

SUMMER LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES -- Go to the PRHS [website](#) for more info

Click [here](#) to sign up



UCPS Summer Learning Camp

Union County Public Schools is providing a free six-week, in-person summer learning and enrichment camp for students. This fun and engaging camp will include instruction in core subject areas, social and emotional learning support, and physical and enrichment activities.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

The UCPS Summer Learning Camp is open to all students currently enrolled, however, the district is required to prioritize students in need of continued instruction, students with disabilities and students newly learning English. Breakfast and lunch will be served, and transportation will be provided. Rising kindergarten students are not eligible to attend.

WHAT SUBJECTS WILL BE OFFERED?

Elementary School Students:

- (Grades K – 2) Reading and Math
- (Grades 3 – 5) Reading, Math and Science
- Enrichment and physical activities

*Current kindergarten students at risk of retention who participate in the summer learning camp will be promoted to first grade.

Middle School Students:

- Reading, Math and Science
- Enrichment and physical activities

High School Students:

- English, Math, Science and End-of-Course subjects
- Certain elective courses will be offered based on demand
- Enrichment and physical activities



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CLASS OF 2021 INFORMATION

\$1405 raised .. Thanks to all!

Goal of \$2900...

Help us to celebrate the Graduating Class of 2021 at Porter Ridge High School by donating to our Senior Graduate Sign fund.

Our Seniors have persevered through over a year of a global pandemic that has affected their normal Junior and Senior years of high school. They have done an amazing job of showing resilience and adapting to change.

PRHS would like to honor their commitment to their education, their school, their family, and their community.

<https://give.livingtree.com/c/porter-ridge-senior-graduate-signs-classes-of-2021>

Purchase Prom Tickets [HERE](#)

A Night in the Galaxy

PORTER RIDGE HIGH SCHOOL PROM

When: Saturday May 15th
8-11 pm

Where: Porter Ridge Stadium

Tickets: \$25 online starting
3/30

Rain Date: Sat. May 22nd

Stadium lights out

GUEST FORMS SIGNED WITH COLOR COPY PHOTO
ID NO LATER THAN WED. MAY 5TH

Senior Checklist

- Pick Up Cap and Gown on Wednesday, April 14th
- Take Cap and Gown Picture on Thursday, April 15th
- Purchase Tickets Here for Prom on May 15th
- Submit Pictures to Senior Slide show at prseniorslide2021@gmail.com
- Submit Scholarships to Carly.patterson@ucps.k12.nc.us
- Complete the UCPS Grad Survey here by May 4th.
- Attend the Senior Drive Thru on Wednesday May 19th at 5:00pm
- Attend Graduation on June 2nd at 8pm at the PRHS Stadium



SENIOR CLASS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hello, Porter Ridge seniors! We hope you are getting excited about the upcoming Senior Week. Each year, Student Council hosts an award show called The Razzies. Razzies are similar to Senior Superlatives but are intended to be humorous. Please complete the form that was sent to your email so you can nominate a classmate for each Razzie Award. The top five nominees will advance to the second round of voting and the top finalists will be awarded from there. The Razzie Awards will be held during Senior Week and will be presented on May 13th after the senior slideshow. Thank you!



Senior Switch Day will be on May 12th this upcoming Senior Week. This is a fun chance for seniors to teach their favorite teachers class for the day. You must have the approval of the teacher with whom you want to switch. Take an application during lunch April 26th through May 5th.



PRHS BLOOD DRIVE



Give back to your community

PORTER RIDGE HIGH ANNUAL SPRING BLOOD DRIVE

- Students must be 16 years or older to donate. Students who are 16 must have a parent permission form to donate (located in the front office).
- All donors should sign up with the link below. Use a personal email address. Donors age 16-24 will receive a \$10 Gift Card, all donors will receive a free t-shirt, and all seniors will receive an honors cord for graduation.
- Please see Mr. Beard with any questions.

