

# Wolf Pack Press



Good evening, Parkwood Wolf Pack families,

There have been some updates to the previous communication you received. They can be found throughout this issue of WPP. Page 2, page 5, and the links in the Quick Links pages were updated.

The summer is almost over, which brings us to our favorite time of year - when students are in school! I'm writing to share some vital beginning of the year information with you.

Throughout the school year, you'll receive Wolf Pack Press issues which will provide you with the information associated with student life, our weekly after school activities schedule, counseling updates, etc. Please look for these emails weekly so that you are up-to-date on what is going on throughout the school year.

For the first week of school, please keep in mind that everyone is excited about taking their children to school. Please expect traffic delays. You may want to go ahead and plan to leave a little early the first week. We want everyone back in school promptly and safely.

Looking forward to the 2023-2024 school year!

Go Wolf Pack!

**Remember to follow us on social media:**

**Follow us on Facebook:** [ParkwoodHSNC](#)

**Follow us on Twitter:** [@ParkwoodHSNC](#)

**Follow us on Instagram:** [@ParkwoodHSNC](#)



# PWHS Calendar

## August 14-25 School Events

Monday 8/14	Tuesday 8/15	Wednesday 8/16	Thursday 8/17	Friday 8/18	Saturday 8/19
	Volleyball at Butler 5:00/6:00	Soccer vs. Langtree 6:00  Tennis @ Mt. Pleasant 4:00	JV Football @ Cuthbertson 6:30	Football vs. Cuthbertson 7:00	
Monday 8/21	Tuesday 8/22	Wednesday 8/23	Thursday 8/24	Friday 8/25	Saturday 8/26
Volleyball vs. Butler 5:00/6:00  Soccer @ Union Academy 6:00	Tennis vs. Sun Valley 4:00	Volleyball at Mt. Pleasant 5:00/6:00  Soccer vs Providence 6:00	Tennis vs. MCA 4:00  VB vs. PRHS 5:00/6:00  JV Football @ Central 6:30  Soccer @ MCA 5:30	Freshman Orientation 12:30-2:00  Open House 2:00-3:30  Football vs. Central 7:00	PWHS JROTC presenting colors at the Charlotte FC match (Bank of America Stadium)



# Athletics



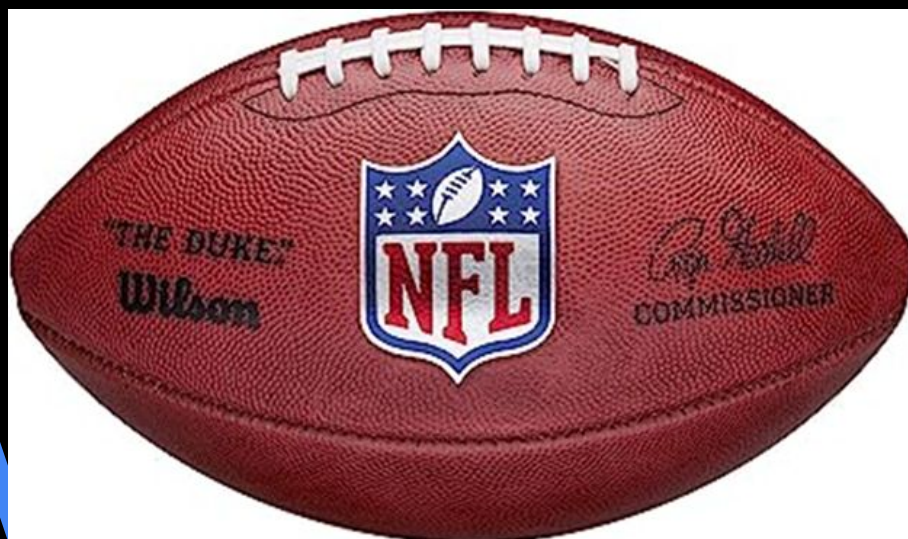
Every student needs to purchase an All Sport Student Pass. Only \$40 for every single home game this year - all sports! (Playoff games excluded - and we plan to play in playoff games a lot this year :)

<https://parkwoodathleticzone.com/partner/28/event/4178/buy-tickets>

Passcode = UCPS Student ID number



Reduced price ticket for football game 8/25/2023



**\$5!**

Reduced price football tickets for 8/25/2023 game!  
Come to Freshman Orientation/Open House on  
8/25/2023 and purchase a ticket to the football game  
that night for \$5. Tickets sold in person cash/check  
only.





