

THE WILDCAT ROAR



PACETTI BAY MIDDLE SCHOOL

2024-2025 Volume 4

Happy October Wildcats!

We hope that everyone made it through Hurricane Helene with minimal or no damage. The storm changed many plans so please make sure that you look at the upcoming dates below and also your student's class Schoology pages to see adjustments on formatives and summatives.

Chess Club is up and running Tuesday afternoons in room 390 after school until 3:00pm. Must pick up a permission slip from Mr. Kennedy and have transportation to join.

PTSO: Holiday Grams will start being sold mid-October. This year, parents will have the opportunity to buy grams for their students or their student's favorite teacher(s). PTSO will also be hosting a Costume Party this year! Date is tentatively set for Friday, October 25th. More information on this to come.

Congratulations to Pacetti Bay's 2024-2025 Teacher of the Year and Rookie Teacher of the Year



Teacher of the Year: Ms. Fischer



Rookie Teacher of the Year: Ms. Pucci

UPCOMING DATES:

September 30th: Cheer Clinic

October 1st: Cheer Clinic

October 1st: National Night Out (flyer below)

October 3rd: Cheer Tryouts

October 4th: Color Run Rescheduled 12:50

October 11th– Last Day of 1st quarter

October 14th– No School: Teacher Work Day

October 17th: SAC Meeting 2:15pm Media Center

PTSO

October

COLOR RUN

Rescheduled
to Friday,
October 4th

TEACHER GRAMS

Sold online -
homemade caramel
apples! May be
purchased for your
student or your
student's favorite
staff member. Sold
10/7 - 10/18 online.



BOO GRAMS

Sold 10/21 - 10/23
during lunches
Delivered 10/29 -
10/31



COSTUME PARTY

Held on 10/25
from 6p - 8p
Ticket sales
begin 10/14 until
sold out. Online
only. Don't wait!

MORE DETAILS TO COME *Stay Tuned*



**PACETTI BAY
MIDDLE SCHOOL
PRESENTS:**

COLOR RUN

FUNDRAISER

2024! ←

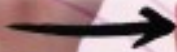
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CLASSES &
STUDENTS!**



FRIDAY 9/27

\$25

**RUN, TSHIRT &
SUNGLASSES**



\$40

**RUN, TSHIRT,
SUNGLASSES &
COLORED
SWEATBAND**

\$50

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visit our
Facebook
pacettibayptso@gmail.com



DONATE BLOOD

SJC School Transportation Department
Saturday, October 12
8:00 AM - 11:00 AM

All donors will receive*:

- **\$20 eGift Card**
- **Halloween T-shirt**
- **Wellness Checkup** including blood pressure, pulse, temperature, iron count and cholesterol screening.

Fact: Only 3% of those who are eligible actually donate blood.

Donors
Receive



- PLUS -



- PLUS -



Appointments are encouraged, please visit oneblood.org/donate-now and use **sponsor code 31769**

ID REQUIRED

*One offer per donor, per donation. No cash value. Not-transferable. Gifts may vary. For more information please visit oneblood.org/details.



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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2024

8:00am to 11:00am



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TOCOI CREEK
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BLD 2

WGV TOWN HALL MEETING



TUESDAY
22ND OCT, 2024



START AT
6:00PM - DONE

Two Votes - One Decision for Our Students

During the November 2024 election, St. Johns County voters have the opportunity to support their local schools with two important votes.



Visit Our Website

<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/vote/>

MAIN TOPIC

St. Johns County School District referendums on the November 2024 ballot. Open to public.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

OPEN GYM



Thurs. 9/26 - 2-4pm
Thurs. 10/10 - 2-4pm
Thurs. 10/17 - 2-4pm
Tues. 11/19 - 2-4pm

Permission slips
in P17 or
the front office



You must have a signed permission slip to stay and participate in open gym



PACETTI BAY MIDDLE SCHOOL 2025 YEARBOOK



Order your yearbook online at
www.YearbookOrderCenter.com

SCHOOL CODE: **25018**

\$50

SCAN HERE TO ORDER
YOUR BOOK TODAY!



8TH GRADE TRIBUTE ADS

are also on sale now!
Space is limited!

\$25



★ **THE ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS** ★

National ★
Night Out
★ **2024**

Tuesday,
October 1st

5:00 - 8:00PM

St. Augustine Beach Pier
350 A1A Beach Blvd

Join us and enjoy a night of fun!

