

Daily Bulletin: Wednesday, January 29, 2025

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Tue, Jan 28, 2025 at 3:30 PM



**Daily Bulletin:**  
**Wednesday, January 29, 2025**

9:20 – 10:05 Zero Period  
10:10 – 11:35 Period 1  
11:35 – 11:40 Nutrition  
11:45 – 1:15 Period 2  
1:15 – 1:45 Lunch  
1:50 – 3:15 Period 3

attendance  
**MATTERS**

## **ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES:**

Parents / guardians should notify the Attendance Office within 72 hours to clear a student's absence. In order to report an absence please fill out the 24-25 Absence reporting form [HERE](#).

Should you have any questions or encounter any issues 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](#)



### ***Winter Formal 2025 “007”***

PVHS ASB is thrilled to host Winter Formal 2025, “007”  
February 8, 2025 from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.  
Ovation Square, [350 Pine Ave, Long Beach, CA 90802](#)

### **DANCE TICKET INFORMATION:**

Tickets are on sale in the Student Store for Winter Formal.  
Ticket prices include food, beverages, a dessert bar, DJ and dancing, and other activities.

**Pricing from January 23-29:**

Check or Cash is \$115.00 with ASB, \$125.00 w/o ASB or Guest  
GO Fan (credit card price) is \$121.75 with ASB, \$132.25 w/o or Guest

**Pricing from January 30-February 6:**

Check or Cash is \$125.00 with ASB, \$135.00 w/o ASB or Guest  
GO Fan (credit card price) is \$132.25 with ASB, \$142.75 w/o or Guest

This dance is a Semi-Formal, dates optional dance party!  
Come with a date.  
Come with friends.  
Come and have fun!

*Paper tickets are not needed for entry to the dance,  
but you must bring your school ID.*

*Doors open at 7:00 pm. All students must enter the dance by 8:00 pm.*

*All students are REQUIRED to remain at the dance until 9:30 pm.*

*No early exit is permitted.*

**For additional dance information including required forms, dance rules, and guest pass applications, please click [HERE](#).**

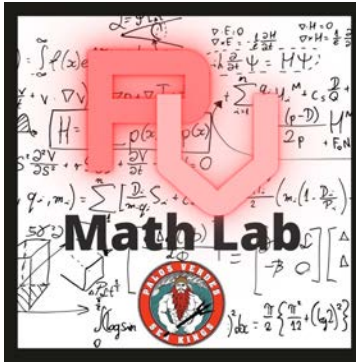


**CSF Spring Membership Drive is now open and runs through Wednesday, February 5**

Applications are available online at [LINK HERE](#) Room 316, or the library. Completed applications and \$20 check or cash may be dropped off during school hours in the library or Room 316. No late applications will be accepted. All details are included on the application. All members **MUST** reapply each semester. Freshmen are now eligible.

Not sure if you are eligible? List is posted online, outside Room 316, and the library.

Any questions? See Ms. Klabe in Room 316 or email [klabea@pvpusd.net](mailto:klabea@pvpusd.net)



**Math Lab** is Free Peer Math Tutoring during lunch.

**Who can attend?** Any student can attend Math Lab! Math Lab provides drop-in tutoring, and students can bring homework, study guides, or any other materials they want to work with a tutor one-on-one. Once a student comes in the door, one of the staff gets them partnered with an appropriate tutor.

**Who are the tutors?** Math Lab Tutors apply and are selected from high level math classes, including AP Calculus BC, AP Calculus BC, AP Statistics, and PreCalculus Honors. Once selected, each tutor must attend at least 70% of Math Labs sessions at lunch. If they do, they are able to add "Peer Tutor" to their transcript.

**Other benefits are there from Math Lab?** All non-honors/AP math teachers, are offering one 1 extra credit point for every Math Lab attended. These classes are listed below:

- Algebra 1
- Geometry
- Algebra 2
- Pre Calc
- Pre Calc with Limits
- Statistics

## Introducing... Spanish Lab!

This semester, PVHS is proud to offer more support for our students in Spanish! Based on the same model as Math Lab, students can receive free drop-in tutoring at lunch!

