

# Daily Bulletin: December 16, 2020 Finals 1 and 2



1st Period Final 8:15-10:15

Passing 10:15-10:25

2nd Period Final 10:25-12:25

## **College and Career Center News**

<u>CLASS OF 2022 & 2023</u> - Take a FREE, PROCTORED, PRACTICE PSAT remotely in the safety of your home! Do not confuse this opportunity with the Official PSAT/NMSQT that is scheduled for January 26<sup>th</sup>! We understand that there are downsides to the in-person Official PSAT/NMSQT exam scheduled for January 26<sup>th</sup> (possible cancelations, several weeks/months to turn around scores) — so we are hosting a virtual, PRACTICE PSAT on January 9<sup>th</sup> that is open to all sophomores and juniors!

IMPORTANT!! This PRACTICE PSAT on January 9<sup>th</sup> IS NOT IN ANY WAY connected to National Merit Scholarship opportunities... this is only an opportunity to take a PRACTICE test!

Families will receive results promptly (within a week to 10 days!) and our students will be on track in terms of advising and considering how testing may or may not fit into their spring plans. Students can complete a no-cost, proctored PSAT with Compass Education safely and remotely and you'll have a score report back before the Official PSAT/NMSQT that should take place later in the month.

Students may use this opportunity as a practice to prep for the January 26<sup>th</sup> official PSAT/NMSQT, or simply to be exposed to and take a proctored PSAT and end up with a useful diagnostic assessment and practice score in hand. REGISTRATION: *Everything you need to take the test will be in the auto-generated confirmation email that you receive after completing the registration.* Students will be emailed their scores within ten days of testing, and

there is NO OBLIGATION to contact Compass Education for an explanation of the score report. <u>REGISTER HERE!</u> Registration closes January 2, 2021!

#### ALL PVHS SEA KINGS - SAVE THESE DATES for our Spring Semester COLLEGE ESSENTIALS TOOLKIT!

- January 12: The State of College Admissions COVID Version!
- January 21: College Testing Info Session
- February 9: The College Aid Lady Show Me the Money! Financial Aid & Scholarships
- February 25: California Public College Options: Overview of UC's, Cal States & Community College
- March 4: Options & Opportunities! A Panel Discussion with different TYPES of colleges
- March 16: Out of State & International Colleges... they may be less expensive than you think!
- March 23: College Admissions 101 / Breaking Down the College Search

<u>EI CAMINO COLLEGE WILL HOST FAFSA WORKSHOPS</u>- The ECC's Office of Outreach and School Relations will be hosting several FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) /California Dream Act Workshops from 11:00 am – 12:00 pm on the following dates: December 14 &18

You do not need to be attending El Camino in order to participate. Workshop link is: <u>http://bit.ly/eccfaid\_lab</u> . If you need further information, please contact ECC at <u>eccfaid@elcamino.edu</u> or call them at 310-660-3493.

## **SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES and DEADLINES:**

As scholarships become available, they will be posted on NAVIANCE. To access more information on these scholarships, please log onto NAVIANCE. Click on the COLLEGES tab and then scroll down to SCHOLARSHIPS and MONEY. Click on SCHOLARSHIP LIST. At this point, select the scholarship of interest. In many cases, you will be directed to a website for the application. In other instances, you may be able to download the application directly from NAVIANCE. Here are a few with upcoming deadlines:

- DECEMBER 14 EDISON SCHOLARS (\$40,000) for seniors who want to make a difference in the world by studying science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) in college. Requirements for applying include having at least a GPA of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale and have financial need. Applications may be found at <u>https://www.edison.com/home/community/edison-scholars.html</u>
- DECEMBER 15 BURGER KING SCHOLARS PROGRAM (Varies) For high school seniors who are U.S. residents; have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher; plan to enroll at a two- or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school. James W. McLamore WHOPPER<sup>™</sup> Scholarship also available to those with a cumulative GPA of at least 3.3; demonstrate active leadership role in community service, athletics, and/or similar co-curricular activity; demonstrate substantial work experience. Only the first 50,000 submitted will be processed. To apply, log onto <u>https://burgerking.scholarsapply.org/</u>
- JANUARY 5 GE REAGAN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP (up to