**Friday, April 30, 2021
8:00am - 2:00pm**

[HTTP://BIT.LY/PRHS21](http://bit.ly/prhs21)

SIGN UP [HERE](#)



PR Athletic Booster Club

Support PRABC by purchasing a ticket for the 1st Annual X Marks the Spot Treasure Drop. Golf balls will be assigned to each person's ticket & then dropped from a bucket truck onto the practice field. The golf ball closest to the X wins half the proceeds!

X MARKS THE SPOT TREASURE DROP



WHERE: PRHS Football Practice Field

WHEN: 7:30pm on May 13th

COST: 1 Golf Ball - \$15 Ticket

2 Golf Balls - \$25 Ticket

3 Golf Balls - \$40 Ticket

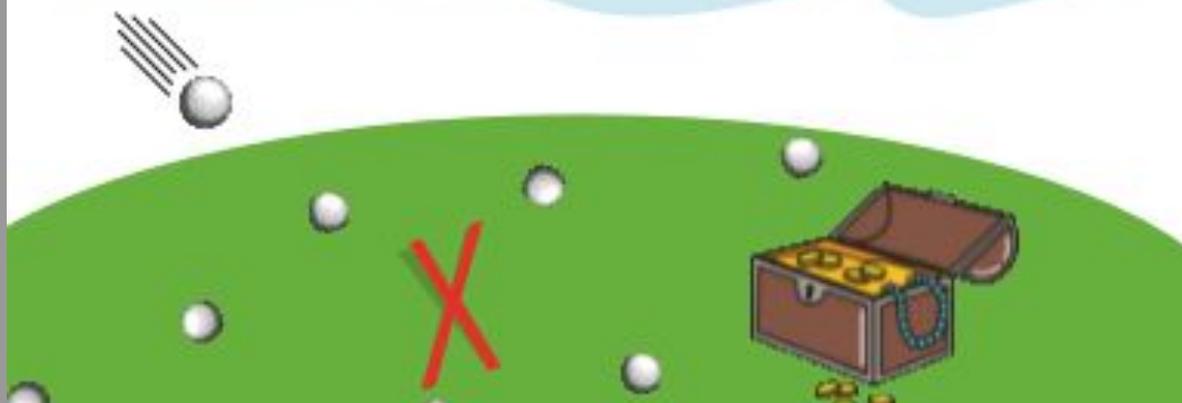
5 Golf Balls - \$50 Ticket

12 Golf Balls - \$100 Ticket - **BEST DEAL!!!!**

WINNER: Closest to X wins 50% of proceeds

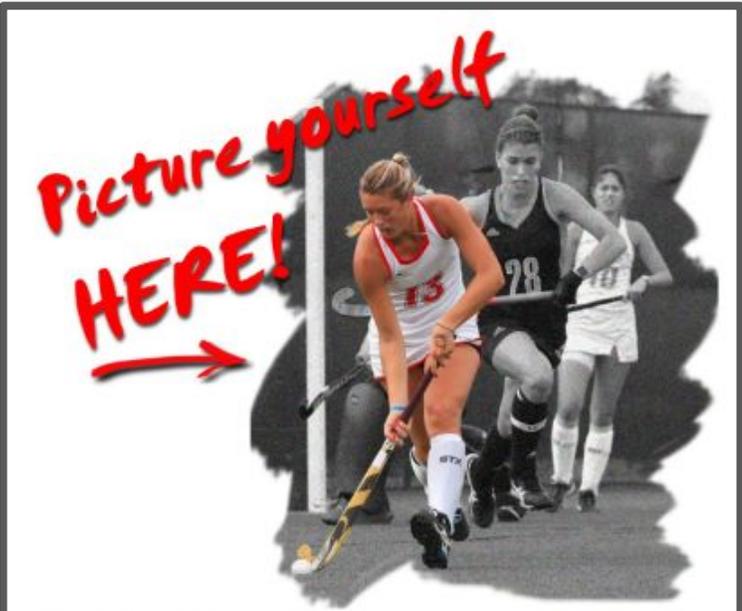
50% of proceeds will benefit the PRHS Booster Club

