



ATTENDANCE PROCEDURES:

Parents/guardians must notify the Attendance Office within 72 hours to clear a student's absence. Report all absences, early releases, and appointments using the **[Google Form](#)**.

Please note that the form must be submitted using the parent/guardian email address registered in Aeries (parents will get a confirmation email).

Students may not submit the form unless they are 18 years old.
You may contact our attendance clerk by email for any questions:

Lisa Kastelan: 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](#)

Daily Bulletin:

Friday, September 11th, 2026

7:30 - 8:25 Zero Period

8:30 - 10:25 Period 1

10:25 - 10:35 Nutrition

10:40 - 12:45 Period 2

12:45 - 1:15 Lunch

1:20 - 3:15 Period 3

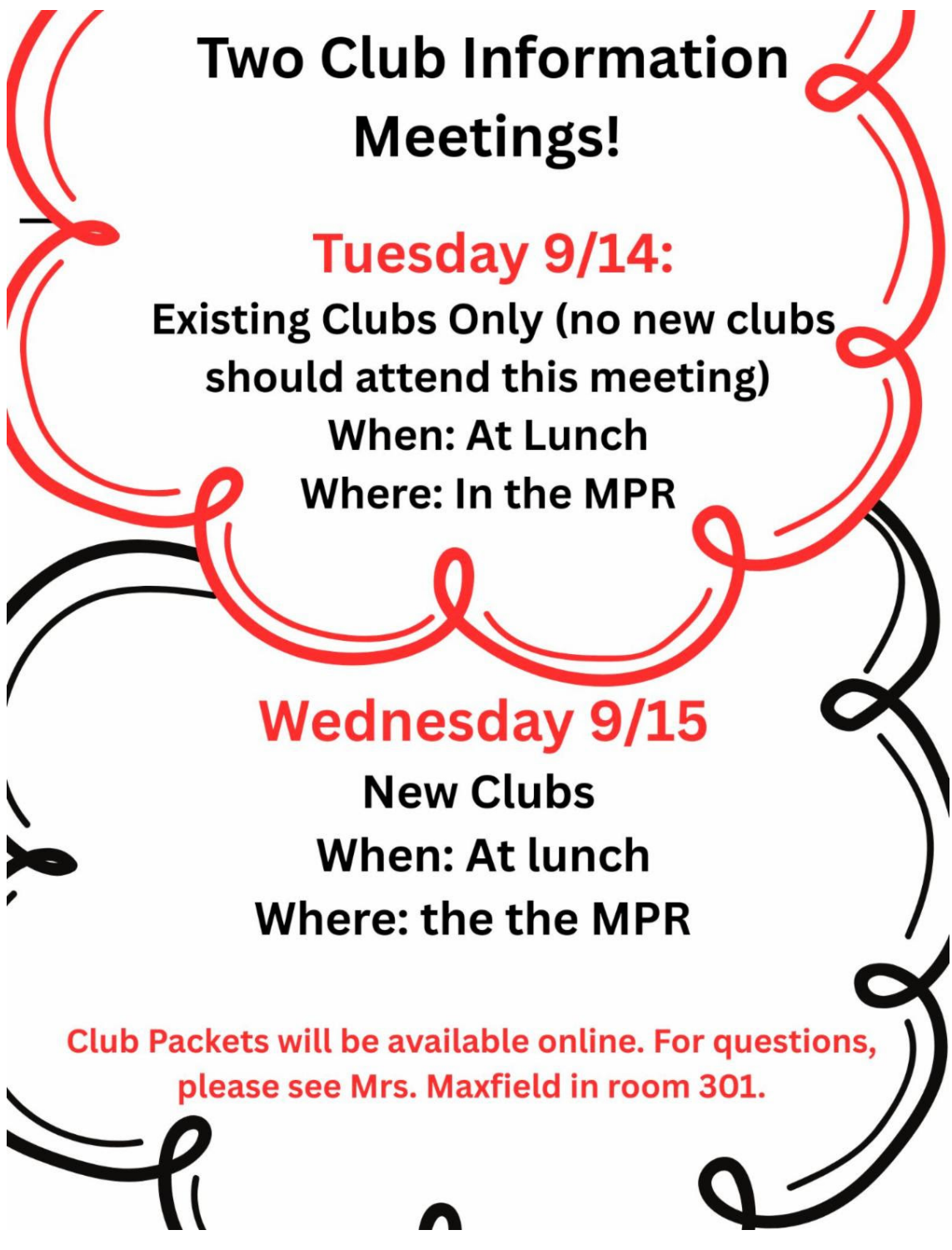




save the date!

