



Hello PRHS Families,

We hope you are enjoying your summer vacation and getting some well- deserved rest! While you are relaxing , we are busy here at Pirate Nation getting ready for next school year. Take the time to read this edition in its entirety. Have a great summer Pirates

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Pirate Ports of Information



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SUMMER LEARNING CAMP 2021

Summer Learning Camp is in full swing here at PRHS. If you would like more information about UCPS Summer Learning Camp please click [HERE](#)

SUMMER LEARNING CAMP AT PRHS

SERVING PR, PIEDMONT & SUN VALLEY STUDENTS

SUMMER LEARNING CAMP BEGINS MONDAY, JUNE 14. STUDENTS, PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR STUDENT EMAIL FOR INFORMATION ABOUT SUMMER LEARNING CAMP!

DAILY SCHEDULE:

8:20-1:55 AM SESSION

PE AND LUNCH ROTATIONS (10:30-1:30)

2:00-3:10 PM ROTATIONS

3:10 DISMISSAL

* BREAKFAST AND LUNCH PROVIDED

* MASKS MUST BE WORN

* BRING CHROMEBOOK AND CHARGERS



NEW COURSES- SIGN UP TODAY!

Check out some of the courses still available for sign up! Sign-Up Here!

<https://forms.gle/NKWDThEtKvUu18LU9...>

Must use student email!

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Course Sign-Up

Complete the form below if you are interested in any of the courses listed for the 2021 -2022 School Year!

Summer Course Form!

- Accounting
- Financial Planning
- Drafting I
- Robotics I
- Hospitality and Tourism
- Computer Programming - Python, Basic
- Music Theory
- Class Piano
- Physics CP/HN
- AP Gov
- AP Human Geography
- AP Chemistry
- AP European History
- Lifetime Sports yoga
- Student Help Desk
- Athletic Management

SEE CLASS DESCRIPTIONS ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

CLASS DESCRIPTORS



ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL PLANNING

SIGN-UP HERE



ACCOUNTING I - THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO HELP STUDENTS UNDERSTAND THE BASIC PRINCIPLES OF THE ACCOUNTING CYCLE. EMPHASIS IS PLACED ON THE ANALYSIS AND RECORDING OF BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS, PREPARATION, AND INTERPRETATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS, BANKING AND PAYROLL ACTIVITIES, BASIC TYPES OF BUSINESS OWNERSHIP, AND AN ACCOUNTING CAREER ORIENTATION

FINANCIAL PLANNING - THIS COURSE IS DESIGNED TO COVER KEY STRATEGIES FOR WEALTH BUILDING AS STUDENTS LEARN TO EVALUATE BUSINESSES FOR INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES WHILE INCORPORATING CURRENT HEADLINES AND TRENDS, FINANCIAL RESOURCES, AND STOCK MARKET SIMULATION. ALSO STUDENTS WILL DEVELOP TECHNIQUES TO ENHANCE PERSONAL WEALTH BUILDING FOR A SECURE FINANCIAL FUTURE. CURRENT TECHNOLOGY WILL BE USED TO ACQUIRE INFORMATION AND TO COMPLETE ACTIVITIES.



DRAFTING I HONORS




SIGN-UP HERE

THIS COURSE INTRODUCES STUDENTS TO THE USE OF SIMPLE AND COMPLEX GRAPHIC TOOLS USED TO COMMUNICATE AND UNDERSTAND IDEAS AND CONCEPTS FOUND IN THE AREAS OF ARCHITECTURE, MANUFACTURING, ENGINEERING, SCIENCE, AND MATHEMATICS. TOPICS INCLUDE PROBLEM-SOLVING STRATEGIES, CLASSICAL REPRESENTATION METHODS SUCH AS SKETCHING, GEOMETRIC CONSTRUCTION TECHNIQUES, AS WELL AS COMPUTER ASSISTED DESIGN (CAD), ORTHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION, AND 3-D MODELING. ASSOCIATED CREDENTIAL: AUTODESK CERTIFIED USER AUTOCAD

Sign Up For Theatre I

Theatre I is an introductory theatre class. In this class you will learn the basics of acting techniques and technical theatre in a fun dynamic environment. You will also gain performance experience as you participate in this year's showcase.