FREE FOOD - MUSIC - GIVE AWAYS

RAFFLES - LAW ENFORCEMENT - NON-PROFITS



Together, we are making communities safer, more caring places to live and work.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL THE ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT
904-471-3600 OR EMAIL RECORDS@SABPD.ORG

SAC:

We are looking for new members to join this year's SAC Team.

The school advisory council (SAC) meets once a month, Thursdays, in the media center at 2:15pm. The SAC team consists of teachers, students, parents, educational support personnel, and representatives of the community served by Pacetti Bay. The group brainstorms solutions to make improvements school wide. At the beginning and end of the school year, this team evaluates the School Improvement Plan to ensure that all requirements are successfully completed. Additionally, the SAC team assists with the expenditures of school improvement funds and various methods of school improvement. SAC reviews and identified problem areas, develops improvement strategies, monitors their implementation and then starts the whole process over when the next round of data is available.

The meetings usually last around 45 minutes to 1 hour.

Anyone interested in being a part of this year's SAC team, please reach out to Mr. Manias at John.Manias@stjohns.k12.fl.us

FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM:



CAFETERIA NEWS:

Parents can complete the online Free and Reduced lunch application by using this link <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/food/free/> We encourage you to fill out the online application-English or Spanish, but you can also print a form on the same website and return it to school. Parent should not delay applying to prevent a gap in their student's meal eligibility. A new application must be completed every school year.

If you have any questions please contact the Café Manager, Keri Jessop.

keri.jessop@stjohns.k12.fl.us

904-547-8776

FortifyFL App

FortifyFL is a website and app developed at the direction of the Florida Legislature. Any student, educator, parent or member of the public can report school safety concerns directly to law enforcement and school administrators anonymously and easily through the FortifyFL app or getfortifyfl.com.

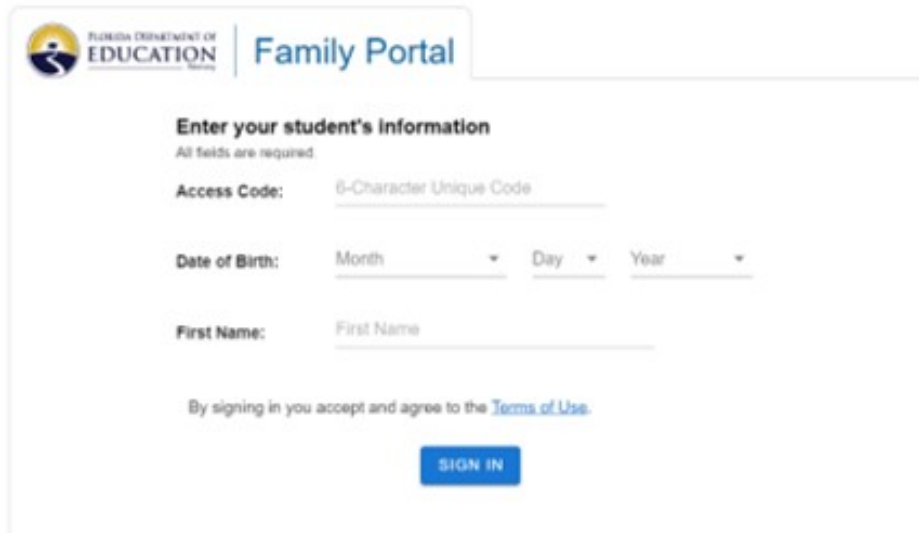


TESTING INFORMATION:

Accessing the Statewide Assessments Family Portal

1. Log into HAC:
<https://homeaccess.stjohns.k12.fl.us/HomeAccess/Account/LogOn?ReturnUrl=%2fhomeaccess>
2. Click the Registration Tab
3. Copy the Statewide Assessments Family Portal Access Code
4. Navigate to <https://fl-familyportal.cambiumast.com/#/>
5. Log in using the copied Access Code, your child's date of birth, and their first name

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The screenshot shows the login interface for the Florida Department of Education's Family Portal. At the top left is the Florida Department of Education logo. The page title is "Family Portal". Below the title, there is a section titled "Enter your student's information" with a note that "All fields are required". The form contains three main input fields: "Access Code" with a placeholder "6-Character Unique Code", "Date of Birth" with dropdown menus for "Month", "Day", and "Year", and "First Name" with a placeholder "First Name". Below the form, there is a link to "Terms of Use" and a blue "SIGN IN" button.

