

Hello Cocoa Beach Families,

We have made our way through the PSAT and some other activities this week. We are clear from standardized tests and other scheduled interruptions for a while, so classes should be able to get back in a rhythm.

Junior Class Meeting – October 15

Friday during Homeroom we have a Junior Class meeting. 11th Grade students will get information on how to order Class Rings and other class memorabilia. So if you have a Junior in the house, you may want to ask them about the info when they get home. We will post a link to the info on our webpage later.

Counselor Connect – October 21

Our next Counselor Connect session is Thursday evening, October 21st. We are going to use a slightly different format this time. There will be a series of pre-recorded sessions on various topics and then live interactive Zoom meetings hosted by each School Counselor, and Mr. Rhyne. Look for an email early next week with details and links

Haunted House – October 29-30

Part of our focus here at Cocoa Beach is community service. Several of our student clubs are holding a large event to raise funds for the Children's Miracle Network Hospitals (including Arnold Palmer in Orlando). On the nights of October 29th and 30th we are turning our school into a Haunted House of sorts. We will lead tours of the school through various scare zones. There will be a gentle scare free kid's path, which will focus on games and activities. But there will also be a full-fledged scare zone path for older kids (and adults). Here is a link to some info:

<https://www.brevardschools.org/domain/11186>.

Homecoming – November 1-5

One of the unique traditions of American high schools is Homecoming and all of the events associated with it. We will celebrate Homecoming the week of November 1st through 5th. We will have spirit days each week, a Parade Friday afternoon and the presentation of the Homecoming Court at halftime of the Football game. These traditional events are a lot of fun and the students get excited about them. In accordance with current health and safety restrictions, we are not sponsoring a Homecoming Dance.

Thank you for choosing Cocoa Beach Jr/Sr High School. As always, please contact me if you have any questions.

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