LIFE IS FULL OF DRAMA

Sign Up For Tech Theatre I

Like theater but not performing. Tech Theatre I may be for you. Learn the basics of lighting, sound, costume, makeup and set design in construction using a hands on approach. Students will gain experience as they construct sets and provide technical support for productions



AP EURO & AP HUMAN GEO



SIGN-UP HERE

AP HUMAN - THIS COURSE FOCUSES ON THE STUDY OF GEOGRAPHY AS A SOCIAL SCIENCE BY EMPHASIZING THE RELEVANCE OF GEOGRAPHIC CONCEPTS TO HUMAN PROBLEMS. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE THE AP EXAM FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF THE COURSE.

AP EURO - THIS COURSE SURVEYS EUROPEAN HISTORY FROM APPROXIMATELY 1450 UNTIL THE PRESENT. STUDENTS WILL INVESTIGATE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, CULTURAL, INTELLECTUAL, POLITICAL AND DIPLOMATIC THEMES AND DEVELOP ANALYTICAL THINKING AND PERSUASIVE WRITING SKILLS. STUDENTS ARE EXPECTED TO TAKE THE AP EXAM FOLLOWING THE COMPLETION OF



ATHLETIC MANAGEMENT



SIGN-UP HERE

THIS COURSE WILL ALLOW STUDENTS TO ACTIVELY EXPLORE AND RESEARCH ATHLETIC OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGIATE, AND PROFESSIONAL LEVEL.



CLASS PIANO



SIGN-UP HERE

This course provides students the opportunity to study and develop skills in music reading, rhythm, chords, basic theory, and technical pianistic skills.



*We can not wait to meet our new
Pirates!*



We will be hosting tours every Tuesday starting the week of July 12th until Aug 10, from 4pm - 7pm

Please go to our Porter Ridge Home page under [Quicklinks](#) for a sign up sheet or click [HERE](#) . More information to follow the 1st week of July under Quicklinks.

*9th grade orientation will be Aug 12th, more
details to come*



PIRATE SENIORS

We are excited to be releasing the 2022 Senior Packets Today! Keeping with tradition, Porter Ridge Senior Packets are spirit items offered to all Seniors to express their school pride and commemorate their senior year with style. All designs have been updated exclusively for the class of 2022.

Senior families can order online or by mail. Order forms can be found at <https://www.porterridgeband.org/seniorpackets>

All questions and concerns can be sent to PRseniorpackets@gmail.com

Class of 2022

SENIOR PACKETS

Packets Include:

- Senior Shirts
- Yard Signs
- Shorts
- Senior Bags
- Lanyard
- Spirit T-Shirt
- Senior Sweats

Senior
CLASS OF 2022

Order Now

WWW.PORTERRIDGEBAND.ORG

2021-2022 Senior Formals

Porter Ridge High School is excited to announce the dates of the 2022 senior formal pictures. All rising seniors should schedule their senior picture session in order to be in the yearbook and have lasting memories of their senior year.

Prestige Portraits will be at Porter Ridge High School on the dates below to offer these special photography sessions. **Dates:** July 12-15, 2021

The dress requirements for the yearbook image include having the ladies photographed in a black drape and the gentlemen photographed in a tuxedo. Prestige will provide these outfits at the time of your session. Ladies should bring a tank top to go under the drape and men should bring a white t-shirt to go under the tux. Also, don't forget to bring one outfit for your casual pictures!

To schedule your session:

1. Please visit [schedule.prestigeportraits.com](https://www.schedule.prestigeportraits.com).
2. Enter the city and state for your school.
3. Once you find your school, enter your information to schedule your appointment time.
4. Prepay online or pay at the camera.
5. There are limited appointments available, so sign up soon!

Questions? Please contact Prestige Portraits at 919-377-0026

or email prestigeraleigh@lifetouch.com



PRHS ATHLETICS

For more information about PRHS Athletics click [HERE](#)



PR PORTER RIDGE PIRATES

2021-2022 ATHLETIC TRYOUT INFO

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All Athletes Must Register in FamilyID



Fall Tryout Info

Check out the tryout dates below for Fall Sports. Porter Ridge offers in the fall Men's & Women's Cross Country, Football, Women's Field Hockey, Men's Soccer, Women's Golf, Volleyball, and Women's Tennis.