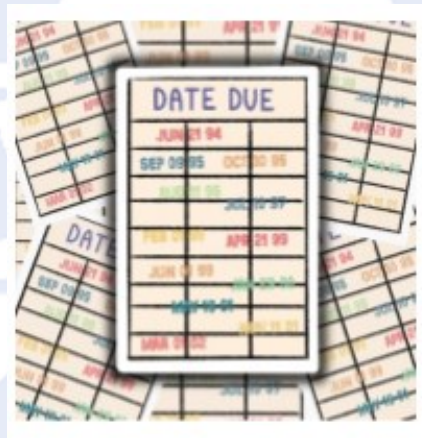
MEDIA CENTER:

Media Center Policy:

Our students are expected to check out books and read throughout the school year. Students are responsible for returning or renewing their library books and textbooks by the due dates given. Students with outstanding materials or fines need to clear their account before being allowed to continue checking out books. Students, and their parents, are responsible for the replacement costs of any lost or damaged materials. Please check before attempting to replace a book with your own copy as many of our books are library bound so a copy you get at retail is not a suitable replacement. Students may be excluded from end-of-year activities with Media Center materials outstanding. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this policy, please contact our Media Specialist at karin.gowens@stjohns.k12.fl.us.

Library Book Access Form:

If you would like to change your student's level of access to library books at school, please complete the Library Book Access form found on the Media Center website and submit it to the Media Center.



Due Dates:

Books are due 3 weeks after they are checked out. The due date is stamped in the back of the book. Overdue notices are emailed home every Monday afternoon. If applicable, these records will also show books or fines owed to, and to be taken care of at, other SJCS D schools and will be indicated by that school's initials. Please promptly return books to the Media Center. You can pay for lost/damaged books in the Media Center with cash (exact change) or a check made out to PBMS. You can also pay for PBMS MATERIALS ONLY using our online School Pay. The School Pay link can be found on the Media Center website. Please DO NOT use our PBMS School Pay if the book/fine you need to pay for is owed to a different school. You will need to pay that school directly or you can send in a check made out to the appropriate school with your student and we will forward your payment to that school.

Schoology Information:

- Schoology is our online learning management system. Teachers will be posting announcements, calendar events, assignments, and materials in Schoology.
- Students should check their account regularly, at least once a week. It is strongly recommended that students check Schoology daily when absent.
- Students will access Schoology via Clever. The link to Clever can be found on the PBMS website homepage.
- All of our students completed Schoology training the first week of school and received the “Getting Started with Schoology” guide. Students who join PBMS mid-year will receive this training by a WEB leader. This guide is available on the PBMS website > Media Center > Schoology Information.
- If your student is having trouble signing in at home, please make sure they are following the specific steps in the guide provided above. Also, clearing the Chrome browser history completely and re-starting your computer often solves login issues.
- Students should check their account regularly, at least once a week. It is strongly recommended that students check Schoology daily when absent.
- Parents are encouraged to set up their own Schoology accounts. Parents will need their child’s parent access code to set up a new account or add a child to an existing account. Parent access codes are available in HAC. Click on the Registration tab and look under Additional Information. If you don’t see your parent access code listed, please keep checking back, it could take up to a week to populate for new students. Then follow the directions given on the SJCS D Schoology for Families webpage (link below) to set up your account.
- Visit the following links <https://www-pbm.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology-information/> and <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology/schoology-for-families/> for additional information and resources.

Pacetti Bay Middle School

Home Attendance Classes Grades Student Support **Registration**

Demographic

Student ID: Student Name Birth Date: House/Team: Counselor:	Building: Pacetti Bay Middle School Gender: Male Calendar: Regular Calendar	Grade: 08 Language: English - EN
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Additional Information

Schoology Parent Access Code :

Emergency

Doctor: None Phone: Ext: Hospital:	Insurance: Group: ID: Subscriber:
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SCHOOL INFORMATION:

Ordering Gym Uniforms: Gym uniforms are available through SchoolPay. Once ordered through School Pay, print out your receipt showing the date and item(s) purchased and show to your PE teacher to receive your PE uniform. Students are required to wear a PE uniform.

