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PIRATE POINTS

The official newsletter of Pearl Public School District

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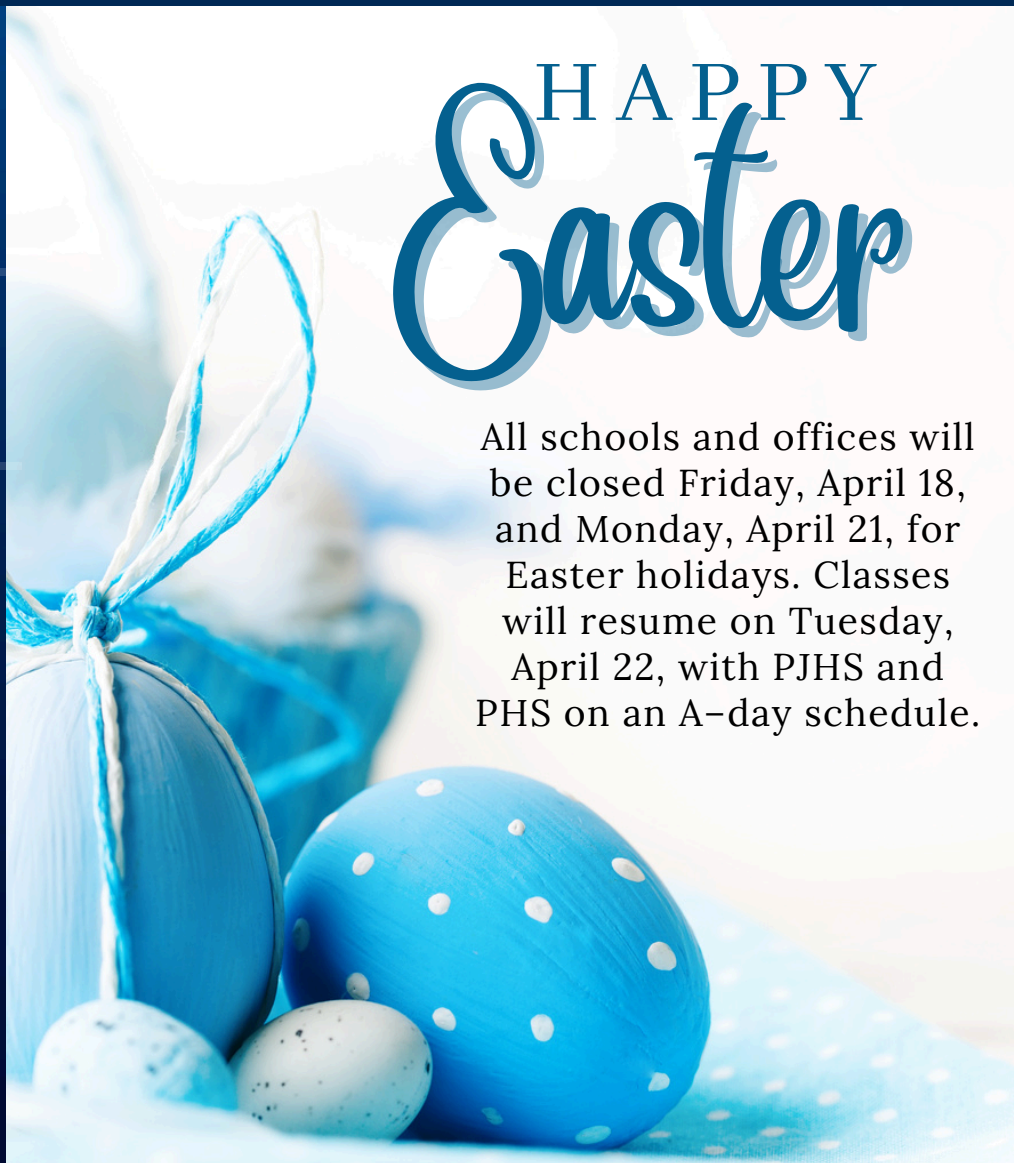
May 15
Class of 2025 Graduation



[Click here to view the PPSD Calendar.](#)



All schools and offices will be closed Friday, April 18, and Monday, April 21, for Easter holidays. Classes will resume on Tuesday, April 22, with PJHS and PHS on an A-day schedule.



