



Weekly Updates

May 22, 2023

Dear PSH Families,

Last week was great! Our final band and choir concerts were fantastic, our senior recognition night provide a spotlight on some top achievers, and our celebration day was outstanding. Our students really seemed to enjoy the day and acted accordingly. Thank you to all for making such a great week at PSH.

Our seniors finish finals and have their checkout day on Friday. Our underclassmen finish their last week of regular classes before finals next week. Please review the information to make sure you understand your responsibilities leading into your final obligations for the 2022/23 school year.

Have a great week!

Mr. Suttell

Principal - Parma Senior High School

Week of May 22 - News and Information

May 30, 31 and June 1 Final Exam Information - Grades 8-11

Our last day of regular classes is Friday, May 26. All students in grades 8th to 11th will take their finals on May 30, May 31, and June 2 next week. Please see the [Final Exam Information](#) sheet for details. It is important that your student is aware of the schedule for each day. If you have any questions - please contact the office prior to Finals next week.

Senior Calendar of Events

Please see the [Senior Events Calendar](#) for information regarding the week. Obviously finals end tomorrow and you need to be aware of your time for senior checkout on Friday. If you have any questions or need anything clarified, please feel free to reach out.

Senior Chromebook Return - Tuesday May 23

Seniors should return their chromebooks and chargers to DIS (vocational wing) anytime tomorrow after your last final. Anything not returned will be added to senior fees for checkout on Friday. If your chromebook is not returned Tuesday, you may return it to Door 50 anytime during the week prior to Friday's Senior Checkout.

Senior Walk - May 26

We have added our annual Senior Walk to the Senior Events Calendar for those that may be interested. On senior check out day, MAY 26th, we are giving the graduating seniors the opportunity to walk through the elementary and middle schools in our cluster (Renwood, Thoreau Park, John Muir, and Shiloh). Students/Staff line the halls as the graduating seniors walk through the building. It is a joyful celebration of our students' accomplishments! Any student wanting to participate is REQUIRED to complete this [Permission Form](#) ASAP.

Senior Fees:

I have included a message about Senior Fees since April. It is important prior to senior checkout that all outstanding fees be paid. Students will not receive their diploma without all fees being paid. Please do not wait until the last minute! You can contact our treasurer, Mrs. Kish at 440-885-8682 or kishi@parmacityschools.org to pay. If any senior has been on free lunches in the past, please contact Mrs. Kish by the main office for a waiver form.

Senior Date Reminders

May 22	Senior Finals (Art, Business and Computers, Health, Science, Social Studies)	May 23	Senior Finals (Family/Consumer Science, PE, World Languages)
May 23	Chromebook Return		
May 26	Senior Check-Out		
June 1	Senior Breakfast 8:00 - 8:45am		
June 1	Commencement Practice - Time - TBA		
June 3	Commencement Practice - Byers' Field - 6:00pm		

*** Later this week, I will post information specific to these senior events.

Repeated/Past Reminders

Senior Information from senior counselor Ms. Hustik

Here is a summary of senior information that has been shared by Ms. Hustick for seniors and senior families:

**[Click here to access the Applying for Colleges](#) September 27th Zoom parent presentation

**College Tuesdays sign-up will be through Calendly from now on. [Click here to access.](#)

**November 9: Tri-C Parent Night 6:00-6:30PM in the Little Theater: Learn about our PSH to Tri-C Transition Program

**November 15: Senior Picture Day [Click here for details](#)

**November 17: FASFA Night @ 4pm in the Media Center, [Click here to sign up](#)

**Upcoming early application deadlines: November 15 + December 1 – if you are applying through Common App make sure you have scheduled an interview with Ms. Hustick before then: [Click here to schedule an interview](#)

**December 1-13: AIR Test Retakes: Students will retake any test tied to competencies and graduation seals (both required to graduate)

**Students should have TWO SEALS by JANUARY 15, 2023

**College Now representatives are now available. Make sure to check in with them, they can help you with college applications + applying for financial aid (Student Service Office Space):

**A-K: Brittany Moore mooreb@parmacityschools.org

**L-Z: Callie Stokes Cstokes@collegenowgc.org

**Senior social emotional group: Focus on anxiety, open for Sem 2: [Sign up here to start Feb'23](#)

**Community Seal Update: 20 hours of service NOT 40 for Class of 2023 (district pro-rated hrs)

**Cap and Gown orders only taken online through <https://www.jostens.com>

****Please contact Ms. Hustick at 440-885-3751 with any questions regarding this information**

PSH PTSA NEEDS YOUR HELP!!!

We would like to have a great last year for the students, staff and families but we can't do that without three things. Volunteers , Ideas and Funds! Parents, Staff and Students are welcome to join. We want to host events this year and make it the best year ever. Can we count on you for your support? Our meetings are the 4th Monday of the month in the Renaissance Room.

Membership is only \$6.00. Please use the following to join: [PSH PTSA Membership Link](#)

Student Attendance/Tardies

In each update I have included information indicating that students who attend school and their classes regularly have been shown to achieve at higher levels than students who do not have regular attendance and/or large amounts of missed time due to tardiness. Therefore we will place higher expectations on student class time. Please expect to see the administration help our teachers get our students into their classes more. This includes tardy sweeps and individual conversations with frequent students who are missing class time. Please have a conversation with your child about your expectations regarding the importance of being in class.

Student/Parent Handbooks

Here is the convenient link to the PCSD [Parent/Student Handbook](#).

NUTRITION SERVICES INFORMATION

There are important changes to our district's Nutrition Services regarding breakfast and lunch. Please see the following document: [2022/23 Nutrition Services Updates](#) in order to understand our breakfast/lunch prices and policies

HOW TO STAY INFORMED

Each Monday evening beginning, Monday, August 22, I will always post important information into the “What’s up at Parma Senior High,” section located on our [PSH Homepage](#). It will always be a good idea to check that section for updates each week. In addition, our Twitter and Instagram accounts will be updated with information frequently. I also always encourage you to call our office anytime during school hours if you have questions or need assistance in any way. Please see below for a summary of how to stay informed about all events at PSH as well as our school district.

- ★ District Website: www.parmacityschoools.org
- ★ PSH Website: www.parmacityschoools.org/parmasenior
- ★ PSH Athletics: www.parmaredmenathletics.com
- ★ Twitter: Parma Senior High @PCSDparmasenior
- ★ Instagram: Parma Senior High @pshredmen

