

Pope John Paul II HIGH SCHOOL

Pope John Paul II High School Weekly Newsletter

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Student Affairs



Senior Panoramic Photo

The Panoramic Photo previously on the calendar for January 8 has been postponed. We will communicate the new date as soon as possible.

Senior Prom Transportation Committee

We are looking for a few parents and students to come together to discuss the possible need for alternate transportation for the Senior Prom in May. If interested, please email Mrs. Honyara by January 15.

Panthers' Learning Center

The Panthers Achieving Worthwhile Success (PAWS) program provides individualized and intentional support to students with documented learning differences who may have benefited from academic support and accommodations in their previous schools.

The PAWS team is hosting an information session to introduce prospective and current PJP families to the PAWS program for enrollment in Fall 2025 on Thursday, January 9th at 6:00PM in the Panthers' Learning Center at PJP. The session includes a formal presentation that outlines the program and objectives, accompanies families through the PAWS enrollment process and documentation required, and discusses the program fee and financial aid opportunities.

Families can sign up for this session <u>using this form</u>. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mr. Joseph Rogers, Director of Academic Support, at jrogers@pjphs.org.

Office of School Ministry

Adoration

Every Friday, our students have the opportunity to sit with the Blessed Sacrament in Adoration in the Chapel. We invite our parents to join us and spend an hour with Jesus—a beautiful opportunity to pray, reflect, and be in His presence.

Please consider signing up for an hour of Adoration. Your participation not only deepens your own spiritual journey but also supports our school community's faith-filled environment. Together, let us grow in faith and trust in the Lord.

CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP

Athletics

Upcoming Home Events

Monday 1/6 Boys Basketball vs Delco Christian- JV at 5:30, Varsity at 6:45

<u>Tuesday 1/7</u> Girls Basketball vs Spring-Ford- JV at 5:30, Varsity at 6:45 PM

Wednesday 1/8 Wrestling vs Pottstown- 6:30

Thursday 1/9 Freshmen Basketball vs Pottstown- 3:30 Boys Basketball vs Pottstown- JV at 5:30, Varsity at 6:45

<u>Saturday 1/11</u> Girls Basketball vs Truman- 1:15 (Varsity Only)

Coaching Openings

PJP Athletics has the following coaching opportunities. If you or someone you know is interested, please

send resume to Tracey at trarich@pjphs.org

Assistant Baseball Coach (JV Head Coach) Track and Field Assistants (Throws and Jumps)

Spring Sports

Spring sports will begin on Monday, March 3rd. If your son or daughter is interested in participating in one of the sports during the season, make sure you are getting in contact with the coaches now.

Boys Lacrosse: Coach Sloat, <u>boyslacrosse@piphs.org</u> Girls Lacrosse: Coach Hughes, <u>girlslacrosse@piphs.org</u> Softball: Coach Faella, <u>softball@piphs.org</u> Baseball: Coach Deluzio, <u>baseball@piphs.org</u> Track and Field: Coach Cagliola, <u>trackandfield@piphs.org</u> Boys Tennis: Coach McDonough, <u>Boystennis@piphs.org</u> Girls Flag Football: Coach TBA, <u>flagfootball@piphs.org</u>

Fundraiser

Girls Basketball

The Girls Basketball team is selling tickets to win a Basket of Cheer. You can buy 1 ticket for \$8 or 3 tickets for \$20. All proceeds go to the girls basketball team. All participants must be over the age of 21. To purchase tickets, contact any girls basketball parent or reach out to Jen Satalin at jenlangtry@yahoo.com.



Concession Stand

Now that we are into Winter sports please consider signing up for the concession stand. The concession stand is run by the PJPAC which provides Senior Athletes a gift at the end of year and pays for the Senior Athlete portion of the banquet at the end of the year. Students can also work the concession stand for service hours.

Signup at the following link:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0F4AADA62AA7FF2-53568159-202425

Bag Bingo

Save the date for Bag Bingo on February 21st, 2025. This exciting fundraiser directly benefits PJP Athletics. If you are interested in helping with the planning please reach out to Tracey at trarich@piphs.org.

Guidance Office

SENIORS- College Acceptance and Scholarship & Grant Awards Please Submit to the Guidance Office

As seniors begin to receive college acceptances and scholarships & grant awards, please have your senior submit this good news to the Guidance Office! This is for any and all colleges to which they have applied and been accepted to. The name of the scholarship / grant award(s) gets listed in the Graduation Program.

Guidance needs a copy of the *documentation*. Seniors can either make a copy of the acceptances or scholarship/grant awards and drop it off to Mrs. Bell, College & Career Coordinator, or they can take a screenshot / picture of it and email it to her at dbell@pjphs.org. Documentation will be collected until May 1st. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to speak with Mrs. Bell.

College Standardized Test Dates & Registration Deadlines for National Test Days

SAT Test Date (2024- 2025 School Year)	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Late Registration
March 8, 2025	February 21, 2025	February 25, 2025
May 3, 2025	April 18, 2025	April 22, 2025
June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025	May 27, 2025

SAT TESTING - Register at www.collegeboard.org.

ACT TESTING - Register atwww.act.org.

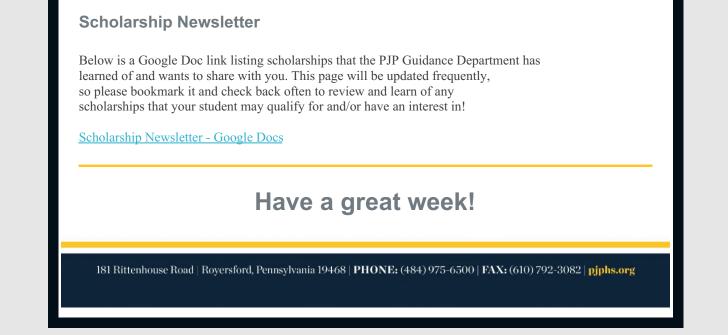
ACT Test Date (2024- 2025 School Year)	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Late Registration
December 14, 2024	November 8, 2024	November 22, 2024
February 8, 2025	January 3, 2025	January 20, 2025
April 5, 2025	February 28, 2025	March 16, 2025
June 14, 2025	May 9, 2025	May 26, 2025
July 12, 2025	June 5, 2025	June 20, 2025

SAT School Day Testing (for Juniors only) – PJP will offer the SAT School Day Test on April 16, 2025. Registration information for this test will be supplied to students in February.

Educational Enrichment Opportunities

Below is a Google Doc link listing programs that PJP students can engage in that are offered by organizations and universities across the country. Many of the programs are competitive and have deadlines that need to be followed. There is more detailed information on the websites listed, including application processes and associated fees. Should you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Bell, College & Career Coordinator, at dbell@pjpsh.org or your child's school counselor.

2024-2025 Educational Enrichment Opportunities - Google Docs



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