



17-18 Orientation

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- Full Value Agreement
 - Work as A TEAM
 - Be Safe (Physically and Emotionally)
 - Speak Up



Freshmen Mentoring

- Upperclassmen mentor our freshman to help with transition
- Contact Mentees throughout year for support
- Tour students/help first day(lockers, bus, finding classes)
- Events: Meetings, Gift exchange, Cocoa and Cram, Spring Lunch on the Lawn, Sunshine and study time
- Liaison between students and administration/Counselors
- Introduce mentees to extra curricular activities
- Help to welcome and acclimate our new students to PHS!

Mentors: Orientation/First Weeks

- Orientation
 - Scavenger Hunt: Main Areas, Lockers (Prizes), Important Goals
 - Mentors/Mentees: Get to Know/Q&A
 - Pictures/Vision Screening
 - **Parents meet in the Cafeteria and can walk through schedule after ppt and tour- Open House 5-6:30**
- Meeting during 2nd hour
 - Mentor Touch Base
 - Important info for Students
 - FVA- Expectations
- Friday 9/22
 - BLUE CREW (wear tee shirts!)
- Throughout the year: Personal contact info with mentors, positive acts of kindness, lunches, activities, events.

PHS Info!



*Follow us on twitter (or Via Text message)

- @PHSNorthmen (PHS twitter)
- @petoskeyschools (District Twitter)
- @CnewsPHS (Counseling Office twitter)
- @petoskeysports (PHS Athletics) - <http://petoskeyathletics.org/>
- Text: "Follow PHSNorthmen" to 40404
 - Data rates apply!
- E- Newsletters (check Junk mail folder)
 - Bi-monthly (check PS email accuracy)
- Website- moodle.petoskeyschools.org
- Power School: emails/updates

Administrative Staff

- Principal- Dr. Stewart
 - Stewart.mr.m@petoskeyschools.org
 - @PHSNorthmen
- Assistant Principal- Mr. Byram
- Athletic Director/Asst. Principal- Mr. Smith
- Dean of Students- Mr. Hewitt



Counseling Staff



Freshmen and Juniors: Ms. Frentz
231-348-2206

frentz.kh.t@petoskeyschools.org

Sophomores and Seniors: Ms. Kolodziej
231-348-2205

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Mental Health and Wellness Grant

- Allows for a Full time Behavioral Health Professional at PMS and PHS
- Bills to Medicare, and all other insurances
- Ask Counselor for referral
- Ms. Wilson- Office in the CRC

Keys to Success



- Attendance
 - Have to be at school to LEARN
 - Be here and Be on time!
- Involvement
 - 19 teams, 22 extra programs, AP courses, Fine Arts, 10 CTE programs
 - Something for everyone- Meet people!
- Homework
 - Plan your time, and keep up your motivation
 - Strive for EXCELLENCE! This is YOUR future!

Keys to Success- Continued

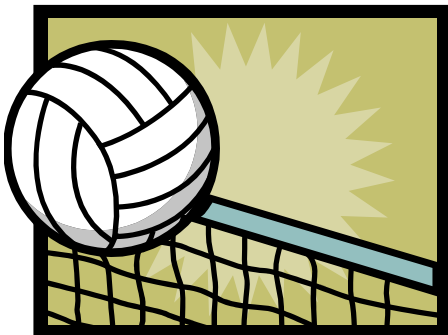
- Academic Awareness
 - Power School Checks
 - Progress Reports
 - Talk to teachers
- Follow Protocol
 - We are here to stop problems BEFORE they start
 - If you have an issue, talk to an adult for help
 - Teacher
 - Counselor
 - Administration
- Follow “Full Value Agreement”
 - All Students/Staff/Parents abide by this agreement
 - Be Safe, Speak Up, Work as a TEAM

Extra Curricular Activities

- Sports
 - Football, Basketball, Golf, Wrestling, Volleyball, Skiing, Tennis, Swimming, Soccer, Track, Cross Country, Baseball, Softball, Lacrosse....
- Vocal Music
 - Bella Voce
 - Madrigals
- Instrumental Music
 - Pep Band
 - Jazz band
 - Marching band
 - Steel Drums
- Key Club
- Debate
- HOSA
- Skills/USA
- VICA
- FFA
- French club
- DECA
- NHS
- Robotics
- Equestrian Team
- FCCLA
- Quiz Bowl
- Drama
 - Plays
 - Musicals
- Student Leadership
- Student Council
- Mentoring
- Visual Arts
- Dance Team
- Anime Club
- Hacky Sack Club

Activity Fees (Pay to Participate)

- 2011 Petoskey began a non-refundable activity fee for participation in Athletics and Activities.
 - \$100 / activity with a MAX of \$200 / student / year
 - MS/HS Family has a MAX of \$300 / year.
 - Reduced Lunch participants are \$50 / activity with a MAX of \$100 / year.
 - Free Lunch participants are free.



