



Palma School Newsletter

A monthly newsletter for the parents of Palma

NOVEMBER 2021



WATCH THE VIDEO

Raising funds for the American Cancer Society

During No Shave November, students pay a \$20.00 participation fee to compete for prizes and recognition for such honors as Lumberjack (best overall beard), Best Mustache, Longest Beard and the coveted Naked Mole Rat. The money raised is donated to the American Cancer Society. In 2019, Mr. Nick Noroian '02 told students he would shave his head if they raised more than \$5,000. The contest yielded \$6,612.75.



This year the goal is \$7,500. To help motivate students to meet this new challenge, Mr. Thorup '06 has agreed to shave his head (in January) if \$7,500 is exceeded. To participate, bring \$20 to Mr. Noroian's office beginning on Nov. 1st to receive your wristband.



Be powerful. Be a Chieftain.

What's Inside:

- Letter from the Principal
- November Calendars
- Open House
- First Quarter Honor Roll
- Chieftain Athletics
- Guidance Department
- 2020-21 Yearbook
- Parents' Club
- See's Candies
- November Lunch Menu



schedule highlights

See pages 3-5 for more details

Monday, November 1

All Saints Day

Tuesday, November 2

All Souls Day Memorial Video of Deceased Alumni

Sunday, November 7

12 noon **OPEN HOUSE** *Daylight Savings Time Ends*

Monday, November 8

5:30pm Athletic Council Meeting in CSC

Wednesday, November 10

Mid-Quarter Progress Reports emailed

Thursday, November 11

Veterans Day — **NO CLASSES**

Monday, November 15

5:00pm Parents' Club meeting in CSC

Monday, Nov. 22-Friday, Nov. 26

Thanksgiving Week Vacation — **NO CLASSES**

Thursday, Nov. 25-Friday, Nov. 26

Thanksgiving Holiday — **SCHOOL CLOSED**

Sunday, November 28

First Sunday of Advent

Tuesday, November 30

Giving Tuesday





From the Principal

Let us be reminded of those, perhaps even among our own families, who need more of our gratitude, who need more of our love.

Dear People of Palma,

Gratitude, indeed, is a very rare virtue. Doesn't gratitude seem to be rarest among American culture today? People are always in a rush and we are more demanding than ever. Our wants have become our needs, and our luxuries have become our necessities. Having multiple televisions, multiple computers, multiple cellular and land-line phones, all in multiple rooms for multiple uses now seem to be our basic home necessities. We have grown so accustomed to them, we even feel *entitled* to them.

Schools are no exception to people who feel *entitled* with unrestricted access to them. After all, are we not *paying* for this education? Doesn't this mean, then, that I should be able to demand a teacher's time whenever *I* need it to discuss *my* needs and *my* son? Doesn't this mean that I can choose whenever my family *deserves* a vacation — even if it interrupts the routine for learning and school attendance so important to my son? If my son is uncomfortable with his educational experience, then I should be able to pull him out of school because, after all, my son is *entitled* to be happy all the time. If my son does a good deed, shouldn't he be *rewarded* for it? If I am in a hurry, (and parking is always a problem) don't I have the right to park wherever I want — even if it trumps fire lanes, school prohibited zones and parking spaces dedicated to Palma personnel and students with permits? And, of course, the office staff exists primarily to satisfy *my* needs and wants, so not only am I *entitled* to their time but I deserve a smile from them while they *serve me*.

Gratitude inspired from above translates into *caritas* — a love that moves us to act for others. We must be mindful of the many needs throughout our world filled with inequality. Hunger is found in many forms, and it exists everywhere. People are hungry for nourishment, for spiritual fulfillment, for connection, for life balance among the BUSY-ness. We are hungry for a God who is Daddy, and who dispels all our fears. Let us be reminded of those, perhaps even among our own families, who need more of our gratitude, who need more of our love. The holidays can be awfully difficult on those who are starved of such good things we often take for granted — and this year, such difficulty might present challenges of unprecedented levels. In gratitude for you all this Thanksgiving, go *Chieftains!*

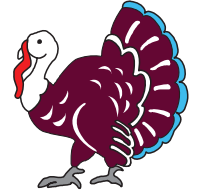
Have a blessed and Spirit-filled Thanksgiving holiday!

Yours in Blessed Edmund Rice,

David J. Sullivan
Principal



November 2021 Calendar



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Revised 10/29/2021. Go Chieftains!

