

Daily Bulletin: Wednesday, October 23, 2024

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Tue, Oct 22, 2024 at 3:30 PM



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**PSAT Adjusted A-Day schedule:**

- **Nutrition: 11:30-11:45 am**
- **Period 1: 11:45-12:45 pm** (5 min for announcements)
- **Lunch: 12:45-1:15 pm**
- **Period 2: 1:20-2:15 pm**
- **Period 3: 2:20-3:15 pm**

**Freshman and Seniors - arrival to school  
at 11:45am**

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**Attention Sea King Families:**

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**Buy your Girls Volleyball Playoff Tickets  
HERE on GO FAN!**

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## Mini Pumpkin Decorating Challenge:

Sea Kings, participate in the library's annual mini-pumpkin decorating challenge! Sign up in the library or at [bit.ly/PVminipumpkinsignup](http://bit.ly/PVminipumpkinsignup). No carving, just decorating. Mini-sized pumpkins only.

**All finished entries are due Friday, October 28.**

Enter your pumpkin under one of 5 Categories: Characters/Books, Scary, Pretty, PVHS/RED TIDE, and OVER-THE-TOP!

Decorate at home or use materials in the library. You can submit individually or with friends! The first 10 participants get a free mini pumpkin upon request!

ALL Sea Kings are invited to vote on their favorites Oct. 28- Oct. 30





**CAPITOL CONVOY 2025**  
**Information Meeting**

**Tuesday, Oct 29 @ Lunch**  
**Kings Corner (free pizza)**

Learn about this unique advocacy program offering PVHS students an opportunity to visit the California State Capitol in Sacramento and meet with legislators and advocate for our schools and community.

**Questions?**

**Contact your PTSA Legislation Representatives:**

**Ms. Gayley Louie:** [gaylelouie@gmail.com](mailto:gaylelouie@gmail.com)

**Ms. Julie Hickman:** [Jjhickman3@gmail.com](mailto:Jjhickman3@gmail.com)

**Or Associate Principal, Dr. Kyle Garrity:** [garrityk@pvpusd.net](mailto:garrityk@pvpusd.net)

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# AVID PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Saturday, October 26th  
PVHS Covered Lunch Area  
9-10:30 am  
\$10



## Dual Enrollment Information Sessions

Are you ready to get a head start on your college education?



Dual enrollment allows you to take college courses while still in high school, earning both high school and college credits!



Learn more on Tuesday @ Lunch in ROOM 322!!



CALLING ALL PVHS  
GRADUATING SENIORS



for Montemalaga Graduate Picture  
for PVHS Yearbook

**Sunday, October 27, 2024 @ 4:30 pm**  
**Montemalaga Library Steps**

Wear your PVHS gear.

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**SENIORS/SENIOR PARENTS:**

All senior photos must be taken before December 20th.

Senior Ads are due by November 4th. All Senior Dedication Ads will be created directly through Jostens for the 24-25 school year and must be completed by November 4, 2024. DO NOT SEND MATERIALS TO THE SCHOOL OR ADVISOR.

PVHS Ads at Jostens' link: <https://www.jostens.com/apps/jcom/router.mvc?affiliateId=1319072> or Jostens' website and select Palos Verdes High School: [www.jostensadservice.com](http://www.jostensadservice.com). Customer service: 1-800-358-0800

**Senior Yearbook Info Packet** must be completed to add the information under your photo in the Senior Section of the yearbook. This **MUST BE COMPLETED BY NOVEMBER 4TH.**

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COUNSELING  
*Department*

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**Counseling Office Announcements and Important Dates:**

**Class of 2025 Senior Packet Deadlines:**

- **All Other Application deadlines** must submit their Senior Packets to their counselor's box by **Friday, November 1, 2024.**
  - This is important for students who are requesting a counselor letter of recommendation to ensure their counselor can write a letter of recommendation on time.
- Seniors who are not applying to a two-year or four-year college and have other plans after high school, please complete the **Future Plans Document** enclosed in your Senior Packet and submit this along with a resume to your counselor's box.
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**November 1: Last day to drop a class with a "W".** November 1 will be the last day to withdraw from a class with a "W" for withdrawal on your transcript. It is recommended that students speak with their teacher to discuss any questions or concerns about their performance class, as well as seek the support of their counselor for improvement strategies. Please see your counselor if you wish to discuss a withdrawal and understand more about this. If a withdraw occurs after the November 1 deadline, an "F" will be recorded on the transcript regardless of the academic grade.

**College Application Drop-Ins in King's Corner**

PVHS Counselors will be offering **College Application Drop-Ins** for seniors completing the Common App, UC App and Cal State Apply. We are proud to support our Sea King Seniors with any questions they may have! Please Come if you need help on any portion of your applications. ***These dates are informal drop-in sessions which we hope as a counseling team will alleviate some of the stress of college applications.***

Workshops will be held on Mondays at lunch (12:45-1:15) and Wednesdays during the late-start morning before school (8:30-10:00)

**Mondays:** October 7, 14, 21, 28

**Wednesdays:** October. 2, 9, 16, 23\*, 30

Workshops will be held in King's Corner - Drop in!