**How does it work?** Any student can attend Spanish Lab! Students looking to be tutored in Spanish can bring homework,

study guides, or any other materials they want to work with a tutor one-on-one. Once a student comes in the door, one of the staff gets them partnered with an appropriate tutor.

**Who are the tutors?** Spanish Lab Tutors apply and are selected from high level Spanish classes, including Spanish AP Language, Spanish AP Literature, Spanish 4 and Spanish 5. Once selected, each tutor must attend at least 70% of Spanish Labs sessions at lunch. If they do, they are able to add "Peer Tutor" to their transcript.

**Other benefits are there from Spanish Lab?** All Spanish 1 and Spanish 2 teachers, are offering one 1 extra credit point for every Spanish Lab attended.



**Adult Judges Needed for the 2025 HIGH SCHOOL Palos Verdes Peninsula Science and Engineering Fair (PVPSEF)!**

**\*Fair date and location: February 6th from 8am-1pm at Los Verdes Golf Club (breakfast and lunch provided for all judges)**

**No prior science fair judging experience needed—we only ask for your willingness to listen to our amazing high school researchers share their projects with you. We have experienced section chair judges for each category who will help guide you through the scoring and judging process.**

**Please use the link below to sign-up as soon as possible!**

***Link HERE!***

**Reach out to Becky Egan [eganr@pvpusd.net](mailto:eganr@pvpusd.net) with any questions regarding the fair.**

have you bought your

# YEARBOOK

reserve your book if you  
order by **march 1st**



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Interested in public policy, social justice,  
and/or government?

Juniors and seniors are eligible to apply to  
the **Asian Pacific Youth Leadership Project**  
by Monday, January 20th!



“The 2025 APYLP conference will be in  
person from Thursday, April 10, 2025 to  
Sunday, April 13, 2025, in Sacramento, CA.  
All conference costs are covered for  
accepted applicants.” ([apylp.net](http://apylp.net))

**Please visit [apylp.net](http://apylp.net) for more program  
information and access to the application.**

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# DO GOOD WITH CHIPOTLE



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25% OF EVENT SALES GET DONATED TO THE CAUSE

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ORDER ONLINE FOR PICKUP USING CODE **HMFRTXY**  
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For online orders to count toward the fundraiser, they must be placed for pickup only from the restaurant location of, and during the hours of, the fundraiser. Delivery orders and gift cards do not qualify. \$150 minimum event sales required to receive any donation.





COUNSELING

**Attention Senior Class of 2025:** As you may begin to hear from colleges you've applied to or been accepted to, these schools may be requesting your **Mid-Year Transcript**, also known as your 7<sup>th</sup> Semester Transcript. These are your grades from this past fall 2024 semester. You will need to order these on Scribbles and may find the link [here](#).

Your counselor will begin to send these once transcripts have been reviewed.

Not sure if you need to have a mid-year transcript sent? Check your application portals and emails. Do not miss this important information.

Come see your counselor with any questions you may have or for any help you may need. We are here to support you on your college journey!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1/6 - A	1/7 - B	1/8 - LSA	1/9 - B	1/10 - A Last Day for Schedule Change
1/13 - B	1/14 - A	1/15 - LSB	1/16 - A Explore Electives Day	1/17 - B
1/20 No School	1/21 - A	1/22 - LSB Course Selection Presentation - 8:30AM in MPR - 6:00PM Webinar	1/23 - A Aeries Window Opens	1/24 - B
1/27 - A	1/28 - B	1/29 - LSA	1/30 - B	1/31 - A
2/3	2/4	2/5	2/6 Aeries Window Closes Sophomore Counseling Parent Presentation - 9AM in MPR - 6:00PM Webinar	2/7 Scheduling Sheet Due to Counseling Office

## Happy 2025 Sea Kings!

Don't miss the latest edition of **Counseling Can't Miss of the Month** for **January**!

### [Counseling Can't Miss VIDEO LINK](#)

Counseling Can't Miss videos feature Mr. Hill and a counselor detailing the can't miss events of the month for both students and families.

