

Daily Bulletin: January 6, 2022

B-Day



7:00 - 7:55 - Zero Period
8:00 - 9:53 - Period 4
10:08 - 12:12 - Period 5
12:12 - 12:43 - Lunch
12:52 - 2:45 - Period 6

COVID Updates

In alignment with Dr. Cherniss' email, PVHS will require masking indoors, including all classrooms, offices, and facilities. Masks are also required outdoors on campus. Our priority is to educate students and minimize disruption. Though inconvenient for some, masking on campus will assist with this priority.

Green Screen Clearance

All students must present their "Green Screen" clearance when they arrive on campus each day. We recommend that anyone coming to campus fill this out at home and take a screenshot of the clearance screen so they do not have to fill it out while on campus.

Lastly, please do not send your student to campus if they are sick, experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, or are currently under quarantine.

PVPUSD Testing Location Today: Palos Verdes High School 12:00pm-4:45pm. For more information, please visit the [testing website here](#). Masks are required at testing sites.

If your student tests positive for COVID-19, please call the school immediately.

Matilda the Musical Auditions

Our award-winning Drama Department will be holding auditions for *Matilda the Musical* on January 11th & 12th. Audition materials are available online at <https://pvhsdrama.com/auditions/>

More interested in working backstage? Crew positions are currently open for stage crew, sound, lights, costumes, hair & makeup, and more! For more information, or to fill out an application, go to <https://pvhsdrama.com/stage-crew/>



Boys' Tennis Tryouts

Boys' tennis tryouts will be held on **Thursday, January 20th & Friday, January 21st** from 1pm-3pm and 3pm-5pm at the school's tennis courts. Students must have a current physical on file in the Health Office to try out. Contact Coach Kip Brady with any questions at kipbradytennis@gmail.com

Library Club Meeting

Library Club Meeting this **Friday, January 7th** at lunch. See you there!

Counseling Updates

ATTENTION SENIORS. Congratulations on making it through your first semester of senior year. Some of your colleges may now require that you send them a Mid-Year Transcript. Not all colleges require it. We recommend checking your Common App list or your college student portal to see if a Mid-Year Report is required.

To order mid-year transcripts, please come to the Counseling Office and pick up an orange 'Mid-Year Transcript Request' card, fill it out, make the payment at the student store, and then submit the completed card with the receipt attached to your counselor's box in the counseling office. Your counselor will be submitting mid-year transcripts no sooner than the week of January 18 as soon as transcripts are finalized.

If you have questions or need help, please contact your counselor directly.

College and Career Center News

NAVIGATING COLLEGE ADMISSION TESTING AMID THE TEST OPTIONAL MOVEMENT

If you are a student or parent that missed our presentation on this topic on December 8th, you may **access the recording here** to hear Joanne Lewis, Director of the PVHS College Career Center & Torsten Sannar of Compass Education Group in a candid discussion about testing in a test optional or test free college admissions environment.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES and DEADLINES:

JANUARY 6th - 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. For more information and to apply **CLICK HERE**

JANUARY 19th - COOLIDGE SCHOLARSHIP (full-ride for college) – **JUNIORS ONLY** who plan to enroll in college in the fall 2023. It can be used by recipients at any accredited U.S. college or university. The main criterion is academic merit. Additionally, it seeks those who are interested in public policy; demonstrate an awareness of the values of President Coolidge; display a sense of service and care for the well-being of others. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

JANUARY 28th – LA MILITARY CHARITABLE FUND (varies) - seniors only; must be a child of an active, retired service member or current or retired Dept. of Defense employee; awarded on academic performance, extracurricular activities, demonstrated leadership, and applicant's character. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

JANUARY 31st – SANDPIPERS SCHOLARSHIP (varies) - - seniors only; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0; demonstrate financial need; actively involved in community service; scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

FEBRUARY 1st - CA STATE PTA (\$500; \$1,000)) – seniors only; state competition; must be a member of PVHS PTSA in good standing; no minimum GPA; focuses on a student's volunteer service in the school and community. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

FEBRUARY 7th - ELK'S LEGACY AWARD (\$4,000 - \$1,000/yr over 4 yrs) – seniors only; any child/grandchild of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2019 is eligible to apply. Candidates who qualify are judged on knowledge, charity, community service and integrity. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

FEBRUARY 24th – MARY P. WYATT SCHOLARSHIP (\$854) – PVHS seniors only; min 3.0 GPA; demonstrates financial need; actively helps others. For more information and to apply, **CLICK HERE**

MARCH 1st – SONS OF ITALY SCHOLARSHIP (\$500 - \$5,000) – seniors only; must be wholly or partially of Italian Descent; selection based on scholastic record, activities evidencing leadership, financial need, written personal goals statement, essay of Italian Origin, and letters of recommendation. . For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

MARCH 3rd – PV PENINSULA LIONS CLUB (\$500 - \$1,000) - seniors only; consideration will be given to academic achievement (min. GPA of 3.0), service to others, leadership, financial need and a strong desire/plan for further education/professional focus. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

MARCH 10th – PERRAULT FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP (\$900) - - awarded to a senior soccer player, male or female, who has been a member of the PVHS Varsity Soccer Team during their senior year. Criteria includes leadership, commitment to the sport and academic achievement. Preference given to soccer players who have played defensive positions. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

MARCH 11th – NATIONAL CHARITY LEAGUE STRIVE SCHOLARSHIP (\$1,000 - \$3,000) – - seniors only; awarded based on financial need, academic performance, and extracurricular activities including community service. Scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

