



Pleasant Hill High School Weekly Bulletin

September 25, 2020

School Announcements

Gradebook Information

- You should receive your PIV (Parent Information Viewer) letter in the mail next week. Included with that will be instructions on how to set up automatic email notifications to track your student's attendance, assignments, and grades.

Yearbooks

- 2019/20 HS yearbooks are available for pick up in the high school office (7 am - 4 pm). Please call first (541-747-4541) so we can be sure you have purchased one. There are still some available for sale in the office for \$60.
- 2019/20 MS yearbooks are also available to purchase in the HS office for only \$20.

Hotspots

- District assigned Hotspots are **for student use only** and are not intended to be used for non-school purposes.

Food Services

- Grab and go meals will be provided for all K-12 distance learners at the high school from 11:00-1:00 on school days. Families receiving free and reduced meals will need to fill out a form for the 2020-21 school year.

Athletics/Activities Announcements

- For all information regarding Billie Athletics please follow us on our website @ www.billiesathletics.com

Middle School Weekly Email Link, Week of September 21, 2020:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1KKv3iVhy7vnbodBajrfVxswESOb_jdY8MSyxp-6FXVk/edit?usp=sharing

Career and HS Counseling Updates

- Last day for high school schedule changes was yesterday.
- SENIORS - PHHS Counseling blog <https://phhscounseling.blogspot.com/> and Google Classroom are updated daily, please make sure you are checking for important updates.
- **Class of 2021 Parents:** Financial Aid presentation can be found on the PHHS Counseling blog <https://phhscounseling.blogspot.com/> and also on the PHHS high school website under Quicklinks.
- Senior Meetings have started! Email Ms. Ruiz cruiz@pleasanthill.k12.or.us to schedule your 30 minute meeting. Parents are welcome to join!!
- Job Shadows, Mentorships, Virtual Tours of local manufacturing companies are all being offered through ELEVATE Lane County. Visit <https://elevatelanecounty.org/> for more information.



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Administration Updates

Attendance Expectations

- The Oregon Department of Education has released new attendance guidelines for the 2020/2021 School year. Students are now required to show evidence of participation for each enrolled class within 24 hours of the class each school day.

The following include reasonable equivalents:

- Participate in a video class meeting
- Communication from the student to the teacher via chat, text message, or communication in an app or email
- Posting completed coursework to our learning management system or via email
- Turning in completed coursework on a given day.
- Call the front office (541-747-4541) if your student will be absent for any part of the school day.

Home Schooling

- Per Oregon State Law, parents choosing to homeschool their student must register with Lane ESD. Please follow the link provided-<https://www.lesd.k12.or.us/homeschooling/>

Comprehensive Distance Learning Grading Expectations

- Grades will be A - F, not Pass/No Pass. Students will need to turn in assignments on time according to the teacher's syllabus guidelines.

Virtual Parent Conferences

- October 22 and 23

End of Q1 Date

- November 5th

Technology Issues

- Please inform your teacher of any technology issues you may be experiencing.
- Also, please email the Pleasant Hill High School Technology Email Hotline at phhstech@pleasanthill.k12.or.us for assistance.

Coronavirus Updates (county metrics data)

- Lane County Public Health has our county alert level at moderate.
- This is the link to the current school reopening metric:
<https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/DISEASESCONDITIONS/DISEASESAZ/Emerging%20Respiratory%20Infections/Weekly-County-Metrics.pdf>
- We are keeping up with the current metrics for returning back to on-site instruction. The most recent data was released on September 13, 2020. Currently, Lane County is at 30.6 cases a week per 100,000 people. Grades K - 3 must be under 30 cases per 100,000 and grades 4th - 12th must be under 10 cases per 100,000 to have on-site instruction.

PHHS Instagram Info

- Check out our school instagram account for updates: @phsadmin

Student Web Traffic

- Our school district uses GoGuardian to monitor all student web traffic with all school district



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issued devices. Please remind your student that their district issued device's web traffic is monitored daily.

Community Announcements

- The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S. has announced the kick-off of this year's VFW Voice of Democracy Scholarship competition. High school students have the opportunity to compete for thousands of dollars in scholarships and a trip to Washington, D.C. Students must write and record a 3-5 minute essay using a flash drive and present their recording, typed essay, and the completed entry form to their local VFW Post by October 31. "Is This the Country the Founders Envisioned?" is the theme for 2020-21.
- The Patriot's Pen essay competition is for Middle School students in grades 6-8. Students write a 300-400 word essay themed "What is Patriotism to Me?" Deadline for student entries is October 31.
- Interested students and teachers should contact the Voice of Democracy Chairman Bob Beck at Creswell VFW Post 4039 by phone at 541-937-3435 or email beckb1946@gmail.com for more information.