



Pope John Paul II HIGH SCHOOL

Pope John Paul II High School Weekly Newsletter

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President's Office

The PJP 2022-2025 Strategic Plan will be coming to a conclusion in June. Beginning in July, PJP will begin to execute a Strategic Plan that runs through June of 2028. The 2025-2028 plan is in the midst of final approvals from the PJP Board of Directors followed by the Office of Catholic Education. Like the 2022-2025 Strategic plan, the goals and supporting action items for the 2025-2028 plan will focus on the following six key drivers; Academics, Enrollment, Development, Student Financial Assistance, Fiscal Responsibility and Board and Administration Leadership. School ministry is embedded into all of the key drivers. Once approved a copy will be available on the PJP website.

I am very happy to report that enrollment for the Class of 2029 currently stands at 213. This number is 16 students more than our goal. Additionally, PJP has 7 transfer students enrolled for the 2025-26 school year. Right now, total enrollment for the 2025-26 school year is 829. This number represents a 15.9% increase in enrollment in the last three years. PJP will continue to enroll students for the Class of 2029 and all other classes through the summer.

Principal's Office



Congratulations to the over 180 PJP students who participated and fund raised for our annual Pantheron!! Thank you to Mrs Honyara, the chaperones, students and contributors who made this happen. This fundraising effort supports CHOP (in honor of Riley Monahan and EJ Wahl), the Lenny Martelli foundation and the special education schools in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia.

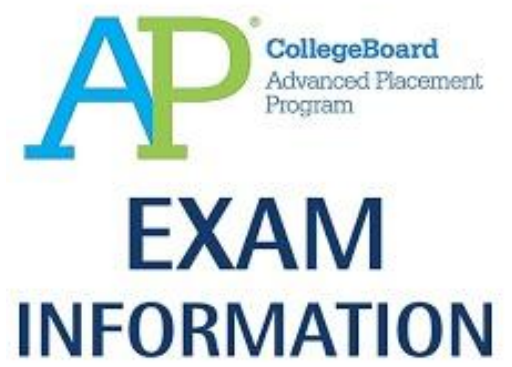
Senior parents were sent via email very important Senior Prom and Graduation information. In order to attend these events parents must read and sign off to indicate that they have received, read and understand

the information provided.

Congratulations to 2025 Mr. PJP Nick Satalin and all his fellow contestants! It was a night filled with laughter and great entertainment!

Congratulations also to our Senior Athletes celebrated this week- Boys LAX, Girls LAX and Flag Football. Our Senior Athletic Banquet will be held at PJP on Thursday, May 22nd.

Academic Affairs



AP Exam testing will be taking place shortly, please review the schedule posted below for when each exam will take place. Testing will look slightly different this year, as the CollegeBoard is shifting from paper testing to digital testing. Some tests will be taken completely online, some a hybrid format partially online and partially on paper and limited ones may be on paper only. Therefore, in addition to the usual items brought with them on test day (#2 pencils, pens, calculator), students will also need to bring their fully charged chromebook as well as the charging cord. Both students and parents will receive detailed information about testing this week by email. Please refer to the resources and calendar posted below to mark which dates your student may be testing and learn about general testing information.

2024-25 AP Exam Schedule

Date	8:00 AM	12 PM
Monday May 5, 2025	Biology	European History (AVLI) Microeconomics (AVLI)
Tuesday May 6, 2025	Chemistry Human Geography	United States Government and Politics
Wednesday May 7, 2025	English Literature and Composition	
Thursday May 8, 2025	Statistics (AVLI)	World History: Modern
Friday May 9, 2025	United States History	MacroEconomics (AVLI)
Monday May 12, 2025	Calculus AB Calculus BC	Music Theory

Tuesday May 13, 2025	Precalculus	Environmental Science
Wednesday May 14, 2025	English Language and Composition	Physics C
Thursday May 15, 2025		Computer Science Principles
Friday May 16, 2025	Physics 1	Psychology
Friday May 23, 2025	Physics 1	Psychology

[AP Exams: Information](#)

[AP Exam Calculator Information](#)

[AP Exams: College Board Terms and Conditions](#)



The Course Selection process for 2025-2026 has been completed for returning students. Please log into PowerSchool to review and acknowledge your student's selections. You can review your student's course selections by clicking on the "Class Registration" button from the left hand navigation menu. To find and sign the form, click on "Forms" from the left hand navigation menu and find the Course Selection Parent Acknowledgement form which will be found near the bottom in the School Forms section.