*JOIN US FOR
BACK TO SCHOOL
NIGHT!*

September 24, 2026
6:00 pm
PVHS



Two Club Information Meetings!

Tuesday 9/14:

Existing Clubs Only (no new clubs should attend this meeting)

When: At Lunch

Where: In the MPR

Wednesday 9/15

New Clubs

When: At lunch

Where: the the MPR

Club Packets will be available online. For questions, please see Mrs. Maxfield in room 301.

Parents, there is no student drop-off allowed near the main office or Library; please only use the drop-off area highlighted below.



COUNSELING

COLLEGE REP VISITS

WEEK OF Sept 7th

MONDAY

0-0-0

Labor Day – No School

TUESDAY

0-0-0

- 11:00am – Scripps College
- 1:30pm – University of Illinois
- 2:15pm – Syracuse University

WEDNESDAY

0-0-0

- 9:30am – Gonzaga University
- 10:15am – Texas Christian University
- 11:00am – University of Tennessee
- 12:00pm – University of Utah
- 12:45pm – University of Wisconsin
- 2:00pm – Belmont University

THURSDAY

0-0-0

- 11:00am – Southern Methodist University
- 11:45am – Willamette University
- 1:30pm – University of Arizona

FRIDAY

0-0-0

- 9:00am – University of Tampa
- 9:45am – University of San Francisco
- 11:00am – Pitzer College
- 1:30pm – University of Miami

See You in the CCC!

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COLLEGE CAREER CENTER

REP VISITS

Class of 2027 and 2028

College Rep Visits start Sept 8

See directions below to register!

New visits being added all the time so don't forget to keep checking Maia Learning!

COLLEGE REP VISITS

WEEK OF Sept. 14

MONDAY

0-0-0

- Monday Mini Fair @ Lunch in Sea King Park
- Cal Baptist
- Loyola Chicago
- Northern Michigan

TUESDAY

0-0-0

- 9:00am – Boston University
- 9:45am – University of Minnesota
- 11:00am – Dartmouth College
- 11:45am – Baylor University
- 1:30pm – University of Colorado

WEDNESDAY

0-0-0

- 9:30am – Binghamton University
- 10:15am – Seton Hall
- 12:45pm – University of Alabama

THURSDAY

0-0-0

- 9:00am – High Point University
- 9:45am – Tufts University
- 11:45am – University of Iowa

FRIDAY

0-0-0

- 9:00am – The Ohio State University

See You in the CCC!

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COLLEGE CAREER CENTER

College Rep Visits:

Classes of 2027 and 2028 do not miss the amazing opportunity to come to College Rep Visits. College Rep Visits are open to Seniors and Juniors and offer a 30-minute info session with visiting colleges. Rep Visits start on September 8th. The list of schools grows daily, so be sure to check Maia Learning often for updates!

HOW TO SIGN UP FOR VISITS

IMPORTANT - 2 STEP PROCESS



STEP 1

REGISTER IN MAIA LEARNING

- ✓ Log into your Maia Learning account
- ✓ Go to the Events Tab – select “Visits”
- ✓ Find the desired visit you want to attend
- ✓ Click “Attend” or “View” under the “Actions” column to sign up
- ✓ Get your teacher permission slip signed and put your visit in your calendar
- ✓ If you can't attend a visit, you must inform the CCC by canceling your visit on Maia Learning or telling Mrs. Nelson. Advance notice is needed if you book a space and no longer can use it.