\$40,000) – for seniors only who demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship; demonstrate strong academic performance; be citizens of the United States. ONLY the first 25,000 applications accepted. To apply log onto <u>https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/</u>

- JANUARY 28 EQUITABLE EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP (\$2,500, \$10,000, \$25,000) – seniors only; regional/state/national competition; recognizes those who have achieved an extraordinary community service accomplishment; criteria also includes academic achievement, leadership, participation in school/community activities and/or the workplace. APPLY EARLY, only the first 10,000 applications will be accepted. To apply, log onto <u>https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/</u>
- Marymount California University SOUTH BAY SCHOLARSHIP\* \$2,000
  Available to freshman who apply and matriculate to MCU only Includes local high schools in Palos Verdes Estates & Rolling Hills Estates!

## New Spirit Wear for Holiday Gifts

Just in time for the holidays, PVHS PTSA is excited to announce the addition of our **NEW 2020-21 Spirit Wear!** 

New items have been added and are available to order now. Perfect for holiday gift giving! Click <u>HERE</u> to view. Quantities are limited, so don't wait to order!Plus, we still have plenty of long-and-short sleeve T-shirts on sale for \$20, plus a limited selection of other items. Check it out! All items will be bagged and available for pick up. <u>Pick up address will be emailed to you with order</u> <u>confirmation.</u>

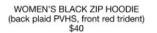
Orders placed after 16 December will not be filled until January as we are unable to access campus until after Winter Break.

# Palos Verdes High School 60th Anniversary

# 2021 SEA KING SPIRIT WEAR SNEAK PREVIEW

<u>Extremely limited quantities</u>! Orders filled on first-come basis. You will be contacted by email when your order is filled and ready for pick-up.







MEN'S BLACK HOODIE (front shown) \$40



BUCKET HAT (front & back shown) \$25



The PVHS PTSA Nominating Committee wants your suggestions for next year's PTSA Executive Board. Please make your nominations by filling in and submitting this form by January 4, 2021. Self-nominations welcome! You may access the form at the following link: www.memberplanet.com/s/pvhigh/2021pvhsptsastrawballot

Nominations are anonymous unless you fill in your name and/or email address (optional). For incoming 9th grade families next year, please indicate which Middle school the nominee is coming from.

**Questions?** Contact PVHS PTSA Parliamentarian, Rhonda Rafijah: <u>ravijeetkaur@gmail.com</u>



Yearbooks are still available for purchase for \$140. Starting in January the prices will go up to \$175. A yearbook can be purchased through the online student store at the link below or a check can be dropped off to the main office listing yearbook and

the student name in the memo. If you have questions regarding if you purchased a yearbook please contact Patty Camp at camp@pvpusd.net

#### Online Webstore



The District is pleased to announce that any adolescent 18 years of age and under may pick-up a FREE breakfast and lunch from PVHS.

Curbside pick-up is Monday through Friday between 7:30am to 1:00pm in front of the MPR. . No pre-order required!

All meals include a main entrée, choice of milk, and seasonal fruit and vegetable offerings.

Parents and guardians may pick up meals on behalf of their child/children. The community-at-large is welcome and adolescents do not need to be enrolled in the district to participate.

Menus can be found on the district's website by clicking Parents & Students à Lunch Program or by directly visiting <u>https://pvpusdschoolnutrition.net</u>

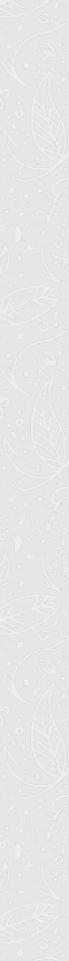


#### ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES

Parents / guardians should notify the Attendance Office within 72 hours to clear a student's absence. The office message machine can be reached 24 hours a day at 310-378-8471 OR you may contact our attendance clerk directly by phone or email:

Lisa Kastelan: 310-378-8471 x43202 kastelan@pvpusd.net

Please <u>click here</u> to read more about attendance policies during the 20-21 school year.



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