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 11:10am ASB: JH Cornhole Tournament: Nov. 1-5 @ per 4
 11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
 12:02pm Mock Trial Club @ 5th per. in C3
 12:26pm ASB Officers Meeting in D4
 2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm

1st Day Practice: HS Winter Sports

ASB: No Shave November Begins

- 2** 8:30am All Souls Day: Memorial of Deceased Alumni in MPB – Theo Classes All Day
 8:30am NJ Inst. of Tech virtual pres. in CSC
 11:10am ASB: JH Cornhole Tournament @ per 4
 11:30am Jr. High ASB Meeting in D4 @ per 4
 11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
 12:02pm Spikeball Club on Field @ per 5
 12:26pm Class Officers Meeting in D4 @ per 5
 2:35pm Book Club in B1
 2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
 2:45pm COVID Testing in Cafeteria
 2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
 TBA MTJAL Volleyball Playoffs: Palma @ San Benancio

- 3** 11:10am ASB: JH Cornhole Tournament @ per 4
 11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
 12:02pm Investor Club Meeting in C1 @ per 5
 2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
 2:45pm Culinary Club in C4
 2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
 6:30pm Mock Trial Club in CSC

4 9:15am Late Arrival Schedule

- 9:15am Rel. 7, Theo. 9 Examen in Chapel @ per 1, 2, 5
 9:15am U. of Mass-Lowell in CSC
 11:37pm Jr. High Cornhole Tournament @ per 4
 11:37am MS Game Club in B3 @ per 4
 11:57am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
 2:35pm Film Club in B1
 2:40pm Know That You Matter Club in A1
 2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
 2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
 3:00pm Moms in Cafeteria: football posters
 5:00pm Football Dinner: JV/Var @ picnic tables

- 5** 11:10am ASB: JH Cornhole Tournament @ per 4
 11:10am Foosball Club in Cafeteria @ per 4
 12:02pm Admissions Ambassadors in MPB @ per 5
 12:02pm Game Club in D5 @ per 5
 12:02pm Soccer Club in D2 @ per 5
 12:30pm ASB: Fri.Fun @ per 5: Spikeball Competition on Field
 12:30pm Origami Club in C4 @ per 5
 3:00pm Football v Salinas @ RB Stadium (3)
 4:00pm MS XC @ MTJAL Championship @ Carmel

- 6** 9:30am Mock Trial Club in CSC
 11:00am Latin Jazz Band Rehearsal in E5 until 4:00pm
 TBA Service: Jacob's Heart Ranch Car Show in Spreckels

- 7** 12:00pm Admissions Open House

Daylight Savings Time Ends

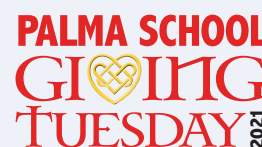


All Souls Day 2021

Tuesday, November 2

This annual remembrance of Chieftains who have passed away will be shown to all classes and be available on our website.

Tuesday, Nov. 30



Giving Tuesday is a global generosity movement unleashing the power of people and organizations to transform their communities and the world. To honor Palma's 70th Anniversary, we have set a goal to raise \$70,000 for tuition assistance. Look for more about Palma's Giving Tuesday challenge throughout the month.

November 2021 Calendar

8 11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
12:02pm Mock Trial Club in C3 @ per 5
12:26pm ASB Officers Meeting in D4
2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
5:30pm Athletic Council Meeting in CSC

9 8:30am Lafayette College virtual pres. in CSC
11:30am Jr. High ASB Meeting in D4 @ per 4
11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
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2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
6:30pm Mock Trial Club in CSC

Mid-Qtr. Prog. Reports Emailed

11 Veterans Day – NO CLASSES
2:45pm Yearbook in CLab

12 12:02pm Game Club in D5 @ per 5
12:02pm Soccer Club in D2 @ per 5
12:30pm Origami Club in C4 @ per 5

15 Cans for Credit Food Drive Nov. 15-19

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12:26pm ASB Officers Meeting in D4
2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
5:00pm Parents' Club Meeting in CSC

1st Day Winter HS Scrimmage

16 8:30am St. Mary's College Virtual Pres. in CSC
11:30pm Jr. High ASB Meeting in D4 @ per 4
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12:02pm Spikeball Club on Field @ per 5
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2:45pm Culinary Club in C4
2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
6:30pm Mock Trial Club in CSC

