

### 5.1.22

Good evening Panthers this is Principal Athanson with your weekly update.

Our students will begin their FSA / EOC testing starting Monday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Please see the calendar posted on our website for the testing dates & times. As always there are exceptions and changes due to students who receive accommodations. If you have a specific question about your student and their testing schedule please reach out to their grade level counselor. Parents we do ask that if your student has an appointment and will need to leave school during a testing day to please let us know so we can test them at a different time. Additionally, the last day for students is May 26<sup>th</sup>, if you need to take early exams please let the counselors know as early as possible so we can accommodate your requests.

I wanted to make our 8<sup>th</sup> grade families aware of upcoming events this month. Our 8<sup>th</sup> grade dance will be on May 6<sup>th</sup> from 6-8 pm. The dance will be held here at PHMS. Tickets are \$10 and they will be sold till the end of the day Tuesday. Please visit our school website for the flyer that outlines dress code. Gradventure is May 13<sup>th</sup> for those students who purchased tickets. We will be holding our 8<sup>th</sup> grade awards ceremony for those receiving awards on May 18<sup>th</sup> at 6pm. We will hold this special event in the PHU auditorium.

Thank you to everyone who has reached out to help us recognize our teachers for teacher appreciation week for the 1<sup>st</sup> week in May. We appreciate all you do to make our teachers feel special.

Thank you and have a wonderful weekend.