SCHOOL NEWS

- **PLE**
 - 4/29: Move to Learn
 - 5/1: ECEC visits PLE
- **Northside**
 - 4/29: 2nd Grade Spring Musical
 - 5/2: PBIS Store
 - 5/7 & 8: Awards Day
- **Pearl Upper:**
 - 4/25: April Student of the Month Celebration
 - 5/7: 5th Graders tour Pearl Junior High School
 - 5/13: Field Day
- **Pearl Junior High School**
 - 4/24: Spring Band Concert @ 6:30 p.m.
- **Pearl High School**
 - 4/19: Daddy-Daughter Dance
 - 5/1: Pearl Singers Concert
 - 5/3: May Marketplace



Click on the scholarship to access the application.

Pearl Chamber Scholarship -
Due By: Friday April 28, 2025

Make Back to School Easier
with EPI School Supply Packs

EPI



- Teacher Approved
- Delivered Before the First Day of School
- Save Time & Money

**SHOP
NOW**

**Order Your
Teacher-Approved
Packs by May 20!**

Make school supply shopping easy! Educational Products Inc. (EPI) packs contain teacher-approved items and are delivered before school starts. When you buy from EPI you lock in pricing and avoid not being able to find everything on your list.

Shop now for your 2025-2026 school supplies. Avoid the stores and get all your school supply shopping done online.

Click your school for the 2025-2026 school year to order now!

- [ECEC \(PreK\).](#)
- [Pearl Lower Elementary \(K & 1st Grade\).](#)
- [Northside Elementary \(2nd & 3rd Grade\).](#)
- [Pearl Upper Elementary \(4th & 5th Grade\).](#)

Please note: You are NOT required to buy your supplies through this service. This is an option offered as a convenience to PPSD families.



GO FAN

Purchase athletic tickets on
GoFan.co.

Purchase PJHS event tickets.

Purchase PHS event tickets.

UPCOMING ATHLETIC EVENTS

- 4/17:
 - MHSAA Region 3-7A Track Meet @ Meridian
 - Baseball vs. Meridian (Home)
 - Softball @ Meridian
- 4/19:
 - Baseball vs. Ridgeland (Home)

ATHLETIC TRYOUT SCHEDULE

JUNIOR HIGH

- 4/23 & 24: Boys Soccer
- 4/22-24: Volleyball
- 4/28-29: Girls Soccer

HIGH SCHOOL

- 4/22 & 24: Girls Basketball
- 4/28-29: Girls Soccer
- 5/1-2: Boys Soccer



Click to download the activity
scheduler app to view Pirate
athletic schedules.

PEARL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

Pre-Kindergarten
Program

FOR THE 2025-2026
SCHOOL YEAR

Please visit our website or call
the PPSD Early Childhood Education
Center for more information on the
4-year-old program.

601.933.2461

www.pearlki2.com



If you're interested in enrolling your child in the 4-year-old program at the Pearl Public School District Early Childhood Education Center (ECEC) for the 2025-2026 school year, call 601-933-2461 or [click here for more information](#).

2025-2026 LADY PIRATE SOCCER

TRYOUTS

**APRIL 28-29TH
UPCOMING 7-12TH
GRADERS
4-6 PM AT THE STADIUM**

**MUST BRING: CURRENT
PHYSICAL, CLEATS, WATER**

REGISTER NOW BY SCANNING THE
BARCODE, OR VISITING OUR BIO TO
CLICK THE LINK. CHECK PIRATE
POINTS FOR REGISTRATION ALSO

The Lady Pirates Soccer tryouts will be held April 28 & 29 for upcoming 7-12th grade students.

Please complete the form to register:
<https://forms.gle/BeKGFtiHkk61jPz6A>

Check out these FREE ACT resources below!

The next ACT will be given on June 14. The deadline to apply is May 9. Go to my.act.org to register.