- Note: **October 23** Workshop will be held in the Counseling Office



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2024

**COLLEGE TEST DAY Schedule – by grade level**

**\*\*\*THERE WILL BE NO ZERO PERIOD ON THIS DAY\*\*\***

Any student not participating in the grade level programming should report to school for an 11:45 start time of the Adjusted A-Day Schedule

**9<sup>th</sup> grade schedule - *Class of 2028***

***Students report for an Adjusted A-DAY Schedule as follows:***

Nutrition Break 11:30 - 11:45 am

1st Period 11:45 - 12:45 (55 minutes + 5 for announcements)

Lunch 12:45 - 1:15 (30 minutes)

2<sup>nd</sup> Period 1:20 - 2:15 (55 minutes)

3<sup>rd</sup> Period 2:20 - 3:15 (55 minutes)

**10<sup>th</sup> grade schedule: Practice Digital PSAT - *Class of 2027***

**Sophomores who registered to take the practice test should report to their assigned classrooms by 8:15am (assigned classrooms TBA)**

8:15 – 8:30 am Check-in and report to assigned classroom (Rooms TBA)

8:30 -11:30 am Time allowed to complete the test

*Students will then continue with the Adjusted A-DAY Schedule as follows:*

Nutrition Break 11:30 - 11:45 am

1st Period 11:45 - 12:45 (55 minutes + 5 for announcements)

Lunch 12:45 - 1:15 (30 minutes)

2<sup>nd</sup> Period 1:20 - 2:15 (55 minutes)

3<sup>rd</sup> Period 2:20 - 3:15 (55 minutes)

**11<sup>th</sup> grade schedule: PSAT/NMSQT – *Class of 2026***



**Juniors should report to their assigned classrooms by 8:15 am**

8:00 – 8:15 am Check-in and report to assigned classroom (Rooms TBA)

8:30 – 11:30 am Time allowed to complete the test

*Students will then continue with the Adjusted A-DAY Schedule as follows:*

**Nutrition Break 11:30 - 11:45 am**

**1st Period 11:45 - 12:45** (55 minutes + 5 for announcements)

**Lunch 12:45 - 1:15** (30 minutes)

**2nd Period 1:20 - 2:15** (55 minutes)

**3rd Period 2:20 - 3:15** (55 minutes)

**12<sup>th</sup> grade schedule - Class of 2025**

***Students report for an Adjusted A-DAY Schedule as follows:***

**Nutrition Break 11:30 - 11:45 am**

**1st Period 11:45 - 12:45** (55 minutes + 5 for announcements)

**Lunch 12:45 - 1:15** (30 minutes)

**2nd Period 1:20 - 2:15** (55 minutes)

**3rd Period 2:20 - 3:15** (55 minutes)

**COLLEGE REP VISITS FOR COLLEGE WEEK OF 10/21-25**

Sign-up for Rep Visits in SchoolLinks under School Events. Students must obtain teacher permission prior to the visit. All visits are in the College and Career Center, Room 318, unless otherwise noted.

**Thursday, October 24**

- 8:50 am – St. Mary’s College of California
- 12:30 pm - University of California, Davis
- 1:30 pm – SUNY at Binghamton

**OUTSIDE OPPORTUNITIES**

**STUDENT SPEAKERS CONTEST** is sponsored by the PV Lions Club and contestants have the possibility of winning a total of \$21,000! The topic for this year’s speech contest is "Al: Friend or Foe?" It is open to high school students, grades 9-12 and involves several rounds. If interested in participating, there will be an informational meeting at lunchtime on Tuesday, October 22, in the College and Career Center, Room 318. Perry Lynn of the Lions Club will be here to discuss the contest in more detail and answer any questions that you may have.

**LOS SERENOS DE POINT VICENTE JUNIOR DOCENTS PROGRAM** is open to local high school students. The program is designed to complement the existing educational and support activities including museum tours, hikes support, whale wagon duty and special event participation. If you are interested in becoming a Junior Docent, learn more about the program and how to apply [HERE](#). Applications are accepted until December 15; it is best to apply early as positions fill up quickly.

