

# Daily Announcements



\*\*\*\*\* PLEASE NOTE THAT ANY NEW ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL BE HIGHLIGHTED IN GREEN (FOR A WEEK) FOR EASIER REFERENCE. \*\*\*\*\*

DATE: Friday, November 8, 2019: Day 1

## IMPORTANT SCHOOL/COMMUNITY INFORMATION

**POB Idol** tickets will be on sale on Tuesday, November 12 through Thursday, November 14 in the lobby for \$10. The performance is on Friday, November 15, 2019 in the HS LGI at 7 PM. Senior superlatives will be announced throughout the show. Remember the audience is who votes on the POB Idol.

Pre-sale tickets go on sale Tuesday, November 12, for this year's fall play, **Our Town**. Pre-sale tickets are \$12 and can be purchased in the main lobby each morning before first period. Tickets can also be purchased after 3:45 PM in the LGI. Starting Sunday, November 17, all tickets will be full price, \$15. All seats are reserved. Show dates are Thursday, November 21 to Saturday, November 23.

Our school is participating in the **PTA Reflections** contest. In this contest, students may explore one or all six arts disciplines, including: Dance Choreography, Film Production, Literature, Music Composition, Photography, and Visual Arts. The contest begins locally but culminates in a national contest. This year's Reflection program theme is – *Look Within*. Tell your story through dance, a short film, a poem or story, an original song, a photo or visual work of art.

If you are at all interested, pick up a PTA Reflections Entry Form and an information packet from Mrs. Weintraub in the Main Office. Completed entries are due no later than Friday, November 22 at noon. This is a great opportunity to showcase your creative side. If you have any questions, Pia Miller is our parent volunteer. She can be reached via email: [piap\\_78@yahoo.com](mailto:piap_78@yahoo.com). Alternately, the website of the Reflections contest is: <https://nyspta.org/home/programs/reflections/>.

Are you a student interested in science, technology, engineering, art, and/or math? Then **STEAM Night** is just the event for you! We are looking for 150 student volunteers to run STEAM-related stations for our youngest POB scholars. Share your STEAM passion while earning eight hours of community service and having a good time! Check out pictures from last year's STEAM Night by [clicking here](#). The deadline to sign up is Friday, November 22. To learn more and to sign up [click here](#).

Registration forms for the **spring session of Driver's Education** will be available by the end of November on the website.

The **TAG program** is looking for volunteers as peer mentors. If you are interested in signing up and looking for community service hours, please contact Jeannine Gulli at [jgulli@pobschools.org](mailto:jgulli@pobschools.org).

Attention all **9<sup>th</sup> graders**, if you have not yet picked up your **Chromebooks**, please do so during your free period or 10<sup>th</sup> period in the library.

**ATTENTION STUDENTS WHO PARK IN THE PLAINVIEW POOL PARKING LOT:** Please do not move the safety cones that are placed in the parking spots. They are specifically put there for your protection and should not be tampered with. Additionally, when parking near a cone, please leave space between your car and the cone. Please be advised that the Plainview Community Pool parking lot will be closing at 7 PM each day until further notice. Students parking at the pool must remove their cars no later than 7 PM.

PARENTS, please be advised that some students who park in the **Plainview Pool parking lot** are **crossing in the middle of the street**, rather than at the light at the corner. Crossing in the middle of the road, weaving between cars, is a very dangerous situation especially in the early morning when it is still dark. Please discuss with your children the dangers involved in crossing this way and instruct them to cross at the light only.

We are asking all students who are **parking on Washington Avenue** to be mindful not to park on our neighbors' grass. This is not only damaging to the grass but to the sprinkler systems of the homes. Please make sure to keep your tires on the roadway.

STUDENTS, please make sure all of your **valuables are locked up in your gym locker** during your Physical Education class. There have been thefts in the locker room for those items that are not locked up. If you cannot fit your valuables in your gym locker, please do not bring them to school or leave them locked in your regular school locker. The POB school district is not responsible for theft of personal belongings, so please make sure they are safely locked up at all times.

### CLUBS

TODAY, Friday, November 8 through Wednesday, November 13 is **National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week**. **POB JFKHS Animal Rescue Club** is celebrating this week by decorating paws and displaying them all in the showcase! Stop by period 10 in front of the cafeteria to decorate a paw and help spread awareness this week.