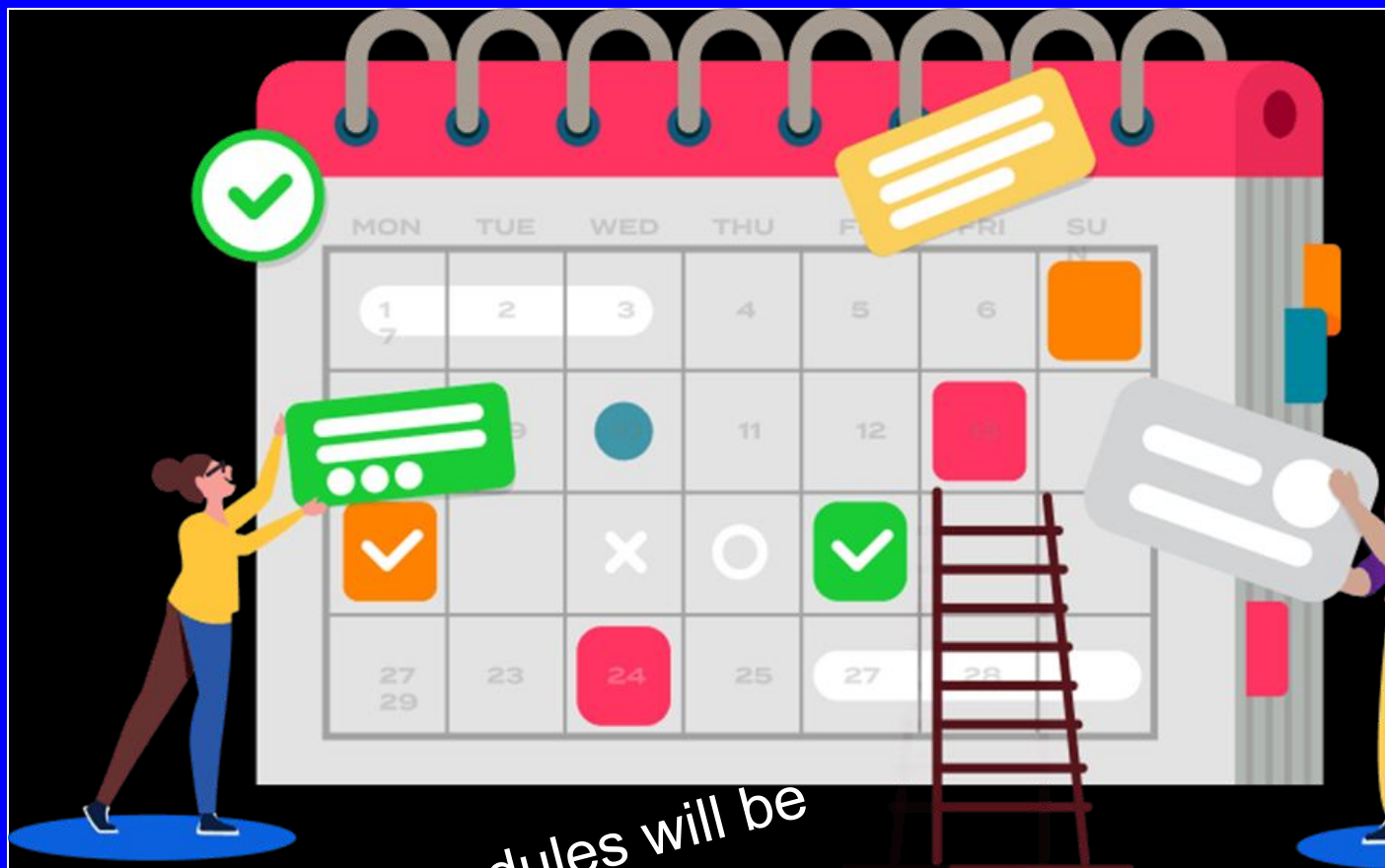
## Parkwood High School JROTC at Bank of America Stadium