<u>Sport</u>	<u>Coach</u>	<u>Email</u>	<u>Tryout Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Football Head	Michael Hertz	Michael.Hertz@ucps.k12.nc.us	Aug 2 & 3	7:30am - Noon
Men's Soccer	Ron Ladimir	ron.ladimir@ucps.k12.nc.us	Aug 2 - Aug 5	8:00am - 10:0am
Volleyball	Heather Welch	heather.welch@ucps.k12.nc.us	Aug 2 & 3	10:00am - Noon
Women's Tennis	Tom McQueen	tjmcqueen@earthlink.net	Aug 2 & 3	8:00am - 10:0am
Women's Golf	David Scholl	djscholl1@gmail.com	TBD	TBD
Cross Country	Tim Beckerman	tb2006itnc@gmail.com	Aug 2 & 3	8:00am - 10:0am
Women's Field Hockey	Carissa Pitera	carissa.pitera@gmail.com (pay to play through the booster club)	TBD	TBD



FIELD HOCKEY INTEREST

PORTER RIDGE
FIELD HOCKEY
REGISTRATION IS OPEN!



Rising Freshmen & existing
students - come try a new sport!
Beginners welcome!!

Register at
www.CharlotteAmbush.com

Click on Interscholastic Teams
Or use this QR Code:



email: Terry@CharlotteAmbush.com
for questions



Free!!

POPUK CLINIC

BEGINNER FIELD HOCKEY

Wed JUNE 30 5:30-7:00PM

Matthews Sportsplex Field #1

BRING A FRIEND

>CLICK TO SIGN UP<



Porter Ridge High School Field Hockey Team

TEAM DETAILS:

This is a Porter Ridge HS Interscholastic Field Hockey team managed by Charlotte Ambush Field Hockey Club in partnership with Porter Ridge High School. The team is open to all PRHS girls.

Season Dates:

August 2 - October 16 (End of Season Tournament)

Practice/Game Information:

- Practice will be Monday - Friday on the PRMS practice field 3:30-5:00pm.
- We will have 14 games during the season. One or two games per week.
- Games will typically be Tuesdays/Thursdays at Matthews Sportsplex.
- Please plan for a 5 day a week commitment including practices and games.

Do I need experience to play?

No! We have fabulous coaches who will teach you the game!!

Multi-sport athletes are welcome to play!

Head Coach: [Carissa Piters](mailto:Carissa.Piters@charlotteambush.com) (carissa.piters@gmail.com)

Assistant Coaches: [Abby Moore](mailto:Abby.Moore.75@gmail.com) (abby.moore.75@gmail.com)

What do I need to start playing Field Hockey?

- Field hockey stick (returning players, do you need a new grip?)
- Field Hockey Shin guards (we recommend the hard kind)
- Mouth guard (cannot be white or clear)
- Turf shoes or cleats are recommended. Please note that regular athletic shoes offer little support for lateral movement and minimal traction.

(If access to any of this equipment is a problem, please reach out to Terry@CharlotteAmbush.com)

What do I need to do now?

- Encourage your friends and classmates to join you in the fall! Beginners welcome!
- Go to www.CharlotteAmbush.com > [Interscholastic Teams](#) and pre-register now!
- Check the website for Summer Training opportunities.
- **REGISTRATION CLOSES July 2**

Cost:

- \$425 for the season.
- We believe that money should never get in the way of the desire to play (scholarships available)!!
- You can pay all at once or use a payment plan option.
- Contact Sarah (Coach K - Info@charlotteambush.com) for information about need-based scholarships.
- This cost covers all the nuts and bolts that it takes to run a sports program - coaches, umpires, field space, EMTs, equipment, etc. NOTE: NEW UNIFORMS THIS SEASON!!

Got Questions?? Contact Terry Loeb - Charlotte Ambush Athletic Director (Terry@CharlotteAmbush.com)

Where can I purchase Field Hockey supplies?

You can get some of these things at new or used sporting goods stores. We recommend Aerial Field Hockey (locally owned and operated). The folks at Aerial are super nice and very knowledgeable about the game and help fit equipment to your specific needs/budget. They have competitive pricing and beginner kits. Call/Txt: 704-460-1198 email: amh@aerialfieldhockey.com Website: <http://www.aerialfieldhockey.com>



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PRHS WRESTLING

Coach Durbin was presented with a plaque to commemorate reaching his 500th win last week!