**Coding Club** will have a meeting on Tuesday, November 12 in the Library Lab 2 during period 11. New members are always welcome! You do not need to have coding experience to join!

Attention Juniors interested in applying for **Junior Prom Committee**, interest meetings will take place on Tuesday, November 12 and Thursday, November 14 during period 11 in room 134. You must attend one of these interest meetings in order to apply.

The **SADD Fall Blood Drive** will be held on Thursday, November 21, 2019. Students can sign up and reserve appointment times beginning Tuesday, November 12, 2019, outside of the cafeteria. All students who donate will be awarded community service credit.

There will be a **Community Service** meeting on Wednesday, November 13 during period 11 in room 192 A/B.

Are you in need of a tutor for your child? **National Honor Society** offers 10 hours of free academic tutoring through our chapter membership. If you are interested in seeking tutoring services simply click on the link provided and sign up. All students receiving tutoring through this program must be full time matriculated students attending one of our schools in the POB CSD. Enrollment for tutoring is open now. Sign-ups will close on Friday, November 15, 2019 using this the following link: <https://forms.gle/nC2eZZEuStsZX1k6>. Any questions, please email [pobtutoring@gmail.com](mailto:pobtutoring@gmail.com) or [NHS@pobschools.org](mailto:NHS@pobschools.org).

If you are interested in being a part of **SADD** and were unable to attend our first meeting, you can join the google classroom at 1yyfqhu. Additionally, there will be a meeting about the blood drive on Monday, November 18 during period 11 in room 192A.

## SENIOR INFORMATION

### GUIDANCE

Any senior who is interested in being considered to be nominated for the **Villanova Presidential Scholarship** which is a renewable, merit-based award covering full tuition, room, board, general fee, and the cost of textbooks for eight semesters. Representing diverse intellectual, social, ethnic, and economic backgrounds, Presidential Scholars are transformational leaders both on and off campus who have demonstrated a love of learning and a commitment to enhancing both their local and broader civic communities. Each year, of the 24 Presidential Scholarships offered, 6 scholarships are reserved for candidates from historically underrepresented groups, including African American/Black, Latino/Hispanic, American Indian/Native American, Asian/Pacific Islander, first in their family to pursue a college education, and low-income (generally Pell Grant eligible) students. Interested students must sign up in Guidance before Friday, November 15.

Any senior who is a US citizen and interested in applying for the **Elks Foundation's Most Valuable Student Scholarship** should do so online by Friday, November 15, 2019 at [enf.elks.org/mvs](http://enf.elks.org/mvs). Applications will be judged on scholarship, leadership and financial need.

Attention students interested in the military. There will be an **Admissions Information session for USMA**. This session is aimed at high school students, junior year and below. The meeting is scheduled to be held on Tuesday, November 19 at 6:30 PM at the Plainview Fire Department Headquarters. Please see your counselor if you plan on attending.

Please see attached flyer (scroll down to the end of this document) regarding a **Culinary/Hospitality/Healthcare Job Fair** on Tuesday, November 19, 2019.

### ATHLETICS

Attention all student athletes: **Winter sports clearances** have begun. Any student interested in trying out for a Winter sport must bring all signed sport forms and a current physical to the nurse to be cleared. No forms will be accepted after the start of sports, which is on Tuesday, November 12.

Attention all **girls** interested in **Winter Track and Field**. The pre-season informational meeting will be on Wednesday, November 13 at 2:30 PM in room 292 A/B.

### DONATIONS/CHARITIES

### OTHER

# Job Fair

Culinary/Hospitality  
and Healthcare

Tuesday  
November 19

New York State's Department of Labor is sponsoring a Job Fair  
for job opportunities in Culinary/Hospitality and Healthcare!

We've got hundreds of jobs to fill!



Joseph M. Barry Career & Technical  
Education Center  
1196 Prospect Avenue, Westbury, NY

For more information, call  
518-549-0495 or visit:  
[www.labor.ny.gov](http://www.labor.ny.gov)

12-2 p.m. - Barry Tech students • 3-6 p.m. - Open to public

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