**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES and DEADLINES:**

- **NOVEMBER 12 - ELKS CLUB MVS FOUNDATION** (up to \$50,000) – seniors only; local/district/state/national competition; applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, community service, and financial need. Large emphasis on academics. To apply, log onto <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm>



**Thank you for your interest in Palos Verdes Baseball**

**We will be holding baseball tryouts for our program on Tuesday, November 5, through Friday, November 8, holding Saturday, November 9, in case of any issues (weather-related or otherwise). Tryouts will be after school out on the baseball field.**

**We have allowed a slot of 3:30pm to 5:30pm but do not plan to use the full two-hours every day.**

**If you are not able to attend the tryouts because of travel and/or injury, please contact me in advance to let me know you won't be able to tryout. My classroom is Room 309.**

**If you are a fall athlete and competing on the varsity level after November 5th, do not tryout for baseball until the current fall season officially concludes.**

**If you're a winter athlete, you have two choices:**

- 1) Arrange with your winter sport coach to try out for baseball**
- 2) Tryout at the end of the winter sport season, in early February.**

**Reminders:**

**Dress to play the game of baseball—hat, pants, with all equipment, including a glove, bat, and position-specific equipment.**

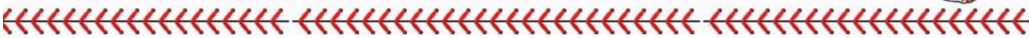
**Expect to throw, hit, run, and pitch (if you're a pitcher).**

**Those who make the team should expect to have practices and games over Spring Break.**

**Good luck and let me know if you have any questions.**



**Thank you,  
Coach Alex Morales**



**We Are Sea King  
Family!**  
*pvhs ptsa*



# PVHS PTSA MEETINGS

*Meeting Topics & Activities*  
All Meetings to Occur at 9 am in the PVHS MPR

**September 24, 2024**

**Celebrating our District & PVHS!**

Guest Speaker: Dr. Devin Serrano,  
PVPUSD Superintendent  
District & PVHS Academic Highlights  
Student Involvement on Campus  
Club Rush, Honor Societies &  
PVHS Library Services

**February 25, 2025**

**Research & Engineering @ PVHS**

PVIT  
Science Pathways & Research @ PVHS  
AP Research & Capstone  
PVHS Library & Research

**October 22, 2024**

**Student Mental Health @ PVHS**

Guest Speaker:  
Kathi Colli, Sage Therapy  
Sage Counseling Services at PVHS

**March 25, 2025**

**Leadership @ PVHS**

ASB  
Red Tide  
Be the Change  
PVPUSD Board Member &  
Student Council

**November 19, 2024**

**Civic Engagement @ PVHS**

Capitol Convoy  
Model United Nations  
Mock Trial Highlights  
Seal of Civic Engagement

**April 29, 2025**

**Arts Engagement @ PVHS**

Music Department Performance  
Live from 205 Overview  
Drama Department Overview  
Arts Programming & Course Overview

**January 28, 2025**

**College Readiness @ PVHS**

College & Career Center  
Counseling Department, Course  
Scheduling, AP vs. Honors vs. Dual  
Enrollment, Student Scholarships

**Can't Make It?**

**Participate Virtually**

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?pwd=SBjnWm46A2OdTdmMpq6FbCHNBDTmO.1)  
[pwd=SBjnWm46A2OdTdmMpq6FbCHNBDTmO.1](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?pwd=SBjnWm46A2OdTdmMpq6FbCHNBDTmO.1)

*All are Welcome to Listen,  
Participate & Learn!*

**ARE YOU READY FOR IT?**



*We Are Sea King  
Family!*  
plus plus



Wondering WHAT to give your Sea King  
this holiday season?!?



**LIMITED EDITION red Sea Kings SWEATSHIRT!**

**\$50**

Available online **ONLY** thru November 30th  
(we'll call you to arrange pick-up)  
at the Sea King Spirit Wear store, your gift giving solution!

**[LINK HERE](#)**





## ANNOUNCING **A PARKING SPOT RAFFLE!**

Your CHANCE to make a SEA KING  
VERY HAPPY this HOLIDAY SEASON!

**Tickets \$25 each / 5 for \$100**

Lucky Winner receives a spot in the PVHS Main Lot  
marked by a sign with their name!



See link below to purchase tickets thru November 30

Winner announced December 6 - Parking begins January 6

Proceeds benefit PVHS Booster Club  
Supporting Academics Arts & Athletics

**[RAFFLE ENTRY HERE!](#)**

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attendance  
**MATTERS**

### **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](mailto:kastelan@pvpusd.net)

The A/B Calendar can be found on the PVHS website in case of any discrepancies.  
Please click on the link here: [A/B Cal & Bells](#)

## Be a Youth Volunteer with PVYBL



Make a difference in the lives of 1,500 kids while earning volunteer hours!

Season from **December 7, 2024 to February 16, 2025**

Mandatory training on **Sunday, October 27, 2024**

Visit [PVYBL.com](http://PVYBL.com) for details



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**Diwali**  
Lunada Bay's Festival of Lights

Saturday, November 2  
5-8 PM  
Lunada Bay Park  
2201 Palos Verdes Dr W, Palos Verdes Estates

Tickets include delicious catered Indian food,  
a lively Bollywood DJ, and much more!  
BYOB 🍷🍹🍺

Tickets:

- \$20 / Ages 10 and up
- \$10 / Ages 5-10.
- Kids under 5 are free

No ticket sales at the event / no walk-ins.

Zelle or Venmo to Shikha: 310-961-6314

Dress: Wear your festive best - sequins, sparkles, traditional attire, or anything that makes you shine for Diwali!

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