18 9:15am Late Arrival/Gold Day Schedule

9:15am FIDM in CSC @ per 1
2:40pm Know That You Matter Club in A1
2:40pm NHS Tutoring in CSC until 3:15pm
2:45pm Yearbook in CLab
4:00pm Soccer Scrimmage: Var @ Alisal.
Basketball: CCS Sportsmanship Games

19 12:02pm Game Club in D5 @ per 5
12:02pm Soccer Club in D2 @ per 5
12:30pm Origami Club in C4 @ per 5

20 9:00am Soccer Scrimmage: Var @ York.
9:30am Mock Trial Club in CSC

22 Thanksgiving Vacation: Nov. 22-26 – No Classes
1st Day Contests: HS Winter Sports

23 2:45pm COVID Testing in Cafeteria

25-26 Thanksgiving Holiday – SCHOOL CLOSED

28 First Sunday of Advent
Hanukkah Begins (sundown)

29 11:30am NJHS Tutoring for Gr. 6-8 in CSC @ per 4
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30 Giving Tuesday

8:30am Swiss Ed. Group Virtual Pres. in CSC.
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No one knows the benefits of a Palma School education better than you!

*Encourage your family, friends, neighbors
and business colleagues to attend our*

ON CAMPUS

Open House

Visitors will tour our campus, meet our faculty, talk with students and parents, and enjoy Palma hospitality.



Sunday, November 7th
12-2pm

HONOR ROLL: FIRST QUARTER 2021-2022

Congratulations to those students with a GPA of 3.2 and above for earning a place on the first-quarter honor roll. Students whose GPA is from 3.2 to 3.49 have earned second honors, and those with a 3.5 and above have earned first honors, with those earning a 4.0 or above designated as such.

GRADE 6

4.0+ First Honors

Gabriel Colon
Ashton Marshall
Joseph Mollner
Griffin Ripley

First Honors

Carson Bolding
Colton Brown
Braedon Cagle
Jonah Corpus
Francis Devine
Cole Flickner
Blake Herod
Colton Hodges
Jacob Martinez
Thomas Mazzei
Owen Mazzuca
Richard Medrano-
Gutierrez
Dean Morris
Graham Neff
Quinton Piña
Diego Sullivan
Anthony Tringali
Jack Witting

Second Honors

Luke De Oliveira
Mason Holaday
Jameson Szaszy

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GRADE 7

4.0+ First Honors

Brandon Hamlet
Bernie Phillips

First Honors

Shane Aguilar
Chase Amaral

Bryce Amaral
Caleb Bobadilla
Daniel Borghazan-Rubio
Marco Crivello
Matthew De La Rosa
Patrick Driscoll
Evan Estrada

Daniel Fanucchi
Keanu Fiege
Andres Garcia
Bolin Hinkle
Bearitt Langmann
Maximilian Lomboy
Matthew López
Evan McKay
Lorenzo Mercado
Ethan Moncada
Leo Myaskovsky
Ian Negrón Bugarin

Wyatt Nunes
Michael Ochoa
Gabriel Arturo Perez
Gabriel Perez
Davis Pisoni
Isaac Ramos
Roberto Rios
Shane Sanders
Sebastian Silva
Dominic Silva
Zakary Stohlmann
Tristann Trego-Cardenas
Christopher Ushakoff
Calix Velarde
Alexiz Velasquez

Second Honors

Blake Blowers
Jacob Diaz
Cristofer Gage
Isaak Hernandez
Marco Hernandez
Eliart Manzur

Rhett Russo
Joshua Ward

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GRADE 8

4.0+ First Honors

Izahias Cervantes
Miles Holaday
John Michael Manalang
Sebastiann Ponce
Jeremy Ramirez
Eduardo Saavedra
Taylor Swan
Anthony Vasquez
Jordan Vasquez
Aiden Veliz
Joe Viarengo

First Honors

Wyatt Bakker
Haider Chaudhry
Joseph DeFonzo
Keith Ewart
Jose Gutierrez
Joseph Harreld
Benjamin James
Cesar Mercado
Matthew Miranda
Zachary Nixon
Francis Perez
Quintin Ruelas
Brayden Sargenti
Jose Saucedo
Luke Secondo
Cooper Steinbruner
Samuel Strachan
Gavin Tenney
Tristan Thoeni
Cruz Tovar
Heinrich Vetter
Daniel Witting
Zayah Wright

