

# PIRATE POINTS



The official newsletter of Pearl Public School District



PEARL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT  
**INSPIRING EXCELLENCE**  
— SINCE 1976 —

**NOMINATE SOMEONE  
FOR THE PPSD  
ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**

**LOCAL BUSINESSES:  
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PARTNER TODAY!**

## **UPCOMING DATES**

**11/6:** Riverland Choral  
Festival @ PHS

**11/7:** Daylight Saving  
Time Ends

**11/11:** Veteran's Day

**11/22-26:** Thanksgiving  
Holidays

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THE PPSD CALENDAR**

## **November Employees of the Month**



John Wallace  
Pearl Junior High School  
Administrator of the Month



Jamario Winters  
Pearl Junior High School  
Certified Staff of the Month



Bailee Creighton  
Pearl Upper Elementary  
Classified Staff of the Month

Congratulations to the November Pearl Public School District Employees of the Month! You can help us recognize our outstanding Pirate employees by submitting a nomination form for the December Employees of the Month! [Click here to submit your nomination.](#) The PPSD Employees of the Month Program is sponsored by Merit Health.

## **Kiwanis Pancake Supper**

Make plans now to join us for the Pearl Kiwanis Drive-Thru Pancake Supper November 18 from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. at Pearl High School. Tickets are \$5.00 each and can be purchased at the door or from any member of Kiwanis. All proceeds go to civic and charitable projects primarily in the Pearl community.





The Fighting Pirates will travel to Brandon to take on the Bulldogs tonight, Thursday, November 4. Kickoff is at 7:00 p.m. [Click here to purchase your tickets.](#)

Go Pirates and Eat Dirt Brandon!

## SCHOOL NEWS

- Progress reports will be distributed to students next week. Please be sure to reach out to your child's teacher if you have any questions.
- **10/29 - 11/5:** Northside Elementary Book Fair! Visit <https://www.scholastic.com/bf/northsideelementaryschool65> to shop online or set up an e-wallet for your child to shop in the Northside library! Parents also have the opportunity to grow the classroom library of their child's teacher by purchasing books from the teacher wish bins!
- **11/5:**
  - PUE 5th graders will participate in a "Survivors Day" after reading the book *Sign of the Beaver* by Elizabeth George Speare.
  - PJHS October Pirates of the Month Celebration
- **11/8:** 7th Grade National Junior Art Honor Society Meeting after School
- **11/9:** Pearl Upper Elementary Beta Club Induction
- **11/12:**
  - ECEC Career Day
  - Pearl Upper Elementary School Bee
- **11/18:** PLE Farm Day
- **11/19:**
  - Northside Turkey Trot
  - PUE Student of the Month Celebration
  - PLE Hardwork Cafe
- **11/29:** PHS Beauty and Beau
- **Senior Yearbook Ads!** Order by 1/31/22 to congratulate and commemorate this memorable accomplishment for the class of 2022! For questions, contact Susan Cauthen [scauthen@pearlk12.com](mailto:scauthen@pearlk12.com). [Click here for the order form.](#)



**GO FAN**

All Pearl High School and Pearl Junior High School events tickets are sold on GoFan.co.

[Purchase PJHS event tickets.](#)

[Purchase PHS event tickets.](#)

### WATCH THE GAME LIVE!

Pirate fans can watch the football game live on any of the Pearl Municipal Broadcasting outlets:

- Xfinity Channel 20
- U-verse Channel 99
- [cityofpearl.com](http://cityofpearl.com)
- Facebook - [@PearlMB](#)
- Roku - PMBtv
- Amazon Fire - PMBtv
- YouTube - [City of Pearl MS](#)
- On the radio at 104.5 FM

### GOLF TEAM TRYOUTS

Any high school student interested in playing on the boys and girls golf team in the spring should attend an interest meeting on Tuesday, November 9, in the Pearl High School library during homeroom.

### UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS

- **11/4:**
  - Varsity Soccer vs. Vicksburg
  - JH Soccer @ Clinton
- **11/6:**
  - Varsity Basketball Classic Games
  - MHSAA 6A State XC Meet
- **11/8:** JV Soccer vs. NWR
- **11/9:**
  - Girls JV Soccer vs. Kosciusko
  - Varsity Soccer vs. Kosciusko
  - Varsity Basketball @ Neshoba Central
- **11/11:**
  - 9th Basketball @ Vicksburg
  - Varsity Basketball @ Florence
  - Varsity Soccer vs. Laurel



## PHS MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL

Oct 1-Nov 5

**DATE EXTENDED!**

## SOCKTOBER

BRING NEW SOCKS TO CITY HALL AND DROP IN THE COLLECTION BOX.

Socks will be donated to local shelters.

## Vote for PPSD

We are honored to be one of the Top 5 Nominees in Rankin's Best of the Best for the Best Place to Work - Large Business!

[Click here to visit Hometown's Facebook page to vote for PPSD!](#) Please note there will be a different voting link each day. These links are unique to the date so make sure you are voting on the unique daily link.



## Pirate Tag



Show your Pirate Pride and help support a great organization with a Pearl Tag! The money raised from Pearl tags helps the Pearl Educational Foundation for Excellence sponsor grants to teachers, enrichment from experts grants, scholarships, and many other programs that enhance the educational experience for Pearl students. Visit [pearltag.com](http://pearltag.com) for more information.



### BUS DRIVERS WANTED

Contact PPSD Transportation at 601-932-7985 for more information.

Applications can be completed online at [www.pearlk12.com](http://www.pearlk12.com) under the Employment tab.

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