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Short, engaging practice sessions
Reinforces key ACT concepts



Each subject matter (English, Math, Reading and Science) contains 3 quizzes

Start practicing today!
Scan the QR code or visit
<https://quizme.act.org> to begin.



FREE ACT PRACTICE RESOURCES



**PREPARING FOR THE ACT?
WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED!**

Check out these free practice tests, videos, and study guides to help you feel confident on test day. Click the links below to access each resource instantly!

PRACTICE TESTS, GUIDES, AND VIDEO RESOURCES:

Full-length online practice test that incorporates the upcoming enhancements	Preparing for the ACT Test Guide 2024-2025 (pdf)	Preparación para el examen ACT 2024-2025 (pdf)
Preparing for the ACT Test Guide 2020-2021 Practice Test (pdf)	PreACT Secure Practice Test Booklet and Answer Document (pdf)	ACT English Free ACT Prep Sample Class (video)
ACT Math Free ACT Prep Sample Class (video)	ACT Reading Free ACT Prep Sample Class (video)	ACT Science Free ACT Prep Sample Class (video)
Student Advice on Taking the ACT (video)	Student Advice on Test Anxiety (video)	Student Views on ACT Test Prep (video)
How to Prepare for Taking a Test (video)	Practical Resources Tools and Tips to Help You Prepare for the ACT (video)	How Can the ACT Test Help Me? (video)



Scan the QR code for
a digital version of
this resource!

ACT

PHS NIGHT @ TRUSTMARK PARK

**SATURDAY, MAY 10
6:00 P.M.**

**FEATURING PERFORMANCES BY
PEARL SINGERS AND PEARL DRUMLINE**



Join us on Saturday, May 10, for PHS Night at the Mississippi Mud Monsters game at Trustmark Park. The Pearl Singers will perform the National Anthem with a special performance by the Pearl Drumline.

IN THE COMMUNITY



MAYOR'S ANNUAL



EASTER

Egg Hunt

SATURDAY, APRIL 19, 2025

10 AM

City Hall Complex

(2420 Old Brandon Road | Behind the Pearl Library)

**GAMES, PRIZES AND
MORE!**

**CHILDREN UP TO
9 YEARS OLD**



Join the City of Pearl for the Mayor's Annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19, at 10:00 AM at the City Hall Complex (behind the Pearl Library)!

May Marketplace

The Commons at Pearl High School
Saturday, May 3rd | 9:00am to 4:00pm

*Art & Craft Vendors
Small Businesses
Local Boutiques
Local Entertainment
Food Trucks*

\$5 Admission at the Door

Visit www.pearlsingers.org/May-Marketplace for more information!

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PEARL DAY IN THE PARK

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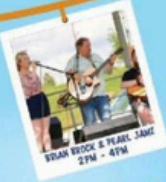
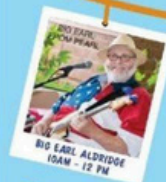


**SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH
9AM - 4PM**

**ARTS AND CRAFTS
MERCHANDISE VENDORS
FOOD/SNACK VENDORS**

**GAMES
FACE PAINTING
INFLATABLES**

LIVE MUSIC



BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIRS!

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE PEARL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
601.939.8333**



Substitute With Kelly!

Do you know someone who would be interested in working as a substitute teacher or paraprofessional? Great substitute teaching opportunities are available Pearl Public Schools. You don't need prior teaching experience—just a desire to help students become the best versions of themselves. [Click here to learn more!](#)

Scan or click the QR Code to fill out a quick interest form!



PEARSON Foundation Summer Program

The PEARSON Foundation will hold its Summer Learning & Enrichment Institute May 28 - July 2, for 1st-8th graders. Registration is open now through May 5. Space is limited!

[Click here for more information.](#)



Bus Drivers Wanted!

Contact the PPSD Transportation Department at 601.932.7985 for more information.

Visit pearlk12.com/employment to apply online!



Catch a Pirate!

[Tell us about a PPSD staff member deserving of recognition!](#)



[Become a Pirate Perks Partner today!](#)



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The mission of Pearl Public School District is to prepare each student to become a lifelong learner, achieve individual goals, and positively impact a global society.

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