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Park Center Pirates' Newsletter

Park Center Senior High
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August 2019

DATES TO REMEMBER

AUGUST

12.....Fall Sports Start
21.....Student Orientation
21.....Picture Day

SEPTEMBER

2.....No School-Labor Day
3.....First Day of School
11.Learning Conferences 5:30-8pm
16.....Picture Make-Up Day
16-21.....Homecoming Week
20.....Homecoming Game

OCTOBER

10.....Conferences-3:15-7:30pm
14.....Picture Re-Take Day
14.....Conferences-3:15-7:30pm
17&18.....No School-MEA
28.....Staff Workshop-No School

NOVEMBER

26.....End of TRI I
27.....No School - Mark Reporting
28-29.....No School - Thanksgiving

DECEMBER

2.....Trimester II Begins
(Dec 23-Jan 3).....**WINTER BREAK**

January 2020

6.....School Resumes
20.....No School - MLK Day
22.....Registration Conferences
27.....Staff Workshop-No School
30.....Conferences-3:15-7:30pm

February

17.....No School-President's Day

March

6.....Trimester II Ends
8.....Musical 3pm
9.....No School - Mark Reporting
10.....Trimester III Begins
24.....ACT (District-Wide)

April

6-10.....SPRING BREAK!
27.....Staff Workshop-No School
28.....Conferences-3:00-7:30pm

May

6.....Awards Night
16.....Prom
25.....No School-Memorial Day

June

5.....Last day of School
6.....Commencement Day

Dear Park Center Parents/Guardians/Students:

I hope this letter finds you wrapping up an enjoyable and restful summer. It is with great pride and excitement that I write this letter. We are very excited to welcome everyone to the 2019-2020 school year at Park Center Senior High School. At Park Center we encourage ALL students to demonstrate P.R.I.D.E.

We want you to:

- ◆ Participate in your education
- ◆ Respect yourself and others
- ◆ Inspire others
- ◆ Do the right thing
- ◆ Excel in all you do

A "Back to School" Orientation for **ALL** grade levels for the 2019-2020 school year will be held at Park Center on Wednesday, August 21st. All students attending Park Center this fall are encouraged to attend the appropriate orientation:

Freshman: 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Sophomores: 1:00 p.m.- 2:00 p.m.

Juniors/Seniors: 2:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.

It is very important that **Freshman** attend their session in full from 8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. as our Link Leaders have designed an incredible morning of activities to welcome students into the Pirate Family. The freshman orientation will start promptly at 8:00 a.m. in the South Gym.

Students will be **required** to have their school picture taken before they will be allowed to pick up their tentative class schedule. Picture order information is included in this newsletter on page 14.

There will be several "booths" set up in the cafeteria where you can get information including, but not limited to, food service, school activities, counseling, health services, special education, and ELL programs.

Students are encouraged to bring a check to deposit in their lunch account so they are ready for the first day of school. Checks should have the first and last name of the student written on them, along with the PIN, if known. Further, if students will be taking medication during the school day, this would be a good time to bring the medication to the nurse.

For more information regarding student orientation, please see page 3.

We look forward to seeing you on August 21, 2019. Let's have a great year!

Sincerely,

Heather Miller-Cink, Principal

 @PCPrincipalHMC

We are excited to introduce you to
Mr. Erik Thompson
our new Assistant Principal



Hello Park Center!

My name is Erik Thompson and I would like to introduce myself as the newest Assistant Principal at Park Center Senior High. I am so excited to join the amazing staff and community at PCSH! The educational experiences, values, students, and families here make Park Center a very special place. I am beyond thrilled to join the amazing team here!!

I come to Park Center after serving both Hopkins and Burnsville Public Schools. Last year, I was a Dean of Students at Burnsville High School. Prior to that experience, I worked in Hopkins where I was a Spanish teacher by trade but filled a number of leadership positions. During my time there, I developed its Juntos Immersion Program, I was a Dean of Students and Department Chair, and I served as their District Director of AVID.