Our JROTC will present the colors at the MLS Charlotte FC match at Bank of America Stadium on Saturday, August 26. If you are interested in activities like this, please contact Maj. Jones or MSgt. Marvel to discuss these opportunities.



# Student schedules



Student schedules will be viewable on PowerSchool on Thursday, 8/17/2023.

Students needing a schedule correction need to use the link below to sign up. Schedule corrections are only available for the reasons listed on the Google Form. [Link here.](#)



# Student Chromebooks



For students who have paid all of their technology fees, Chromebook distribution will be held in the Student Center on the following dates:

- Friday, 8/18/2023 from 9:00 - 12:00
- Monday, August 21 from 9:00 - 12:00
- Friday, August 25 from 12:30 - 3:30

Please use this link to pay for your student's technology fee:

<https://osp.osmsinc.com/UnionNC/BVModules/ProductTemplates/Bvc2013/Product.aspx?productid=BH042-277>





# Student parking



Hang tags for students who have been assigned parking will be available to pick up the following dates:

- Monday, August 21 2:00 – 4:00
- Tuesday, August 22 2:00 – 4:00
- Thursday, August 24 2:00 – 4:00

[Parking Pass Info](#)





# Juniors PSAT Sign-Up

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NMSQT®**



 **NATIONAL MERIT  
SCHOLARSHIP CORPORATION**

Current juniors may sign up to take the PSAT, which is the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. The PSAT will be given at the end of October. UCPS will pay for current juniors only to take the exam. The deadline to sign up is August 31<sup>st</sup>. Juniors must sign up at this link (students must be logged into their school google account to access the form):

<https://forms.gle/YfVCKXstsBwj6beV8>



# Parents & Guardians

With a new school year comes a need to make sure that we have the correct contact information for all our families. Please take a moment and verify in PowerSchool that the following are still correct:

- Contact Names
- Contact Numbers
- Contact Emails

Please contact [melinda.rivers@ucps.k12.nc.us](mailto:melinda.rivers@ucps.k12.nc.us) to update your information.

**Keep in Mind**- You will need to show your ID when coming to the school so please remember to bring it with you.



# Quick Links

Office Phone: 704-296-0154

## PWHS & UCPS Information

- [Counseling Department](#)
- [PWHS CTE](#)
- [UCPS Calendar](#)
- [Media Center](#)
- [Transportation Bus App \(New!\)](#)
- [Volunteer Information](#)
- [Annual Parent Notification Process/Policy 5-08](#)

## Instructional Support

- Student Technology Help Desk
- [Technology Tutorials for Parents and Students](#)
- [EmpowerEd Parent Portal](#)
  - [Mobile Apps, Attendance and Grades, Canvas Access and Tutorials](#)
  - [Tutorial Video](#)

## Back to School Forms

- [Free and Reduced Lunch Application](#) (If Applicable)
- [Military Connected](#) (If Applicable) \*
- [Notice of Right to Withhold Consent](#) (If Applicable) \*
- [Request for Medical Information](#) (Required) \*
- [Authorization to Carry Medicine](#) (If Applicable) \*

*\* Indicates physical copy. Please print, complete and return to homeroom teacher, if applicable. Physical copies are available in front office, upon request.*



# Quick Links

## [PWHS Student Handbook](#)

- Attendance Policy
- Student Dress Code

[Edulog](#) for Bus Transportation Zone

## [Parking Pass Info](#)

## [Yearbook Information](#)

## [Say Something Anonymous Reporting System](#)

Chromebook issues:

- New students report to media center to collect new computer
- Broken computers/computer issues, see Mr. Gaither between 12:00 - 4:00