Second Honors

Johanne Ajoc
Job Barroso-Robles
David Garcia
Zenon Paden
Keoni Pato-Guardado

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GRADE 9

4.0+ First Honors

Benjamin Alcantara
Noah Cabanas-Granados
Boston Collins
Alan Gonzalez
Liam Hamilton
Lukas Hell
Isidro Hernandez
Mark Macias
Sebastian Mazariegos
Lucas Milburn
Daniel Pedersen
Ayden Perez
Nicolas Pezzini
Kianno Philpot Montano
Isaiah Rangel
Jeremy Regalado
Xavier Reinhardt
Enrique Saavedra
Maxwell Sanchez
Sebastian Sanchez
Garrett Schoeder
Griffin Stoffel

First Honors

Cayden Acosta
Brady Amaral
Johnny Carnazzo
Dominic Chaidez
Benjamin Dalton
Matthew Garcia-Galindo
Giovanni Gutierrez
James Hinkle

Ivan Hu
Jered Kallenberger
Eric McKay
Jose Montes
Dan Nino
Aaron Pacheco
Michael Padilla
Christian Ramirez
Soren Roberts
Mason Ross
Aaron Rubio
Luke Ruelas
Dean Silacci
Gibson Stoffel
Lucas Umbarger
Adrian Valadez
Isaiah Velasquez
Jaskaran Walia
William Ward
Aidan Williams

Second Honors

Jonathan Rivas
Gerard Tershy
Jordan Wilkins
Ethan Wilson

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GRADE 10

4.0+ First Honors

Andrew Airada
Matthew Arbizu
Nicholas Bengard
Evan Bobadilla
Aaron Braasch
Diego Calusdian
Tyler Cina
Roberto De León
Thomas Ducker
Anmol Ghuman
Noa Kawamoto
Luka Kawamoto

HONOR ROLL: FIRST QUARTER 2021-2022

Isaac Kelly
Johannes Landis
Gavin Lanini
Mark Lester
Jaideep Nahal
Gabriel Ovando
Ryder Ritchie
Caleb Romero
Jacob Segura
Timothy Slater
Jaden Soliz-Kincaid
Nicolas Veliz IV
Diego Villarreal
Timothy Youssef
Dante Zanger

First Honors

Brandon Chrisman
Nicholas Dominguez
Nathan Garcia
Ethan Gonzalez
Ryan Guerra
Noah Herman
Rolando Infante
Dylan Jaynes
Ian Jury
Christopher Martinez
Gavin Martinez
Drew Molinari
Thomas Nunes
Edgar Padia-Noriega
Tobias Perkowski
Axel Reyes
Esteban Sotelo
Joel Zaragoza

Second Honors

Blake Andersen
Keoni Bennett

Brendon Datta
Luke Garner
Blake Hofmans
Sekou Mathews
Steven McCarty
Rigoberto Perez
Gianni Ponce
Jacob Regalado
Logan Saldate

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GRADE 11

4.0+ First Honors

Kyle Abendano-Real
Marc Asuncion
Henry Brown
Blake Butler
Caleb Chung
Salvatore Cina
Matthew Cortez
Henry Cremers
Elias Farotte-Kruchas
Aidan Freeman
Logan Guerini
Zechariah Hernandez
David Hodges
Ivan Hora
Matt Iverson
Adan Magaña
Carl Nielsen
Suyesh Niraula
Anthony Secondo
Sebastien Trinidad
Logan Umbarger
Brendan Watson
Daniel Westing
Quentin Williams

First Honors

Alexander Aldisert
Pierce Balestrieri
Cooper Bonessa
Nick Braga
Andy Camacho
Uriel Chavez
Kevin Chen
Bradley Collins
James Conners
Jose Escutia
Matthew Fuqua
Matthew Houck
Jayden Kim
Mason Maraccini
Sterling Martin
Luke Moran-Murphy
Noah Olszanowski
Sergio Regino Parreno
Francisco Rojas
Tatum Sanders
Owen Sargenti
Joe Silacci

Second Honors

Francisco Barragan
Jhovanni Cruz-Chavez
JC Escutia
Gursewak Ghuman
Anthony Giammanco
Nathan Halcon
David Hu
Charles Kosta
Hector Rojas-Rodriguez
Benjamin Scattini
Zachary Toderick