REGIONAL QUALIFIERS:

113 Liam Kirk
120 Joseph
Courtney
126 Ryan
Blanchard
132 Christian Hasty
138 Syler Weber
152 Geo Giron
160 Seth Quinones
170 JD Cupp
182 Aidan Chew
195 Kolbi Tarlton
220 Nathan Carnes



Regional placers

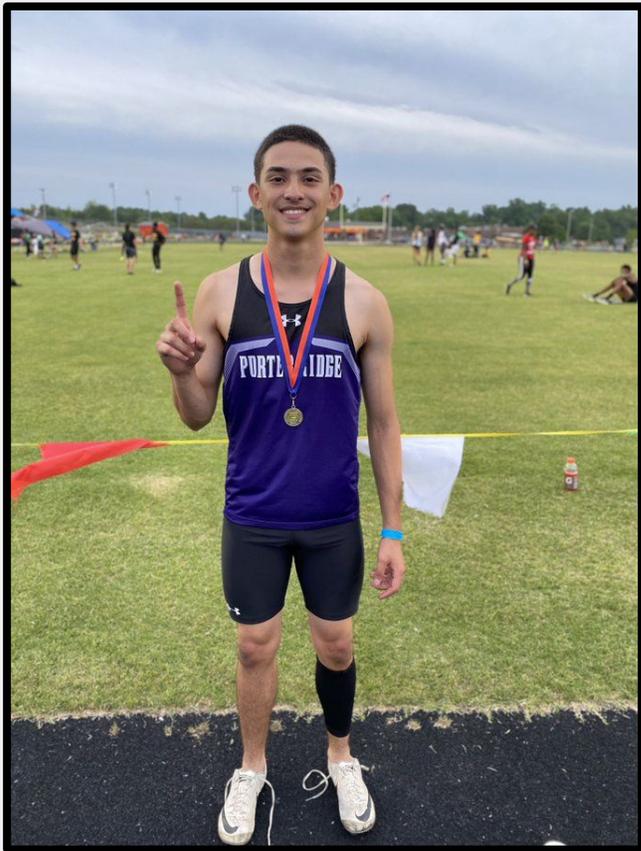
Hasty 3rd
Weber 4th
Nathan Carnes finished 1st



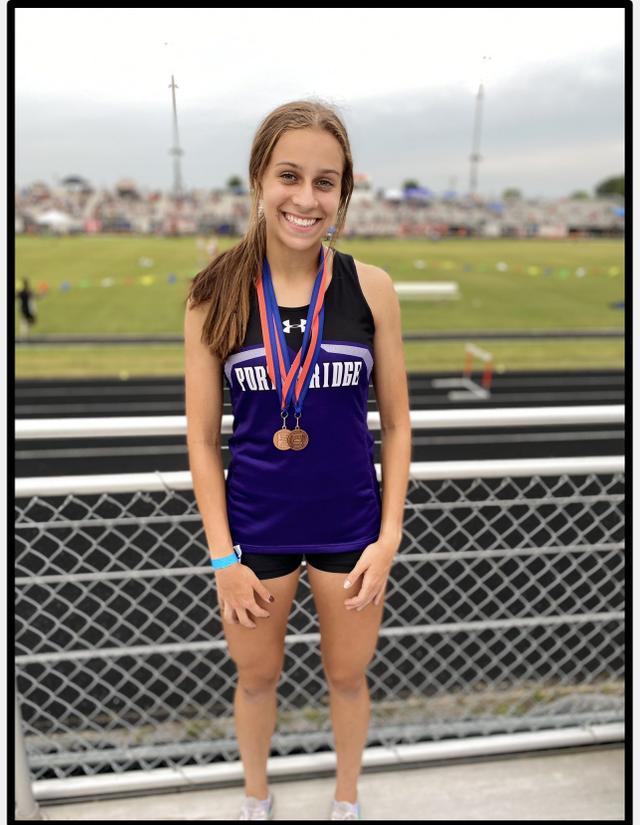


PRHS ATHLETICS

Junior Brandon Benitez places 1st in the 300mH and is headed to states!