My experiences in education have greatly impacted my practice as an educator as well as me as a person. I strive to develop positive relationships with students, families, and staff. I work hard to create as many opportunities as possible for students while breaking down the barriers that prevent them from receiving the educations that they deserve. I believe in setting high expectations for all, while providing the supports necessary for us to reach them. I am dedicated to educating and supporting each student so they are able to graduate from PCHS, prepared for where they go next!

Please feel free to stop by and tell your students to do the same. I am excited for the start of the school year and this new adventure!

Best,

Erik Thompson

Park Center Senior High Assistant Principal

thompsons@district279.org

BACK TO SCHOOL EVENTS

Student Orientations

Wednesday, August 21, 2019

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| <i>Freshman (9th)</i> | <i>8:00 am to 12:00 pm</i> |
| <i>Sophomores (10th)</i> | <i>1:00 pm to 2:00 pm</i> |
| <i>Juniors/Seniors (11th / 12th)</i> | <i>2:00 pm to 3:00 pm</i> |

The purpose of the orientation is to prepare students for the start of the school year.

Students will:

- ◆ Receive a tentative schedule
- ◆ Learn their way around the building
- ◆ Take school pictures
- ◆ Learn about Park Center P.R.I.D.E. behavior and academic expectations
- ◆ Freshman students will be welcomed by our LINK Crew, which will “link” them to high school and student leaders

First Day of School

Tuesday, September 3, 2019

7:30 am - 2:00 pm

What to bring on the first day of school:

- ◆ School supplies (folders, notebooks, pens/pencils) and a combination lock for locker
- ◆ Eligible students wishing to purchase a parking permit should bring a completed parking permit application, their driver’s license, and \$45 (cash or check). Applications can be found on the Park Center website under the “Quick Links” section and in the Attendance Office (***parent signature is required***).

SCHOOL UPDATES

PARKING LOT

We are under construction-please excuse our appearance as we renovate our parking lots.

****Stay tuned for New Parking and Pickup/Drop off Guidelines****

Building Security

We will share more details regarding our new building entrance procedure

PARKING PERMITS

Parking at school is a privilege, not a right. Our expectation is that students eligible to earn a parking permit will follow the student parking terms and conditions to maintain a safe, orderly, and clean parking lot.

To be eligible for a parking permit students **must:**

- 1.) Have and show a valid MN driver's license
- 2.) Have all fines and fees paid

Permits cost \$45 per trimester. The parking permit application can also be found under the "*Quick Links*" section on the front page of our website.

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL UPDATES

VISITOR & VOLUNTEER MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Please be aware of important information about a new visitor and volunteer management system that our school will be implementing when school resumes on September 3.

Every day, our goal is to provide a safe learning and working environment for students and staff. As part of that effort, our school district will implement a new visitor and volunteer management system, called RAPTOR. The new system will be used during regular office hours.

RAPTOR system benefits: electronic log of all visitors; check against sex offender database

Visitor management is one of the most important components of school safety and security. The RAPTOR visitor and volunteer registration system maintains an electronic log of visitors that can be accessed by administrators, allowing them to easily identify who is in the school at any time. The system also reads a visitor's driver's license or a US government-issued identification and compares the information to a sex offender database, alerting school administrators if a match is found.

What information will be taken from my driver's license?

The RAPTOR system collects the visitor's name, date of birth, partial license number, and photo. No other information is gathered.

What if I don't have a driver's license?

The system can read most government-issued photo identification and passport identification cards. If a visitor does not have any US government-issued identification, a school staff member can accept any form of identification, take a photo and manually enter the person's name into the RAPTOR system.

What to expect

- When you arrive during the school day, you will be asked to present your photo ID. Your ID will be scanned, and you will be issued a name badge to wear during your visit.
- Please allow a few minutes the first time you use the new system. For subsequent visits, you will be able to self-check in by scanning the bar code on the back of your driver's license or other acceptable identification. Look for the sign that reads, "Visitor Self Check-In."

