# PLEASANT HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL/HIGH SCHOOL MORNING ANNOUNCEMENTS

# **December 10, 2021**

Oregon has mandated masks to be worn at all times indoors. The proper wearing of your mask keeps us all protected and allows us to continue providing in-person instruction. If you are exposed to COVID-19, wearing your mask correctly may prevent you from having to quarantine.

# **CARE CLOSET**

PLEASANT HILL IS HAPPY TO ANNOUNCE THE START OF THE CARE CLOSET. THIS COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL PROGRAM ALLOWS STUDENTS, WHO ARE IN NEED, THE OPPORTUNITY TO REQUEST HYGIENE ITEMS AND BASIC SUPPLIES AT NO COST. FLYERS ARE POSTED IN THE MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL RESTROOMS. SCAN THE QR CODE ON THE POSTER TO BE SENT TO A GOOGLE FORM TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, CANNOT SCAN THE CODE, OR WOULD LIKE TO DONATE, PLEASE EMAIL SUSANNA AT SWILLIAMS@PLEASANTHILL.K12.OR.US.

# **BILLIE CMN PAGEANT MEETING**

FOR ALL HS STUDENTS INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN THE BILLIE PAGEANT, THERE WILL BE A MEETING TODAY IN ROOM 23 AT 1:30.

# **NHS CEREMONY**

NHS MEMBERS: IF YOU MISSED OUR BIG INDUCTION CEREMONY LAST MONTH, WE WILL HAVE A MAKE-UP EVENT ON WEDNESDAY, DEC. 15 RIGHT AFTER SCHOOL. THIS WILL TAKE ABOUT 15 MINUTES, SO PLEASE HEAD TO ROOM 13 RIGHT AFTER 7<sup>TH</sup> PERIOD. WE'LL DO THE PLEDGE AND THEN YOU WILL BE OFFICIAL!

#### **SPIRIT WEEK**

CELEBRATE HOLIDAY CHEER BY PARTICIPATING IN OUR SCHOOL'S SPIRIT WEEK STARTING NEXT WEEK. MONDAY – PJ DAY, TUESDAY – SANTA VS. ELVES, WEDNESDAY – DADS ON VACATION, THURSDAY – BUNDLE UP DAY, FRIDAY – UGLY SWEATER DAY.

#### **FFA MEETINGS**

HIGH SCHOOL FFA LUNCH MEETING IS TUESDAY, DEC. 14<sup>TH</sup> IN ROOM S4 FOR ALL MEMBERS INTERESTED IN FFA. MIDDLE SCHOOL FFA LUNCH MEETING WILL BE ON THURSDAY, DEC. 16<sup>TH</sup> IN ROOM S3. ALL PAPERWORK IS DUE. WE WILL BE ASSIGNING TEAMS AND DISCUSSING JACKETS, MARKET PROJECTS, UPCOMING EVENTS, HS STATE CONVENTION ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS, AND MS FFA WEEK IN FEBRUARY. REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED. PLEASE SEE MS. WHITE FOR QUESTIONS.

#### **GIVING TREE**

THE GIVING TREE IS NOW IN THE LIBRARY, READY FOR YOUR TOY DONATIONS. PLEASE BRING UNWRAPPED TOYS AND SET THEM BENEATH THE TREE FOR KIDS IN OUR COMMUNITY. THANK YOU FOR BRINGING LIGHT AND HAPPINESS TO SOMEBODY'S HOLIDAY!

#### **ART ROOM KINDNESS TREE**

WANT TO SPREAD A LITTLE BIT OF JOY OR BRIGHTEN SOMEONE'S DAY? THE ART ROOM "KINDNESS TREE" IS NOW READY. KINDNESS TREE RULES: POSITIVE MESSAGES ONLY, LABEL WITH RECIPIENT'S NAME, GIFTS UNDER THE TREE AND CARDS IN THE BRANCHES, AND PLEASE RESPECT THE TREE AND ITS PURPOSE. YOU MAY MAKE A GIFT OR A CARD IN THE ART ROOM – WE HAVE SUPPLIES AVAILABLE!

# **GRADES 9-12 ESSAY CONTEST**

JOHN F. KENNEDY PROFILE IN COURAGE ESSAY CONTEST IS OPEN. THE CONTEST TOPIC IS "DESCRIBE AND ANALYZE AN ACT OF POLITICAL COURAGE BY A US ELECTED OFFICIAL WHO SERVED DURING OR AFTER 1917." TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CONTEST, VISIT CONTEST INFORMATION AND FAQS

AT <u>https://www.jfklibrary.org/learn/education/profile-in-courage-essay-</u> <u>contest</u>. THE CONTEST DEADLINE IS JANUARY 14, 2022. RECOGNITION AND AWARDS ARE: FIRST-PLACE: \$10,000, SECOND-PLACE: \$3000, FIVE FINALISTS: \$1000 EACH, EIGHT SEMI-FINALISTS: \$100 EACH.

#### **HELP WANTED**

NEED SOMEONE TO PUT 3 HORSES IN THEIR STALLS AND FEED THEM IN THE EVENING. PAYS \$7 EACH TIME. SEE MRS. DUVAL IN THE COUNSELING OFFICE.

# **SENIORS - SCHOLARSHIPS**

THE SLOCUM RESEARCH & EDUCATION FOUNDATION IS AWARDING \$1500 SCHOLARSHIPS TO COLLEGE-BOUND HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS WHO WISH TO PURSUE A HEALTH-RELATED CAREER. SUBMIT YOUR <u>SLOCUM Application</u> BY APRIL 1, 2022.

# **JUNIORS**

IF YOU TOOK THE PSAT, YOUR SCORES ARE NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE. TO ACCESS YOUR SCORES, YOU WILL NEED TO LOGIN TO YOUR COLLEGEBOARD ACCOUNT. FOR MORE INFORMATION, GO TO <u>PSAT</u> <u>Scores</u> OR STOP BY THE COUNSELING OFFICE TO SEE MS. RUIZ.