Junior Sallie Garner places 3rd in the girls 400m dash with a PR time of 59.59 and qualifies for states!



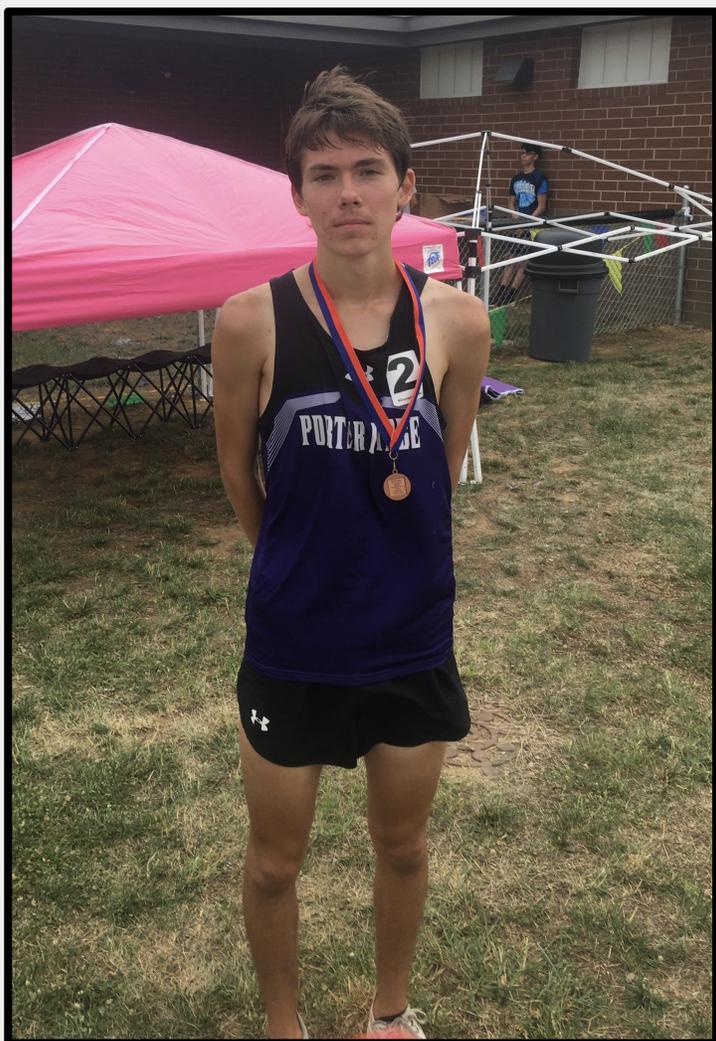
Jacob Laney & Dominic Conroy qualify for STATES in 3200m. Laney takes 2nd and Conroy 4th!





PRHS ATHLETICS

Jacob Laney takes 3rd in 1600m and qualifies for STATES!



Congrats to women's track and field 4x100 Relay members:

Sallie Garner
Margaret Garner
Makayla Wheelock
Aniya Scales

Taking 3rd and making STATES!!





PIRATE BASEBALL TAKES CONFERENCE

Pirates are Conference Champs!!
Way2go Pirates!!



PORTER RIDGE

BASEBALL

SW4A CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS



Who is your counselor?

We have some new additions to the counseling department, as soon as the hiring process is complete through Human Resources we will post the changes

Ashley Lawson– last names A-Cou
ashley.lawson@ucps.k12.nc.us

TBA - last names Cov-Hek
@ucps.k12.nc.us

Bryan James – last names Hel-Mc
bryan.james@ucps.k12.nc.us

Cassidy Lippert– last names Me-San
cassidy.lippert@ucps.k12.nc.us

TBA– last names Sap-Z
@ucps.k12.nc.us

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. If you have any questions 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. Si tiene algunas preguntas, no dude en enviar un correo electronico a su consejero.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

2021-2022 Schedules are still being processed, any schedules that you may see are not FINAL. Please wait until mid-August to check your schedule in PowerSchool

Yearbook distribution is TENTATIVELY scheduled for the week of July 12th

We will have multiple pickup dates and times for your convenience. Our Yearbook staff worked diligently to fill our yearbook with great memories and we know that the extra time used to gather those photos from spring events will be well worth the wait!!