

August 16, 2021

News and Announcements

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR 21-22 FROM MRS. FRANKLIN! Please review the **Reintegration Guide** AND the video presentation to understand all protocols that we will be opening with for the 21-22 school year.

Note* The Reintegration video nor the guide reflect the changes made on August 12, 2021, by Virginia's State Health commissioner. Please be advised that Peninsula Catholic will fully comply with the new mask mandate issued.

- Masks do not need to be worn in gym class, when exercising, or using exercise equipment, but all equipment will be sanitized between users.
- Playing instruments and singing can occur without masks if a 6-foot distance is maintained.
- Seating arrangements in classrooms and the cafeteria will maximize the space, and group seating for collaboration will be limited.
- All classrooms, lunch locations, and mass will have seating recorded for contact tracing purposes.
- Visitors will be limited and must have an appointment to be allowed past the check-in desk.
- Only faculty, staff, and students will be allowed at Mass and scheduled student events/programs that occur during the school day until further notice.





FACTS Family Online: Parents/Guardians please review the following document regarding important information that must be updated such as Medical forms, emergency contacts, etc... Click the link for the FACTS Family Online Information. If you have any questions or need assistance please contact Mrs. Padilla. Please make sure to log in and update any necessary information prior to the start of school.



Support Peninsula Catholic Athletics at our annual golf tournament! This is a great way to get to know the families at PCHS! We hold this tournament annually in honor of D.B. Brackina PC Alum and true champion of Peninsula Catholic. All proceeds from the tournament go directly to advancing our athletic programs.

Friday, September 10th Sleepy Hole Golf Course Shotgun start at 8:00 am Register Here!

50/50 Raffle! Thank you for helping us raise money for our Athletic Programs by selling these 50/50 tickets. Tickets are affordable at 1 for \$5 or 3 for \$10 and can be purchased with cash and check or **online**. Anyone can participate. Winners need not be present to win. Last year, the winner took home nearly \$2,000! The winner will be announced Friday, September 10th in conjunction with the annual D.B. Brackin Golf Tournament. If you need additional tickets, please contact anyone in the **Development office**. Thank you for your assistance.





We have created a **PC At-A-Glance calendar** for the 21-22 school year. Here you will be able to quickly find important dates.

PCHS is proud to offer both in-person and virtual learning options for our students. If you plan to utilize virtual learning for the 21-22 school year, please contact Mrs. LeMaster or Mrs. Padilla.





If you are in the 10th, 11th, or 12th grade and have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, contact your local parish or Ms. Adinaro and she'll get you connected to your parish.

Parents, we highly encourage you to follow up with your student's physicians ASAP. If your student has Asthma, Life-threatening Allergies, Seizures, Diabetes they *must* have appropriate forms on file prior to the first day of school.

As previously mentioned, the State Immunization Requirements for schools have been updated and will go

into effect on July 1, 2021.

Rising 12th-grade students will be required to have 1 dose of the meningococcal (MenACWY) prior to school entry. Questions? Contact our school nurse, Mrs. Silcox.





Bus Transportation 21-22

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

Diocesan Virtus Teen Program- A new diocesan Safe Environment training program "Boundaries Module for Youth Who are Employees or Assisting/Volunteers" for teens ages 13 to 17 years old is now available on Virtusonline.org. In this training program, "Teens will learn about maintaining appropriate boundaries, awareness of inappropriate behavior, proper reporting procedures, and an understanding that their role is not a supervisory one, but that



they must always assist a VIRTUS-trained and background-screened adult." It is recommended that all diocesan teenage volunteers complete the training but it is not mandatory unless employed by the diocese. Click here for the **registration form**.



Important Dates, Registration, and more!

A reminder that all information regarding the summer such as athletic physical information and details of your student's summer service hour responsibility can be found in the **Summer Information Guide** which you can find on the student and parent page of the website. The Summer Service Project and Service Hours are due **Friday, August 27, 2021.** Please direct any questions regarding the project to **Mrs.**

Smith or Mrs. Rogala. Questions regarding service hours should be directed to Ms. Adinaro.

Big Savings! Receive 20% off School Uniforms from Lands' End NOW through Friday, August 27, 2021

Code: BINDER Pin: 5823

Follow this **link** to take advantage of this uniform sale.



Athletics

Attention Tennis Players! Girls Tennis will be starting practice Wednesday, August 18th at 10:30 am. Questions? Contact Coach Dail



Soccer Tryouts! Soccer tryouts will be held Wednesday, August 18th from 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Questions? Contact Coach Remias.



Volunteering



Volunteer for our *Give 4 For Bingo* **program**. Give us 4 nights for bingo and your family service hours are done for the year. Plus, you get a FREE t-shirt! Volunteers are needed to sell "Instants" for \$1 each. No training is necessary. If you can count, you are qualified!

Adults and students 16 and over are welcome to come out to earn money for their PC club or sports team when they provide 6 volunteers on a Thursday night.

Bingo is held on Mondays and Thursdays at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Nettles Dr. from 5:30 - 10:30 pm in a non-smoking environment. To sign up to **Give 4 For Bingo**, check out our **SignUp Genius** to choose the best 4 nights for your schedule.

For more information, contact **Patrick McFadden**, our Booster Club Bingo Coordinator. Thank you for supporting the Knights of Columbus Council 5480 who give so much back to PC each year.