Your child should have both primary and alternate selections. Sometimes it is not possible for all selections a student made to fit into their roster due to scheduling constraints. When this happens, the program will assign one of their alternate selections in place of the course causing a conflict. If they have not selected an alternate, they may have "holes" in their roster when it is released and they will have to select alternate choices from what is available at that time. If you have any questions or concerns about the choices your student made, please contact his or her guidance counselor.



We have reached the midpoint of the 4th quarter and Progress Reports will be issued next week. While there are no formal conferences during the 4th quarter, you are encouraged to reach out to any teachers with whom you would like to speak. Final grades for year long classes are comprised of 45% Semester 1 and Semester 2, and 10% Final (which may be an exam, or an alternative assessment such as a presentation, report, or project). For semester long classes, the final grade will be comprised of 45% Q2, and 45% Q3, with the Final accounting for the last 10%. Any student that fails a semester long or year long course will be required to remediate the course over the summer through an online program with in person visits at PJP twice each week. We want to see ALL of our students successfully complete their course work and enjoy the summer respite without having to remediate courses. Please check your student's progress to be sure

that they are on track to successfully complete all of their courses. Academic Intervention will continue through these final weeks of school and your student's school counselor and the team in the Panthers' Learning Center are ready and willing to assist students who may need some additional support.

Office of School Ministry

Adoration

Come spend an hour in prayer with the Blessed Sacrament during the School day on Fridays. Sign up required.

[CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP](#)

Mom's Tea

Join other PJP Moms, Grandmothers, Aunts and Friends for an evening of fellowship and tea on May 6th at 6:30pm in the Atrium! We ask that you please bring a dessert to share.

[CLICK HERE TO RSVP](#)



The poster features a decorative border with a central text area. The text is in a serif font, with the main title in a larger, bold font. Below the text is a grid of nine teacups, each with a unique floral or geometric pattern. The bottom of the poster has a decorative flourish.

PJP Moms Tea
May 6th- 6:30pm
in the Legacy Atirum

Join the MOMs Prayer Group for an evening Tea and an inspiring talk!
We ask that you bring a dessert to share!

Art Department

All Are Welcome!

PJP ART SHOW

MAY 7TH



5 PM - 7PM @ PJP

Art Club Fundraiser: 5 minute portraits for \$5

Refreshments! Music!

Development



Athletics

Upcoming Home Events

Monday, April 28th

Baseball vs Upper Merion- 4:00 PM JV and Varsity
Girls Lacrosse vs Pottstown- 6:30 PM Varsity Only

Tuesday, April 29th

Boys Lacrosse vs Owen J. Roberts- 5:30 PM JV, 7:00 PM Varsity

Wednesday, April 30th

Girls Lacrosse vs Norristown- 3:45 PM Varsity Only

Thursday, May 1st

Track and Field vs Upper Merion- 3:15 PM (Senior Day)

Friday, May 2nd

9th Baseball vs Phoenixville- 3:45 PM
Softball vs Interboro- 4:00 PM Varsity and JV

Senior Athlete Banquet

The Senior Athlete Banquet will be held on Thursday, May 22nd from 6:30-8:30. Please join us for one last recognition of the student athletes of the Class of 2025. There will be hors d'oeuvres and refreshments. Senior athletes are free with a parent registration. Please register by May 9th at the following link:
<https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=0f581e>.

Girl's Golf Meeting

There will be a meeting for all girls interested in playing golf next year on Tuesday, April 29th right after school. Meeting will take place in room 21 (Mr. Flanagan's Classroom). If you are interested but cannot make the meeting please contact Coach Torres at girlsgolf@pjphs.org.

Coaching Vacancies

The Athletic Department has openings for the following positions. If you or someone you know is interested please forward resume and cover letter to Tracey at trarich@pjphs.org.

- Head Field Hockey Coach
- JV Boys Soccer Coach

Save the Date

The Senior Athlete banquet will be held on Thursday, May 22nd. RSVP and more information to follow soon.