STEP 2

TEACHER PERMISSION

- ✓ Teacher permission is necessary to attend a Rep Visit and miss class
- ✓ Pick up a Rep Visit Slip in the CCC and fill it out
- ✓ Take the slip to your teacher to ask them for permission to miss class to attend.
Please ask at least 24 hours in advance.
- ✓ Have your teacher sign the slip to give you permission
- ✓ Bring the slip with you – this is your ticket in the door for the visit.
- ✓ Once the visit is over, Mrs Nelson will sign your slip and you will bring it back to your teacher to validate that you were in the visit.

CCC PVHS
COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER

College Rep Visit Request

Student Name _____ Today's Date _____

College/University _____

Date of Visit _____ Time _____

Teacher Name _____ Period _____

Teacher Signature _____

CCC Signature _____



POLICIES



ATTENDANCE

Students must first go to class to check in for attendance in the period **BEFORE** arriving at the CCC for the visit.



ACADEMIC RESPONSIBILITY

Attending a Rep Visit doesn't excuse you from your required work, tests or quizzes. Students – plan ahead and discuss with your teachers alternative plans if needed.



CAN'T ATTEND? YOU MUST CANCEL.

If you sign up for a Rep Visit and can no longer attend, you **MUST** cancel your registration in Maia Learning at least

24 HOURS IN ADVANCE.

WHY THIS MATTERS:

We provide college representatives with attendance numbers so they can prepare for their visit.

**ACCURATE NUMBERS ARE
EXTREMELY IMPORTANT.**

*Please do not hold a spot
you are not going to use.*



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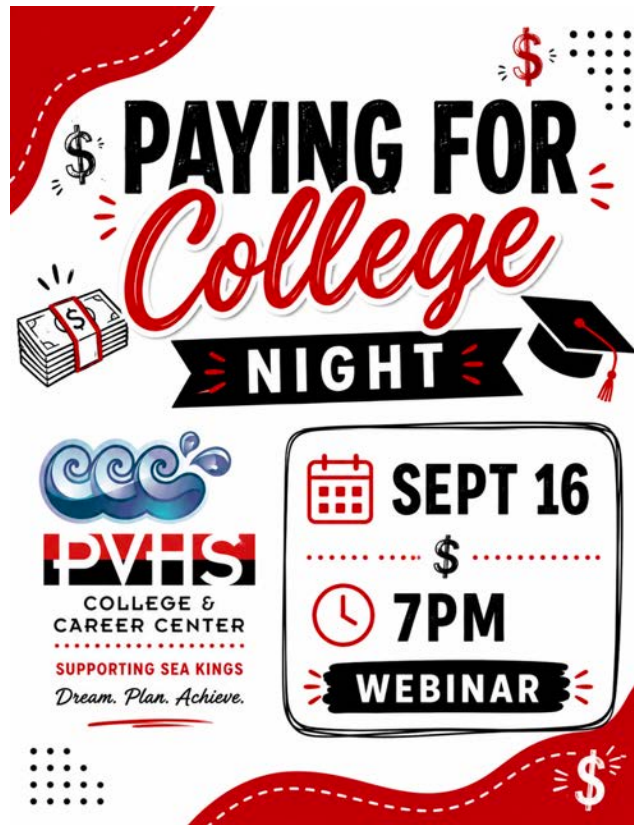


TO ENTER A REP VISIT, YOU MUST HAVE BOTH:

SIGNED UP IN MAIA LEARNING **AND** A SIGNED TEACHER PERMISSION SLIP

No registration + no permission slip = no entry to the visit.





REGISTER FOR THE PAYING FOR COLLEGE WEBINAR

[LINK TO REGISTRATION](#)

FREE SAT/ACT DIGITAL PRACTICE TESTS FOR ALL SEA KINGS

Sea Kings don't miss this great opportunity to take a free practice digital SAT or ACT!

- Students must register to take the free practice test before September 24th
 - At home practice test window : September 25 - 27

[LINK TO REGISTRATION](#)

Thank you to our wonderful partner Compass Education for making this possible for our Sea Kings!