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GRADE 12

4.0+ First Honors

Noah Andersen
Javier Avila
Josh Bassetti
Kyle Batacan
Moises Benito
Michael Binoj
Sean Bosch
Adam Bucholtz
Joseph Bucholtz
Tomas Calusdian
Ethan Chrisman
Joseph DaSilva
Keith Day
Gavin Ducker
Kevin Espinas
Cezar Filimon
Jack Findley
Christian Hamlet
Charles Hayden
Maddux Hrepich
Jake Mahler
Nathan Mei
Aryan Nahal
Andrew Newcomb
Jacob Nguyen
Chandler Nicholson
Vincent Nino
Andy Ottone
Ryan Roggio
Luke Rossi
Ryle Tomimbang
Hunter Vaccarezza
Cade Wheeler

First Honors

Caesar Aldisert
Colton Amaral
Daniel Aquino
Abraham Arroyo
William Black
Joseph Cardinale
Andrew Flores
Ricardo Garcia-Lopez
Sam Gomez
Nate Jean-Pierre
Sal Lagana
Paul Lester
Christopher McCarty
Haden Mitchell
Caleb Moran-Murphy
Seth Nino
Martin Perez
Michael Ramirez
Paul Rivera
Darrell Suhat
Christian Theroux
Aiden White
Kai Yasuda
Emilio Zavala
Carlos Zavala Zamudio

Second Honors

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Samuel Bastida Marquez
Jesus Flores Govea
Rudy Guerrero
Misha Lomboy
Quang Luu
Jayden Perez
Edric Perkowski
Benjamin Salas
Jacob Valdez

Good job Chieftains!

74% of our students earned a spot on the honor roll!



Chieftain Athletics

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Go Chieftains!

Chieftain athletics in November

There is one game left in football's regular season and it's the biggest of the year on Friday, November 5th when we're home against the Salinas Cowboys. I encourage everyone to attend the game to support our Chieftains. The boys are aware of your presence and a big crowd makes a huge difference.

Winter sports (basketball, soccer and wrestling) begin their seasons this month. In addition to your support in the stands, think about helping out at a game or two.

Honoring the memory of Coach Norm Costa

All Palma alumni who played under late Coach Norm Costa are invited to attend the game at Rabobank Stadium on Friday, Nov. 5th. An invitation-only reception will be held before the game at the adjoining Storm House and a tribute, along with an alumni photo on the field, will be take place at halftime. Don't miss this special event. If you are an alum who played for Coach Costa, click on the link below to RSVP for these events.



[RSVP FOR COACH COSTA EVENTS](#)



Palma School Athletics App

contains schedules, rosters and updated scores. It is part of the "gochieftains" website. You find the app at Apple and android app stores.



[GET YOUR OFFICIAL PALMA GEAR HERE](#)



Put your name up in lights

Put your company name or family message on all three scoreboards. Your message could appear on the Holaday Seed scoreboard in the gym and on the new video scoreboard during contests on our track, field and baseball stadium. Contact Mr. Bishop at bishop@palmaschool.org for more details.



Get involved

There are a variety of ways the Palma community can participate at athletic events and we can never have too many volunteers. From helping out at games to providing the many hands needed at fund raising events, Palma parents are the ones who make athletics happen for our boys. Parents are encouraged to attend our monthly Athletic Council meetings. We would like at least one parent representative from each team, whether your sport is in or out of season, to join us. The next meeting is scheduled on Monday, November 8th at 5:30pm in the Cislini Study Center.



For all of your daily athletic updates please follow me on twitter at [@Coach_Rbishop](#). I tweet upcoming game times for all sports each week as well as results and other fun information regarding Palma and Palma Athletics.



Guidance Department

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November's the month for college applications

The college essay

This is your opportunity to tell the college about yourself — your hopes, ambitions, life experiences, inspirations. Take your time on this assignment. Be open. Be reflective. Find your individual voice and express it honestly.

Do's and Don'ts for your application

- Do use unique personal anecdotes. You want your application to stand out!
- Do get to know your universities and what they stand for before filling out your applications.
- Do follow directions given in your application, such as adhering to word or page limits. Read the question thoroughly and don't elicit information that was not requested.
- Don't procrastinate. Last minute, rushed applications will not reflect your best work.
- Don't lie. *Period.* Any fabricated grades or omitted grades, test scores, leadership positions — admission counselors will find out and it will certainly jeopardize your acceptance and scholarships.