Tickets are also available <http://www.porterridgeabc.com/>





Upcoming Interest Meetings



**Picture yourself
HERE!**

**Field Hockey Team
INTEREST MEETING**

Time: 7:00 PM
Date: April 29th
Email Terry@CharlotteAmbush.com
For ZOOM LINK

PR

**CHARLOTTE
AMBUSH
FIELD HOCKEY CLUB**

In partnership with

**Interested in Fall 2021 Field Hockey or Cheer?
Join the virtual interest meetings next week!**

**PRHS Fall Cheer Informational
Meeting**
All rising 9th - 12th graders
Parents and Athletes encouraged to
attend

**Tuesday April 27
6:00pm via Zoom**

**Meeting ID: 751 5524 5879
Passcode: eDZ374**



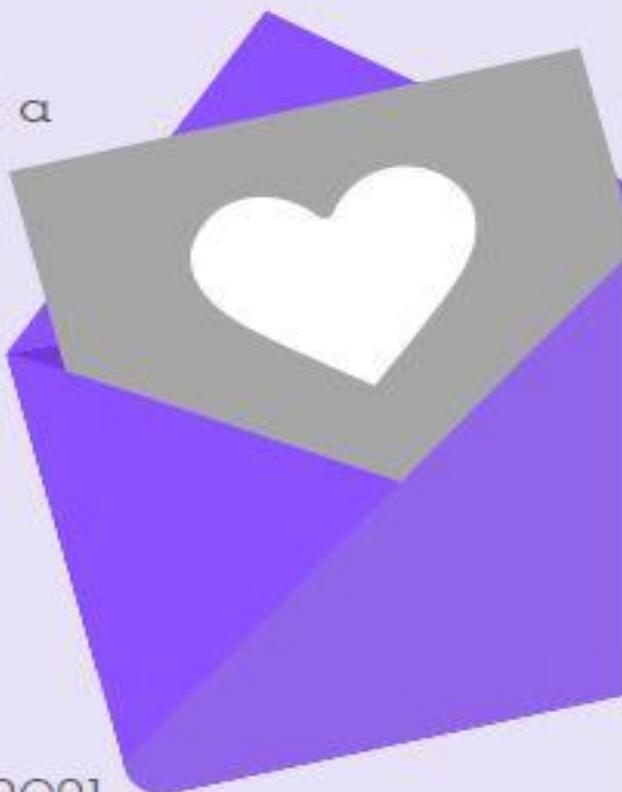
STAFF APPRECIATION

PIRATE PEARLS

Do you have a teacher or staff member that has made an impact on your life? Let them know by filling out a Pirate Pearl!

April 15 - April 28
Form sent to your student email

Instagram: @piratepearls2021





A NOTE FROM NURSE MASSEY

Important Vaccine Information - Please Read

In 2015, the State of North Carolina added Meningococcal vaccine to the school required immunizations. The first dose of Meningococcal vaccine, MCV, was given to this year's Juniors prior to the start of 7th grade as a school required vaccine. The second dose of this vaccine is required prior to the start of the Senior year, the 2021-22 school year.

If your child does not currently have evidence of the MCV vaccine, please contact your child's health care provider to obtain it.

Following administration of the vaccine, please submit a copy of the record to the school nurse yet this school year. This documentation must be on file here at school prior to the start of the 2021-22 school year to meet this school enrollment requirement. Individuals born before 1/1/2003 are exempt from this requirement.

For complete details and explanations, please review the website https://immunize.nc.gov/family/nc_immnz_requirements.htm

Thank you for your timely attention to this matter. If you have any questions, our school nurse will certainly be available to you as a resource.



ATHLETICS

Congratulations to our Cheer
Seniors!
Emma, Jada and Maggie





Ports of Information for Pirates:

Follow us on Facebook: [PorterRidgeHS.NC](#)

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JOB OPPORTUNITY



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Daily cash tip



Free weekly
car wash



Extensive
hands-on &
online training



No late
night work



Flexible
shifts



Scholarships
for college



Apply Online Today
at autobell.com/jobs



SCAN ME

EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS:

- 16 Years of age or older.
- Maintain a professional, safe, and neat appearance, including no visible tattoos in a long-sleeved uniform.
- Possess and maintain a valid driver's license.
- Autobell is a drug-free workplace and all candidates must pass a pre-employment drug screening.