Fundraisers

Girls Basketball-Girls Basketball is partnering with Floral and Handy Garden Center in Skippack. Buy all of your Spring garden needs and mention PJP Girls Basketball and the team will receive 10% of your purchase.



Field Hockey-Field Hockey is partnering with Floral and Hardy Garden Center in Skippack. Buy all of your Spring garden needs and mention PJP Girls Basketball and the team will receive 10% of your purchase.

Football - Football will be hosting their annual Golf Outing on Friday, June 20th at Linfield National Golf Course. \$125 for an individual golfer, or \$500 per foursome. There are also hole sponsorships available. To find out more information please reach out to Coach Darrell Scott at football@pjphs.org.



PJP II HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

GOLF OUTING

Linfield Golf Course
Friday, June 20, 2025
9:00 AM Shotgun Start with Lunch to Follow

\$125 Per Player • \$500 Per Foursome
Cost Includes: Greens Fees, Cart, Lunch, and Beverages

Come for lunch and hang out with no golf for \$50



For more information please contact

Darrell Scott
 Email: Football@pjpfs.org
 610-606-5292

Matt Bildstein matthewbildstein1@gmail.com •
 484-522-1822

Please return the bottom portion along with cash or check
 (payable to Pope John Paul II Football) to:

Darrell Scott---181 Rittenhouse Road Royersford, PA 19468

YES, I WANT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PJP II HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL GOLF OUTING

☐ Foursome (\$500)
 ☐ Single Player (\$125)
 • Lunch Only (\$50)

Contact Name: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Shirt size for golfer(s)
 Golfer 1: _____
 Golfer 2: _____
 Golfer 3: _____
 Golfer 4: _____

Football is hosting a Big Man Clinic on Sunday, June 22nd. This Big Man Clinic will focus on developing lineman skills in players from grades from 5th-9th. To register for this event, please click the following link: <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=mop2eh>

<div>  <div> <div>May 2025</div> <div>  </div> </div> </div>			
Everyday Menu		Weekly Specials	
<div> <div>Healthy Choices </div> <div> Chicken Caesar Wrap Buffalo Chicken Wrap Chicken Caesar Salad Tossed Garden Salad Yogurt Parfait Veggie & Dip Cup Seasonal Fruit </div> </div> <div> <div>Made-to-Order Salads, Sandwiches & Wraps</div> <div> Customize your own Deli Sandwich, Wrap, or Salad. Select your protein, select your cheese, and customize with toppings and condiments of your choice. </div> </div> <div> <div>Grill</div> <div> Crispy Chicken Nuggets Classic Grilled Cheese Hot & Fresh French Fries Homestyle Chicken Sandwich Spicy Chicken Sandwich Chicken Cheesesteak Angus Cheeseburger </div> </div> <div> <div>Pizzeria</div> <div> Classic Cheese Pizza Buffalo Chicken Pizza Featured Pizza </div> </div> <div> <div>Dessert</div> <div> Chocolate Chip Cookie Sugar Cookie </div> </div> <div> <div>Wingtopia </div> <div> Wing Bar Every Wednesday </div> </div>	<div> <div>April 28th - May 2nd</div> <div>May 5th - 9th</div> <div>May 12th - 16th</div> <div>May 19th - 23rd</div> <div>May 26th - 30th</div> </div>	<div> <div> Feature Appetizer: Grill Feature: Pizza Feature:  Salad Feature: Main Plate: Dessert Feature: </div> <div> Asian Dumplings Chicken Parm Sandwich Chicken, Bacon, Ranch Asian Chicken Salad Loaded Nacho Bar Chocolate Oreo Parfait </div> </div> <div> <div> Feature Appetizer: Grill Feature: Pizza Feature:  Salad Feature: Main Plate: Dessert Feature: </div> <div> Cheesy Pull-Apart Bread Philly Beef Cheesesteak Hot Honey Pepperoni Crispy Chicken Cobb All Beef Pretzel Dog & Krabby Fries Funnel Cake </div> </div> <div> <div> Feature Appetizer: Grill Feature: Pizza Feature:  Salad Feature: Main Plate: Dessert Feature: </div> <div> Mozzarella Sticks Smokey Bacon Cheeseburger Taco Pizza Crispy Chicken Cobb Taste of Asia Plate Chocolate Strawberry Pizza </div> </div> <div> <div> Feature Appetizer: Grill Feature: Pizza Feature:  Salad Feature: Main Plate: Dessert Feature: </div> <div> Cheesesteak Eggroll Buffalo Chicken Cheesesteak Meat Lovers Crispy Chicken Cobb Walking Taco Cinnamon Sugar Churro </div> </div> <div> <div> Feature Appetizer: Grill Feature: Pizza Feature:  Salad Feature: Main Plate: Dessert Feature: </div> <div> Crazy Fries Stuffed Grilled Cheese White Crispy Chicken Cobb Taste of Italy Banana Pudding </div> </div>	