If you are dropping off items in the main office and not entering the school, you do not need to go through the visitor registration process.

Thank you in advance for your support of our work to enhance school safety protocols at Park Center Senior High.

****Favor buscar en nuestra página de internet para leer esta noticia en Español****

ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

It is our expectation that students have good attendance so they may participate fully in the learning process, by being present for the meaningful instruction their teachers provide.

- If your child is absent, please be sure to call the Attendance Office on the day your child is absent. If your child must leave school for an appointment during the day, please send a note **that** day and have your student give it to the attendance personnel before 7:30am to obtain a pass to leave school.
- In the event a student must leave school due to illness, she/he must see the nurse to obtain a "Leave School Permit" approved by the nurse or an administrator before leaving. Failure to follow this procedure may result in an unexcused absence. Parents/Guardians, if you receive a call or text from your child due to illness, tell them they must first see the nurse. Once the nurse assesses an ill student and believes he/she would do better at home, a call is made to the parent/guardian. If your child has a fever over 100 degrees, home is the best place for the child until symptom-free for 24 hours.

ATTENDANCE LINE FOR GRADES 9 & 10

Cindy Wuollet 763-569-7611

ATTENDANCE LINE FOR GRADES 11 & 12

Karen Waldman 763-569-7612

FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICES

BREAKFAST & LUNCH PROGRAM

Our program is set up so that students may put money into an account which they can then draw upon when they purchase a breakfast/lunch by entering their personal account number into a keypad. Every student will be getting a pin called "**Universal PIN**". They will keep this pin throughout high school. Student account numbers will be printed on their schedules.

- ◆ Families may deposit cash or check in their account at the Student Orientation August 21.
- ◆ Students may deposit money into their account prior to "A" lunch on any school day.
- ◆ Checks can be written to *Park Center* or *PCSH*, include the student's name and PIN (if known) in the memo section on the check.
- ◆ Free and reduced lunch applications are available at Student Orientation, in the Counseling Office during the school year, or online at www.d279.us/fma. Applying online is the quickest way to receive benefits. Processing of the paper application takes approximately one week.

Breakfast is served 7-7:25am

*Students eat as they arrive,
before 1st period*

Lunch is served between 11:00am -12:45pm

*Specific times are determined by the
student's schedule*

PARK CENTER DAILY SCHEDULES

REGULAR SCHEDULE

Park Center has a 7-period day schedule with advisory offered one day a week. This schedule accommodates the IB Programme and offers more opportunities for students to take additional courses.

| Monday & Friday | | Tuesday | | Wednesday | | Thursday | |
|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| 1 | 7:30–8:17 | 1 | 7:30–8:38 | 1 | 7:30–8:38 | 2 | 7:30–8:38 |
| 2 | 8:22–9:09 | 2 | 8:43–9:51 | A | 8:43–9:51 | 3 | 8:43–9:51 |
| 3 | 9:14–10:01 | 3 | 9:56–11:04 | 4 | 9:56–11:04 | 4 | 9:56–11:04 |
| 4 | 10:06–10:53 | *5 | 11:09–12:47 | *5 | 11:09–12:47 | *6 | 11:09–12:47 |
| *5 | 10:58–12:16 | 6 | 12:52–2:00 | 7 | 12:52–2:00 | 7 | 12:52–2:00 |
| 6 | 12:21–1:08 | | | | | | |
| 7 | 1:13–2:00 | | | | | | |
| Lunches | | Lunches | | Lunches | | Lunches | |
| A –10:53–11:18 | | A –11:04–11:34 | | A –11:04–11:34 | | A –11:04–11:34 | |
| B –11:23–11:48 | | B –11:39–12:09 | | B –11:39–12:09 | | B –11:39–12:09 | |
| C –11:51–12:16 | | C –12:17–12:47 | | C –12:17–12:47 | | C –12:17–12:47 | |

