

Plainwell High School Daily Announcements
Tuesday, October 18th, 2022

GENERAL:

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Grad Bash Dine to Donate at Four Roses on November 9th from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Come out and support the Class of 2023!

The next meeting for the Class of 2024 is on Wednesday, 10/19 at 2:30PM after school. We need volunteers to work the concession stands at both PCS events and WMU Football/Hockey games as we continue raising money for Prom '23! See Mr. Beauregard for dates and times.

Chem club will meet this Thursday after school in Mrs. Schwartz's room. We will be making gold and silver pennies. All are welcome. You do not need to be in chemistry class to participate.

Math league is back! Do you enjoy the challenge of a good math problem? Join Math League! The first contest will be held on Tuesday, October 25, in Mrs. Ullrey's room. See Mrs. Ullrey for more details.

Are you interested in learning about people and cultures from around the world? Then, join the PHS Multicultural Club. This club welcomes ALL students. Click [HERE](#) to sign up!

EUROPE 2024 : Interested in eating fondue in the Swiss Alps? Seeing a picturesque fishing town or two in northern Italy? Visiting the gorgeous French Riviera and Provence? Flamenco dancing in Barcelona? Come hear all the details, including the itinerary, activities, and academic opportunities at our informational meeting tonight, October 18th at 6:30pm in the High School Library. All students are welcome! Scan the QR Code to RSVP for the meeting or request information or go to: <https://bit.ly/3q3ly13> Questions? Contact julie.trahan@plainwellschools.org



Two ways to report concerning behavior (harassment, bullying, school safety or threats, harm to self or others). If you see something, say something.

1) Use [OK2SAY](#) or

2) PHS reporting link (see below) for reporting threats or concerning behavior about students, family members or any one in the community.

[PHS Incident Report Form](#)

Students, staff, parents, and community members must feel responsibility for saying something if they know something.

If you are planning on attending college next year and do not intend to pay CASH, you must fill out the FAFSA. You need to do it even if you think you will not qualify financially or the college will not offer you any scholarships.

<https://studentaid.gov/>

VIRTUAL COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID NIGHT: Please check out this information from the MI Student Aid Team regarding their upcoming Financial Aid Nights! This is a great opportunity for students and families who are looking for help paying for college to learn about available resources and options. For more information or to register, please visit [HERE](#). Participants will be able to gather information on the following financial aid topics:

- FAFSA application information
- Federal financial aid programs
- State financial aid programs
- Scholarship searching resources

Lake Michigan College is coming for a visit during Plus time tomorrow, October 19th. Please sign-up in Student Services ahead of time.

On October 25th, Saginaw State University will be visiting during the lunch hours. Please sign-up in advance to see them.


Michigan State University will be visiting during Plus time on October 26th. If you would like the change to see what they offer, please sign-up in Student Services.

Driver Education Segment I has another class that will start Monday, October 17th.

Sign up online only at [Plainwell Driver's Education](#) Webpage.

You MUST pay for your class on RevTrak to hold your spot!

COMMUNITY SERVICE:

This Saturday, October 22nd is the Starr Fall Carnival from Noon to 4 p.m. and we still need volunteers! We need students to run games, face paint, help set-up and clean-up. They can see Mr. Hanson, visit Student Services or email Jennifer Wright at jennifer.wright@plainwellschools.org or you can just click on the link and add them to any game to help!  [Carnival 2022](#)

Cooper Monster Mash at Cooper Elementary! Thursday, October 27 from 5:00-7:00 pm, we are seeking volunteers from 4:00-8:00 pm.

Volunteers will be asked to:

- help with setting up tables and chairs
- dress up in costume to hand out candy
- general assistance
- clean up

You may sign up at Cooperkoalas@gmail.com

St. Margaret's 31st Annual HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL on Saturday, October 29th; noon to 4:00 PM. Shifts begin at 10:00 AM. Please see Mrs. Gower in Student Services to fill out the form.