CTE

GET WELDING CREDENTIALS FOR FREE WHILE IN HIGH SCHOOL!

Interested in learning more about the Welding Technology Program at SPCC?

Join us on **April 28th at 6PM** for a virtual information session with the
Welding Program Lead, Mr. Michael Scott.

The Welding Technology Program provides students with a sophisticated understanding of the science, technology, and applications essential for successful employment in the welding and metalworking industry.

Courses include:

- Math
- Print reading
- Metallurgy
- Welding inspection
- Destructive and on-destructive testing

Students graduate from this program with industry-standard skills! Graduates may be employed as entry level technicians in welding and metalworking industries. Career opportunities also exist in construction, manufacturing, fabrication, sales, quality control, supervision, and welding related self-employment!

To participate in the virtual information session on **April 28th at 6PM**, click here:

➔ [WELDING INFORMATION SESSION](#) ←





ACADEMY APPLICATIONS

Academy applications for the 2021-2022 school year are still open. To learn more about the academies UCPS has to offer and for the application, please visit the UCPS Career Readiness [page](#) on the UCPS website or see your ***Career Development Coordinator, Mrs. Webb in guidance.***

*Cosmetology Applications are due by Friday, April 23rd. Any Cosmetology applications turned in after this date will be put on the waiting list

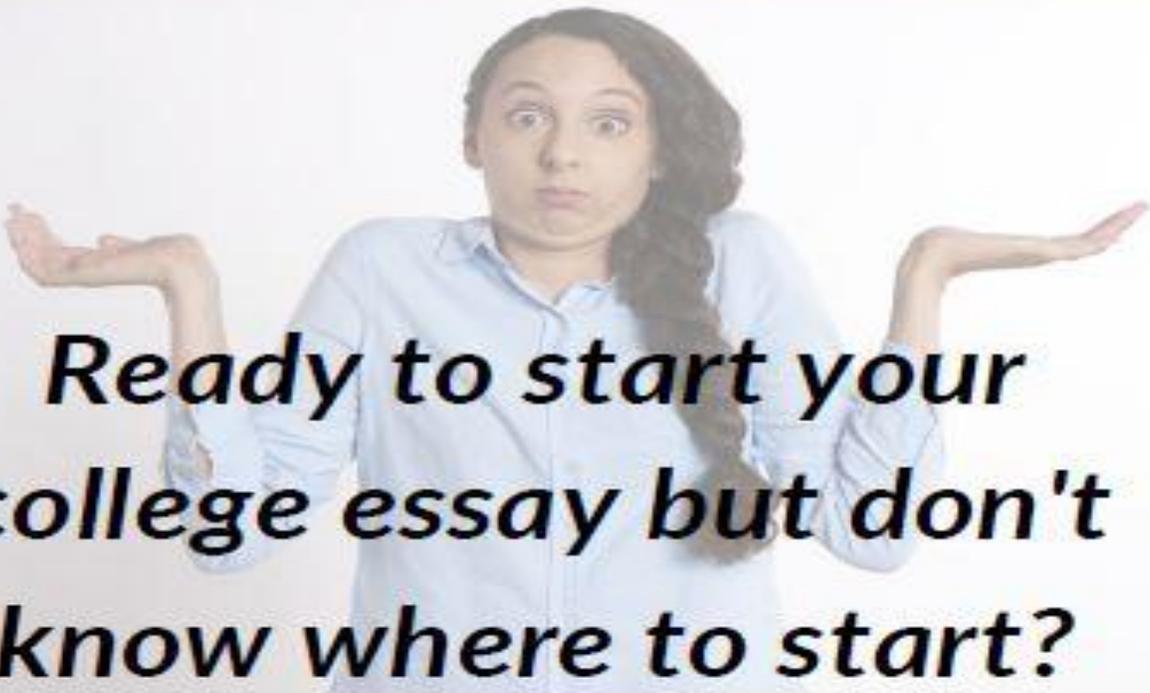


ATTENTION ALL 11TH GRADERS

COLLEGE
READINESS

UCPS
UNION COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

UCPS College Readiness Resource Center

A woman with long dark hair in a braid, wearing a light blue button-down shirt, is shrugging her shoulders with a questioning expression.