Other aid forms required by private colleges

Seniors applying to private colleges and universities should ensure that they complete all financial aid applications required by the school. Some private colleges require applicants to complete and submit the CSS Profile. For many colleges this form is due in early November. This form can be completed online at <http://profileonline.collegeboard.com/index.jsp>. Colleges that do not require the CSS Profile often require applicants to complete other university-specific financial

aid forms. Check with the Admissions and Financial Aid offices at the private colleges to which you are applying. Failure to do so could reduce the amount of financial aid you might receive.

Virtual and in-person college visits in the CSC

Nov. 2	8:30a	New Jersey Inst. of Tech.	Virtual
Nov. 4	9:15a	Univ. of Massachussetts	In person
Nov. 9	8:30a	Lafayette College	Virtual
Nov. 16	830a	Saint Mary's College of CA	Virtual
Nov. 18	9:15a	FIDM	In person
Nov. 30	8:30a	Swiss Education Group	Virtual

Senior monthly reminder

- ✓ Finalize your college decisions.
- ✓ Prepare early decision, early action, or rolling admission applications.
- ✓ Complete your app essays. Be sure to proofread them for mistakes.
- ✓ Request transcripts and letters of recommendation in Naviance. CSU's and UC's do not want transcripts or letters of recommendation.
- ✓ Complete the FAFSA
- ✓ Complete the CSS/Financial Aid Profile if it is required by any of your selected colleges.

SAT/ACT test dates and registration deadlines

	Test Date	Register by	Late Reg. Deadline*
SAT	Dec 4, 2021	Nov 4, 2021	Nov 23, 2021
ACT	Dec 11, 2021	Nov 5, 2021	Nov 19, 2021

* A late fee will be added after the "Register by" date.



Palma had another successful College Fair on October 26th. Forty Colleges/Universities were represented in our gym. Thank you to Amy Brown and Kate Secondo for decorating the foyer and assembling the goodie bags. Thank you to Mrs. Fife for help with the flyers and placards. Thanks to the maintenance staff for helping to set up and clean up the gym, and Mr. Giammanco for helping decorate and clean, and a big thank you to everyone else who helped.



2022 Yearbook

Ms. Jennifer Pagliaro
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Order your yearbook today!

Yearbook sales continue. If you have not order yours, now is the time. The yearbook will include all of Palma — grades six through twelve will be represented through profiles, interviews, informative content and photography about our students and Palma. The cost is \$100. *Thank you for your support!*

Senior portraits due by Friday, December 10, 2021

Please share these guidelines with the photographer of your choice. The photo requirement are:

- Head and shoulder/upper body shot (at least)
- Image that is not smaller than 6x8 inches
- Sent as a jpeg
- Minimum resolution of 300 dpi
- Full color — no black and white images
- Can be indoor or outdoor

All senior portraits must be submitted digitally to yearbook@palmaschool.org by Friday, December 10, 2021.

Please contact me with any questions you might have, or special needs concerning photography. I prefer to be reached at yearbook@palmaschool.org.

Here are some professional photographers.

Kathleen Marsh (831) 596-2928
www.iphotobykmarsh.zenfolio.com

Cook's Photography (831) 424-5486
www.cooksphotography.com

Lorinda K Photography (831) 233-9593
www.lorindakphotography.com

Ronnie Esparza Photography (831) 320-9328
www.ronnieesparzaphoto.com

Creative Images (831) 649-5443
www.larrynordwick.com

MommieRazzi Photography (831) 402-7716
mommierazziphoto.com

Grace Irwin (831) 262-7915
www.graceirwinphotography.com

Gary Dangerfield Photography (831) 915-9991
www.garydangerfieldphotography.com

Manuel Ortega (831) 682-7170
www.manuelortegaphoto.com

Carlos M. Gonzales (831) 206-7468
www.propixmedia.com

Palma School 2022 Yearbook Order Form

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2. Student's Name _____ Grade (please circle) 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
3. Student's Name _____ Grade (please circle) 6 7 8 9 10 11 12

Total number of yearbooks _____ x \$100.00 each = \$ _____ Check No. _____

Please make checks payable to Palma School Yearbook & mail to: Palma School, 919 Iverson St., Salinas, CA 93901
For cash or credit card payments, please stop by the main office. We will happily process your order.