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Tuition Office

Scholarship Opportunity Available

We're excited to share a valuable scholarship opportunity with our families. The Jack O'Neill Foundation is offering scholarships to eligible students.

For more information and to apply, please follow this link:

<https://jackoneillscholarship.org/scholarship-application>

Financial Accounts Reminder

Please ensure that all financial accounts are completed and up to date. If you have any questions or need assistance, don't hesitate to contact the office—we're happy to help!

Guidance Office

Junior Parents - PARENT BRAG SHEET for Class of 2026 for Counselor's Letter of Recommendation

The PJP School Counselors request Junior parents/guardians to complete a Parent Brag Sheet for their child. Completion of this form is optional, but, during the College Application process, many colleges and/or scholarships require a Counselor Letter of Recommendation, and a parent/guardian's insight can provide invaluable information that is worth including in a Counselor Recommendation, conveying your child's unique qualities. This information will aid counselors in writing the individualized counselor letter of recommendation. If you choose to complete the Brag Sheet, the link is below and please have it completed by August 1st.

LINK: [Parent Brag Sheet for the Class of 2026](#)

Juniors: CONSENT TO RELEASE TRANSCRIPT & LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FORM

Attention Juniors, this is a friendly reminder to submit your *Consent to Release Transcript & Letters of Recommendation Form* by the end of the school year, if you have not done so already. This signed form authorizes the Guidance Department to send your official transcript and letters of recommendation to all colleges and scholarships when you start to apply next year. The Guidance Office would like to be preemptive and get this on file now, before the rush of next year's application cycle.

LINK: [Consent to Release Transcript Form](#)

Please return your completed form to Guidance or email it to Mrs. Bell, College and Career Coordinator, at dbell@pjphs.org.

SENIORS - College Acceptance and Scholarships and Grant Rewards Please Submit to the Guidance Office

This is a reminder for seniors to submit college acceptances and scholarships & grant awards to the Guidance Office. This is for any and all colleges to which they have applied and been accepted to. The name of the scholarship / grant award(s) gets listed in the Graduation Program.

Guidance needs a copy of the *documentation*. Seniors can either make a copy of the acceptances or scholarship/grant awards and drop it off to Mrs. Bell, College & Career Coordinator, or they can take a screenshot / picture of it and email it to her at dbell@pjphs.org. Documentation will be collected until May 1st. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to speak with Mrs. Bell.

Educational Enrichment Opportunities

Below is a Google Doc link listing programs that PJP students can engage in that are offered by organizations and universities across the country. Many of the programs are competitive and have deadlines that need to be followed. There is more detailed information on the websites listed, including application processes and associated fees. Should you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Bell, College & Career Coordinator, at dbell@pjpsh.org or your child's school counselor.

[2024-2025 Educational Enrichment Opportunities - Google Docs](#)

Scholarship Newsletter

Below is a Google Doc link listing scholarships that the PJP Guidance Department has learned of and wants to share with you. This page will be updated frequently, so please bookmark it and check back often to review and learn of any scholarships that your student may qualify for and/or have an interest in!

[Scholarship Newsletter - Google Docs](#)

College Standardized Test Dates & Registration Deadlines for National Test Days

SAT TESTING – Register at www.collegeboard.org.

SAT Test Date (2024-2025 School Year)	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Late Registration
May 3, 2025	April 18, 2025	April 22, 2025
June 7, 2025	May 22, 2025	May 27, 2025

ACT TESTING - Register at www.act.org

ACT Test Date (2024-2025 School Year)	Registration Deadline	Deadline for Late Registration
June 14, 2025	May 9, 2025	May 26, 2025
July 12, 2025	June 5, 2025	June 20, 2025

Have a great week!

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