In this edition, Mr. Hill and Mrs. Smith highlight:

#### **Course Selection for the 2025-2026 School Year**

All current PVHS families will soon receive in the mail information regarding Course Selection for the 2025-2026 School Year. This information will include a letter entailing your student's next course in sequence, instructions, and a Scheduling Worksheet. Please note these important dates:

- **January 23-February 6: Aeries Student Portal is open for students to input their course requests**
- **February 7: Students must turn in their Scheduling Worksheet to the Counseling Office**
- **Students will meet with their counselor to discuss their course requests on the following dates during English class:**
  - February 10, 11, & 13: Current Juniors
  - February 18-21: Current Freshmen
  - March 17, 19, & 20 Current Sophomores

#### **Class of 2027 Sophomore Counseling**

As your student will be entering junior year next year, they are reaching the halfway point in their education at PVHS! The PVHS Counseling Department

feels this is the perfect time to meet with our students and their parents/guardians to review high school graduation requirements and postsecondary options, and plan out the next two years of your student's course schedule to fit the needs and aspirations of your student. Given this, we would like to invite all of our sophomore families to schedule a time to meet individually with your student's counselor to participate in a 15-minute meeting, to discuss your student's four-year plan, postsecondary options, introduction to college and career planning, as well as answer any questions your family may have.

**Sophomore Counseling begins by attending a Sophomore Family Presentation on February 6, 2025.** On this date, we will be giving an in-person presentation in the morning(9:00am) in the MPR and evening Webinar presentation(6:00pm) that covers the same material. Following the evening presentation, a link will be posted for you to schedule a meeting with your student's counselor.

We look forward to seeing you at 9am in the PVHS MPR or 6pm via Webinar (**registration required [here](#)**).



**JANUARY 29th @ 6:30pm - 9pm: 2025 COLLEGE FAIR AT PVPHS**

The PENINSULA HIGH SCHOOL College Fair is an event that brings admissions officers from various colleges and universities to the Peninsula High gym to meet with and answer questions from students and parents. PVHS students are welcome to attend.

**REGISTER TO ATTEND**

Registration is not mandatory; students are encouraged to register at:  
[www.StriveFair.com](http://www.StriveFair.com)

Every attendee who registers at StriveScan will receive a unique barcode. During the fair, show your barcode to colleges who scan it to send you more information about their schools. The day after the fair, you will receive a report with information on the colleges with whom you connected. The information will include contact information so you can reach out to the rep directly.

**SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES and DEADLINES:**

**FEBRUARY 5 - ELK'S LEGACY AWARD (\$4,000)** – seniors only; any child/grandchild of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2022 is eligible to apply. Candidates who qualify are judged on knowledge, charity, community service, and integrity.

**OUTSIDE OPPORTUNITIES:**



# Girls in Science Fellowship

**BUILD CONFIDENCE IN STEAM!**

This fellowship seeks to promote diversity by introducing young women to a wide range of careers in STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics).



## Who is Eligible?

- Current high school sophomores and juniors.
- Students who live in and attend school in California.
- Excited to learn about STEAM and eager to collaborate with a diverse team of students and scientists on scientific research
- Available to participate in an expedition during July or August 2025

## LEARN MORE AT THE INFORMATION SESSION

Join our Zoom Information Session on Wednesday, February 5, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. PST.

[Please register for the information session here.](#)

Email Earthwatch at [gis@earthwatch.org](mailto:gis@earthwatch.org) with any questions!



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**We Are Sea King Family!**  
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# 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 &  
Spring Musical Performance**

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=SBjnWmAA2OdTdmMpq6IbCHNBDmO.1)  
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*All are Welcome to Listen,  
Participate & Learn!*

**ARE YOU READY FOR IT?**



*We Are Sea King  
Family!*  
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WINTER FORMAL 2025  
"JAMES BOND 007" FEBRUARY 8TH



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our Sea Kings. Great stocking stuffers.

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All proceeds will go directly to our school. We only  
have 900 so when they're gone, they're gone.

2024-25 Reflections Winner for the 33<sup>rd</sup> District PTA:  
Congratulations Lauren Kim for advancing to compete in the  
California State PTA Reflections! Results will be available on April 1.