SAVE OUT OF STATE
the COLLEGE
DATE FAIR

September
22

6PM
SEA KING
CENTER



REGISTER
FOR THE
COLLEGE FAIR
AT
STRIVEFAIR.COM




COLLEGE & CAREER CENTER

 FILL OUT A SHORT REGISTRATION FORM
TO GET YOUR BARCODE

 SHOW YOUR BARCODE TO COLLEGES TO
SHARE YOUR INFORMATION

 Palos Verdes High School | 6pm - September 22
Sea King Center



UCLA INFORMATION SESSION

*Come hear from a UCLA admission representative
in Torrance!*

TUESDAY | SEPTEMBER 15, 2026

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM

North High School



Register Now!

Sea Kings - UCLA is offering an info night for all students who attend schools in the South Bay. This is a great chance to hear about admissions updates and learn about UCLA. This event is open to all families and students in all grades. Scan the QR code above to register for the event.

SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE:

The 2027 MVS application is now open.

The application deadline is November 12, 2026.

The Elks National Foundation (ENF) awards 500 four-year scholarships based on academics, leadership, and financial need. National awards range from \$1,000 per year to \$7,500 per year. The national awards will be announced in April 2027. **MVS scholarship applicants will also be eligible to receive a scholarship from our Lodge, District, and/or State.**

MVS scholarships are for high school seniors who plan to pursue a four-year degree on a full-time basis (minimum of 12 semester hours), at a U.S. college or university starting 2027-28.

Some important applicant details include:

- « Current high school seniors (or equivalent) who are citizens of the United States are eligible to apply.
- « Applicants do not have to be related to a member of the Elks.
- « Male and female students compete separately.

Applicants select from a list of the Lodges closest to their home address zip code.



ACADEMICS | SERVICE | LEADERSHIP | FINANCIAL NEED

ELIGIBILITY: High school senior and United States citizen.

IMPORTANT DATES

- ▶ **APPLICATION OPENS:**
August 1, 2026
- ▶ **APPLICATION DEADLINE:**
November 12, 2026

500 FOUR-YEAR AWARDS*

- ▶ **20 AWARDS WORTH**
\$30,000
- ▶ **480 AWARDS WORTH**
\$4,000

*Awards paid over four years

FOR DETAILS

- ▶ Visit enf.elks.org/MVS to apply.
- ▶ Contact your local Lodge by visiting elks.org/Lodges.
- ▶ Ask your high school guidance counselor.



The Elks National Foundation awards **\$2.52 million** in college scholarships to a total of 500 high school seniors nationwide through its Most Valuable Student scholarship contest.

Visit enf.elks.org/MVS for complete details.



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Volunteer with PVPUSD

MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR SCHOOLS!

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with the Palos Verdes Peninsula Unified School District. Please review the following information to learn how you can get involved.



Types of Volunteer Opportunities



CATEGORY A:
Special Events
(Site-Specific) or
Office Volunteer



CATEGORY B:
Day Field Trips,
Parent-Led Art
Classes, Reading
Groups, Tutoring, etc.



CATEGORY C:
Overnight Travel and
Special Event Drivers
(Parents/guardians
using personal vehicles)

Required Documentation

REQUIREMENTS FOR CATEGORIES A, B, & C



Valid Form of Identification

- Driver's License
- Identification Card
- Passport



Tuberculosis (TB) Risk Assessment

- To access the TB Risk Assessment Form, scan the QR code or visit tinyurl.com/VolunteerTBRisk
- If applicable: TB results must show date given, date read, results, and name of medical facility.
- Assessments and/or results are valid for four years.



• Raptor Check-In

- When arriving at a school site, volunteers must present a valid state-issued identification to use with the Raptor system.
- Volunteers will receive a sticker with their name and volunteer location after checking in.

REQUIREMENTS FOR CATEGORIES B & C

• Live Scan Background Check

- To request a Live Scan Background Check, scan the QR code or visit tinyurl.com/PVPUSDBackgroundCheck



• California Annual Mandated Reporter Training

- Before volunteering, provide your training certificate to the school office.
- This training must be completed and updated annually.
- To complete the training, scan the QR code or visit mandatedreportertraining.com/volunteers-training.
- If you are a first responder or educator, you may use that training certificate.