***Ready to start your
college essay but don't
know where to start?***

Schedule a FREE 30-minute Zoom session
by visiting <http://bit.ly/essaysupport1>.

This opportunity is open to ALL current UCPS juniors.

@UCPSCollegePrep

<http://bit.ly/essaysupport1>



UNCC EVENT



Cato College of Education
UNC CHARLOTTE

FUTURE TEACHERS OF NORTH CAROLINA

High school juniors and seniors interested in education are invited to a free immersive two-day virtual event! Learn what it's like to be a teacher. Discover paths to the classroom through UNC Charlotte's nationally-ranked programs. Meet and talk with current UNC Charlotte students.



THE EVENT WILL INCLUDE:

- Virtual campus tours
- Virtual teaching program fair
- Discussion sessions led by award-winning faculty
- Teacher and school leadership panels
- Keynote speech by a Teacher of the Year

WHEN?

June 7th
9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

June 8th
9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Participants will apply what they have learned during a student teaching simulation, made possible through virtual reality technology.

BECOME A TEACHER. MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/FutureTeachersofNC>





Who is your counselor?

Tondra White – last names A-Cou

tondra.white@ucps.k12.nc.us

Schedule a meeting - <https://calendly.com/tondra-white/15min>

Carly Patterson - last names Cov-Hek

carly.patterson@ucps.k12.nc.us

Schedule a meeting - <https://calendly.com/carly-patterson/studentofficehours>

Bryan James – last names Hel-Mc

bryan.james@ucps.k12.nc.us

Schedule a meeting - <https://calendly.com/bryan-james-1/office-hours>

Cassidy Lippert– last names Me-San

cassidy.lippert@ucps.k12.nc.us

Schedule a meeting; <https://calendly.com/cassidy-lippert/appointment-with-ms-lippert>

Shari Davison – last names Sap-Z

shari.davison@ucps.k12.nc.us

Schedule a meeting - <https://calendly.com/shari-davison/student-office-hours>

The counselors are here to support you with school. You can set up a meeting to speak to your counselor about academic, career, college, post high school plans or personal needs. Each counselor has set up an appointment calendar through which you can schedule a meeting either virtual or in person for a day and time that works for your schedule. If you just have a question please feel free to send your counselor an email.

Los consejeros estan aqui para apoyarte con la escuela. Pueden pedir una reunion para hablar con su consejero sobre tus planes academicos, profesionales, universitarios, posteriores a la escuela secundaria o necesidades personales. Cada consejero ha establecido un calendario de citas a traves del cual pueden programar una reunion, ya sea virtual o en persona, para un dia y una hora que se adapte a su horario. Si solo tiene una pregunta, no dude en enviar un correo electronico a su consejero.

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PRHS COUNSELING NEWS

SENIOR INFO



Seniors, as you begin receiving offers of admission from colleges and universities... **Congratulations!** You have been working hard and this is an exciting time for you all. Moving forward you have important decisions to make, and if you have questions about an admissions letter and what it means for you, please see your counselor.

We have created several videos to help you plan for after high school. We know that many of you are working on college applications, while others are considering other options. We are asking that you watch the videos that match your goals for important information on next steps. Then complete the following google form to let us know what your current plans are.

Senior Check In form (please complete) - <https://forms.gle/1bFi1nvmuwMTpxGp8>

Estudiantes de el grado 12, comienzan a recibir ofertas de admision de colegios y universidades ...Felicidades! Han estado trabajando duro y este es un momento emocionante para todos. En el futuro, tendran que tomar decisiones importantes y, si tienen preguntas sobre una carta de admision y lo que significa para usted, consulte a su consejero.