Parents' Club

PARENT CLUB WEB PAGE: [HTTPS://PALMASCHOOL.COM/PARENTS-CLUB/](https://palmaschool.com/parents-club/)
EMAIL: PARENTSCLUB@PALMASCHOOL.ORG

Parent Happy Hour

Join us on Thursday, November 11th, at Tarp's Roadhouse from 5pm to 7pm for a Parent Happy Hour. Meet and connect with other Palma parents in a fun, casual setting. Parents only please. For more information, contact Diana Kawamoto at (831) 818-2515.

Our next Parents Club meeting will be November 15th, at 5pm in the CSC.

St. Patrick's Luncheon

Dine-in lunch: Hot buffet of Corned Beef, salads, dessert & beverage
Take-out includes Pastrami or Corned Beef sandwich, broccoli slaw, chips, cookie and a beverage

Wednesday, March 16, 2022
11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Steve Clayton Memorial Gym | Palma School

This annual fund raiser is a community event. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Kate Secondo at k8secondo@att.net if you would like to join in the fun.



See's Candies Winter Fundraiser is happening now.

You can help by encouraging your son to take orders from friends, relatives, and neighbors (feel free to share the online store link or place an order for those who aren't online). You can also **reach out to co-workers and business associates** and **order a few extras yourself for holiday gift exchanges**, teacher or coach thank you gifts and to avoid being caught empty handed for last-minute gift givers.

Click here to browse our store: [Palma See's Candies Winter Fundraiser](#)



ORDER NOW!
ONLINE STORE CLOSURES: Wednesday, December 1, 2021

Your order will be shipped directly from See's to the address you provide. There are no minimum orders. **Orders will start shipping on November 10, 2021** and after that date will be shipped as soon as the order is placed. Shipping is valid within the continental U.S., Alaska, and Hawaii and is \$6.95 per recipient for orders up to \$34.99, \$4.95 per recipient for orders of \$35.00-\$64.99 and FREE for orders of \$65.00 or more. **Thank you for helping us make this a BIG success.** Please contact Louise Bengard (Lbengard@mac.com) with any questions.

PALMA SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

November 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 \$8 Hot Chicken Sandwich L.T.L.O. Cheese, Basil Pesto	2 \$8 Buffalo Wings with French Fries	3 \$5 Pizza	4 \$8 Steak Burrito Rice, Beans and Cheese	5 \$8 Hot Turkey Sandwich with French Fries
8 \$8 Carnitas Burrito Rice, Beans and Cheese	9 \$8 BLT Sandwich with French Fries	10 \$8 Steak Fries with Cheese, Salsa and Jalapeño	11 NO SCHOOL	12 \$8 Asada Tacos with Pico de Gallo Salsa
15 \$8 Teriyaki Wings with French Fries	16 \$5 Pizza	17 \$7 Hot Dog Wrapped with Bacon	18 \$8 Chile Verde Burrito with Rice, Beans and Cheese	19 \$8 Tri-Tip Sandwich with Peppers, Onions and Cheese
22 NO SCHOOL	23 NO SCHOOL	24 NO SCHOOL	25 NO SCHOOL	26 NO SCHOOL
29 \$8 Orange Chicken Wings with French Fries	30 \$5 Hot Dog			

Daily Breakfast		Daily Lunch		Beverages, Sides & Treats	
Breakfast Burrito <i>egg, cheese & sausage or chorizo</i>	\$6	Hamburger	\$7	Bottled Water	\$1
Breakfast Sandwich <i>egg, cheese, ham, tomato on sourdough</i>	\$6	Cheeseburger	\$8	La Croix	\$1
French Toast	\$6	French Fries	\$2	Gatorade, Vitamin Water, etc.	\$2
Pancakes (2)	\$5	Turkey & Cheese Sandwich	\$7	Chips	\$1
Muffin or Pastry	\$2	Ham & Cheese Sandwich	\$7	Cookie	\$1
Grilled Bagel <i>with cream cheese</i>	\$2	<i>All sandwiches served with lettuce, tomato and onion</i>		Muffin, Bread, Pastry	\$2

We accept cash, debit/credit cards, Apple Pay and Google Pay

Rechargeable lunch cards will be available soon.