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

Students will start their day in advisory, where their finalized class schedule will be distributed and then attend periods 1-7. Advisory teacher names and room numbers will be posted in the cafeteria.

| | |
|-----------------|-------------|
| A | 7:30–7:55 |
| 1 | 8:00–8:38 |
| 2 | 8:43–9:21 |
| 3 | 9:26–10:05 |
| 4 | 10:10–10:49 |
| *5 | 10:54–12:24 |
| 6 | 12:29–1:07 |
| 7 | 1:12–1:50 |
| *Lunches | |
| A–10:54–11:24 | |
| B–11:24–11:54 | |
| C–11:54–12:24 | |

THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL SCHEDULE



PARENT - TEACHER CONFERENCES

We value your partnership to ensure the success of your child's educational journey at Park Center and beyond. This partnership between home and school is vital! Your communication with teachers and attending school conferences is encouraged to help support your child throughout their time at Park Center. We also have Parent/Guardian Engagement Meetings where parents are encouraged to attend to provide input and feedback on the programs at PCSH as well as share concerns and ask questions.

Conferences have been designed to welcome you and your child to Park Center (Learning Conferences), offer progress updates for each class (Trimester Conferences), and be active in your child's high school and post-secondary planning (Registration Conferences).

CONFERENCES SCHEDULE

| Learning Conferences 5:00-8:00 p.m. | Conferences Trimester I 3:15-7:30 p.m. | Registration Conference 3:15-7:30 p.m. | Conferences Trimester II 3:15-7:30 p.m. | Conferences Trimester III 3:00-7:30 p.m. |
|--|--|--|---|--|
| Wednesday September 11 <i>(Classrooms)</i> | Thursday October 10 <i>(Arena)</i> | Wednesday January 22 <i>(Classrooms)</i> | Thursday January 30 <i>(Arena)</i> | Tuesday April 28 <i>(Arena)</i> |
| | Monday October 14 <i>(Arena)</i> | | <i>(one night only)</i> | <i>(one night only)</i> |

TRIMESTER GRADE REPORTING CALENDAR

| Trimester | Trimester Dates | Mid-Trimester Grades Updated | End of Trimester | Length of Trimester (in school days) |
|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---|
| Trimester I | September 3-November 26 | October 10, 2019 | November 26, 2019 | 58 Days |
| Trimester II | December 2-March 6 | January 22, 2020 | March 6, 2020 | 57 Days |
| Trimester | March 10-June 5 | April 28, 2020 | June 5, 2020 | 57 Days |

We will have Spanish, Hmong, Vietnamese & Somali interpreters available during all conferences. If you need an interpreter in a language not listed, please contact Ms. Krook in the front office.



PARK CENTER P.R.I.D.E.



Park Center P.R.I.D.E. is a school-wide Initiative that establishes expectations and acknowledges students when they display appropriate behaviors. Park Center P.R.I.D.E. is expected of each student at all times, throughout the entire building and campus.

Participate in your education:

- Be on time, prepared, and ready
- Give consistent effort
- Contribute to the PC community

Respect yourself and others:

- Treat others as you would expect to be treated
- Take care of our school and property
- Be polite and use appropriate language in every language

Inspire others:

- Lead by example
- Be a positive influence on others
- Support and protect the rights of others

Do the right thing:

- Show integrity
- Be responsible
- Make choices that are considerate to others

Excel in all you do:

- Challenge yourself
- Go beyond what is expected
- Promote/develop a positive culture

SENIOR NEWS

PIRATES CLASS OF 2020

A student's senior year tends to be very busy with many details, deadlines and important tasks. This section of the newsletter is designed to inform seniors and their families of upcoming events and deadlines. Please check the SENIOR NEWS section of the newsletter each trimester and visit our website for important senior information throughout the year.

2020 GRADUATION COMMENCEMENT

Saturday, June 6th, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.

Mariucci Arena on the U of M Campus

Seniors will be ordering their cap/gown and diploma online in ***January***.