Hemos creado varios videos para ayudarlos a planificar sus actividades despues de la escuela secundaria. Sabemos que muchos de ustedes estan trabajando en solicitudes para la universidad, sin embargo, otros estan considerando otras opciones. Les pedimos que vean los videos que coinciden con sus objetivos para obtener informacion importante sobre los proximos pasos. Luego complete el siguiente formulario de Google para informarnos cuales son sus planes actuales.

Formulario de registro para estudiantes de grado 12 (complete) - <https://forms.gle/1bFi1nvmuwMTpxGp8>

CHECK OUT THESE SITES FOR VALUABLE INFORMATION

- PRHS Counseling Canvas - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1UpEroRS5BclmeCA2crF3QsrxxhOxZek6/view?usp=sharing>
- Two Year College Information - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/12dYWgldGcp0FkghSKUhwb2fHw5l8AYAq/view?usp=sharing>
- Four Year College Information - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kV9EGhzlTR7Nj7FJyG34jZFUTMsqTeKU/view?usp=sharing>
- Major Clarity - career research program - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1EoK680PzPWx9RnPxUoUh2Vbe2BjV0A0/view?usp=sharing>
- Scholarships - how to research scholarships - <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RjyGuNx8ap6opAokl2k2UBuU2Lgo48-v/view?usp=sharing>.



PRHS COUNSELING NEWS

SCHOLARSHIP INFO

If you receive ANY scholarships or grants, please notify Ms. Patterson with the name of the college or scholarship/grant and the amount. Even if you are not attending that school or accepting the award, please notify Ms. Patterson. You can print the letter and put it in her box in the counseling office or forward the email to carly.patterson@ucps.k12.nc.us.

Si reciben ALGUNA beca , notifiquen a la Sra. Patterson con el nombre de la universidad o beca y la cantidad. Si no asisten a esa escuela o no aceptan el premio, todavia notifique a la Sra. Patterson. Pueden imprimir la carta y entregar en la oficina de consejeria o enviar el correo electronico a carly.patterson@ucps.k12.nc.us.

April Deadlines

Charlotte Knights- Atrium Health & Piedmont Natural Gas Scholarships

<https://www.milb.com/charlotte-knights/community/scholarship>

Deadline to apply: April 25, 2021

American Culinary Foundation Education Foundation Scholarship

<https://www.acfchefs.org/ACF/Education/Scholarships/>

Deadline to apply: April 30, 2021

May Deadlines

NC Law Enforcement Officers Association Scholarship

http://www.northstateofficer.com/uploads/NSLEOA_Scholarship_2018_App.pdf

Deadline to apply: May 1, 2021

B. Davis Scholarship

<http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm>

Deadline to apply: May 22, 2021

PB&J Scholarship Fund

https://scholarsapp.com/scholarship/pbj-scholarship?utm_source=notification&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=pbj2020

Deadline to apply: May 31, 2021

Judy Knox Scholarship

<https://app.mykaleidoscope.com/scholarship/judyknoxscholarship>

Deadline to apply: May 31, 2021

Seniors!

Remember to turn in all scholarship offers to Ms. Patterson in the School Counseling Office!



PRHS COUNSELING NEWS

Upcoming Events

UNC Charlotte Future Teachers of NC - June 7-8

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Register here: <https://tinyurl.com/FutureTeachersofNC>

Wingate Summer Health Academy- June 28-July 2

Wingate University can help you explore a variety of careers through a weeklong Summer Health Academy. You'll take part in educational and clinical activities that give you a clear understanding of each profession and help you decide if it's the right one for you. As an added benefit, you'll earn your CPR certification in addition to receiving a college credit. This event is hosted by the Departments of Physical Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Physician Assistant Studies, Pharmacy, Nursing, and Exercise Science.

