

# PEKIN COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

*PCHS Mission: In partnership with the community, we engage, prepare and empower our students for a lifetime of success through diverse opportunities.*



**Dragon News**

**April 2018**

"Pekin Community High School is a Title One school and, as such, receives federal funds. These funds are spent in accordance with Title One guidelines and are used with the overarching goal for every child to meet state academic achievement standards. Title I provides the programs and resources for students to meet this goal."



## 1:1 is coming to Pekin High School

Next year, all students at PCHS will be given a Chromebook as a new learning tool for success in the classroom and at home. Stay tuned for more information. Click on the link for the 1:1 fact sheet. <http://5il.co/3197>

### PCHS Administration

#### Superintendent

Dr. Danielle Owens

#### Assistant Superintendent

Melissa Bloom

#### Principal

Amy Hubner

#### Assistant Principal

Joel Scmieg

#### Assistant Principal

Sheila Coussens-Martin

### Yearbooks

The deadline for purchasing the 2017/2018 yearbook is April 13th. Don't miss out purchase yours at the BFO for \$35.00 before the deadline.



### April College Visits

4/12 — ICC @ 8:45  
4/18 — MTI @ 1:20



### PGHS Pom/Dance Team

Tryouts: April 10, 11, 12, 13

You may pick up your tryout packet after March 12 in the Athletic Director's Office

Questions?

Mrs. Dione Gresham, [dgresham@pekinhigh.net](mailto:dgresham@pekinhigh.net)

### Important Dates

4/8 Classes Resume Following Break

4/11 Late Start

4/25 Late Start

### Skyward Parent Access

New link: Wanting to login into Skyward Parent Access and you just can't remember your password? Please go to our web page, [www.pekinhigh.net](http://www.pekinhigh.net) and click on Menu in the upper left corner. Under the Parents tab you will click on "Forgot Your Parent Access Password" link.

### TRANSCRIPT REQUEST

A transcript request form is available on the Pekin High website. Please note that it may take up to three days to get the official transcript completed.

### Board Minutes

Videos of regular Board meetings, when recorded, are posted to the PCHS website. On the homepage, click "BoardBook - Board Agendas/ Minutes." Then click the regular meeting for the date of your choice. Finally, click the video option which will open in YouTube.

**Dragon Hill is closed before school from 7:00-7:30 am and after school from 2:45-3:15 pm.**



Join our PCHS Alumni. Fill out your information by clicking on this link [www.g00.gl/LQesFJ](http://www.g00.gl/LQesFJ). The link can also be found on our website [www.pekinhigh.net](http://www.pekinhigh.net), under the District tab.

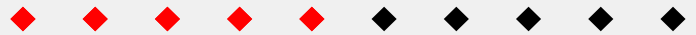
### Late Start

- The school day is from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm with the doors opening at 9:30am.
- Buses run two hours later than a regular day
- Early bird PE starts at 9:27 am and early bird students can enter at the canopy entrance starting at 9:10 am.

### Breakfast

Breakfast is available every morning beginning at 7:00 am for \$1.25. If you qualify for free lunch your breakfast is free, or reduced lunch your breakfast is \$.30.

Check us out on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram:



### April Events

- 4/9 - Candidate forms for Junior Class Officer are available in the Principal's Office or B215.
- 4/10 – PSAT/SAT Testing @ 7:50 SENIORS WILL NOT BE IN ATTENDANCE
- 4/10-13 – Pom/Dance Tryouts – Forms are available in the Athletic Director's Office
- 4/11-5/4 - Prom Tickets on Sale @ BFO (NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER 3:00 PM ON 5/4)
- 4/16-19 – Cheer Tryouts in Hawkins Gym
- 4/17 – Tux Night with Moments Tux Shop – In front of the counselor's office 3:00-6:30 P.M.  
Mindful Mornings @ 7:30 in the Learning Commons
- 4/19 – Millikin Field Trip Application Deadline
- 4/20 – Deadline to turn in Junior Class Officer Packets – B215
- 4/23—Prom Court Nominations All Week
- 4/25 – AP Mandatory Meeting – check-in starts at 8:15 a.m. in the cafeteria

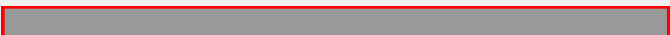


### JROTC

Our JROTC Rifle team finished up the year at Camp Perry, OH with Senior Alex Luckenbill representing us in the national championship. The team was only a few points shy of qualifying, but many of the members will be back next year.

Our annual awards ceremony will be held Thursday May, 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 PM in the theater. Please make plans to attend. If you need more information please check our website at: [www.pekinhigh.net/jrotc-home](http://www.pekinhigh.net/jrotc-home)

Thanks for your support, LTC Larry Hallstrom





**Stressed?  
Tired?  
Anxious?  
Depressed?  
Do you need help?  
Does a friend need help?**

Check out PCHS' new set of online books. We've added twenty new titles on topics that concern you and your friends.

The best part? You don't even have to go to the Learning Commons to check them out! They are all available online. Browsing is anonymous as well.

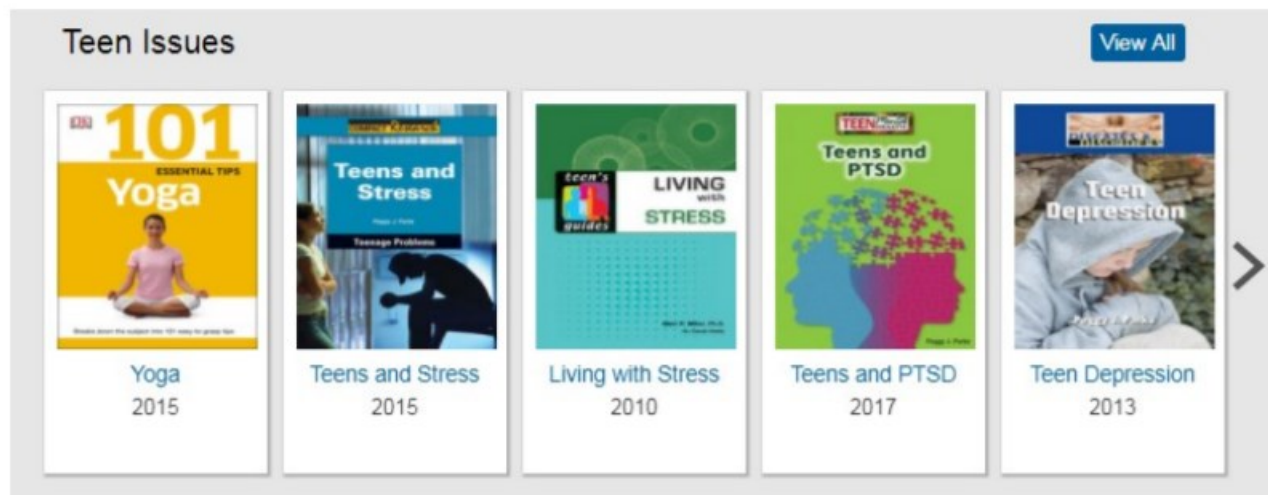
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