



# PIRATE COMMUNITY PRESS

UPDATES FOR PCHS FAMILIES, STUDENTS, AND COMMUNITY  
OCTOBER 3 - 7, 2016



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
3 Driver's Ed  SSD @ 3:00  School Improvement Meeting @ 3:10  Volleyball @ Hatteras @ 4:30  Soccer @ Manteo @ 6:00	4 Driver's Ed  Volleyball vs. Plymouth @ 4:30  Soccer vs. Creswell @ 6:00 @ Rec Ctr	5 Driver's Ed  Breakfast Club – Females @ 7:30  Minister's Council @ 8:30 @ HGS  Cross Country  Soccer vs. Hatteras @ 6:00	6 Driver's Ed  SSD @ 3:00  Volleyball vs. Camden @ 4:30	7 No Football Game
10 Fire Safety Week SSD @ 3:00  Soccer @ Camden @ 6:00  Cross Country @ Camden	11 Fire Safety Week Volleyball @ Columbia @ 4:30	12 Fire Safety Week School Improvement Meeting @ 3:10  Cross Country @ Gates  Volleyball vs. Currituck @ 4:30  Soccer vs. Gates @ 6:00	13 Fire Safety Week SSD @ 3:00  Volleyball vs. Gates @ 4:30	8 Fall Athletics Fund Raiser
				14 Fire Safety Week Football vs. Plymouth @ 7:00
				15 Band Competition @ Pasquotank

## TIPS AND TREASURES

**PBIS Updates** – We will be recognizing positive behavior at PCHS. Students who have done something amazing may be recognized with a WOW Factor ticket. These students will get a 'prize' from Mr. Lister. We will also be recognizing Most Improved and Most Responsible students every 4 ½ weeks. Students will receive a certificate and will be put in a raffle to receive a great prize from PCHS!! The grade level that has the most students selected will be recognized. Thank you for helping us encourage positive choices with all of our students!

**Transportation Requests** – Just a reminder, all changes in transportation must be submitted to the office on the Alternate Transportation form by Monday at 10:00. Incomplete forms will not be processed. There will be no "As Needed" bus amendments written. Phone calls for alternate transportation will no longer be accepted. Please help us adhere to these new procedures as we strive to improve efficiency and safety in operations.

**Marching Pirates Updates** –The PCHS Marching Pirates competed at the Peanut Festival Battle of the Bands on Saturday in Edenton. The band moved up to the 2A level of competition and performed very well!! Our Drum Major Chelsea Harris came in 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Percussion 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, and Color Guard 3<sup>rd</sup> Place. PCHS came in 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Music and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in General Effect. Overall the band came in 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in the 2A division! Way to go Mr. Minster and the Marching Pirates!!

**NCSSM** – There will be a presentation regarding the North Carolina School of Science and Math at PCHS on Friday, October 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 AM by Mr. Rob Andrews, Admissions Counselor. The presentation is for freshmen and sophomores. Students must sign up in Student Services to attend.

**Athletic Updates** – Congratulations to the Pirate Soccer team for a great victory over Ocracoke last week. The Lady Pirates Volleyball team defeated Ocracoke and Matamuskeet last week. Pirate Football lost a tough battle with the Gates County Barons on Friday. This is a busy week in Pirate athletics, so come on out and support your favorite Pirate team! The Volleyball team hosts Plymouth and conference rival Camden. Soccer travels to Manteo and hosts Creswell and Hatteras this week. The

Football team has a bye week and will be preparing to host Plymouth next Friday. Please visit our Pirate Athletics website for news and updates at <http://www.pqpirates.com/>.

**Touchdowns Against Cancer** - Thanks to the generosity of those who pledged, and an offense that scored a lot during the 3 games, the Perquimans County Pirates surpassed our goal of \$700, and raised an amazing \$1188!! This money goes straight to St. Jude's for children's cancer research on our behalf. We finished as the top fund raising team in the state of North Carolina. Thanks to all who donated and helped spread the word!

**Football T-Shirt Fundraiser** - The PCHS Football team will be selling t-shirts to raise awareness for breast cancer. T-shirts will be \$15. Orders must be placed by October 14<sup>th</sup>. Please see Mrs. Baker for more information.

**Governor's School** - An Information Meeting for students and parents interested in Governor's School will be held in Edenton at John A. Holmes High School October 11th at 6:00 p.m. Students interested should attend this meeting with their parents. This is for JUNIORS with exception given to Sophomores (wishing to be nominated in the Performing Arts and Visual Arts) Please see Ms. Morgan for additional information, deadline dates, and specifics related to NC Governor's School.

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**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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