Portola High School

HOME OF THE BULLDOGS

OFFICE: (949) 936-8200
ATTENDANCE: (949) 936-8201

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IRVINE, CA 92618

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Monday – Dec. 9
8:00 AM start time
Periods 1-8

Tuesday – Dec. 10
8:30 AM start time
Periods 1, A, 3, 5, 7

Wednesday– Dec. 11
8:00 AM start time
Periods 2, OH, 4, 6, 8

Thursday- Dec. 12
8:00 AM – start time
Periods 1, OH, 3, 5, 7

Friday – Dec. 13
8:00 AM – start time
Periods 2, A, SA, 4, 6, 8
Winter Pep Assembly

Attendance
Please report your student's absence to (949) 936-8201

SPORTS HOME GAMES

Tuesday, Dec. 10
3:30 PM – Home (JV, VR)
Girls Soccer vs. Katella

Wednesday, Dec. 11
3:00 PM – Home (FS, JV)
Boys Soccer vs. Saddleback

5:00 PM – Home (VR)
Boys Soccer vs. Saddleback

Thursday, Dec. 12
3:30 PM – Home (JV, VR)
Girls Soccer vs. Estancia

5:15 PM – Home (FS)
Girls Soccer vs. Mission Viejo

Friday, Dec. 13
3:00 PM – Home (FS, JV)
Boys Soccer vs. Mater Dei

4:00 PM – Home (VR)
Girls Water Polo vs. Laguna Hills

5:00 PM – Home (VR)
Boys Soccer vs. Mater Dei

5:00 PM – Home (JV)
Girls Water Polo vs. Laguna Hills

Saturday, Dec. 14
Boys Basketball (VR)
Raya Tournament – TBA

Girls Soccer (FS, JV, VR) – TBA

PHS NEWS:

MUSIC: Come celebrate *The Spirit of the Season!* with the Portola Choirs and Portola Philharmonic Orchestra! Featuring all your favorite seasonal tunes and characters, this is a fun-filled night for the whole family! Thursday, Dec. 12 | 7:00pm @ Portola High School Performing Arts Center; Tickets: Portolamusic.eventbrite.com Adults: $10; Students: $5

PORTOLA PILOT: Our school newspaper, Portola Pilot, would like you to follow them on Facebook! Follow the link HERE.

PASSION DAY: Our Fourth Annual PHS Passion Day is coming up Friday, February 21, 2020! Last year we had a wide variety of presenters that included members of our very talented staff, our families, friends, parents of our students, and a few groups of amazingly talented students. Some of the most popular sessions were the ones where the presenter did a hands-on activity or had an activity that created interaction among the students. We are reaching out to you early, as we must have all speakers confirmed by **January 30, 2020**. To make this day successful, we need your help! We are looking for students, parents, and family friends to come and talk about their interests and passions. This year we will run 45 and 90 minute concurrent conference style sessions with minimum day release for students. If you need a primer on what Passion Day is or need some inspiration for what types of topics could work best, CLICK HERE. Please complete the presenter interest form linked here https://tinyurl.com/passionday2020 OR Share this URL with any interested family or friends https://tinyurl.com/passionday2020

SCHOOL PICTURES: Did you forget to order your son's or daughter's school photos this year, or would you like to order more? It's not too late, this year their photos are available for viewing & ordering online. Send out photos for the holidays to show your relatives how your child has grown! Orders received by December 9th will be shipped by December 16th. Go to: http://www.southcoastphotographic.com/ for details.

VAPA FUNDRAISER: Our first *ALL* VAPA Fundraiser is here! All members of the Visual and Performing Arts Departments on campus are participating, and funds raised will go towards events on campus, supplies, and honors for our students. The link below will take you directly to our fundraiser. Boon Supply will give 40% of each purchase back to PHS, and they sell great tote bags, candles, wrapping paper (right in time for the holiday season!) Thank you for supporting the arts. https://www.boonsupply.com/964271 Ways you can support our fundraiser: *share the link w/ friends *encourage your student to share*shop online*

STUDENT ID CARDS: The ASB office is printing replacement student ID cards. Stop by and see Mrs. Levensailor in the ASB office. The cost is $5 for a replacement card.

YEARBOOK: *YEARBOOK SALES –PRICE INCREASE!! Please see Mrs. Levensailor in the ASB Office and bring $105 with ASB / $115 without ASB - cash or checks made payable to "Portola High School." **Prices will increase on December 22nd**. Thank you for supporting yearbook!

SMART START: This is a requirement for all IUSD students getting a parking permit, next few presentations are Dec. 18 @ 4PM – Irvine High School Theater; Jan. 14 @ 4PM-Northwood HS Theater; Jan. 23 @ 4PM-Woodbridge HS Staff Lounge

COLLEGE/CAREER: Career Lunch: Thursday, Dec. 12 in room 1002. Topic: "How to break into show business/entertainment". Free pizza for the first 30 sign-ups! RSVP link HERE

COUNSELING DEPT: *Peer Tutoring in Room 1002 Monday-Thursday from 2-4:30PM
*IUSD Parent University: Join IUSD counselors and guest speaker Nick Standlea to learn how to utilize your student's PSAT or Pre-ACT experience to support their college and career readiness. It will be held at Northwood High School on December 18 @ 5:30PM.For more information and to reserve a spot, click HERE

ASB: Monday Dec. 9th – starting TODAY: Holiday Toy Drive & Candy Cane Grams ALL WEEK LONG
Winter Spirit Week dress up days:
Monday – "Festive Monday" (ugly sweater)
Tuesday – "Timber Tuesday" (plaid, flannels, beanies)
Wednesday – "Candy Cane Wednesday" (red & white stripes)
Thursday – "Family Photo Thursday" (dress up resembling your parents or in mom-jeans & dad-ties)
Friday – "Fuzzy Socks Friday" (wear your favorite warm fuzzy socks)
Friday – Harry Potter themed Pep Rally (school starts at 8AM); Game of the Week: Girls Water Polo @4PM!