## Accepting Imperfection

### 33<sup>rd</sup> District Winners

#### PHOTOGRAPHY

- 2** *Award of Merit*  
High School Division  
Leyla Pezhman - PVHS (9th grade)

#### FILM PRODUCTION

- 1** *Award of Excellence*  
Primary Division  
Sophie Peterson - Silver Spur (2nd grade)  
High School Division  
Lauren Kim - PVHS (11th grade)
- 2** *Award of Merit*  
Intermediate Division  
Alexa Kao - Vista Grande (3rd grade)  
Middle School Division  
Nicholas Terry - Miraleste (8th grade)

*District Reception on Saturday, March 1st at Redondo Union High*



# HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER SCHOOL

Session 1: June 16-July 3

Session 2: July 7-July 24



- Online Courses - Asynchronous with virtual support provided
- Onsite Courses & Workshops - Peninsula High School
- Onsite history courses are now completed in only four weeks, June 16-July 10

**Check out our new 3 week workshops (one semester; 2 to 3 hours per day):**

- College Application Prep
- College Application Prep Jr.
- SAT Prep
- Algebra Prep
- Surgery 101

**REGISTRATION  
OPENS  
JAN 29**

**FOR MORE INFO, GO TO THE SUMMER  
HIGH SCHOOL TAB AT [PVPSS.COM](http://PVPSS.COM).**

PEF summer programs are not endorsed, favored, sponsored or supported by the Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District (PVPUSD) or any school or program thereof. Participation in PEF programs is not related to, is not a requirement of, nor is a prerequisite to participation in any PVPUSD class, sport program or team.





# JOIN OUR FAMILY

WE'D LOVE TO HAVE YOU JOIN THE PTSA!  
MEMBERS RECEIVE EXCLUSIVE ACCESS TO OUR  
SCHOOL DIRECTORY.



Teachers scan here



Students and parents scan here





# The 12th Annual Staff & Community Partners Awards

"Empowering Learners Through  
Collaboration & Inclusion."

**FEBRUARY 27, 2025**

RECEPTION: 4:30PM | CEREMONY: 5:30PM

NORTH HIGH SCHOOL  
PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

3620 W 182nd St, Torrance, CA 90504  
(located on Yukon Ave.)

Nominate outstanding candidates  
at the link below

<https://bit.ly/CACawardNomination>

**NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON**

**▶ JANUARY 13, 2025, AT 5PM. ◀**

[www.swselpa.org](http://www.swselpa.org)

**[Nomination Link](https://bit.ly/CACawardNomination)**



PVPUSD invites you to



# MENTAL HEALTH MATTERS

PARENT EDUCATION EVENT

Join us for an important webinar on suicide prevention, designed specifically for parents of middle and high school students. Learn effective strategies for communicating with your child and their friends when they share concerning information. Together, we can create a supportive environment that fosters open dialogue and ensures the wellness of our youth.



Thursday, January 23rd, 6:30pm  
Register here for zoom link



PENINSULA  
EDUCATION  
FOUNDATION

2025

# SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS



Peninsula Education Foundation will award two \$1,500 scholarships to students in the graduation class of 2025 who are continuing their education at the post-secondary level. Applicants must be currently enrolled in the Palos Verde Peninsula Unified School District and maintained enrollment for two years prior to graduation. Only online applications will be accepted. The application and more detailed information can be found at [pvpef.org](http://pvpef.org) under "What We Do - Senior Scholarships" or at [bit.ly/4gEOo0s](https://bit.ly/4gEOo0s).

**Application Deadline is March 23, 2025**



# 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** for details



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# CHALLENGERS BASKETBALL

## Starting Sunday 5 January 2025

Seven Week Program

Every Sunday 5 January thru 16 February

1:00 - 2:00 except 2/2 when we'll play 4:15 - 5:15

Peninsula High School Kelly Field House Gym

Except for cars with handicapped parking, street parking ~~only~~ please.

*DO NOT PARK in Farmers' Market.*

### SUNDAY

### TIME

5 January *	1:00 - 2:00
12 January	1:00 - 2:00
19 January	1:00 - 2:00
26 January	1:00 - 2:00
2 February	4:15 - 5:15
9 February	1:00 - 2:00
16 February <small>Super Bowl</small>	1:00 - 2:00

\* Training for NEW VOLUNTEERS 12:40 - 1:00

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Palos Verdes High School | Website



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