For more information: <https://www.wingate.edu/around-campus/events/summer-camps/health-academy>

NCAA Eligibility Center Spring Webinar for College-Bound Athletes

Do you want to compete in college sports? Join the NCAA Eligibility Center for their spring webinar for college-bound student-athletes and your families on Thursday, May 13, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. Eastern. This webinar will teach you about the initial-eligibility requirements you must meet in order to study and play sports at an NCAA Division I or II school. Register here: <https://pub.s1.exacttarget.com/txgw3ulvaay>

College Virtual Visits for PRHS students

You must register for the visits through your SCOIR account.

April 16- University of South Carolina

April 30- Drexel University

SAVE THE DATE

Are you interested in taking SPCC courses and earning college credit? SPCC Registration begins April 19!

Please email Ms. White (tondra.white@ucps.k12.nc.us) if you have any questions.

Career & College Promise Program

SPCC will be hosting virtual Information Sessions to learn about the Career and College Promise Program every second Monday at 6pm during the spring semester. Contact Ms. White if you have any questions (tondra.white@ucps.k12.nc.us).

Dates: 5/10

<https://spcc.edu/areas-of-study/high-schools/>.

BigFuture Days- Virtual College Fair

• BigFuture Day Southeast, Thursday, April 29, 2021, 5:00 – 9:00pm ET

[UCPS College Readiness Parent Series](#)

Check out the webinars at the link above offered by the UCPS College Readiness Office.

May 1, 2021- SCOIR for Junior Parents and Students.



General/Community Info

Food Pantry Assistance

- **Common Heart** has a mobile pantry at Mill Grove United Methodist (7311 Mill Grove Rd., Indian Trail) on Mondays from 7-8 pm. Families can come once a month.
- Also on Thursdays at **Light It Up Monroe** (1411 Helms St, Monroe), 6:00-7:30 pm, free groceries, clothes, hot food (served that night), coffee (Blessed Beans), basketball (Coach James usually attends), and more! Families can come each week.

Esta informacion es para familias que ocupen asistencia de despensas de comida.

- **Common Heart** tiene una despensa movil en Mill Grove United Methodist (7311 Mill Grove Rd., Indian Trail) los Lunes de 7:00 a 8 pm. Las familias pueden venir una vez al mes.
- Tambien todos los Jueves en **Light It Up Monroe**(1411 Helms St, Monroe) de 6: 00-7: 30 pm hay despensas de comida, ropa, comida caliente (servida esa noche), cafe (Blessed Beans), baloncesto (nuestra entrenadora de baloncesto Sra. James generalmente asiste) y mas! Las familias pueden venir cada semana.

Male Students- We want you to remember that when you turn 17.5 to 18, it's the law that you register with Selective Service.

Registration with Selective Service is your civic responsibility and keeps you eligible for student loans, job training, government jobs, and driver's licenses in most states.

Get a Selective Service registration card at your local post office or register online at www.ss.gov. You can even register with your smart phones. If you have any questions regarding registration, talk to Mr. James. He's your Selective Service Registrar.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

GOT CHROMEBOOK ISSUES?

Location: D105 inside Media Center;
Who: Mr. Walden or Ms. Snelson;
Hours: Mon-Thurs 7:30- 8:45 am and
Mon-Thurs 10:15- 12:00 pm;

Friday- Make an appointment w/ Mr.
Walden by email

jason.walden@ucps.k12.nc.us

Students may sign up on the PRHS website for the May Driver's Education class. Registration is open from April 12th thru April 23rd.

Porter Ridge High School is in need of proctors to help with AP testing May 3rd-May 17th. The tests last from 7:45 to 4:00, but any portion of the time you can help would be greatly appreciated. The tests will be given at the school. Please email Linda Robinson at linda.robinson@ucps.k12.nc.us if you are able to help.

Join us for a night of one acts as The Castaway's Present a night of one acts on April 23rd at 7 PM. Shows include Text, The Nature of Touch and 30 Breakfasts. We will have both a small live audience and a live stream. Buy tickets at porterridgehs.seatyourself.biz for \$7. Tickets will only be sold in advance.



