **advertising** for teaching positions in virtually every area in order to keep class sizes small. Areas will include English, Fine Arts, Health/PE, Math, Religion, Science, Social Studies, and Spanish. If you know any certified teachers interested in teaching at Peninsula Catholic, please let them

know!

To ALL Parents/Guardians: This bears repeating, Whenever your student is Absent, whether VIRTUALLY or ON CAMPUS, we need an email stating the REASON for the absence. If your student is not feeling well or has an appointment, just let us know. If it is for medical reasons, even if it is NOT Covid related, Mrs. Silcox, our school nurse would need an email as



well. Additionally, on-campus students may not attend virtually unless it is due to illness or a pre-arranged absence that has been approved in advance (at least one day). Thank you.

Find Out Your Flexible Tuition Rate Early!

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



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.

Student newsletter: Knights Round Table was sent to all students on Friday, May 14. Check out the latest issue with news on athletics and student activities.



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.

Some pictures were taken prior to March 13, 2020.





