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## IMPORTANT DATES

### September

- 13 – Parent/Student Meeting #1
- 19-23 – Homecoming Week
- 24 – Homecoming Dance
- 30 – Pink Friday (wear pink!)

### October

- 5 – HOSA Meeting – Scrubs/Spirit Day
- 7 – Pink Friday (wear pink!)
- 8 – Glam Run 5K
- 11 – Medical Spirit Donut Day
- 11 – Board Meeting
- 12 – No School
- 26 – Jr. Class “Scrubs & Coats” Ceremony

### November

- 6-12 – HOSA Week
- 9 – HOSA Meeting; Scrubs/Spirit Day
- 15 – Parent/Student Meeting #2
- 21-25 – Thanksgiving – No School

### December

- 6 – Board Meeting
- 7 – HOSA Meeting – Scrubs/Spirit Day
- 14 – Teacher Holiday Luncheon
- 16 – Medical Spirit Donut Day
- 19-30 – Winter Holidays

## From the desk of Ms. Dupee



Welcome back to the 2016-2017 school year! As always, I am very excited to be working with your students in the Medical Magnet Program this year.

This marks my fourth year as the Coordinator for the Center for Wellness and Medical Professions. This year I will see my seniors, who I started with as freshman, graduate.

In addition, the new Biomedical Program I put in place three years ago will have its first group of seniors sit for industry certification.

**Certification update:** Congrats to our students! Last school year, we had 164 certifications earned in CNA, EKG, HUC, CMAA and ACSM.

Don't forget about the upcoming Junior Scrubs & Coats Ceremony on Oct. 26. Mark your calendars now for the Sophomore Breakfast March 29 and the Freshman Pinning Ceremony April 20. And watch the newsletter for a date for the Senior Celebration.

Sincerely,

*Peggy Dupee*

Assistant Principal/Program Coordinator

## 2016-2017 Executive Board

- President—Laura Maiocco
- Vice President—Colleen Bemis
- Treasurer—Gina Kugler
- Secretary—Jeanne Davis

**Got a question? Want to help?**

Contact [phuhsmmP@gmail.com](mailto:phuhsmmP@gmail.com)



## August Tireless Teacher Award Winner

**Mr. Mullaney**

## Adopt a Teacher!

The CWMP program has an adopt-a-teacher program underway. Adopting a teacher means spoiling that teacher a little bit by sending in snacks or small gifts, remembering a birthday, communicating with the teacher on a regular basis to see how things are going and if they need anything throughout the school year. This is one way families who cannot volunteer in the school or during school hours can still participate. The teachers have completed a survey providing information on favorite snacks, birthday and favorite activities to help you get to know them. Please email Jane Soltys at [phuhsmmadopt@gmail.com](mailto:phuhsmmadopt@gmail.com) to adopt your favorite medical teacher.

## Show Your PHUHS Medical Spirit

Pick up some swag at the Parent & Student Meeting Tuesday night, Sept. 13. Medical shirt gets you donuts this year on Donut Day, so stock up!

Choose from short- and long sleeve t-shirts and sweats. Plus, discounts are available on discontinued merchandise.



## CWMP Parent & Student Meeting

Dear PHUHS Medical Magnet Students and Parents,

Please be sure to mark your calendars and plan to attend our first of only four meetings during the 2016-17 school year.

Tuesday, Sept. 13  
7pm  
Teachers' Auditorium  
Palm Harbor University High School

Keeping our goal in mind to bring you true value, this and all parent/student meetings will be action-packed with useful information, dynamic speakers and a chance to get any and all of your questions answered.

At this first meeting, we welcome Patricia Williams, newly named President/CEO of Florida Hospital North Pinellas. Mrs. Williams recently moved to the area from Napa Valley, California. She is very excited about the opportunity to partner the hospital with the PHUHS Medical Magnet program. She will touch on activities that are already benefitting students in the program and some of the exciting possibilities that are being discussed. We will also hear about Florida Hospital volunteer opportunities, clinical availabilities for Juniors and FUTURE CAREER OPPORTUNITIES in hospital administration and related services... ones that DON'T require medical school or 10 additional years of school/training before you launch your career!

Also, look for important updates from key people within the CWMP program. Topics will include volunteer hours, registration for parent volunteers, 5K Glam Run, medical magnet merchandise like the shirts below ON SALE, and more!

If you have any questions or topics you feel would be valuable to include in this or future parent/student meetings, please reply to this email and let us know.

Again, our goal is to bring you the information you want and need to maximize your and your student's experience at PHUHS medical magnet program.

Thanks and see you at the meeting.

Laura Maiocco  
Medical Magnet Booster President

# Then & Now

Hello. My name is Mike Warren, I am a graduate from the medical magnet program class of 2008. After graduating from PHUHS I got my undergraduate degree at Florida State University majoring in Exercise Science.

At FSU I had the best four years of my life while still keeping up my studies with hopes of going to medical school. After completing an internship at all Children's Hospital after graduation I was accepted to the FSU College of Medicine and began my medical education in May of 2013. Nearly four years later I am in my fourth year of medical school and have submitted my residency applications to pursue a career in orthopedic surgery. The image to the right is me in the operating room after assisting with an emergency splenectomy as a third year medical student. Medicine is fun! Keep up the hard work!

Mike Warren  
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Mike Warren  
PHUHS CWMP  
2008 Graduate



## Scrubs & Coats

The Junior Scrubs & Coats Ceremony will be Oct. 26 at 6:30 pm in the auditorium. All Junior families are encouraged to come celebrate this milestone in their child's life. Invitations will be delivered to the students soon.

## Register for the Glam Run 5K

Don't miss out on great fun for a great cause with the Glam Run 5K Oct. 8 at Pop Stansell Park in Palm Harbor. Proceeds benefit PHUHS Center for Wellness and Medical Professions and Florida Hospital North Pinellas' "Taking Care of Your Girls" teen breast health awareness. Register at [www.localraces.com](http://www.localraces.com).



## Got News?

Send items by the last Thursday of each month for the following month's newsletter to Robin Bizjack at [phuhsmmNews@gmail.com](mailto:phuhsmmNews@gmail.com).

# We Appreciate You!

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