Eligibility – PHS extra curriculars

- Lists are issues Monday before 12. If you are on the list
 - Coach will notify you
 - You have until Friday of that week to improve your grade
 - Student must bring a note to the AD from the teacher to verify passing grade
- In order for a student to be eligible to compete/participate:
 - You cannot have any E's
 - You cannot have more than 2 D's
 - If you don't meet the requirements:
 - You remain ineligible until you do meet the requirements
 - You may PRACTICE, but no games
 - You will NOT be released from school to attend games

Eligibility responsibilities

- Stay Eligible
- Communicate:
 - With teachers- find out in advance what assignments you will have during any absences
 - With you coach on your status
 - With your parents on your status
- GET SUPPORT BEFORE YOU FALL BEHIND:
 - Peers
 - Teachers
 - Tutors
 - The Center
 - Other teachers in the dept.

Course offerings- Vocational/Career tech

- Botany/Agricultural Science
- Business Technology
- Accounting
- Finance
- Drafting
- Interior Design
- Architectural/Engineering
- Drafting
- Computer Science
- Auto Technology
- Marketing
- Retailing
- Medical Occupations
- Health Education
- Beginning Woods
- Building Trades
- Foods/Hospitality

AP/Honors

- PHS has MANY opportunities for higher level coursework
 - English/Composition, English Literature
 - Micro and Macroeconomics
 - Biology
 - Government, U.S. History
 - Calculus
- With Advanced Placement Courses you can:
 - Earn College credit-Save money/time
 - Let colleges know your academic level
 - Learn techniques to better prepare you for college
 - 25% of our students currently take AP course work!

Dual Enrollment/NCMC

- PHS partners with North Central Michigan College to offer more enrichment courses
 - Courses can be taken in the nearby NCMC campus
 - Contact your counselors for course offerings
- North Central *Now! Petoskey Early College*
 - Cohort of 25 (application only)
 - Dual enrollment starts 10th grade year
 - 2 NCMC courses a semester 11/12th gr
 - 5th year completely at NCMC, graduate with Diploma AND Associates degree!

PHS Points of Pride!

- Graduation rate over 95%
- Highest Number of CTE courses in Northern MI
- Over 300 ECA/Dual enrollment students
- 93% daily attendance rate
- Class Variety- CTE, Fine Arts, AP, Honors, Online
- MANY opportunities for involvement: clubs, sports, leadership....

Student Leadership

- Maintaining and Building a positive School climate is VERY important at PHS
- Full Value Agreement: Be Safe, Speak Up, Work as a Team
- Recognizing Good Student behavior and rewards
- Northmen Pride Award
- People's Choice Awards
- Mentoring program- Freshmen
- PHS student leadership/ student council

PHS Information- Basic

- Attendance: Call Att. Office (231)348-2105
 - You can email attendance requests as well!
- Closed Campus
- Dress Code
 - No tank tops
 - Skirts/shorts- finger tip length
 - No midriff or see through clothing
 - Disruptive/offensive
- Cell Phones
 - No interruptions to instructional time or cause for disruption
 - 1st offense- warning
 - 2nd- phone goes to the office for the day
 - 3rd- parent pick up
- Security
 - Main Office Entrance only entry point
 - sign in main office
 - Drop off /Pick Up-Front of the building during school day
 - Security Cameras

Newer Information- PHS

- **Anishinaabemowin-** Native language class levels 1 and 2
- Medical Occupations 2
- P.E. Waiver (need 1.0 credit of PE)
 - 4 yrs of band- .5 credit waived
 - 2 seasons of PHS sport (Not club)- .5 credit waived

Food Service Guidelines

- eFund service- online account to make deposits, get low fund notifications
 - <http://petoskeyfoodservice.weebly.com/>
- When the account is empty students can
 - Charge 2 lunches
 - Students cannot charge a la carte items
 - Past charge limit- sandwich/fruit/veggies/milk



Parent Support-Involvement

- The correlation between parent support and student success is research supported! You are one of the BIGGEST contributors to student achievement!
- Communication is KEY- twitter, website, email!
- Student Concerns- Chain of Communication
 - Teacher/Coach
 - Counselor
 - Administrator
- PS3 (Parents Supporting Students and Staff) meetings at 7 in the PHS media Center!
 - Quarterly

Petoskey High School

- We strive for Excellence
 - Academic Offerings
 - Student Involvement
 - Athletics
 - Fine Arts
- **High Expectations! Stay focused and motivated to do your BEST!**

○ **GO NORTHMEN!**