Please check the **SENIOR NEWS** section of the newsletter each trimester and visit our website for important senior information throughout the year.

All commencement information will be posted on the website, Schoology, via school messenger and included in future PCSH newsletters.

Please contact Ms. Krook (KrookV@district279.org) with any graduation questions.

SENIOR PORTRAITS FOR 2019-20 YEARBOOK

Photos may be from ANY photographer (not only David Banks). David Banks Studio will automatically send us your portrait photo if you did your Senior portrait with them.

Senior Portraits: Due December 20th

We will use a student's regular Lifetouch Photo UNLESS we receive a different photo. *Portraits should be standard portrait photos with professional backdrop* (no full body pictures). Please name the uploaded file with this format: 12LastFirst for example: **12XiongSteven.jpg**

Please send portraits in high resolution to nagelj@district279.org with student name in file name!

SENIOR ALL-NIGHT PARTY PARENT INFO

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to Senior Year! Part of the senior year experience at Park Center is the opportunity for the graduates to attend the Senior All-Night Party (SANP). This lock-in party is a fun and safe way for the seniors to spend their last night together. However, this cannot be possible without the help from parents/guardians. Please consider volunteering to be on the planning committee and help make this memorable night for the Seniors Class of 2020! The Committee members from the Class of 2019 would love to meet with you and give you all the information to help get you started planning for YOUR Senior Class of 2020 Party.

Sincerely Chairperson,

Mark McNamer
markmel99@yahoo.com



COLLEGE AND CAREER RESOURCE

The Career Resource Center (CRC) is a great resource at our school! The CRC is adjacent to the front office area and orchestra classroom in the cafeteria. The CRC provides guidance in career exploration, college application process, financial aid, scholarships, college placement testing, military, employment, internship services, apprenticeship opportunities and more.

The CRC hosts a variety of information sessions for students, as well as families, to help your student develop a plan for after high school. Many college and military reps come to our school to meet with groups of students. In the CRC, we host sessions for students about scholarships, financial aid, testing, NCAA, volunteer and work opportunities, and more to help students explore career options, make plans and prepare for graduation. The CRC also hosts sessions for parents and families to learn about scholarships, financial aid, the college application process, and other post-secondary options. These sessions and other upcoming events are posted on the main page of the CRC website, on PCSH homepage under the "Quick Links" section, and are broadcasted on the monitors outside the CRC. The CRC also posts on Facebook and Twitter. You can follow us at @pc-crc on Twitter and at @ParkCenterCRC on Facebook. Please visit our webpage at <https://sites.google.com/apps.district279.org/pc-crc/home> to learn more about upcoming dates and presentations.

CCRC STAFF

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Jody Hansen Hansenj@district279.org 763-569-7627

Registration for PSAT: The PSAT/NMSQT (National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test) is a standardized test that most high schools in the United States administer to 11th grade students on October 16, 2019. Considered to be a "preliminary SAT," the PSAT test gives students a sense of the format, question types, content, and time limits that they will encounter on the SAT. Additionally, the PSAT test serves as a qualifying test for the National Merit Scholarship Program, an academic competition for recognition and scholarships. This means that some of the highest scoring students may win scholarship money. The PSAT test is a practice for the SAT and one of the starting points on the college admissions journey. For additional information regarding the test visit: www.collegeboard.org/psat. The cost will be \$16.00 per test. Limited fee waivers are available. If there is room 10th grade students can register as well, but their scores will not qualify for the National Merit Scholarship. Interested students should go to the CRC for more information and registration.

Registration must be completed by September 11th in order for a test to be ordered for each examinee.

ACT Test: All junior students are encouraged to take the ACT during the year. The ACT will be offered one time free of charge to all juniors during the school day in the spring – date to be determined. However, students may take the test as many times as they would like by registering on their own at www.actstudent.org.

