



# BILLIE NEWS!



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*Vision Statement: Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow*

## Pleasant Hill Elementary

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Last week, the week of May 2<sup>nd</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>, was staff appreciation week. We are very fortunate to have an amazing staff of teachers and paraprofessionals. This incredible staff literally gives their all to make your child's experience at Pleasant Hill Elementary the best it can be. Thank you to our PTO for planning an incredible week. Thank you to our families who also took time to recognize the staff too.



The next five weeks of school will be extremely busy and pass quickly. Before you know it, summer will be here!



Please support your student by stressing the importance of continued learning. Students actively participating in daily lessons through the last day of school ensure a successful finish to the school year followed by a well-deserved summer vacation.

We still have many housekeeping chores to be taken care of as well as a lot of learning yet to occur. One of those housekeeping chores is assisting parents in completing the spring registration process for your student on-line at <https://www.pleasanthill.k12.or.us/registration-main>, by clicking the returning student link to register students presently enrolled in grades Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade for the upcoming school year.

If you need assistance, please call our office, 541-736-0400. If you need to access a computer, please stop by our office as we have computers available for registration. If you know your student will not be returning in the fall, please call our office.

We will be sending post cards to all of our students whose families completed the registration process in the mail around the middle of August announcing who your student's teacher will be for the upcoming 2022-2023 school year.



Included in the newsletter today, you will find a copy of the district calendar that has been adopted for the upcoming 2022-2023 school year. Please note

that school starts the day after Labor Day this upcoming year, Tuesday, September 6<sup>th</sup>. In addition, be watching for the postcard in the mailbox in August sharing many exciting events such as "Meet and Greet the Teacher", as well as who your child's teacher is.

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## 2022-2023 Kindergarten Registration

If you have an incoming kindergartener for the 2022-2023 school year, it is time to register them for school. Simply go to <https://www.pleasanthill.k12.or.us/registration>, click on the Kindergarten Registration button and follow the step-by-step directions. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call, 541-736-0400.

You will need to provide our school with the following materials before we proceed with enrolling your student, before June 10, 2022. You may either email, [cthoms@pleasanthill.k12.or.us](mailto:cthoms@pleasanthill.k12.or.us) or [mskelton@pleasanthill.k12.or.us](mailto:mskelton@pleasanthill.k12.or.us), fax, 541-736-0446, or drop off between the hours of 8:00 - 4:00 p.m.

- Birth Certificate for the student(s)
- Immunization records
- Proof of Residency which consists of:
  1. Utility Bill with your name and address listed
  2. Lease / Rental Agreement
  3. Mortgage Statement

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## LATE STUDENTS MISS OUT...



During the school year, parents have the important responsibility of seeing that students establish patterns for punctuality and good attendance. The patterns established during these years very often become life patterns. If your student is late for school...

- They may feel conspicuous and embarrassed when entering the room late.
- They miss morning greetings from their teacher and their classmates.
- They will miss the group experience of starting a new school day together.
- They will miss the important instruction given at the start of a lesson.
- They may feel pressure from having to catch up.

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## Cell Phones and Smart Watches

Students may bring cell phones and wear smart watches to school for safety reasons not for taking pictures or using during the school day. All cell phones must be turned off and remain off and in the student's backpack during the school day. Students may wear their watches in class but must be silenced and during OSAS testing be kept in their backpack. The state of Oregon has declared that any cell phone or smart watch in a testing environment is a breach of testing security resulting in a test being voided.

So, please help us reinforce that all cell phone's must be turned off while at school. In addition, smart watches must be silenced. Misuse of either cell phones or smart watches will result in the device being placed in the office for a parent / guardian to pick-up.

## 2022 Sluggo's Home Reading Challenge Bookmarks

The Em's Tickets just arrived! So, every student who read and recorded either books read, or minutes read on their Sluggo Reading Challenge Bookmark will be receiving tickets to an Em's game as long as they returned the completed bookmark to their teacher. Let's fill P.K. Park with Pleasant Hill Readers!



## Library News



With Summer just around the corner, Mrs. Kordon needs to begin preparing the library for our annual end of the school year, book inventory scheduled for the week of June 6th. Mrs. Kordon needs all library books returned and shelved. Please assist your students in locating and returning their library books. All library books are due into the library by Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Unfortunately, a library book bill will be generated and sent home with student's whose books have not been returned by Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

In addition, Mrs. Kordon will begin generating library bills for Chromebooks, chargers and cases not returned to school this week. If you have not returned your student's Chromebook, charger or case please do so. If you have arranged with your student's teacher to have your student continue to take their Chromebook home daily, please plan to check it back in by Friday, June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## New Curiosity Library

The PHES TAG program is excited to be able to offer the Curiosity Library for students and their families! This free lending library includes games, puzzle books, KEVA blocks, and more, which are available for students to check out for use at home for up to 2 weeks at a time. While the library is provided by the TAG program, students do not need to be identified as talented and gifted to check out items. Please follow this link to see what is currently available: <https://bit.ly/phescuriositylibrary> . If you would like to request an item for your child or have any questions, please contact Mr. Holladay at [aholladay@pleasanthill.k12.or.us](mailto:aholladay@pleasanthill.k12.or.us) .  
Items will be available for pick up from your child's teacher.

