

Principal Williams report for 25/26

11/12/25, for 11/17/25-MONDAY

Updates since our last meeting:

GENERAL SCHOOL Culture News:

The **Principal's coffee** went well and 10th grade ASB provided treats. *Next one is 12/2- [link](#) provided to RSVP.

PHS's **Halloween Fright Night** went very well, we had many attenders and it was festive and fun!

PTC: in all, maybe 20 attendees. Staff and I have discussed a change in this event for next Fall. One night only and adding activities, student led portfolio events, and snacks. Weekly **attendance treats** have been given out for those with 90-100% attendance. We are planning a movie and popcorn at the end of Nov. for this same population.

Additionally we have adopted the "**Birthday Brigade**"- we are announcing daily student birthdays, then reading the Bulletin, and then have 2 upper classmen that greet the daily bday person with a 'treasure chest' of gifts that they choose, making their day extra special! (*We host a monthly Wednesday treat day for staff- that was today.)

Drama Club: They are currently looking for a performance hall for 12/11 and 12/13-as the current site is unavailable. This next performance is entirely student lead- and they are rockin' it!

CTE BOAT: It is coming along beautifully, currently there is a lot of welding going on securing the vessel- our Pirates have been most impressive, and we are excited about this project!

SAFETY: We had our first **LockIn/Secure drill**- it went well overall, and we took note on the few things needed. We are progressing!

On that note, all staff now have **master keys** and can safely access the building in/out at any time. And, the office and that of the Principal's is only accessible via few and selective individuals.

Additionally maintenance is completing our staff printer room as we speak- we are SO grateful for them!

In all, PHS is improving, refining, and doing well!

Soccer: **Highlights/final stats** **L/M to UPDATE**

Journalism: Ms. Carlton’s Journalism class won the –BEST OF SHOW for “[The Jolly Rancher](#)”, our local newspaper. It was said they had written the most diverse, organized, and attractive paper; they are currently selling ads as a fundraiser! Additionally our Pirates earned several writing accolades performing an onsite writing competition where Ashton Woods took BEST IN SHOW– this is not to take lightly as there were 1,261 writers involved. With this, Echo Johnson awarded “Excellence in Writing”, and Mary Jane Lewis, Brianna Huggins, and Skylla Larson all took “Honorable Mention”. We could not be any more proud of these amazing students!

New news coming!:

- 0: Chess: 11/15/25 at PHS Library, we are hosting a USCF Rated Tournament. There will be about 40 competitors and the competition should be fierce!
- 0: We are meeting with **Port Orford City Council** this week to see if we can align our Student Government AND form a volunteer Safety Committee alongside Port Orford’s City Council.
- 0: On November 21st, we are hosting our annual “**Friends-Giving**”, **our NHS Students** will be hosting it this year-you are invited!
- 0: MS Basketball: Girls coaches are Tyler Long and Lindsay Kirchgessler coaching, these are grades 5th-8th team, and currently numbered at 15 participants. Boys coach is Christian- currently with about 12 starting the team.
- 0: HS Basketball: Wayne Everest is coaching Varsity Boys- currently registered with 10 players, and Amanda Carlton has the Varsity Girls - with 12 registered.
- 0: In terms of ‘business’, PHS is completing the discipline rubric, clarifying the referral processes and clarifying the SPed process to better aid our teaching staff overall. Our hope is to create district wide assessments, and improve our general ed interventions.

Questions/needs from the board at this time?

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