The **ACT** National test dates for the 2019-2020 school year are:

| <u>Test Date:</u> | <u>Registration Deadline:</u> | <u>(Late Fee Required):</u> |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| September 14, 2019 | August 16, 2019 | August 30, 2019 |
| October 26, 2019 | September 20, 2019 | October 4, 2019 |
| December 14, 2019 | November 8, 2019 | November 22, 2019 |
| February 8, 2020 | January 10, 2020 | January 17, 2020 |
| April 4, 2020 | February 28, 2020 | March 13, 2020 |
| June 13, 2020 | May 8, 2020 | May 22, 2020 |
| July 18, 2020 | June 19, 2020 | June 26, 2020 |

TEST FEE PER TEST OPTION:

ACT (No Writing) **\$52.00**

Includes reports for you, your high school, and up to four college choices (if valid codes are provided when you register).

ACT Plus Writing **\$68.50**

Includes reports for you, your high school, and up to four college choices (if valid codes are provided when you register). The Writing Test fee is refundable, on written request.

Students need to register on-line at www.actstudent.org

Students receiving free/reduced lunch can have their test fees waived TWICE by bringing a copy of the letter they received from Food Service to the CCRC to receive a waiver. Fee waivers **do not** include late fees.

Students can register for the SAT and SAT Subject Tests at www.collegeboard.org

Preparing for the ACT Test booklets that include a full length practice test, including the writing test, strategies to prepare for the test and what to expect on test day are available in the CCRC.

You can take a free ACT or SAT practice tests online at: www.princetonreview.com/practicetests

ASVAB, GED, CLEP and AP tests. The MNCIS website is www.mncis.introcareers.org. The user name is parkcenter and the password is pirates.

DISTRICT-WIDE ACT

ACT Test Opportunity - Tuesday, March 24 - Mark your calendars!

All students enrolled in Grade 11 have the opportunity to take the ACT College-Entrance examination at their high school on a scheduled school day. Students in Grade 12 that did not take the ACT in Grade 11 (*for state to public school district reimbursement*) also have this opportunity.

The initial ACT test date will be held at each district high school on **Tuesday, March 24, 2020**.

A make-up ACT test date will be offered on **Tuesday, April 7, 2020**. The ACT make-up date will take place on a non-school day and be held at one high school only, due to it being during spring break.

District 279 community education offers ACT preparation and practice courses, click [here](#) for information.

Note: For non-electronic communication, provide link below for ACT preparation and practice courses:

https://osseo.ce.eleyo.com/search?q=ACT&redirected_yet=true

PSEO

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION OPTION (PSEO) STUDENTS

It is the responsibility of PSEO students to stay informed by checking in with their counselors and PCSH website on a regular basis to stay current on important information and deadlines. PSEO students are expected to follow the same procedures and deadlines for things such as parking permits, senior/school pictures, commencement, etc.

The PCSH Facebook page, Twitter account, our website (schools.district279.org/pcsh) are all good resources for PSEO students. *Please note that 2nd semester PSEO grades for seniors are not used in tabulating graduation honors.*

TRANSCRIPTS

Osseo School District is offering FREE electronic transcripts for current students. Students needing a transcript should go to www.parchment.com and enter Park Center as the school they attend, then set up a personal profile using an e-mail address that is not their school apps e-mail address. They can then request their transcript be sent electronically to a post-secondary institution, NCAA or an e-mail address. Transcripts will be processed within two school days with the following exceptions – weekends, holidays, during processing of final transcript grades and two days before and three days after trimester end. Former students will be charged a \$5.00 processing fee for this service. Note: When putting in your school, put in “Park Center” only and a drop down menu will come up and then choose “Park Center IB World”.

Minnesota Career Information System (MNCIS) is a computer program provided by District #279 for use for all District #279 students and parents. MNCIS is a valuable tool that provides career, college, financial aid, and scholarship information. Students can take interest tests that match their interest and skills to occupations, and tests that provide practice for the ACT, SAT, PSAT, ASVAB, GED, CLEP and AP tests. The MNCIS website is www.mncis.introcareers.org. The user name is parkcenter and the password is pirates.