## When Should I Keep My Child Home?

Student's Symptoms or Illness	Student May Return to School When* The list below tells the shortest time to stay home. A student may need to stay home longer for some illnesses.
<b>Fever:</b> temperature by mouth greater than 100.4 degrees	No fever for at least 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medicine.
<b>Skin rash</b> or open sores	Symptom free, which means the rash is gone; sores are dry or can be completely covered by a bandage; or with orders from doctor to school nurse.
New <b>Cough</b> illness or New Difficulty Breathing	Symptoms improving for 24 hours (no cough or cough is well-controlled). If pertussis (whooping cough) is diagnosed, after taking 5-day course of prescribed antibiotics, or when cleared for return by local public health authority. If COVID-19 is diagnosed, with orders from local public health authority.
<b>Diarrhea:</b> 3 loose or watery stools in one day <b>OR</b> newly not able to control bowel movements	Symptom-free or with orders from doctor to school nurse.
<b>Vomiting</b>	Symptom-free or with orders from doctor to school nurse.
<b>Headache</b> with stiff neck and fever; <b>OR</b> with recent head injury	Symptom-free or with orders from doctor to school nurse.
<b>Jaundice:</b> (new) yellow color in eyes or skin	After the school has orders from doctor or local public health authority to school nurse.
<b>Red eyes or eye discharge:</b> yellow or brown drainage from eyes	Redness and discharge is gone <b>OR</b> with orders from doctor to school nurse.
<b>Acting differently without a reason:</b> unusually sleepy, grumpy or confused.	Symptom-free or with orders from doctor to school nurse.
<b>Major health event, like an illness lasting 2 or more weeks or a hospital stay, or the health condition requires more care than the school staff can safely provide.</b>	After the school has orders from doctor to school nurse and after measures are in place for the student's safety. Please work with school staff to address special healthcare needs so the student may attend safely.



- May 13<sup>th</sup> - Billie Spirit Day! Wear your Billie gear or school colors, blue and yellow
- May 19<sup>th</sup> - 1:00 p.m. 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Parent Concert - The History of Pleasant Hill, Blue Gym
- May 20<sup>th</sup> - 8:00 - 5:00 p.m. 3<sup>rd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Field Trip
- May 23<sup>rd</sup> - May 27<sup>th</sup> - 7:30 - 4:30 p.m. Book Fair, PHCC
- May 23<sup>rd</sup> - 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Rm. 21 Field Trip
- May 24<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Rm. 17 and Rm. 20 Field Trip
- May 30<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Day / No School
- May 31<sup>st</sup> - 9:00 - 11:40 p.m. Rm. 4 Field Trip



# 2022-2023 PLEASANT HILL SCHOOL DISTRICT #1 CALENDAR

M	T	W	T	F
<b>July 2022</b>				
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25	26	27	28	29

M	T	W	T	F
<b>August 2022</b>				
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15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

<b>September 2022</b>				
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19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

<b>October 2022</b>				
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24	25	26	27	28
31				

<b>November 2022</b>				
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14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

<b>December 2022</b>				
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

<b>January 2023</b>				
2	3*	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

<b>February 2023</b>				
	1	2	3	
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20*	21	22	23	24
27	28			

<b>March 2023</b>				
	1	2	3	
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

<b>April 2023</b>				
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14*
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

<b>May 2023</b>				
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30	31		

<b>June 2023</b>				
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16*
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

**Please Note:** There is one float day for emergency closure built into the calendar in June. If this day is not needed, the last day for students would be June 15.

## IMPORTANT DATES

- Aug 25:** New Teachers Report
- Aug 29-Sep 1:** Teacher Work Days/In-service
- Aug 31:** PHMS/HS Meet the Teacher
- Sep 1:** PHES Meet the Teacher
- Sep 5:** Holiday (Labor Day) - No School
- Sep 6:** Start of 1st Quarter
- Sep 9, 16, 23, 30:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Oct 7, 28:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Oct 10:** Columbus and Indigenous Peoples Day
- Oct 14:** State-wide In-service - No School/Teacher Work Day
- Oct 20-21:** Parent Conferences - 1/2 Day of School
- Nov 4, 18:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Nov 9:** End of 1st Quarter (46 Days)
- Nov 10:** Teacher Grading Day - No School
- Nov 11:** Holiday (Veterans Day) - No School
- Nov 14:** Start of 2nd Quarter
- Nov 23:** Teacher comp day for conferences - No School
- Nov 24-25:** Holiday (Thanksgiving) - No School
- Dec 2, 9, 16:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Dec 19-Jan 2:** Holiday (Christmas Break) - No School
- Jan 3:** Teacher In-service - No School/**Float Day for Emergency Closure**
- Jan 6, 13, 20, 27:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Jan 16:** Holiday (MLK, Jr. Day) - No School
- Feb 2:** End of 2nd Quarter (43 Days)
- Feb 3:** Teacher Work Day/Grading - No School
- Feb 6:** Start of 3rd Quarter
- Feb 10, 17, 24:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Feb 20:** Holiday (Presidents' Day) - No School/**Float Day for Emergency Closure**
- Mar 3, 10, 17, 24:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Mar 10:** Returning Student Registration opens
- Mar 27-31:** Spring Break - No School
- Apr 7, 21, 28:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Apr 13:** End of 3rd Quarter (43 Days)
- April 14:** Teacher Work Day/Grading - No School/**Float Day for Emergency Closure**
- Apr 17:** Start of 4th Quarter
- May 5, 12, 19, 26:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- May 29:** Holiday (Memorial Day) - No School
- Jun 2, 9:** Early Release - Teaching/Learning Teams
- Jun 9:** High School Graduation
- Jun 15:** End of 4th Quarter (43 Days)
- Jun 15:** Returning Student Registration closes
- Jun 16:** **Float Day for Emergency Closure**
- Jun 19:** Teacher Grading Day
- Jun 19:** Juneteenth

**Green = New teachers report 8/25, returning teachers 8/29**

**Yellow = No School**

**Blue = Friday Release Time: Elem 1:25 pm, HS 1:35 pm  
No Friday Release if late start**

**Red = Parent-Teacher Conferences**

**Gray = 1st day of the nine weeks**