MARCH 15th – ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION FIRST YEAR SCHOLARSHIP (\$400 - \$2,500) – seniors only; must be of Italian ancestry and Roman Catholic; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.2; participation in extracurricular activities; financial need. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

APRIL 1st – SOUTH BAY JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZEN LEAGUE (Varies) – Scholarships are open to all students of Japanese American ancestry residing in the South Bay JACL Chapter area and a member of the JACL. Students are required to fill out only one application for the scholarships listed below. The committee will select the recipients for each of the scholarships based upon the requirements. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)

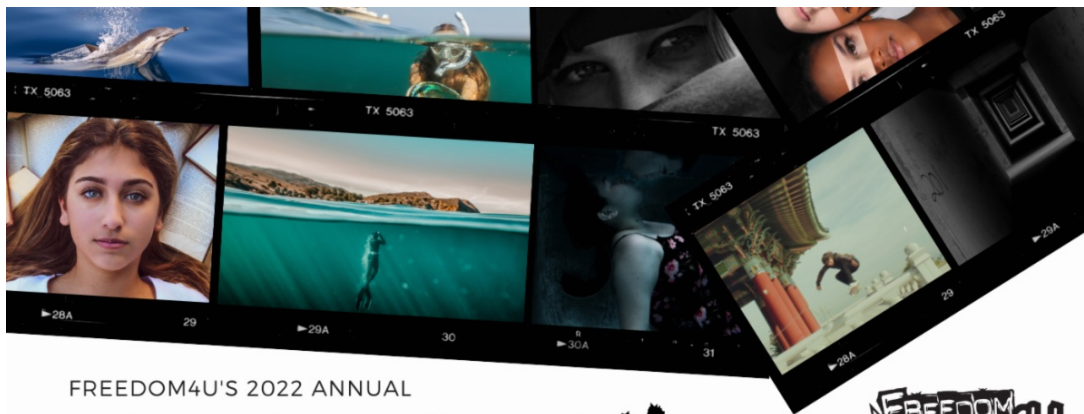
-Kiichi Egashira Memorial Scholarship - for students pursuing a bachelor's degree in physical and biological sciences, engineering/mathematics.

-Janice Kobata Zoeger Memorial Scholarship - for students in pursuit of a bachelor's in any field of study relating to biological sciences, foreign and/or ancient language or business.

-Ernest K. Tsujimoto Memorial Scholarship - for students in pursuit of an undergraduate degree majoring in the STEM fields

-Gardena Valley Japanese American Citizens League Scholarship - for students pursuing a bachelor's degree in any field of study

APRIL 15th – SUSAN PAVELKA SCHOLARSHIP FOR JOURNALISTIC EXCELLENCE (\$500) - for a college-bound senior who has participated and excelled in PVHS journalism. Candidates are eligible to apply after fulfilling a minimum of two consecutive years as a leader/writer in one or more of these journalism programs: yearbook, literary magazine, newspaper, podcast or broadcast news. For more information and to apply, [**CLICK HERE**](#)



FREEDOM4U'S 2022 ANNUAL

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST



OPEN TO ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS IN THE SOUTH BAY/HARBOR AREAS

Cash prizes, certificates, and Merchandise!

WHAT WILL YOU CREATE?

Enter at:

[Freedomcommunity.com/photographycontest](https://freedomcommunity.com/photographycontest)

Deadline: January 31, 2022

\$5 ENTRY FEE

Awarded by professional judges to 3 winners in these categories:

Reflection • Find Your Voice • Nature • People • Teen Life • Sports

Winning photos will be announced at a reception at the Hearts Respond Studio, date TBD

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PTSA Feedback

To provide feedback, please submit your questions/issues/suggestions here:

<https://www.memberplanet.com/s/pvhigh/pvhsptsasuggestionbox>

Why Advocate?

"Unless someone like you cares
a whole awful lot, Nothing is
going to get better. It's not."
- Dr. Seuss, The Lorax



PTSA is a student and child advocacy association. Its mission is to advocate on behalf of youth to improve student outcomes academically, socially and emotionally.

We want to hear from you! The PVHS PTSA promotes and encourages parent and student involvement in the process of identifying potential areas where the PTSA can help support and/or facilitate improving student outcomes (academically, socially, emotionally) at PVHS. We welcome hearing from you on issues / areas of suggestion that you are facing as a student and/or parent so that we may explore taking action to affect change for the student population at PVHS as a whole. To provide your feedback, please submit your questions/issues/suggestions

here: <https://www.memberplanet.com/s/pvhigh/pvhsptsasuggestionbox>

Any and all suggestions welcome!

SoCal ROC Updates

SoCal ROC Spring semester schedules are now available in the counseling office! Earn high school elective credits while learning valuable skills that prepare you for an entry-level career. Courses are after school and FREE for high school students! Your SoCal ROC career guidance specialist is available to answer any questions in the counseling office every Tuesday morning. Add your name to the sign up sheet in the counseling office to meet with her ASAP! **Click here for the Spring semester schedule.**

2019-2020 or 2020-2021 Yearbooks

If you forgot to pick up your yearbook from 2019-2020 or 2020-2021, please visit the Student Store.



2021-2022 MEAL SERVICE

The District is pleased to announce that FREE meal service will continue for the 2021-2022 school year! All students will be eligible to receive a free breakfast and lunch at school.



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

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