REPORT CARDS

Student report cards were mailed the last week of June. If you did not receive your student's report card, please verify in ParentVue and/or StudentVue that we have your current address. If you need to update your address please go to our enrollment center to do so. If you have any questions or would like a copy of your student's report card please contact our registrar at 763-569-7617

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Throughout the school year we are in need of volunteers to help with a variety of tasks. Please stop by to meet our Volunteer/Youth Service Coordinator, at Student Orientation on August 22. Forms will be available if you are interested in learning about our volunteer opportunities. Students also work with our Coordinator to learn about volunteer opportunities in our community.

ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR ALL ATHLETICS & ACTIVITIES

To register online for activities/athletics:

Parents with existing SchoolView accounts

Visit <http://osseo.feepay.com/>, click on “Log in”, and then “Forgot Password” to generate a new FeePay password.

Parents without existing SchoolView accounts

Visit <http://osseo.feepay.com/> and click on the “Sign Up” button to create an account which includes a procedure to identify which students belong to them.

FeePay™ is an online registration system that allows families to register students for athletics and activities at any time of day. After completing all the required documents online, families can use the safe and secure online payment option or pay separately in person or by mail to finalize their student’s registration. A link to FeePay™ is located on the district website: <http://d279.us/FeePay>. Questions, please call the PCSH Activities office at 763-569-7654.

HEALTH SERVICES OFFICE

GETTING SICK AT SCHOOL

If a student becomes ill during the school day or an emergency arises, he/she should see the nurse **before** calling or texting a family member to pick them up at school. Before deciding to send a student home, often 20-30 minute rest, heating pad, or something to eat may be all that is needed to help them through the day. Once the nurse assesses a student and believes he/she would do better at home, a call is made to the parent/guardian. If the student has a fever over 100 degrees, home is the best place for the child until symptom-free for 24 hours.

MEDICATION AT SCHOOL

Over-the-counter medications such as Advil or Tylenol and prescribed medications can be kept in the health office for headaches, pain, and other conditions. Having medication at school can often mean the difference between a student finishing out the school day comfortably or missing valuable academic time. In order for medication to be taken at school, a Medication Form must be on file with the nurse. Forms are available at Student Orientation or in the Health Services Office.

MN IMMUNIZATION LAWS FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

As of September 2014, Minnesota’s Immunization Law now requires that students be vaccinated with the Meningococcal Vaccine (MCV4) by grade 7. This new law has implications for our students and especially for seniors who will be attending a college after graduation. Most colleges will require a MCV4 for enrollment. Medical and conscientious exemptions are still allowed under the law. All students in grades 7 through 12 should get this vaccine. Please contact your clinic for an appointment. If you have questions, please contact our District Nurse Osseo Area Schools at [\(763\) 391-7126](tel:7633917126).

Picture Day is Coming

Order before
Picture Day at:

mylifetouch.com

Picture Day is:
Wednesday, August 21, 2019
Park Center Senior High School

- ① Visit:
mylifetouch.com
- ② Enter
your Picture Day ID
EVTSZFS4Q
- ③ Order
your perfect package—and
don't worry about returning
anything on Picture Day!



Lifetouch
REWARDS

Order online and receive
exclusive offers from
Lifetouch Rewards.

Questions? Please contact Customer Service at 800-736-4753.

Retake Day: Monday, October 14, 2019

Park Center High School
Important Phone Numbers

| | |
|--|---|
| School Phone..... | (763) 569-7600 |
| School Fax..... | (763) 569-7606 |
| Principal..... | Heather Miller-Cink.....(763) 569-7600 |
| Principal's Secretary | Victoria Krook.....(763) 569-7619 |
| Assistant Principal | Kim Berling.....(763) 569-7614 |
| Assistant Principal | Jennifer Smasal.....(763) 569-7621 |
| Assistant Principal | Erik Thompson.....(763) 569-7603 |
| Student Support Secretary | Nicole Chase.....(763) 569-7610 |
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