T-Shirt: <https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/PE-Fee--PBMS-PE-TShirt-2425/SekYks9>



Shorts: <https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/PE-Fee--PBMS-PE-Shorts-2425/SdghyWh>



Lockers: Lockers are optional. Students may choose to rent a locker for \$5/year through School Pay. Once payment is made, print out your receipt showing the date purchased and bring it up to the front office to see Mr. Leonard.

<https://www.schoolpay.com/pay/for/Lock-Rental-Fee-2425/SbddtXb>



RSV (Returning Student Verification): The RSV must be completed in order for your student to have a schedule on the first day of school. Every summer, the School District requires parents to complete the returning student verification (RSV) form online. Parents must complete the returning student verification for each child separately. Parents should have received an email from: noreplyregistration@powerschool.com at the end of last school year that contains the link to the RSV & your child's individual snap code. Once you have the snap code, you may go to: <https://registration.powerschool.com/family/gosnap.aspx?action=36240&culture=en> to complete this mandatory form online.

Rising 7th Graders: 7th grade students are required to have a Tdap and updated FL680 immunization form on file. Students will not receive a schedule until records are received. If you have any questions please contact Ms. Pelletier 547-8767 Rebecca.Pelletier@stjohns.k12.fl.us or Kimber Ponce at 547-8773 Kimber.Ponce@stjohns.k12.fl.us .

Rising 6th Graders: Updated proof of residency must be provided, and the Returning Student Verification (RSV) completed for your student to have a schedule on the first day of school. When you complete the RSV online you can upload proof of residency at the same time. RSV emails were sent to families at the end of 5th grade from St. Johns County School District. New students to St. Johns County will upload proof of residency when registering.

Lunch Accounts: Each student is provided with a lunch account. Please visit our Wild Cat Café's website to deposit money into your student's account through PayPams and/or access free/reduced meals application. <https://www-pbm.stjohns.k12.fl.us/cafe/>

Student Dress Code: Please review St. Johns County dress code policy as you begin back to school shopping. See pg. 13-15 of the Student Code of Conduct 23-24
<https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/schoolservices/wp-content/uploads/sites/23/2023/07/23-24-Code-of-Conduct-final.pdf>

Family/Visitor Access to the School: If you would like access to the school beyond the front office waiting room to conference with the teacher in person, attend IEP or 504 meetings, volunteer at school events, and/or attend a field trip, you must have completed the School Access Form. This is a district policy and there are no exceptions. We do not want to turn families away so please visit the following link <https://stjohns.keepntrack.com/apply/>.

HAC (Home Access Center): Through HAC, families and students can access student schedules, classroom assignments, grades, report cards, transcripts, attendance information, test scores, discipline information, and much more. We ask that families review classrooms grades at least once a week. If you do not have access to HAC, <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/hac/>, please contact Rebecca.Pelettier@stjohns.k12.fl.us or Kimber.Ponce-Triay@stjohns.k12.fl.us. You may also log-in through the App. <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/hac/family-app/>

Clinic Information: If your student will be carrying non-prescription medication, the following form must be filled out <https://www-pbm.stjohns.k12.fl.us/clinic/wp-content/uploads/sites/9/2023/05/self-administer.pdf> and provided to our nurse. If your student needs or may need prescription medication, the following form must be filled out and signed by a physician. <https://www-pbm.stjohns.k12.fl.us/clinic/wp-content/uploads/sites/9/2023/05/assist-in-medication-treatment.pdf>

Schoology: Through Schoology, students will be able to access assignments, textbooks, and communicate with teachers. All students will have log-in information. Families are urged to sign up as well. Parent Access Codes can be found in HAC under "registration". Through Schoology, students and families may communicate with teachers and keep informed. <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/media/schoology/schoology-for-families/>

St. Johns County Calendar: <https://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/calendar/>

Wildcat Roar: Our electronic newsletter, The Wildcat Roar, will come out every other week or more as necessary. It will be sent to you electronically. You may also review past newsletters through our website.

Forgotten Student Items: Items accepted at the front office during the school day: lunch, lunch money, eyeglasses, emergency change of clothing, and large projects that do not fit on the bus. Forgotten homework, weekend bags, etc...will not be accepted.

Student Absences: If the student is absent, please fill out the following form online. It will be electronically submitted to our attendance office.

<https://surveys.stjohns.k12.fl.us/TakeSurveyError.aspx?SurveyID=I2L16mlK&Reason=30>