The following college will be having a virtual visit with PRHS students: Drexel University on 4/30 @ 10am. Sign up to attend through SCOIR on the student start up page. Students who sign up and attend school in-person will be given a pass to come to the counseling office for the visit.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please join the National Honor Society in our efforts to collect school supplies for those in need for the following school year. If you would like to donate, please drop your items off in the cardboard box in the front office. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Martino

Porter Ridge's math honor society (Mu Alpha Theta) will have its next meeting this Friday, April 23 at 3:30 PM in room E-210. If attending virtually, a Zoom link will be sent out later this week by Mr. Howard. We will be deciding next year's officers and discussing our Classroom Central flashcard drive. Please see Mr. Howard with any questions.

During Awareness Week 2021 at Porter Ridge High School, the GSA is sponsoring a toiletries collection for Time Out Youth. If possible, we ask that you donate toiletry items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, deodorant, etc. There is a collection bin in the Main Office and one in Mr. Crider's room F108. Today is the **Day of Silence**. The goal of this day is to spread awareness about the bullying and harassment that LGBTQ students often experience in their daily lives. Let's strive not to silence our peers' voices and to remember to celebrate all of our diversity here at PR. You will find mini posters with a QRC code that will provide more information about today in the main hallway leading to Grand Central. This is the last day of Awareness Week and we thank all of you for your participation and hope that each of you had time to reflect on the importance of supporting ALL people. We are PR.



GRADUATION DATES

Save the Date Senior Pirates!

Ticket information is not available at this time. Ticket numbers will be determined based on health/safety protocols at that time.



GRADUATION SCHEDULE

Union County Public Schools will hold graduations for traditional high schools in stadiums May 28 – June 4, 2021. The graduations will be livestreamed for public viewing.

UCPS will follow the latest health and safety guidelines from the North Carolina Health and Human Services Department and the Union County Health Department. Protocols will be implemented to practice social distancing.

In the event of severe weather, rain dates have been set to reschedule ceremonies. Principals will communicate directly to seniors and their families, if the date of their graduation is changed.

School	Date	Start Time	Location
Central Academy of Technology & Arts (CATA)	June 4	8 a.m.	Walter Bickett Stadium
Cuthbertson High	June 3	8 p.m.	Cuthbertson High Stadium
Forest Hills High	June 2	8 a.m.	Forest Hills High Stadium
Marvin Ridge High	June 4	8 a.m.	Marvin Ridge High Stadium
Monroe High	June 2	8 p.m.	Monroe High Stadium
Parlowood High	June 3	8 a.m.	Parlowood High Stadium
Piedmont High	June 3	8 a.m.	Piedmont High Stadium
Porter Ridge High	June 2	8 p.m.	Porter Ridge High Stadium
South Providence School	June 1	6:30 p.m.	CATA (Live stream not available)
Sun Valley High	June 4	8 p.m.	Sun Valley High Stadium
Union County Early College	June 3	8 p.m.	Sun Valley High Stadium
Weddington High	June 2	8 a.m.	Weddington High Stadium
Wolfe School	May 28	6:30 p.m.	CATA (Live stream not available)



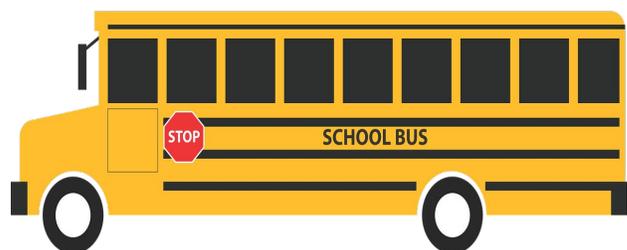
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Transportation Info Fall 2020

**Attestation Forms MUST
be filled out Weekly!**



Transportation

Weekly Attestation Form – Must be turned in to the bus driver each week

- [Printable form](#) [Printable form in Spanish](#)
- -OR-
- [Google form](#) [Google form in Spanish](#)

Parent Acknowledgement Form – Must be completed prior to the first day a student rides the bus

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