Need Community Service hours: Stuff The Bus event on Saturday, November 12th from 12:00-4:00pm at Walmart in Plainwell. Please contact Irene Vos by calling or texting (269)744-2053 if you are interested.

ATHLETICS:

The MHSAA Scholarship is now open. Seniors with an unrounded 3.50 or better GPA who have earned a varsity letter in an MHSAA-sponsored sport are eligible to apply. Go to mhsaa.com/scholarship for more information. Stop in the athletic office and request the Access Code if you are interested.

Attention everyone planning on participating in a winter sport: you will need to have a current physical on file. If you did not play a fall sport, please log in to your Big Teams account and update it. You will also need to pass 5 out of 6 of your classes and have at least a 1.67 GPA in order to be eligible.

Renae Jaeger ended her High School Golf Career in great fashion. This was Renae's fourth visit to the state golf finals . Her individual honors got her a tie for 13 th place out of 112 golfers at MSU. Renae shot 89/82 . Among individual qualifiers her 82 was the second lowest score shot this past Saturday in the difficult weather conditions. Several Coaches and Parents commented how well she had played Saturday.

Congratulations on a great four year career and now to continue her golf career at the next level!

Today the girls swim team will host Harper Creek and the varsity cross country teams will travel to Edwardsburg for the Wolverine Conference Finals. Good luck and go Trojans!

Attention anyone interested in trying out for competitive cheer - please use the link below to sign up.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSelpqWBFX3dbTdiAhz-PvPIMZm3HBauqeTzVWkjfDRISzvy6Q/viewform?vc=0&c=0&w=1&flr=0>

Attention all girls interested in softball: please sign up in the athletic office. There will be fall workouts as well as the annual home run derby. Winter workouts will begin in January.

Attention: Anyone who is interested in joining the boys swim and dive team for the upcoming winter season, please stop by the student services office and add your name to the list so we can contact you with important information. Practice will begin on November 21st!

Do you have a winter sport? What about Bowling! Signups are now open for MHSAA Varsity and JV, boys and girls bowling; stop in the Student Services office or see Coach Skierski in room #620. All levels are welcome, no cuts, lots of fun!

Student passes for athletics are on sale. Go to phstrojans.com to purchase tickets and passes. You can use the QR code that is posted in Student Services or the Cafeteria.

PARENT CONNECTION:

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Please keep your student(s) home if they are sick in any way. Let's "work hard" at having a normal school year, and let's "be nice" by considering others' health as well as your own.

Attention all students: As a reminder, food deliveries can be picked up during your lunch period only. All deliveries that arrive outside of the lunch period will remain in the office, this includes breakfast and coffee.

The Umatter Committee is currently accepting donations for a school therapy dog! The therapy dog would be available for students throughout the day to help with emotional support, to reduce anxiety, and provide a helping hand in the journey to a successful school year at PHS. Donations are available through Rev Track or in the Front Office of the High School. The goal is to reach \$2500, so anything helps! Our mission is to help provide a positive and healthy student body and we are determined to do this by creating positive school interactions and events, and a facility dog helps us accomplish this! Link to RevTrak [HERE](#)

Please use the link below to update any demographics (phone numbers, addresses, emergency contacts) for our Student Information System. It is important our district has current and accurate demographics for each of our students and families. Thank you. Go Trojans!
<https://5il.co/z35k>

If your student(s) need to leave during the school day for any reason (appointments, sick, etc.) please call the high school office at 269-685-9554, to give permission to allow your student(s) to leave school property.

If your student takes medication ([prescription](#) and [non-prescription](#)) please complete new medication forms, they are needed annually and linked above.

Digital ticketing is a learning curve for everyone! Thank you for taking this journey with us. We STRONGLY encourage our parents to download the Hometown Ticketing app on your phone from your app store. It is the easiest way to get your Plainwell Trojan Tickets! You can also purchase tickets by going to the PHS Athletics page or www.bit.ly/plainwell-tickets.