

Pana High School
Report to the Board of Education
October, 2022



- 9th Grade 110
- 10th Grade 97
- 11th Grade 89
- 12th Grade 97
- Totals 393

Good Things at PHS:

- The morning CKH routine led by students and organized by Mrs. Amling has been a success. Students lead the school in Good Things, Theme Songs, Walkout Music, Shout outs and Fuel Up Fridays.
- Students have signed up for a CKH student Process Champions group. The students will be trained in the CKH process, model the monthly CKH initiatives, plan to incentivize desired CKH behaviors and have input on the process and state of implementation of CKH at PHS. There are currently 19 students signed up.
- PHS Art Club is planning a trip to the Rembrandt Society Art Convention on the U of I campus. The students meet other Art students from around the state. Normally, during the conference there are 2 guest artist speakers, two Art creating workshops, various ice breakers, 2 meals provided by the University of Illinois, an art show, an art scholarship competition, a costume contest, and so much more.
- 53 out of 54 classroom Driver's Education students have successfully passed their written exam and are eligible to obtain their DMV learner's permits.
- On Sunday, October 16, several choir students attended the musical "Hadestown" down at the Fox Theater in St. Louis. This was a great real-world opportunity for the students.
- Consumer Education classes have resumed Job Shadowing.

Parent/Teacher Conferences: PHS had **198** conferences this year. Last year we had **119** conferences. We are pleased with the increase, but will be looking for ways to continue to improve.

The First National Bank Senior-of-the-Month was: Dillon Elledge

The October WMKR Radio Students-of-the-Month are:

- 9 - Dane Epley
- 10 - Noah Gorenz
- 11 - Abigail Cline
- 12 - Delaney Epley

The CKH Self-Direction Winners are:

Freshmen: Addison Blackwell

Sophomore: Isaiah Harbert

Junior: Ryan Karbach

Senior: Zoey Cvengross

The October Peoples Bank and Trust of Pana Student-Athletes-of-the-Month are:

Senior - Max Lynch (Football)

Junior - Blayne Pope (Football)

Soph - Izzy Reed (Volleyball)

Fresh - Regan McGlauchlen (Volleyball)

There has been an anticipated uptick in consequences assigned for student misconduct at the high school. There are a few reasons for this outcome. There are also research driven interventions to put into place to help remediate the issues we are encountering.

1. Incentives for positive behavior.
 - a. We are implementing and BETA testing a snack cart cash program to encourage desired outcomes. The program will start in the Rtl classes. Students will earn bucks for improving grade level strands and for good behavior. This program will work through the Intro to Business class. The students in the class will learn basic entrepreneurship skills as they manage all aspects of a retail business.
 - b. We are implementing an attendance incentive to allow students to earn entry to athletic events.
 - c. Student CKH Process Champions will recognize and reward desired behaviors. The first event will be a breakfast to recognize students who are put forward by teachers for being self-directed, which is the monthly emphasis for CKH.
2. Consistent enforcement of handbook rules and Board Policy
3. We are preparing to roll out a character education program in Enrichment second semester. We will use the CKH Character Ed curriculum. This will work in lock step with the student process champions group.

Events:

October 18 - JH/HS Bands and Choirs will present their first concert of the year. The concert will be held in the JH Auditorium and will be called their "Demonstration Concert", where each group will demonstrate some of the processes of classroom learning, as well as perform prepared pieces.

October 29 - PHS Band will compete at the Oblong Spooktacular Parade and Field Competition