



# Crusader

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## News



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### Yearbook

View yearbook photos as the year progresses at <http://www.flickr.com/photos/pchssystemyearbook>.

The yearbook publisher, Herff Jones, held a Yearbook Cover Design Clinic in the library September 23. Many local, and not so local, schools came and worked with professional graphic designers to develop their 2010 yearbook covers. This was a great opportunity for yearbook students to watch and learn as professional graphic artists demonstrated their skills in design.

The economic slow-down has adversely affected our

revenue. Yearbook needs your help to raise funds that keep the purchase price of the yearbook reasonable.

Help in 3 ways:

**ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK.**

**TAKE OUT AN AD IN THE YEARBOOK.**

**REQUEST A PARENTS' PRIDE AD IN THE YEARBOOK.**

All this can be done by downloading the respective forms from the yearbook homework page or contacting the office or Mrs. Powderly at 304 485 6341.

### Library Corner

Check out the library web page at <http://PCHSLibrary.googlepages.com> or access the page through the school's web page [www.pchs1.com](http://www.pchs1.com) for plenty of suggestions on lots of topics. There are links to web sites that will recommend books based on your reading preferences and to web sites for homework help.

Go to [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com) to see the library wish-list. Click on "wish list," type in

the name Yvonne Powderly, and you will see the PCHS list. It is constantly updated.

The library has a blog, <http://crusaderlibrary.blogspot.com>. You can look at reviews of books new to the library and a list of new books added to the library.

Thanks go to Mrs. Schriener, the Earley family, Ms. Vincent, Mrs. Wiseman, and Erin Augenstein who donated books and periodical subscriptions to your library.

### Winter Concert

Mark your calendars now for the PCHS Music Department Winter Concert. It will be held Monday, Dec. 21 at St. Mary's Church in Marietta at 7 p.m.

### Conferences

Parent/Teacher conferences will be held Nov. 10 from 2-7 P.M. Please return the conference form attached to report cards to Mrs. Kirkpatrick in the Main Office and every effort will be made to accommodate your request.

### Winter Craft Fair

Parkersburg Catholic High School will be holding the 3rd Annual Winter Craft Fair Nov. 28 and 29 from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. in the school gym. In addition to the Craft Show, we are continuing the tradition of Sunday spaghetti dinner and the Christmas performance from the PCHS Bell Choir and new Choir. We hope that you will come and be a part of this year's exciting events.

## Upcoming Events:

**11/1**– Daylight Savings Time ends

**11/3**– Mass with Father Hall @ 11:16 A.M.

**11/4**– Photo retakes

**11/5**– Big Buddy/ Little Buddy Breakfast

**11/9**– GBB Practice Starts

**11/10**– Early Dismissal @ 12:57 P.M. and Parent/Teacher conferences 2-7 P.M.

**11/11**– NO SCHOOL– Veterans' Day

**11/12**– Dedication of the St. Sebastian Center

**11/14**– PCHS Quiz Team Tournament

**11/16**– BBB Practice Starts

**11/17**– TATU Training @ St. Margaret Mary PAC Center 8 A.M. to 3 P.M.

**11/18**– Reconciliation from 9-11 A.M. with Father On-deck

**11/19**– Junior Class Breakfast

**11/20**– Progress Reports issued and Builders' Club Jean Day \$1

**11/24**– Locker clean out and Mass with Father Wymer ! 11:16 A.M.

**11/25-11/27**– NO SCHOOL –Thanksgiving Break

**11/28-11/29**– Craft Show from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. in the school gym and first floor hallway

**11/29**– Spaghetti Dinner and Bell/Choir Concert



## Importance of Prayer

- As we head into the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons remember to count your blessings, tell people you love and care for them, and pray for those who are less fortunate. God bless you!
- The faculty, staff, and students of PCHS would like to invite our parents, grandparents, friends, and neighbors to attend Mass with us Nov. 24 at 11:16 A.M. in the gym.
- Parkersburg Catholic Schools would like to thank all our parents, teachers, coaches, volunteers, and alumni for making our academic and athletic programs a success. Please continue to pray for future growth and success.

## Progress Reports

**Progress Reports will be issued to all students in all classes Nov 20.**

## Junior Class Breakfast

The Junior Class Breakfast will be held Nov. 19 at 8:30 A.M. in the school cafeteria. All parents are invited and encouraged to attend and supply breakfast items. Please contact Ann Garvin (304-428-3968) if you have any questions.

## Dedication

Bishop Bransfield will be performing the dedication ceremony for the new St. Sebastian Center Nov. 12. All are welcome to attend.

## Reminders!

Mrs. Rafferty is continuing to collect old cell phones and ink cartridges for recycling. She is also seeking parent volunteers to chair the organization of the remaining class breakfasts. For more information, call the school at 304-485-6341.

## Closings

Parkersburg Catholic High School and Offices will be closed Nov. 25-27 for Thanksgiving Break.

## Toys-4-Tots

The Marines' Toys-4-Tots barrel is now in the main lobby of PCHS and will remain there until Dec. 19. Please help brighten a less fortunate child's Christmas!

## Attention Seniors:

Copies of Class of 2010 senior portraits are requested no later than January 6, 2010. Go to the yearbook homework page to download photo specifications.

Any left over fruit sale orders must be turned in by Friday, November 6th.