



PIRATE COMMUNITY PRESS

UPDATES FOR PCHS FAMILIES, STUDENTS, AND COMMUNITY
NOVEMBER 28 – DECEMBER 2, 2016



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
28 PQ – 3 rd Period SSD @ 3:10 Board of Education Meeting @ 6:00	29 PQ – 4 th Period GEAR UP Senior Trip to ECSU Basketball vs. Manteo JV - 4:30 Girls - 6:00 Boys - 7:30	30 PQ – 1 st Period	1 PQ – 2 nd Period SSD @ 3:10 Basketball @ Riverside JV - 4:30 Girls - 6:00	2 PQ – 3 rd Period Basketball vs. Cape Hatteras JV - 4:30 Girls - 6:00 Boys - 7:30 Rocky Hock Opry @ PCHS Auditorium
5 PQ – 4 th Period Progress Reports SSD @ 3:10 Parent Conferences in Cafeteria 3:00 – 5:00	6 PQ – 1 st Period Basketball @ Ocracoke JV - 4:30; Girls - 6:00; Boys - 7:30	7 PQ – 2 nd Period Breakfast Club @ 7:30 Minister's Council at Perquimans Central School @ 8:30 Hunter Safety Class 3:15 – 6:30 PM	8 PQ – 3 rd Period SSD @ 3:10 Hunter Safety Class 3:15 – 6:30 PM	3 Winfall Christmas Parade @ 11:00 Hertford Christmas Parade @ 2:00 Rocky Hock Opry @ PCHS Auditorium 9 PQ – 4 th Period Basketball vs. Mattamuskeet JV - 4:30; Girls - 6:00; Boys - 7:30 10 Edenton Christmas Parade @ 10:00 Snowball Dance @ 8:00

TIPS AND TREASURES

Summer Ventures - Summer Ventures at the NC School of Science and Mathematics is a no-cost, state-funded program for academically talented North Carolina students who aspire to careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. As a rising high school junior or senior, you live on a college campus for four weeks in the summer and conduct research around topics of your interest — while enjoying the company of like-minded peers. For more information, visit <https://www.ncssm.edu/summerventures> or see Mrs. Morgan in Student Services.

Hunter Safety Class - There will be a Hunter Safety Class offered on December 7th and 8th from 3:15 – 6:30 PM at Perquimans County High School. Please contact Ms. Angel White for more information.

Vet Science Competition - Congratulations to the Vet Science team for representing PCHS well at the state competition in Sanford last week. Although the team did not place, they demonstrated strong work ethic throughout the process. Anthony Strausser, Tabbie Cox, and Madison Loftis each earned perfect scores in their practicum competitions. Way to go Tabatha Cox, Heather Chappell, Anthony Strausser and Madison Loftis for your hard work. Thanks to Mrs. White for her leadership!!

Cafeteria Charges - Please make sure you pay off any cafeteria charges as soon as possible. Let us know if you need an application for free and reduced lunches. They are available in the office and the cafeteria. Please remember that benefits begin the day that the information is in the system either by download from DHHS or by application with a case number. Remember that families/students are responsible for any charges on their accounts prior to the free/reduced benefit beginning. If you have a current balance due, the balance needs to be paid as soon as possible.

Alice in Wonderland – Please mark your calendars for January 13th and 14th at 7:30 PM as the PCHS Drama Department presents *Alice in Wonderland*. Note that this date has been changed from the original date of November 17th and 18th. I hope you will be able to attend this wonderful display of student talent. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for students.

Athletic Updates –Please visit our Pirate Athletics website for news and updates at <http://www.pqpirates.com/>.

Winfall Christmas Parade - The Winfall Christmas Parade will be held on Saturday, December 3rd @ 11:00 am. The theme for this year is "Western Style". For more information contact Brenda Dillard or Valarie Jackson @ 426- 5015 or email Debbie Whedbee @ dwhedbee@pqschools.org. This would be a great opportunity to highlight some great things that are happening with our school clubs and organizations.

Hertford Christmas Parade - The Hertford Christmas Parade will be held on Saturday, December 3rd @ 2:00 PM. The theme for this year is "Christmas Around the World." For more information contact the Chamber Office @ 426 – 5657. This would be a great opportunity to highlight some great things that are happening with our school clubs and organizations.

Mission: Perquimans County High School, in partnership with home and community, will educate all students in a safe environment to thrive in a global society.

Vision: The staff at Perquimans County High School believes that all students can learn and achieve. We dedicate ourselves to providing an environment conducive to the development of each student's potential.

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AdvancED Standards for Quality Schools

Standard 1: Purpose and Direction

The school maintains and communicates a purpose and direction that commit to high expectations for learning as well as shared values and beliefs about teaching and learning.

Standard 2: Governance and Leadership

The school operates under governance and leadership that promote and support student performance and school effectiveness.

Standard 3: Teaching and Assessing for Learning

The school's curriculum, instructional design, and assessment practices guide and ensure teacher effectiveness and student learning.

Standard 4: Resources and Support Systems

The school has resources and provides services that support its purpose and direction to ensure success for all students.

Standard 5: Using Results for Continuous Improvement

The school implements a comprehensive assessment system that generates a range of data about student learning and school effectiveness and uses the results to guide continuous improvement.