Ready to Volunteer?

For application materials, forms, and additional details, scan the QR code or visit pvpusd.net/volunteers.





PENINSULA
EDUCATION
FOUNDATION

IT'S PEF PLEDGE DAY

Wednesday, September 9



STRONG SCHOOLS START WITH ALL OF US

If you have not already donated to PEF this school year, today is the day! PEF is working toward 100% participation from PVPUSD families. A donation of any amount makes a difference and helps provide essential staff and programs for students at all 17 schools.

Your donation helps fund:

- Elementary music teachers
- Elementary library aides
- College & Career Center staff
- STEM programs in grades 6–12
- School counselors
- Senior Scholarships
- High School Science & Engineering Fair
- Teacher grants and more

PLEDGE OR DONATE TODAY.
Monthly and quarterly payment plans are available.
SET IT AND FORGET IT!

pvpef.org





PVHS PTSA MEETINGS

Meeting Topics & Activities

2026-27

All Meetings to occur at 9 am in the PVHS MPR

September 22, 2026

Celebrating our District!

Guest Speaker:

Dr. Devin Serrano, PVPUSD Superintendent
District & PVHS Academic Highlights
Athletic Program Overview
Student Involvement on Campus
Student Clubs, MUN, Mock Trial, PVIT,
Capitol Convoy, Debate Team and more!

February 23, 2027

Leadership & Activities @ PVHS

ASB
Red Tide
Be the Change
Live from 205
PV Board Member Student Council

October 27, 2026

Red Ribbon Week @ PVHS

Guest Speakers:

Substance Abuse Speaker
(TBD)

March 23, 2027

College Readiness @ PVHS

College & Career Center Updates
Student Scholarship Information
College Readiness Next Steps

November 17, 2026

Academic Counseling @ PVHS

Student Course Scheduling
Student Academic Pathways
AP vs. Honors vs. Dual Enrollment
Dual Enrollment Opportunities:
SCROC & Harbor Community College

April 20, 2027

Student Mental Health @ PVHS

Guest Speakers:

Kathi Colli, Sage Therapy
Sage Counseling Services at PVHS

January 26, 2027

Engineering & Research @ PVHS

PVIT & Robotics Teams
Science Pathways & Course Offerings
Science Research
AP Research & Capstone
PVHS Library Services & Research

Can't Make It?

Participate Virtually

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?pwd=SBjnWmA6A2OdTDmMpq6iFbCHNBdTmO.1)
[pwd=SBjnWmA6A2OdTDmMpq6iFbCHNBdTmO.1](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88620741188?pwd=SBjnWmA6A2OdTDmMpq6iFbCHNBdTmO.1)

*All are welcome to
participate & learn!*

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 18:

8:30 am - 2:30 pm



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19:

9:30 am - 11:30 am



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26:

10 am - 1 pm



THURSDAY, AUGUST 27:

10 am - 1 pm



FRIDAY, AUGUST 28:

10 am - 1 pm



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Online!*

WEBSITE:

www.pvhsspiritstore.com



All orders placed online
can be picked up in the
school office

after August 18!



QUESTIONS?

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Call for Reflections Entries 2026-27!

-  Dance Choreography
-  Film Production
-  Music Composition
-  Literature
-  Photography
-  Visual Arts
-  Accessible Arts



Due Date: October 19, 2026

Link for entries coming soon!

PVHS Reflections Celebration to follow for awards distribution. Students are invited to submit entries in one or more categories.

Your entry may advance to District, State, and National levels!

For rules and guidelines: <https://www.pta.org/home/programs/reflections/for-students-and-families>

For questions, please contact Debbie Fang at debbie.ma@yahoo.com.



PVHS Booster Club 26-27 Link:
**[www.memberplanet.com/s/
pvhsbooster/boosterclub_membership_2026-27](http://www.memberplanet.com/s/pvhsbooster/boosterclub_membership_2026-27)**

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