

Good evening, Warrior families,

This is Julie Finley, Assistant Principal, with the Sunday call out.

- Warriors! Homecoming week is this week!
 - Monday- Character Day
 - Tuesday- Flock Day
 - Wednesday- Country v. Country Club
 - Thursday- Decades Day
 - Friday- Class Color Day (Wear your HOCO SHIRT!)
- Thursday evening is Spirit Night! Sign-up with your class sponsor to compete or show up to cheer on your classmates! Gates will open by 530. Kickball starts at 6pm sharp!
- Friday Night is the Homecoming Basketball game and Varsity Senior Night! Cheer on your warriors and show out for homecoming!
- The Homecoming Dance "Mediterranean Nights" will be this Saturday at 8pm, until 11pm, in the cafeteria/gym. Tickets are on sale to all students until Thursday! Don't forget your promise and guest forms. Tickets are \$35 cash or money order only; no checks will be accepted.
- Students enrolled in Algebra 1, Geometry, Biology, and US History will be participating in Cycle 2 Assessments this week. This is a district mandated exam that allows students and teachers to know how students are progressing in each of these EOC tested subjects, this allows teachers to also know what needs additional things attention before the EOC. Students will be testing online; please be sure students are charging their school issued laptop nightly and bring it with them to school daily.
- There will be a mandatory softball meeting on Tuesday January 14th in the media center at 2:05 for anyone interested in playing softball this year.
- Mu Alpha Theta members, our January meeting is on Mon. 1/13 in the Auditorium at 2pm. See you there!
- Yearbooks must be purchased in advance. The deadline is March 1st. Senior ads in the back of the yearbook are due January 15th. Links are on the school site.

- The Osceola library media center has purchased **Peterson's Online Test and Career Prep** for our students. This valuable digital resource features full-length practice tests for SAT, ACT, PSAT, AP exams, and more. There is also information on undergraduate programs, tuition and scholarship assistance, as well as a resume builder. Students access this resource through CLEVER and create an individual account so they can retake tests and track their progress. Please see the attached instructions on how to utilize this important resource.
- Baseball tryouts start Monday, Jan. 13, at 5:00 pm. All grade levels will tryout together and all participants must have all athletic paperwork completed and turned into Ms. Copello.
- The Band is now selling world's finest chocolate for \$1 each. Also, reminder of the band booster meeting on Tuesday.
- Lacrosse boys and girls conditioning is happening Monday to Friday starting 13th Jan from 2.30- 3.30pm. It is required to attend if you are planning to tryout. Tryouts will be Jan 21st and Jan 22nd. Please make sure all paperwork is completed and cleared through Ms. Copello before attending.
- Anyone interested in trying out for Flag Football is invited to attend conditioning next week, Monday through Thursday after school until 3:30. Tryouts will be held the week of January 27th. All athletic paperwork needs to be completed and on file to participate in conditioning and try-outs.
- Attention Seniors, Pinellas County Schools will be hosting a College & Career Fair on February 3 from 6-8pm at St. Pete Pinellas Technical College. There will be 50 different colleges at this event, check out the flyer in the accompanying email with more details.
- Required parent meetings are beginning again for January, be sure to choose one of the following meetings to attend, all meetings begin at 7:00pm:
 - Monday, January 13 – SAC/SENIOR
 - Tuesday, January 14 – Booster
 - Thursday, January 30 – PTSA/9th Grade
- SENIORS: Please check the link on the Senior page of the website to pay your senior dues! Dues Payment *includes* your cap and gown.
- Boys and girls track tryouts will start on Monday Jan, 27 2:15-4:00 Mon-Fri.

- Dream about traveling the world? Come to an informational meeting on January 30th at 6:00 PM (before the PTSA meeting) to learn more about the Summer 2026 student trip to Italy, Greece, and Turkey. Your family can RSVP to the meeting using the link in the accompanying email <https://rsvp.eftours.com/x9puxnf>
- If you have any interest in playing football please check with Coach Montgomery, Coach Karoff, Coach Palys, or Coach Davis so we can provide more information. Spring workouts have begun for the 2025 football season.
- Students, if you missed the Model UN Information meeting but wish to participate in the April 4 Model UN Conference, please see Mr. Valentine in Portable 12 at the beginning of the week to submit your preferences for partner, country, and committee/topic.
- In addition to the many activities listed already we have a busy week for athletic events:
 - Monday:
 - JV/V Boys Basketball at IRC start time is 6:30pm.
 - Our Girls JV/V Basketball is home with a start time at 6:30pm.
 - Also don't forget we have our SAC and Senior meetings Monday start is 7pm.
 - Tuesday:
 - JV/V Girls Basketball is home, start time is 6:30pm
 - Booster meetings will be on campus that evening, start at 7pm.
 - Wednesday:
 - JV/V Boys Basketball is home, start time is 6:30pm
 - Thursday:
 - Wrestling Duals is home, start at 6pm
 - Friday:
 - Boys Soccer is participating in PCAC with a 7pm start
 - JV/V Basketball is home with Homecoming and Senior Night, start time is 6:30pm